

FIFTY-EIGHTH DAY

Thursday, April 25, 1996

The Senate of the Eighteenth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1996, convened at 9:27 o'clock p.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Divine Blessing was invoked by the Reverend Bienvenida Sevilleja, United Church of Christ, after which the Roll was called showing all Senators present with the exception of Senator Ige who was excused.

The President announced that he had read and approved the Journal of the Fifty-Seventh Day.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 337 to 340) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 337, dated April 22, 1996, transmitting a report of unbudgeted positions in fiscal year 1996 covering the Department of Land and Natural Resources, Department of Human Resources Development and the Division of Community Hospitals of the Department of Health, pursuant to Act 218, Section 194, SLH 1995.

Gov. Msg. No. 338, dated April 16, 1996, transmitting a letter expressing his concerns about recent inquiries from the Office of the Inspector General of the United States Department of Transportation to determine whether the State's current practice of using the airport revenue fund to make payments to the Office of Hawaiian Affairs (OHA) violates federal law.

Gov. Msg. No. 339, informing the Senate that on April 24, 1996, he signed into law Senate Bill No. 3004 as Act 48, entitled: "RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Gov. Msg. No. 340, dated April 24, 1996, transmitting his statement of objections to Senate Bill Nos. 2421 and 3205 which he has returned to the Senate without his approval and which reads as follows:

"EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS
HONOLULU

April 24, 1996

STATEMENT OF OBJECTIONS TO SENATE BILL NO. 2421

Honorable Members
Eighteenth Legislature
State of Hawaii

Pursuant to Section 16 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, I am returning herewith, without my approval, Senate Bill No. 2421, entitled, 'A Bill for an Act Relating to the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act, 1920, as Amended.'

The purpose of this bill is to allow the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands to use either an open bid or public auction process, in addition to the existing sealed bid process, in the general leasing of land to native Hawaiians.

However, the public auction process is expected to result in leases with lower lease rents, because the process will enable native Hawaiians and Hawaiian organizations to be aware of other bid amounts and to bid only as high as needed to counter opposing bids. Since there has been

no study of the impact of this bill on the revenues of the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands, I am concerned about the potential loss of revenues to the department.

For the foregoing reason, I am returning Senate Bill No. 2421 without my approval.

Respectfully,

/s/ Benjamin J. Cayetano
BENJAMIN J. CAYETANO
Governor of Hawaii"; and

"EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS
HONOLULU

April 24, 1996

STATEMENT OF OBJECTIONS TO SENATE BILL NO. 3205

Honorable Members
Eighteenth Legislature
State of Hawaii

Pursuant to Section 16 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, I am returning herewith, without my approval, Senate Bill No. 3205, entitled, 'A Bill for an Act Relating to Office Machine and Oil Products Dealerships.' The purpose of this bill is to expand chapter 481G, Hawaii Revised Statutes, which protects office machine dealers from arbitrary termination of dealership contracts, to include dealers of oil products. Manufacturers of motor fuel are exempted.

However, the supporters of this bill did not present any substantial evidence to the Legislature either of (1) abuse of oil product dealers by their distributors; (2) the inadequacy of remedies under the existing Hawaii Revised Statutes, such as section 480-2 (unfair competition) and chapter 482E (franchise investment law), or under the Hawaii common law (actions for breach of contract, unfair competition, unjust enrichment); (3) the impact of this bill on business in Hawaii; or (4) the impact on the budget, including the impact of implementing and enforcing this bill.

I believe that special statutory protections that supersede existing contractual arrangements should be based on substantial evidence of abuse that has occurred. In view of the uncertainty of the impact of this bill on the business climate in Hawaii, the uncertainty of its impact on the budget, the current budget crisis, and the need for some reliable indication that new legislation be cost effective and not aggravate the budget crisis, I believe that enactment of this bill is premature at this time.

For the foregoing reasons, I am returning Senate Bill No. 3205 without my approval.

