TWENTY-SEVENTH DAY

Thursday, March 6, 2003

The Senate of the Twenty-Second Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2003, convened at 11:44 o'clock a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Divine Blessing was invoked by the Reverend Mari Gabrielson, after which the Roll was called showing all Senators present.

The President announced that he had read and approved the Journal of the Twenty-Sixth Day.

At this time, Senator Kawamoto introduced and welcomed Lieutenant General James Campbell, who assumed duties as Commanding General, U.S. Army Pacific, on November 4, 2002. Accompanying General Campbell were Dr. Janice Nielsen and Major Dave Chapman.

At this time, President Bunda invited General Campbell to the podium to address the members of the Senate.

General Campbell addressed the Senate as follows:

"President Bunda, Senator Kawamoto, distinguished members of the Hawaii State Senate, and future leaders of our great state and great nation – it is truly an honor for me to be with you today. I have been blessed to have served three tours in the State of Hawaii, and to be in this historic setting, among these proven leaders and these future leaders, will be a very special memory for me for years to come. I wish my mom could be here. I was quite a handful as a child and I don't think she would believe this. (Laughter.)

"I'm very proud to say that I have served nearly 32 years in our magnificent United States Army, and saved being a fireman or a policeman, I consider service to my country in uniform the noblest profession.

"At this moment as I speak to you, thousands of young men and women in uniform – really America's sons and daughters – are standing point for our great country around the globe from Bosnia to Kosovo, from Kuwait to Afghanistan, from Japan to the Philippines. Included in that number are many brave and dedicated soldiers from the State of Hawaii.

"What keeps them going, what enables them to do what they do under incredible circumstances is that they know they cannot let you down. They know the American people are counting on them around the world and here in the Pacific to put their life on the line, if necessary, to preserve the freedoms that we enjoy today. They look to you for support, and you must know that it is that support that keeps them strong and keeps them ready and I simply cannot thank you enough for that.

"I'd like to close my brief remarks this morning with a verse from a song (and I will not sing it) that captures what your Army stands for, and this message resonates through every church, every school, every corner drugstore across our great land. It has special meaning as our nation faces very daunting challenges. It's the third verse of 'America the Beautiful':

'O beautiful for heroes proved in liberating strife. Who more than self their country loved And mercy more than life! America! America! May God thy gold refine Till all success be nobleness And every gain divine!'

"Thank you for the honor to be with you this morning. God bless you all and God bless America."

At 11:56 o'clock a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 12:01 o'clock p.m.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

Gov. Msg. No. 229, letter dated February 26, 2003, as provided in Section 9, Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, requesting immediate consideration and passage of a proposed draft of S.B. No. 355 to balance the general fund financial plan, was read by the Clerk and was placed on file.

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the House (Hse. Com. Nos. 109 to 284) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Hse. Com. No. 109, transmitting H.B. No. 10, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 10, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 110, transmitting H.B. No. 43, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 43, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE FRAUD," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 111, transmitting H.B. No. 49, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 49, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 112, transmitting H.B. No. 50, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 50, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC EMPLOYEES HEALTH FUND," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 113, transmitting H.B. No. 75, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 75, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 114, transmitting H.B. No. 78, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 78, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION OF HAWAII," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 115, transmitting H.B. No. 85, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 85, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ACCRETED LANDS," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 116, transmitting H.B. No. 132, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 132, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES AND EMPLOYMENT PRACTICES," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 117, transmitting H.B. No. 150, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 150, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LEGISLATURE," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 118, transmitting H.B. No. 155, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 155, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR PINEAPPLE RESEARCH," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 119, transmitting H.B. No. 193, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 193, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LANDOWNERS' LIABILITY," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 120, transmitting H.B. No. 248, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 248, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMOKING IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS BY PUBLIC EMPLOYEES," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 121, transmitting H.B. No. 282, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 282, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AUDITOR," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 122, transmitting H.B. No. 287, H.D. 3, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 287, H.D. 3, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYEES," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 123, transmitting H.B. No. 293, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 293, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE FARMERS' MARKET," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 124, transmitting H.B. No. 316, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 316, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNIVERSITY PROJECTS AND PURPOSES," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 125, transmitting H.B. No. 317, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 317, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 126, transmitting H.B. No. 373, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 373, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POLITICAL SPEECH," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 127, transmitting H.B. No. 377, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 377, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR NOT-FOR-PROFIT CORPORATIONS THAT PROVIDE HEALTH CARE FACILITIES," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 128, transmitting H.B. No. 378, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 378, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR NOT-FOR-PROFIT CORPORATIONS THAT PROVIDE HEALTH CARE FACILITIES," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 129, transmitting H.B. No. 379, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 379, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR NOT-FOR-PROFIT CORPORATIONS THAT PROVIDE HEALTH CARE FACILITIES," passed First Reading by title and was deferred

