THIRTEENTH DAY

Monday, February 8, 1999

The Senate of the Twentieth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 1999, convened at 11:37 o'clock a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Divine Blessing was invoked by Lieutenant Kyle Smith, The Salvation Army, after which the Roll was called showing all Senators present with the exception of Senators Fukunaga, Matsuura and Tam who were excused.

The President announced that he had read and approved the Journal of the Twelfth Day.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 173 and 174) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 173, letter dated February 4, 1999, as provided in Section 9, Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, requesting the immediate consideration and passage of S.B. No. 1066, which makes an appropriation in fiscal year 1998-1999 for the Hawaii Tourism Authority's (HTA) Tourism Special Fund.

Gov. Msg. No. 174, letter dated February 4, 1999, as provided in Section 9, Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, requesting the immediate consideration and passage of S.B. No. 1105, which provides necessary funding for the four-month period remaining in fiscal year 1998-1999 for the Department of the Attorney General's legal representation of the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands in defending the State's interest in resolving claims asserted by individual beneficiaries of the Hawaiian Home Lands Trust.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions (S.C.R. Nos. 32 and 33) were read by the Clerk and were deferred:

Senate Concurrent Resolution

No. 32 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF DESIGNATING KALAPAKI, HANAMAULU, AND HANALEI BAYS ON KAUAI AS MARINE FISHERIES MANAGEMENT AREAS."

Offered by: Senators Chun, Chumbley.

No. 33 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING URGENT ATTENTION TO AN EXPEDITIOUS PLAN OF ACTION TO RESTORE KAUMALAPAU HARBOR."

Offered by: Senator Buen.

Senator Hanabusa, for the Committee on Water, Land, and Hawaiian Affairs, requested a waiver of the 72-hour Notice of a Public Hearing on S.B. Nos. 452, 460, 566, 693, 694, 698, 1198, 1215, 1356, 1428, 1500 and 1524, and the Chair granted the waiver.

Senator Inouye, for the Committee on Economic Development, requested a waiver of the 72-hour Notice of a Public Hearing pursuant to Senate Rule 20 on S.B. Nos. 219, 222, 488, 719, 784, 786, 804, 1614 and 1629, and the Chair granted the waiver.

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:45 o'clock a.m., on motion by Senator Chun, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 o'clock a.m., Tuesday, February 9, 1999.