Respectfully,

/s/ Benjamin J. Cayetano
BENJAMIN J. CAYETANO
Governor of Hawaii"

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the House (Hse. Com. Nos. 707 to 709) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Hse. Com. No. 707, returning S.C.R. No. 16, S.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 24, 1996.

Hse. Com. No. 708, informing the Senate that the Speaker on April 25, 1996, appointed Representatives Takumi, Hiraki, Say, co-chairmen, Ward as managers on the part of the House for the consideration of amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 3182, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1).

Hse. Com. No. 709, informing the Senate that the Speaker on April 25, 1996, appointed Representatives Yonamine, Say, co-chairmen, Marumoto as managers on the part of the House for the consideration of amendments proposed by the Senate to H.C.R. No. 159 (S.D. 2).

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Ikeda, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2549, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 5) recommending that H.B. No. 2549, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 5 and H.B. No. 2549, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE PLANNING COUNCIL ON DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Ikeda, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 3853, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 6) recommending that H.B. No. 3853, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 6 and H.B. No. 3853, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Ikeda, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 3211, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 7) recommending that H.B. No. 3211, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 7 and H.B. No. 3211, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IMPACT FEES," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Holt, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 3419, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 8) recommending that H.B. No. 3419, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 8 and H.B. No. 3419, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LICENSING QUALIFICATIONS TO PRACTICE MEDICINE AND SURGERY," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Holt, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 3086, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 9) recommending that H.B. No. 3086, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 9 and H.B. No. 3086, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE RENTALS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Holt, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 3398, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 10) recommending that H.B. No. 3398, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 10 and H.B. No. 3398, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARITABLE SOLICITATIONS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Holt, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 3400, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 11) recommending that H.B. No. 3400, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 11 and H.B. No. 3400, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESS REGISTRATION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Holt, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 3409, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 12) recommending that H.B. No. 3409, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 12 and H.B. No. 3409, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Ige, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 291, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 13) recommending that H.B. No. 291, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 13 and H.B. No. 291, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII BOARD OF REGENTS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Ikeda, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 3618, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 14) recommending that H.B. No. 3618, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 14 and H.B. No. 3618, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADMINISTRATIVE RULES," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Ikeda, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 4074, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 15) recommending that H.B. No. 4074, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 15 and H.B. No. 4074, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND EXCHANGE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Holt, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 3417, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 16) recommending that H.B. No. 3417, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 16 and H.B. No. 3417, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INDUSTRY LICENSING," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Holt, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2359, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 17) recommending that H.B. No. 2359, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 17 and H.B. No. 2359, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Kanno, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3170, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 53) recommending that S.B. No. 3170, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 53 and S.B. No. 3170, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WAIMANALO," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Matsunaga, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3079, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 54) recommending that S.B. No. 3079, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 54 and S.B. No. 3079, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYEE STOCK OWNERSHIP PROGRAMS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Iwase, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2003, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 55) recommending that S.B. No. 2003, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 55 and S.B. No. 2003, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY CHILD CARE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Iwase, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 608, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 56) recommending that S.B. No. 608, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 56 and S.B. No. 608, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Fernandes Salling, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2220, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 57) recommending that S.B. No. 2220, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 57 and S.B. No. 2220, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BURIAL PLOTS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Ikeda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2948) recommending that H.B. No. 3817, H.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Ikeda, seconded by Senator Baker and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3817, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION PUBLICATIONS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Friday, April 26, 1996.

Senator Ikeda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2949) recommending that H.B. No. 2539 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2949 and H.B. No. 2539, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AUTHORIZATION OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR ENERGY DEVELOPMENT," was deferred until Friday, April 26, 1996.

Senator Solomon, for the Committee on Executive and Judicial Appointments, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2950) recommending that the Senate consent to the nomination of DAVID LEON FONG to the office of Judge, District Court of the First Circuit, for a term of six years, in accordance with the provisions of Article VI, Section 3, of the Hawaii State Constitution, and in accordance with Jud. Com. No. 1.

In accordance with Senate Rule 36(5), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2950 and Jud. Com. No. 1 was deferred until Friday, April 26, 1996.