Hse. Com. No. 130, transmitting H.B. No. 380, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 380, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR NOT-FOR-PROFIT CORPORATIONS THAT PROVIDE HEALTH CARE FACILITIES," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 131, transmitting H.B. No. 381, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 381, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR NOT-FOR-PROFIT CORPORATIONS THAT PROVIDE HEALTH CARE FACILITIES," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 132, transmitting H.B. No. 382, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 382, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR NOT-FOR-PROFIT CORPORATIONS THAT PROVIDE HEALTH CARE FACILITIES," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 133, transmitting H.B. No. 383, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 383, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR NOT-FOR-PROFIT CORPORATIONS THAT PROVIDE HEALTH CARE FACILITIES," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 134, transmitting H.B. No. 384, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 384, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR NOT-FOR-PROFIT CORPORATIONS THAT PROVIDE HEALTH CARE FACILITIES," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 135, transmitting H.B. No. 385, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 385, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PREVENTION OF WORKPLACE VIOLENCE," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 136, transmitting H.B. No. 389, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 389, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY LEAVE," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 137, transmitting H.B. No. 391, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 391, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 138, transmitting H.B. No. 403, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 403, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 139, transmitting H.B. No. 554, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 554, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 140, transmitting H.B. No. 581, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 581, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SHARK FEEDING," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 141, transmitting H.B. No. 631, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 631, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE HAWAIIAN IMMERSION PROGRAM," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 142, transmitting H.B. No. 651, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 651, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INFORMED CONSENT," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 143, transmitting H.B. No. 662, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 662, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII SPORTS HALL OF FAME," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 144, transmitting H.B. No. 736, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 736, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROFESSIONAL AND VOCATIONAL LICENSES," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 145, transmitting H.B. No. 807, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 807, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHAPTER 291E," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 146, transmitting H.B. No. 865, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 865, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONFLICTS OF INTERESTS," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 147, transmitting H.B. No. 914, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 914, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADULT RESIDENTIAL CARE HOMES," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 148, transmitting H.B. No. 925, H.D. 3, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 925, H.D. 3, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELDER ABUSE," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 149, transmitting H.B. No. 948, H.D. 3, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 948, H.D. 3, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EARNED INCOME DEDUCTION FOR PUBLIC HOUSING RENT CALCULATION," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 150, transmitting H.B. No. 986, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 986, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEATH BENEFITS OF SURVIVING CHILDREN OF PUBLIC EMPLOYEES," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 151, transmitting H.B. No. 993, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 993, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RECONSTRUCTED VEHICLES," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 152, transmitting H.B. No. 422, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 422, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A CENTER FOR NURSING," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 153, transmitting H.B. No. 473, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 473, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 154, transmitting H.B. No. 507, H.D. 3, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 507, H.D. 3, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIANS," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 155, transmitting H.B. No. 510, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 510, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL

FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 156, transmitting H.B. No. 519, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 519, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ELDER JUSTICE ACT," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 157, transmitting H.B. No. 523, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 523, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL TOURISM," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 158, transmitting H.B. No. 529, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 529, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAVE PROTECTION," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 159, transmitting H.B. No. 553, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 553, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 160, transmitting H.B. No. 997, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 997, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEGISLATIVE INFORMATION," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 161, transmitting H.B. No. 1021, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1021, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 162, transmitting H.B. No. 1029, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1029, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERMIT APPROVALS," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 163, transmitting H.B. No. 1114, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1114, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOBACCO," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 164, transmitting H.B. No. 1116, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1116, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 165, transmitting H.B. No. 1153, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1153, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TELECOMMUNICATIONS RELAY SERVICES," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 166, transmitting H.B. No. 1159, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1159, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 167, transmitting H.B. No. 1175, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1175, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 168, transmitting H.B. No. 1182, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1182, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 169, transmitting H.B. No. 1198, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1198, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD LABOR," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 170, transmitting H.B. No. 1212, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1212, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND EXCHANGES," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 171, transmitting H.B. No. 1214, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1214, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LAND LIABILITY," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 172, transmitting H.B. No. 1220, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1220, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PAROLING AUTHORITY," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 173, transmitting H.B. No. 1234, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1234, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL DRIVER LICENSING," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 174, transmitting H.B. No. 1235, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1235, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL DRIVER LICENSING," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 175, transmitting H.B. No. 1236, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1236, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL DRIVER LICENSING," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 176, transmitting H.B. No. 1261, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1261, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 177, transmitting H.B. No. 1285, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1285, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HISTORIC SITES," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 178, transmitting H.B. No. 1328, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1328, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONSUMER ADVOCATE," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 179, transmitting H.B. No. 1361, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1361, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MEDICAID PRESCRIPTION DRUG EXPANSION PROGRAM," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 180, transmitting H.B. No. 1395, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1395, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL FACILITY PROJECTS," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 181, transmitting H.B. No. 1412, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1412, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 182, transmitting H.B. No. 1429, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1429, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A COMMISSION ON FATHERHOOD," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 183, transmitting H.B. No. 1430, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1430, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMUNITY ORAL HEALTH," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 184, transmitting H.B. No. 1434, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1434, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 185, transmitting H.B. No. 1438, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1438, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOME LOAN PROTECTION," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 186, transmitting H.B. No. 1465, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1465, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 187, transmitting H.B. No. 1492, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1492, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NET ENERGY METERING," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 188, transmitting H.B. No. 1506, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1506, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR ISPED CLERK TYPISTS," passed First Reading by title and was deferred

Hse. Com. No. 189, transmitting H.B. No. 1510, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1510, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHIROPRACTIC," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 190, transmitting H.B. No. 1532, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1532, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE CELEBRATION OF MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. DAY," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 191, transmitting H.B. No. 1547, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1547, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 192, transmitting H.B. No. 1572, H.D. 3, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1572, H.D. 3, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARKING FOR DISABLED PERSONS," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 193, transmitting H.B. No. 1590, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1590, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL

FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERANS' RIGHTS AND BENEFITS," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 194, transmitting H.B. No. 1607, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1607, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AUTHORIZED EMERGENCY VEHICLES," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 195, transmitting H.B. No. 1613, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1613, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NORTH KOHALA," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 196, transmitting H.B. No. 18, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 18, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PHARMACEUTICAL BENEFIT MANAGEMENT COMPANIES," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 197, transmitting H.B. No. 21, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 21, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATE DISCLOSURE," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 198, transmitting H.B. No. 32, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 32, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 199, transmitting H.B. No. 91, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 91, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT SERVICES," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 200, transmitting H.B. No. 96, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 96, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 201, transmitting H.B. No. 130, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 130, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PENSION AND RETIREMENT SYSTEMS," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 202, transmitting H.B. No. 135, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 135, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERNATIONAL MATCHMAKING ORGANIZATIONS," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 203, transmitting H.B. No. 139, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 139, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MOTOR VEHICLE RENTAL INDUSTRY," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 204, transmitting H.B. No. 140, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 140, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MOTOR VEHICLE RENTAL INDUSTRY," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 205, transmitting H.B. No. 146, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 146, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 206, transmitting H.B. No. 176, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 176, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WEED AND SEED PROGRAM," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 207, transmitting H.B. No. 189, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 189, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY CONTRACEPTIVES FOR SEX ASSAULT SURVIVORS IN EMERGENCY ROOMS," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 208, transmitting H.B. No. 196, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 196, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A GEOTHERMAL-TO-HYDROGEN TAX CREDIT," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 209, transmitting H.B. No. 281, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 281, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 210, transmitting H.B. No. 288, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 288, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY CONSERVATION INITIATIVES," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 211, transmitting H.B. No. 289, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 289, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 212, transmitting H.B. No. 290, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 290, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNEMPLOYMENT," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 213, transmitting H.B. No. 291, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 291, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JOB CREATION INCOME TAX CREDIT," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 214, transmitting H.B. No. 292, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 292, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SCHOOL PRIORITY FUND," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 215, transmitting H.B. No. 295, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 295, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC LAND TRUST," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 216, transmitting H.B. No. 297, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 297, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRUGS," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 217, transmitting H.B. No. 298, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 298, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 218, transmitting H.B. No. 339, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 339, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A COLLEGE SAVINGS PROGRAM TAX CREDIT," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 219, transmitting H.B. No. 405, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 405, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UTILIZATION OF FEDERAL FUNDS," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 220, transmitting H.B. No. 426, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 426, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 221, transmitting H.B. No. 433, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 433, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE BONDS," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 222, transmitting H.B. No. 500, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 500, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY COURTS," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 223, transmitting H.B. No. 504, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 504, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FORCE-PLACED INSURANCE," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 224, transmitting H.B. No. 512, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 512, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 225, transmitting H.B. No. 550, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 550, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEVELOPMENT OF MEDICAL FACILITIES," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 226, transmitting H.B. No. 551, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 551, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATED TO THE STATE HEALTH PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT AGENCY," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 227, transmitting H.B. No. 593, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 593, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL ESTATE," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 228, transmitting H.B. No. 595, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 595, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHECK CASHING," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 229, transmitting H.B. No. 626, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 626, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INDIVIDUAL DEVELOPMENT ACCOUNT CONTRIBUTION TAX CREDIT," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 230, transmitting H.B. No. 640, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 640, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE LOSS MITIGATION GRANT PROGRAM," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 231, transmitting H.B. No. 641, H.D. 3, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 641, H.D. 3, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD CHECKS," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 232, transmitting H.B. No. 685, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 685, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENTERPRISE ZONE," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 233, transmitting H.B. No. 712, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 712, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES IMPROVEMENT SPECIAL FUND," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 234, transmitting H.B. No. 714, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 714, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 235, transmitting H.B. No. 756, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 756, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 236, transmitting H.B. No. 772, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 772, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BONDS," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 237, transmitting H.B. No. 773, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 773, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BONDS," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 238, transmitting H.B. No. 857, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 857, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 239, transmitting H.B. No. 907, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 907, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADULT RESIDENTIAL CARE HOMES," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 240, transmitting H.B. No. 968, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 968, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 241, transmitting H.B. No. 980, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 980, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL SETTLEMENTS," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 242, transmitting H.B. No. 1003, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1003, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIME VICTIM COMPENSATION," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 243, transmitting H.B. No. 1004, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1004, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISPOSITION OF CONVICTED DEFENDANTS," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 244, transmitting H.B. No. 1013, H.D. 3, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1013, H.D. 3, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXAMINATIONS FOR THE DETERMINATION OF PERMANENT IMPAIRMENT," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 245, transmitting H.B. No. 1041, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1041, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES EXCLUDED FROM COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AND MAKING APPROPRIATIONS AND OTHER ADJUSTMENTS," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 246, transmitting H.B. No. 1042, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1042, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 247, transmitting H.B. No. 1043, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1043, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR SALARY INCREASES FOR PUBLIC EMPLOYEES," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 248, transmitting H.B. No. 1044, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1044, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 249, transmitting H.B. No. 1045, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1045, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 250, transmitting H.B. No. 1046, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1046, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 251, transmitting H.B. No. 1047, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1047, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 252, transmitting H.B. No. 1075, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1075, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IMPLEMENTATION OF A FIXED RAIL TRANSIT SYSTEM," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 253, transmitting H.B. No. 1076, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1076, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO APPELLATE JURISDICTION," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 254, transmitting H.B. No. 1111, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1111, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE, ITS OFFICERS, OR ITS EMPLOYEES," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 255, transmitting H.B. No. 1117, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1117, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ANTITRUST," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 256, transmitting H.B. No. 1127, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1127, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY RESOURCES," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 257, transmitting H.B. No. 1152, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1152, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE FUNDS," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 258, transmitting H.B. No. 1154, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1154, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNCLAIMED PROPERTY," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 259, transmitting H.B. No. 1181, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1181, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS

CORPORATION," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 260, transmitting H.B. No. 1223, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1223, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONFORMITY OF THE HAWAII INCOME TAX LAW TO THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 261, transmitting H.B. No. 1224, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1224, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AMENDMENT OR REPEAL OF OBSOLETE TAX LAWS," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 262, transmitting H.B. No. 1230, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1230, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 263, transmitting H.B. No. 1253, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1253, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 264, transmitting H.B. No. 1258, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1258, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE FRANCHISES," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 265, transmitting H.B. No. 1275, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1275, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SHORELINE," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 266, transmitting H.B. No. 1309, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1309, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EVIDENCE," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 267, transmitting H.B. No. 1339, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1339, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUM PROPERTY REGIMES," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 268, transmitting H.B. No. 1363, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1363, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A GRANT-IN-AID TO THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO CLEAN SALT LAKE WATERWAY," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 269, transmitting H.B. No. 1394, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1394, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION TO STIMULATE THE ECONOMY," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 270, transmitting H.B. No. 1400, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1400, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOTEL CONSTRUCTION AND REMODELING TAX CREDIT," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 271, transmitting H.B. No. 1456, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1456, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPOSIT BEVERAGE CONTAINER PROGRAM," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 272, transmitting H.B. No. 1470, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1470, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TIME SHARING," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 273, transmitting H.B. No. 1471, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1471, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND COURT," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 274, transmitting H.B. No. 1498, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1498, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL AIR TRANSPORT SERVICES FOR THE COUNTY OF MAUI," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 275, transmitting H.B. No. 1509, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1509, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 276, transmitting H.B. No. 1548, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1548, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL IMPROVEMENTS," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 277, transmitting H.B. No. 1554, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1554, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTY TAXES," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 278, transmitting H.B. No. 1579, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1579, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ECONOMIC DIVERSIFICATION AUTHORITY," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 279, transmitting H.B. No. 1594, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1594, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NONPROFIT CORPORATIONS," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 280, transmitting H.B. No. 1616, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1616, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 281, transmitting H.B. No. 1628, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1628, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATIONAL LOANS," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 282, transmitting H.B. No. 1652, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1652, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE MEDICAID PRESCRIPTION DRUG REBATE SPECIAL FUND," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 283, transmitting H.B. No. 1560, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 1560, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISPOSITION OF VESSELS BY THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 284, transmitting H.B. No. 90, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2003, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.B. No. 90, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

SENATE COMMUNICATION

Sen. Com. No. 1, notice to the Governor dated March 6, 2003, transmitting S.B. No. 784, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 1002, which propose amendments to the Hawaii State Constitution, was read by the Clerk and was disposed of as follows:

By unanimous consent, the following notice was sent to the Governor:

"March 6, 2003

The Honorable Linda Lingle Governor of the State of Hawaii State Capitol Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear Governor Lingle:

In accordance with the provisions of Article XVII, Section 3 of the Hawaii State Constitution, written notice is hereby given of the final form to the following Senate Bill(s), a copy of which is attached hereto:

S.B. No. 784, S.D. 1 'RELATING TO THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.'

S.B. No. 1002

'PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE X, SECTION 2, OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION, TO ALLOW THE STUDENT MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO VOTE.'

Respectfully,

/s/ Paul T. Kawaguchi PAUL T. KAWAGUCHI Clerk of the Senate"

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senators Chun Oakland and Baker, for the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1003) recommending that S.C.R. No. 13, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1003 and S.C.R. No. 13, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A STATEWIDE INTERAGENCY TASK FORCE TO DEVELOP A PLAN FOR COORDINATION AND EXPANSION OF SERVICES PROVIDED THROUGH HEALTHY START TO YOUNG CHILDREN AND THEIR FAMILIES," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

Senator Kanno, for the Committee on Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1004) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of KATHLEEN WATANABE as Director of the Department of Human Resources Development, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 101.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1004 and Gov. Msg. No. 101 was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

Senator Inouye, for the Committee on Water, Land, and Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1005) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of SANDRA LEE KUNIMOTO as Chair of the Department of Agriculture, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 7.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1005 and Gov. Msg. No. 7 was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

Senator Inouye, for the Committee on Water, Land, and Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1006) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of PETER YOUNG as Director of the Department of Land and Natural Resources, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 12.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1006 and Gov. Msg. No. 12 was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

ORDER OF THE DAY

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

MATTERS DEFERRED FROM TUESDAY, MARCH 4, 2003

H.B. No. 52, H.D. 2 (Hse. Com. No. 12):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 52, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD PASSENGER SAFETY," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 53 (Hse. Com. No. 13):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 53, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION'S MARITIME RELATED USES," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 58 (Hse. Com. No. 14):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 58, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 86, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 15):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 86, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 122 (Hse. Com. No. 16):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 122, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRESUMPTIVE MEDICAID ELIGIBILITY FOR PREGNANT WOMEN," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 123, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 17):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 123, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PRACTICE OF PHARMACY," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 133, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 18):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 133, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD PROTECTION," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 192, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 19):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 192, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ACCRETED LANDS," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003

H.B. No. 218 (Hse. Com. No. 20):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 218, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TERMINABLE RENTAL ADJUSTMENT CLAUSE VEHICLE LEASES," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 277, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 21):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 277, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 285, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 22):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 285, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 286 (Hse. Com. No. 23):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 286, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STANDARDS OF CONDUCT," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 320, H.D. 2 (Hse. Com. No. 24):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 320, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RISK MANAGEMENT," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 436 (Hse. Com. No. 25):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 436, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO FUND A SECOND AMBULANCE TO SERVE THE WAIANAE COAST," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 475 (Hse. Com. No. 26):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 475, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION," was deferred until Friday, March 7 2003

H.B. No. 485 (Hse. Com. No. 27):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 485, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR HANAHAU OLI SCHOOL," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 488 (Hse. Com. No. 28):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 488, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR MID-PACIFIC INSTITUTE," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003

H.B. No. 509, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 29):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 509, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING IN PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 548, H.D. 2 (Hse. Com. No. 30):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 548, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ANATOMICAL GIFTS," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003

H.B. No. 604 (Hse. Com. No. 31):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 604, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 657, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 32):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 657, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY COMMEMORATION OF THE KOREAN WAR COMMISSION," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 659 (Hse. Com. No. 33):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 659, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LEGISLATIVE JOURNALS," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 730 (Hse. Com. No. 34):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 730, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OCCUPATIONAL THERAPISTS," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 731, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 35):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 731, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 744, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 36):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 744, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FUEL," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 754 (Hse. Com. No. 37):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 754, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS BY MAIL," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 762, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 38):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 762, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTION HEARINGS," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 802, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 39):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 802, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHAPTER 711, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 813 (Hse. Com. No. 40):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 813, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY COURTS," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 814 (Hse. Com. No. 41):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 814, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC INFRACTIONS," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 815 (Hse. Com. No. 42):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 815, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COURTS," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 818, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 43)

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 818, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADMINISTRATIVE DRIVER'S LICENSE REVOCATION," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 884 (Hse. Com. No. 44):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 884, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 939 (Hse. Com. No. 45):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 939, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR HOALA SCHOOL," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 1010, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 46):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 1010, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE USE OF INTOXICANTS," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 1022 (Hse. Com. No. 47):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 1022, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXPUNGEMENT," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 1155, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 48):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 1155, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNCLAIMED PROPERTY," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003

H.B. No. 1157 (Hse. Com. No. 49):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 1157, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003

H.B. No. 1161, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 50):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 1161, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PSYCHOLOGIST LICENSING REQUIREMENTS," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 1163 (Hse. Com. No. 51):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 1163, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTAL INSURANCE," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 1172 (Hse. Com. No. 52):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 1172, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM SECURITIES ACT," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 1255 (Hse. Com. No. 53):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 1255, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE OFFICE OF ELECTIONS," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 1276, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 54):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 1276, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 1277 (Hse. Com. No. 55):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 1277, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE III, SECTION 16, OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII, TO PROVIDE THE

LEGISLATURE WITH THE POWER TO RECALL A BILL PRESENTED TO THE GOVERNOR," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 1294 (Hse. Com. No. 56):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 1294, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENTS," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003

H.B. No. 1307, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 57):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 1307, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 1362 (Hse. Com. No. 58):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 1362, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR ST. PATRICK SCHOOL," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 1405, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 59):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 1405, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BIOFUEL," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 1453, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 60):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 1453, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESIDENTIAL LEASEHOLDS," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 1479, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 61):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 1479, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A NATIONAL KOREAN WAR MUSEUM IN HAWAII," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003

H.B. No. 1495, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 62):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 1495, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CREMATION," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 1564 (Hse. Com. No. 63):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 1564, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR CHAMINADE UNIVERSITY," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 1630, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 64):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 1630, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR VETERANS CEMETERIES," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 83, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 65):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 83, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A LAND

EXCHANGE BETWEEN THE STATE OF HAWAII AND THE ALOHA COUNCIL BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.C.R. No. 26, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 66):