Senator Solomon, for the Committee on Executive and Judicial Appointments, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2951) recommending that the Senate consent to the nomination of DOUGLAS HIROSHI IGE to the office of Judge, District Family Court of the Second Circuit, for a term of six years, in accordance with the provisions of Article VI, Section 3, of the Hawaii State Constitution, and in accordance with Jud. Com. No. 2.

In accordance with Senate Rule 36(5), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2951 and Jud. Com. No. 2 was deferred until Friday, April 26, 1996.

ORDER OF THE DAY

AGREE/DISAGREE

MATTERS DEFERRED FROM WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24, 1996

S.C.R. No. 43, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

By unanimous consent, action on S.C.R. No. 43, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM TO USE ITS EXPERTISE TO PLAN A SUSTAINABLE ECONOMIC BASE FOR HAWAII COUNTY," was deferred until Friday, April 26, 1996.

S.C.R. No. 176, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

By unanimous consent, action on S.C.R. No. 176, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE EFFORTS OF HAWAII'S CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION TO MOOR THE U.S.S. MISSOURI (BB-63) IN BATTLESHIP ROW," was deferred until Friday, April 26, 1996.

S.C.R. No. 186, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

By unanimous consent, action on S.C.R. No. 186, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE COORDINATION OF EFFORTS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM, AND THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO DEVELOP A PLAN FOR THE SHIPMENT OF HAWAII CATTLE TO THE UNITED STATES WEST COAST THAT IS CONSISTENT WITH SECTION 27 OF THE MERCHANT MARINE ACT, 1920," was deferred until Friday, April 26, 1996.

FINAL READING

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 3 (H.B. No. 2433, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Fukunaga, seconded by Senator Matsuura and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 3 was adopted and H.B. No. 2433, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR CARRIERS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Ige).

S.B. No. 2280, S.D. 2, H.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Holt, seconded by Senator Ihara and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2280, S.D. 2, and S.B. No. 2280, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIGARETTE SALES BY MOBILE FOOD VENDORS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Ige).

S.B. No. 2459, H.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Holt, seconded by Senator Ihara and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2459 and S.B. No. 2459, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY AMBULANCE SERVICE PERSONNEL," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Ige).

S.B. No. 2502, S.D. 1, H.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Holt, seconded by Senator Ihara and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2502, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 2502, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL ESTATE BROKERS AND SALESPERSONS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Ige).

S.B. No. 2532, S.D. 1, H.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Holt, seconded by Senator Ihara and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2532, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 2532, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NURSES," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Ige).

S.B. No. 2726, S.D. 1, H.D. 2:

On motion by Senator Holt, seconded by Senator Ihara and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2726, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 2726, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Ige).

S.B. No. 3158, S.D. 1, H.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Holt, seconded by Senator Ihara and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3158, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 3158, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE INSURANCE CODE," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Ige).

Senator Liu rose on a point of information as follows:

"Mr. President, I rise on a point of information.

"Mr. President, am I correct in understanding that there is an agreement between the Senate and the House that H.B. 2366 is a measure that does have fiscal impact?"

The Chair responded:

"You're talking about the bill relating to the interpretation of statutes?"

Senator Liu answered:

"No, I'm talking about H.B. 2366, H.D. 1."

At 9:35 o'clock p.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 9:37 o'clock p.m.

Senator Liu continued:

"I'll rephrase my question. My question then, in regard to H.B. 2366, H.D. 1, it is my understanding that should Rule 51 and/or Article III, Section 12, be attempted in regard to that bill, that the option will still be available through tomorrow."

The Chair replied:

"That is correct because the Senate has not amended that bill."

Senator Liu then said:

"Thank you, Mr. President."

Senator Anderson also rose on a point of information and said:

"Mr. President, on a point of information.

"I'm not an attorney and I don't really understand all of the ramifications of what we're doing with Rule 51 and Article so and so and I don't think a lot of the public knows. We're talking about 2366 as a constitutional amendment. My understanding is that it's still viable and as long as we don't amend it and it's still part of the Senate rules that we could, if need be, pull that tomorrow and it would still be a bill that could be looked upon legally. Is that my understanding of this?"