By unanimous consent, action on H.C.R. No. 26, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE SPEAKER OF THE UNITED STATES HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TO EDUCATE AND SENSITIZE MEMBERS OF CONGRESS ON THE UNFORTUNATE CIRCUMSTANCES OF THE INTERNMENT OF CIVILIANS DURING WORLD WAR II," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 29, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 67):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 29, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEAL BREAKS," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 73 (Hse. Com. No. 68):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 73, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE GOVERNMENT," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 127, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 69):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 127, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSISTANCE," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 129, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 70):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 129, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BRIDGE TO HOPE," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 179, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 71):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 179, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE PURCHASE OF LAND IN NORTH KONA," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 294 (Hse. Com. No. 72):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 294, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEMPORARY HEALTH INSURANCE FOR UNEMPLOYED PERSONS," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 314, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 73):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 314, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR SCHOOL SECURITY GUARDS," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 324, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 74):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 324, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVER LICENSING," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 401, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 75):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 401, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 418, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 76):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 418, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 531 (Hse. Com. No. 77):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 531, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYEES," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 533, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 78):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 533, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT ETHICS," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 620, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 79):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 620, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JUNIOR RESERVE OFFICERS' TRAINING CORPS," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 638, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 80):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 638, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII STATE PUBLIC LIBRARY SYSTEM," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 645 (Hse. Com. No. 81):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 645, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR ASSISTING NOT-FOR-PROFIT CORPORATIONS THAT PROVIDE HEALTH CARE FACILITIES TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 668 (Hse. Com. No. 82):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 668, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 691 (Hse. Com. No. 83):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 691, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC PROCUREMENT CODE," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 704, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 84):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 704, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT CODE," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003

H.B. No. 735, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 85):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 735, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR SEXUAL ASSAULT SERVICES," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 740, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 86):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 740, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL LITTERING," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 757, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 87):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 757, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING RECORDS," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 851, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 88):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 851, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION APPEALS," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003

H.B. No. 887, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 89):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 887, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT CORPORATE DISCLOSURE FOR CAMPAIGN SPENDING," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 969, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 90):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 969, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATED TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 981, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 91):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 981, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 1053 (Hse. Com. No. 92):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 1053, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSERVATION," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 1064 (Hse. Com. No. 93):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 1064, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003

H.B. No. 1081 (Hse. Com. No. 94):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 1081, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE INTERNET PORTAL," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003

H.B. No. 1160, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 95):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 1160, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EXAMINATION FOR LICENSURE AS A CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 1164, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 96):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 1164, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 1165, H.D. 2 (Hse. Com. No. 97):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 1165, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESS REGISTRATION," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 1176, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 98):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 1176, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 1217, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 99):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 1217, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 1225 (Hse. Com. No. 100):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 1225, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ADMINISTRATION OF TAXES," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 1247 (Hse. Com. No. 101):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 1247, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A CONTRAFLOW LANE ON FARRINGTON HIGHWAY ALONG THE WAIANAE COAST FROM MOHIHI STREET TO PILIOKAHI AVENUE," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 1272, H.D. 2 (Hse. Com. No. 102):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 1272, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADVOCACY FOR HUMAN SERVICES," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 1302 (Hse. Com. No. 103):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 1302, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003

H.B. No. 1303 (Hse. Com. No. 104):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 1303, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003

H.B. No. 1342, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 105):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 1342, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR YOUTH SERVICES," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 1373 (Hse. Com. No. 106):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 1373, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYEES," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 1511, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 107):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 1511, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUM PROPERTY REGIMES," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

H.B. No. 1660, H.D. 1 (Hse. Com. No. 108):

By unanimous consent, action on H.B. No. 1660, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2003.

ADVISE AND CONSENT

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1002 (Gov. Msg. No. 6):

Senator Kanno moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1002 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Ihara and carried

Senator Kanno then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of NELSON BEFITEL as Director of the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations, term to expire December 4, 2006, seconded by Senator Ihara.

Senator Kanno rose to speak in support of the nominee and

"Mr. President, I rise to speak in support of the nominee.

"Mr. President, Nelson Befitel holds a Bachelor of Arts degree in Journalism, with a minor in Sociology, from the University of Hawaii and a Juris Doctor degree from Arizona State University. Mr. Befitel practiced with the law firm of Damon Key Kupchak & Hastert from 1998 to 2002. He previously served as a Deputy Corporation Counsel for the County of Maui, a law clerk with the Department of the Attorney General, a law clerk with the Department of the Prosecuting Attorney for the County of Maui, and an investigator for the Hawaii Civil Rights Commission.

"Mr. Befitel has been highly active within the community, serving as a member and officer of many organizations, including the American Bar Association, the Hawaii State Bar Association, the Filipino Chamber of Commerce of Hawaii, the State of Hawaii Election Advisory Committee, the Ala Moana Rotary Club, and the Kihei Youth Center. He has also served as the Chief Legal Advisor for Governor Linda Lingle's 2002 Gubernatorial Campaign and a volunteer with the Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Maui. Mr. Befitel was also a finisher in the 2002 Austin Marathon and was named by Pacific Business News one of the Forty Under 40 for 2002 for his business skills, leadership, and community involvement.

"Your Committee received over 130 letters of testimony in support of the nominee from numerous members of the business and legal communities, government officials and employees, members from community organizations, and private citizens.

"I urge my colleagues to vote in support of the nominee. Thank you."

Senator Slom also rose in support of the nominee and said:

"Mr. President, I, too, rise in the very strong support of Nelson Befitel. "Nelson Befitel is experienced; he's capable, and I guess, as the Labor Chairman said, there were over 130 communications and testimony in support. There was no opposition. I think the biggest problem Nelson Befitel has is his age. He's just too young to have accomplished all the things he's already accomplished and to have all the ideas and the creativity to make changes that are necessary.

"In the past, people have gotten the perception that it was business versus labor and that that was one of the functions of the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations.

"Mr. Befitel comes from a background that's very interesting. His parents were union members. Many of his family members were and are union members. He truly comes from blue-collar roots. He is very knowledgeable about employment law, and yet he also was an attorney representing businesses. His attitude has been, from the very beginning, to bring business and unions and all labor together because it is a function of the department.

"It is the mission of the state to improve the economic livelihood of everyone who works in this state regardless of any kind of institutional or organizational membership. But it is also the mission and the purpose and the goal of the department and of this state to improve and diversify and strengthen our business climate and our business community, because without a strong business climate, there can be no jobs, there can be no additional compensation or benefits, and we all suffer. Mr. Befitel understands this.

"He's a hard worker. He's energetic. He's a good listener. And that's not just me saying that – it's people saying that who sat on the other side of the table with him, had disagreements with him on various issues, but always found him open and fair. And that is one of the qualities that we look for in any individual that we confirm – a person that's going to be accessible, that's going to understand. We can have our disagreements on issues, but you want somebody that is going to be able to listen and give everyone an opportunity to discuss their points of view.

"In Nelson Befitel, we get all of those qualities and more. His age and his freshness of approach is a real benefit to us. So, Mr. President, colleagues, I urge a very strong and unanimous confirmation vote for Mr. Nelson Befitel.

"Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

At this time, Senator Kanno introduced Mr. Befitel, who was seated in the gallery with family and friends.

At 12:08 o'clock p.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 12:13 o'clock p.m.

THIRD READING

S.B. No. 1532, S.D. 1:

The President made the following statement:

"Members, S.B. No. 1532 has been recommitted."

Senator Ihara interjected:

"Mr. President, I would like to request that a vote be taken in order to recommit this bill."

At 12:14 o'clock p.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 12:20 o'clock p.m.

Senator Inouye moved that S.B. No. 1532, S.D. 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Water, Land, and Agriculture, seconded by Senator Espero.

Senator Menor rose in favor of the recommittal and said:

"Mr. President, I wanted to briefly offer some remarks in favor of this motion for recommittal.

"Mr. President, I stand before my colleagues today in support of this recommittal because of the environmental concerns that the measure raises. Moreover, two neighborhood boards in my district have expressed opposition to this measure ..."

The Chair interjected:

"Could we have a short recess, please."

At 12:21 o'clock p.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 12:22 o'clock p.m.

Senator Menor rose and said:

"In the interest of time, Mr. President, I just wanted the Clerk to note, for the record, my strong support for the recommittal of S.B. No. 1532, S.D. 1.

"Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, S.B. No. 1532, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOLID WASTE," was recommitted to the Committee on Water, Land, and Agriculture.

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

Senator Kanno moved that S.B. No. 1, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kawamoto.

Senator Slom rose to speak in opposition to the measure as follows:

"Mr. President, I rise in strong opposition to this bill.

"We debated this bill last year. We debated this bill the other day with an amendment. The amendment of course does not do anything really to help the bill. This bill is a bad bill. It is an anti-business bill. It is an anti-investment bill, and it really misleads the people that supported this bill thinking that it will preserve their jobs and guarantees for future employment.

"The bill came about because of certain transactions and changes in hotels with successor employers. Several employees in certain hotels were not retained and they've been very upset about this and they came to the Legislature for redress last year and this year.

"There was no widespread support for problems existing in other areas of the economy and there was also no guarantee that if we pass any kind of legislation we can protect anybody's job. What we can guarantee, if we pass this legislation, we send a message to those businesses that are trying to keep the business open by either selling the business or merging the business or having the business acquired, we send the message that no one in going to pick up that business because people don't like to have their choices denied to them. And here we are pontificating and telling private employers and the private economy in conditions that we have helped create through taxes and regulations and mandates, that they cannot choose whom they want to retain and who they do not want to retain.

"Originally, the bill said that they must retain all 100 percent of all employees, regardless of whether or not they were qualified, experienced, attitude, or changes that take place. Now we're saying you only have to retain 50 percent of the employees, but 50 percent is still a large number. The main thing is we are denying them the choice to make the decisions for themselves.

"We are not in business here. We are in the process of destroying businesses. If people are not allowed to make the choices that they want to make, and if businesses that are in trouble are not allowed to sell or to have their business acquired, then in fact all 100 percent of all employees are at risk in terms of losing their jobs.

"We also note that even though we don't have a law, most businesses will be very prudent and will take as many or all of the employees they can if those employees are qualified and if they fit into whatever has to be done with the retrofitting or downsizing of the new business. But the idea is to keep the business viable, keep as many people employed as possible, keep people working rather than unemployed, keep paychecks flowing, and keep taxes being paid to the state. So this bill sends a very harsh message.

"There was an amendment that was made from the original bill, also, to exclude the construction industry. But one must ask – if you're going to exclude the construction industry, then why not retailing, why not wholesaling, why not manufacturing? And we don't do that. We're singling out one industry and saying that they can be excluded. If the problem is we don't want anybody to ever lose their job or 50 percent of any company employees to lose their job, then it should apply equally across the board, but in fact, it does not.

"So, the main thing here is that we are denying choice and we're denying economic realities. And the economic realities are that there are a lot of businesses that are not in business today. People have lost their jobs, but they have also found jobs. And the idea is, if you improve the business climate, then in fact you create other jobs and other business opportunities. This bill does exactly the opposite and I urge my colleagues to vote 'no' and I request a Roll Call vote, Mr. President.

"Thank you."