The Chair responded:

"That's our understanding, you are correct."

Senator Anderson continued:

"Just as long as I understand that it's still going to be a legal procedure and it's not going to be all of a sudden 'Gee, we ran out of time, we should have done this two days ago.

"Thank you."

RECONSIDERATION OF ACTION TAKEN

S.B. No. 3068, S.D. 1, H.D. 1:

Senator Fukunaga moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on April 12, 1996, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3068, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Chumbley and carried.

Senator Fukunaga moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3068, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Chumbley.

Senator Fukunaga noted:

"Mr. President, the amendments made by the House were mainly technical in nature and do not change the substance of the bill."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3068, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 3068, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TELECOMMUNICATION SERVICE OFFENSES," was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Friday, April 26, 1996.

Senator Tam, chairman of the Committee on Ecology and Environmental Protection, requested a waiver of the required hours of Notice of a Public Hearing on S.R. No. 20 and S.R. No. 60, and the Chair granted the waiver.

APPOINTMENT AND DISCHARGE OF CONFEREES

H.B. No. 3401, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 3401, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Holt, chairman, Ihara, Anderson as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 3232, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

The President discharged Senator Fernandes Salling as a vice-chairman and appointed her as a manager; he also appointed Senator Baker as a vice-chairman on the part of the Senate at the conference to be held for the consideration of amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3232, S.D. 2.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORTS STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

On motion by Senator Ihara, seconded by Senator Liu and carried unanimously, the Senate authorized the Clerk to receive conference committee reports on Senate and House bills for Final Reading. The Clerk was further authorized to receive a standing committee report on a Governor's Message for advise and consent to nominations. In consequence thereof, and subsequent to its recessing at 9:41 o'clock p.m., the Senate took the following actions:

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Chumbley, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 3862, H.D. 2 presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 18) recommending that H.B. No. 3862, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 18 and H.B. No. 3862, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL DISCIPLINE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Holt, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 871, presented a

report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 19) recommending that H.B. No. 871, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 19 and H.B. No. 871, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TIME SHARES," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Ikeda, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 3102, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 20) recommending that H.B. No. 3102, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 20 and H.B. No. 3102, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTRACTORS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Holt, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 3760, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 21) recommending that H.B. No. 3760, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 21 and H.B. No. 3760, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPTIVE INSURANCE COMPANIES," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Ikeda, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 3434, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 22) recommending that H.B. No. 3434, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 22 and H.B. No. 3434, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Holt, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 3096, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 23) recommending that H.B. No. 3096, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 23 and H.B. No. 3096, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RETURN OF MERCHANDISE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Holt, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 3809, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 24) recommending that H.B. No. 3809, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 24 and H.B. No. 3809, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE

SIGNS REQUIRED WHERE TOBACCO PRODUCTS ARE SOLD," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Grauly, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 599, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 25) recommending that H.B. No. 599, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 25 and H.B. No. 599, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADMINISTRATIVE REVOCATION OF DRIVER'S LICENSE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Grauly, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1866, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 26) recommending that H.B. No. 1866, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 26 and H.B. No. 1866, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC AGENCY MEETINGS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Grauly, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2603, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 27) recommending that H.B. No. 2603, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 27 and H.B. No. 2603, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JURORS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Grauly, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2868, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 28) recommending that H.B. No. 2868, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 28 and H.B. No. 2868, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Grauly, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2975, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 29) recommending that H.B. No. 2975, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 29 and H.B. No. 2975, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRUGS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Grauly, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 3046, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 30)

recommending that H.B. No. 3046, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 30 and H.B. No. 3046, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Gaulty, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 3350, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 31) recommending that H.B. No. 3350, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 31 and H.B. No. 3350, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PAYMENT OF CHILD SUPPORT," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Gaulty, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 3596, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 32) recommending that H.B. No. 3596, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 32 and H.B. No. 3596, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DISPOSITION OF AN ELECTION TIE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Gaulty, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 3631, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 33) recommending that H.B. No. 3631, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 33 and H.B. No. 3631, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SUMMONING OF JURORS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Gaulty, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 3653, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 34) recommending that H.B. No. 3653, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 34 and H.B. No. 3653, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HARASSMENT," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Gaulty, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 3666, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 35) recommending that H.B. No. 3666, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 35 and H.B. No. 3666, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO

NUISANCE ABATEMENT," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Tam, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2998, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 58) recommending that S.B. No. 2998, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 58 and S.B. No. 2998, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Gaulty, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1602, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 59) recommending that S.B. No. 1602, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 59 and S.B. No. 1602, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AIRPORT SECURITY," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Gaulty, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2124, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 60) recommending that S.B. No. 2124, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 60 and S.B. No. 2124, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISPOSITION OF DEFENDANTS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Gaulty, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2186, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 61) recommending that S.B. No. 2186, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 61 and S.B. No. 2186, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNAUTHORIZED CONTROL OF PROPELLED VEHICLES," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Iwase, for the majority of the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3248, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 62) recommending that S.B. No. 3248, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 62 and S.B. No. 3248, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OCEAN RECREATION MANAGEMENT," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Gaulty, for the majority of the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2888,

S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 63) recommending that S.B. No. 2888, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 63 and S.B. No. 2888, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RELEASE OF PRETRIAL INMATES," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Chumbley, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2446, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 64) recommending that S.B. No. 2446, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 64 and S.B. No. 2446, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RECODIFICATION OF THE EDUCATION STATUTES," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Chumbley, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3021, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 65) recommending that S.B. No. 3021, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 65 and S.B. No. 3021, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Chumbley, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2380, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 66) recommending that S.B. No. 2380, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 66 and S.B. No. 2380, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMPULSORY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Holt, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2329, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 67) recommending that S.B. No. 2329, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 67 and S.B. No. 2329, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROFESSIONAL AND VOCATIONAL REGULATORY PROGRAMS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Holt, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2724, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 68) recommending that S.B. No. 2724, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 68 and S.B. No. 2724, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1,

entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CODE OF FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Holt, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3159, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 69) recommending that S.B. No. 3159, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 69 and S.B. No. 3159, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE, ANNUITIES AND SECURITIES ACTIVITIES OF BANKS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Gaulty, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1305, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 70) recommending that S.B. No. 1305, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 70 and S.B. No. 1305, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Gaulty, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2247, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 71) recommending that S.B. No. 2247, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 71 and S.B. No. 2247, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MANSLAUGHTER," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Gaulty, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2249, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 72) recommending that S.B. No. 2249, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 72 and S.B. No. 2249, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC ABUSE PROTECTIVE ORDERS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Gaulty, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2326, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 73) recommending that S.B. No. 2326, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 73 and S.B. No. 2326, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Grauly, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2381, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 74) recommending that S.B. No. 2381, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 74 and S.B. No. 2381, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MISSING CHILDREN," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Grauly, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2548, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 75) recommending that S.B. No. 2548, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 75 and S.B. No. 2548, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LANDOWNERS' LIABILITY," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Grauly, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2773, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 76) recommending that S.B. No. 2773, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 76 and S.B. No. 2773, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRUG PRODUCT SELECTION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Grauly, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2993, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 77) recommending that S.B. No. 2993, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 77 and S.B. No. 2993, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNIFORM PROBATE CODE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

Senator Solomon, for the Committee on Executive and Judicial Appointments, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2952) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations CLYDE T. KODANI and JOSEPH F. BLANCO to the Board of Regents, University of Hawaii, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 200.

In accordance with Senate Rule 36(5), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2952 and Gov. Msg. No. 200 was deferred until Friday, April 26, 1996.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:00 o'clock midnight, the Senate adjourned until 10:00 o'clock p.m., Friday, April 26, 1996.