Senator Sakamoto also rose to speak in opposition to the measure as follows:

"Mr. President, I rise in opposition to the motion.

"Mr. President, for those of you who remember in my description the other day, we've got these 100 employees on this rope bridge up here trying to survive with their employer and their owner, and as they make it across, the owner maybe wants to retire, maybe the owner decides his son is in Las Vegas so he can't continue the business, or maybe the owner

indeed has trouble operating the business because he's ill. Who knows what, or maybe they're struggling and they're having a hard time. And as the employees get halfway across the bridge, Mr. President, he starts to say, 'well, how can I take care of my family, my business family? How can we take care of our employees? Let's find somebody to buy our company.' So he starts calling out, 'who wants to buy my company and take care of my business family?' And then he says, 'oh, by the way, good godfather, you have to take all the keiki or half of the keiki whether you like them or not.' And which godfather would want to adopt half of somebody else's family unknown to him?

"So, we really, as the previous speaker said, the likelihood the bridge will fall becomes almost 100 percent. So let's take care of our employees and their business and company families and let's let this bill die a safe death."

Senator Espero rose in support of the measure and said:

"Mr. President, I'd like to rise in support of this measure.

"The negative side of this bill, the negative spin, is that it's anti-business, anti-investment. This is a bill that would deal with likely transactions of multimillion-dollar corporations — big business — whether it's a sale, trade, whatever the case may be. But the positive side is that it's pro-employee. It supports the working people of Hawaii.

"This bill supports our constituents, our neighbors, our family members. It provides some relief, not much, but some relief for that minimum wage worker, for that individual who is making a living wage, for middle managers. It's not a perfect bill, but it does send a message that yes, we care about the working people of Hawaii, and a big multimillion-dollar corporation can come and invest, but we have some concerns on how our working people are treated.

"That is what this bill sends to people globally, nationally, that please come, we have a good business atmosphere here. You have your Outriggers, your Hiltons, your Marriotts investing millions of dollars in this state. You've got new businesses coming here – high-tech, calling centers. Not everybody is successful. And you do have investment in Hawaii, but this bill is to support the working people of Hawaii. That is what this is.

"This is a pro-working men and women of Hawaii and that is why I urge my colleagues to support it.

"Thank you."

Senator Trimble rose to speak in opposition to the measure as follows:

"Mr. President, I rise in opposition to this measure.

"In its proper context, this is not a pro-worker bill. It may result in a short-term benefit, but history speaks with a single voice, and that is that measures such as this will result in less investment, less jobs over time. So if our concern is about sending a strong message, then let us introduce a resolution. If we care about the working people, we will not vote in favor of this measure.

"Thank you, Mr. President."

Senator Slom rose again in opposition and said:

"Mr. President, I just rise for one point, and that is, you know I've sat here year, after year, after year and heard people talking

about working people, and it shows their ignorance that they do not understand that people that own businesses <u>are</u> working people. People that work for people that own businesses are working people.

"Instead of trying to divide people into one group of working people, we should all realize that we are all working people together, and it affects each and every one of us when we diminish our business economy.

"Thank you."

Senator Hooser rose in support of the measure and stated:

"Mr. President, I rise in support of this bill.

"I want to say, first of all, that I respect the ideas and opinions of both those that support and oppose. I think there's good ideas on both sides. Certainly, the bill is not a perfect one and can go through additional review to give employers more latitude and more freedom if they were going to take over a business and to choose the employees that they desire to.

"As a small business person, I'd like to say that I know many people in business, and I know that there are businesses around the world as the world grows into a global economy. There are many business people who do not have the best interest of the community or the best interest of the workers in mind. There are businesses right now, people that make a profession, make a living out of targeting business – businesses that are profitable already, businesses that have been in existence for years and years and years. These individuals will make a practice of targeting these businesses, some might be a hotel, that are already making money, already profitable, and then buying the business, clearing out all the employees and rehiring new employees at minimum wage, part-time, no benefits, substandard working conditions.

"This bill is just a small step in an effort to show support for those workers. Mr. President, I think all of us know that businesses will do what they want to do in the end and they'll find ways to circumvent a variety of rules. But I rise in support to send a message that we do support working people and we do support labor.

"Thank you, Mr. President."

At 12:33 o'clock p.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 12:34 o'clock p.m.

Senators Aduja and Kim requested their votes be cast "aye, with reservations," and the Chair so ordered.

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, S.B. No. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT," having been read throughout, and Roll Call vote having been requested, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 13. Noes, 12 (Chun Oakland, Fukunaga, Hanabusa, Hemmings, Hogue, Ige, Ihara, Kokubun, Sakamoto, Slom, Trimble, Whalen).

S.B. No. 780, S.D. 2:

Senator Menor moved that S.B. No. 780, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Raker

Senators Sakamoto, Ige and Aduja requested their votes be cast "aye, with reservations," and the Chair so ordered.

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, S.B. No. 780, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEMPORARY PARTIAL DISABILITY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 20. Noes, 5 (Hemmings, Hogue, Slom, Trimble, Whalen).

S.B. No. 1263, S.D. 3:

On motion by Senator Sakamoto, seconded by Senator Kawamoto and carried, S.B. No. 1263, S.D. 3, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRONIC PROCUREMENT," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:47 o'clock p.m., on motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 o'clock a.m., Friday, March 7, 2003.

Respectfully submitted,

Clerk of the Senate

Approved:

President of the Senate