FORTY-FIFTH DAY

Thursday, April 6, 2006

The Senate of the Twenty-Third Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2006, convened at 11:55 o'clock a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Divine Blessing was invoked by the Honorable Norman Sakamoto, Hawaii State Senate, after which the Roll was called showing all Senators present with the exception of Senators Hanabusa, Hemmings, Hogue and Menor who were excused.

The President announced that he had read and approved the Journal of the Forty-Fourth Day.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

Gov. Msg. No. 375, advising the Senate of the withdrawal of the nomination of JAMAL F. WASAN PHD to the Mental Health and Substance Abuse, Hawai'i Service Area Board, under Gov. Msg. No. 338, dated March 23, 2006, was read by the Clerk and was placed on file.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 375, the nomination listed under Gov. Msg. No. 338 was returned.

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the House (Hse. Com. Nos. 437 to 477) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Hse. Com. No. 437, transmitting H.C.R. No. 12, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 5, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on H.C.R. No. 12, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING HAWAII'S CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION TO SEEK FEDERAL FUNDING TO BE USED FOR PROGRAMS AND MEASURES INTENDED TO CONTAIN AND ERADICATE COQUI FROGS IN HAWAII," was deferred until Friday, April 7, 2006.

Hse. Com. No. 438, transmitting H.C.R. No. 98, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 5, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on H.C.R. No. 98, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO ASSIST IN MANAGING THE FERAL PIG POPULATION IN THE TANTALUS AND MANOA AREA," was deferred until Friday, April 7, 2006.

Hse. Com. No. 439, transmitting H.C.R. No. 82, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 5, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on H.C.R. No. 82, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE FUND MANAGEMENT INDUSTRY IN HAWAII," was deferred until Friday, April 7, 2006

Hse. Com. No. 440, transmitting H.C.R. No. 101, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 5, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on H.C.R. No. 101, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF ALLOWING CAMPING WITHIN STATE AGRICULTURAL DISTRICTS AND IF FEASIBLE, TO SPECIFY UNDER WHAT CONDITIONS CAMPING SHOULD BE ALLOWED," was deferred until Friday, April 7, 2006

Hse. Com. No. 441, transmitting H.C.R. No. 164, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 5, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on H.C.R. No. 164, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO PROHIBIT ALL COMMERCIAL VENDORS AT THE NU UANU PALI LOOKOUT ON THE ISLAND OF OAHU," was deferred until Friday, April 7, 2006.

Hse. Com. No. 442, transmitting H.C.R. No. 320, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 5, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on H.C.R. No. 320, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO HONOR THE FIRST MONDAY IN MAY AS HAWAII HISTORIC PRESERVATION AWARENESS DAY," was deferred until Friday, April 7, 2006.

Hse. Com. No. 443, transmitting H.C.R. No. 166, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 5, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on H.C.R. No. 166, H.D. 1, "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION entitled: STRONGLY URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO TEMPORARILY DELAY REALIGNMENT OF ITS CHILD WELFARE SERVICE OFFICES ON ISLAND OF HAWAII TO ALLOW FOR THE CONVENING OF A PUBLIC, COMMUNITY FORUM TO DISCUSS REALIGNMENT IMPLICATIONS AND POTENTIAL IMPACT ON THE CONTINUUM OF CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT PREVENTION, FAMILY SUPPORT, FAMILY STRENGTHENING AND VOLUNTARY CASE MANAGEMENT SERVICES FOR FAMILIES CHILDREN," was deferred until Friday, April 7, 2006.

Hse. Com. No. 444, transmitting H.C.R. No. 172, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 5, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on H.C.R. No. 172, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM AND THE NATURAL ENERGY LABORATORY OF HAWAII AUTHORITY TO CONTINUE THEIR EFFORTS TO SEEK AUTHORIZATION FROM THE UNITED STATES FOREIGN-TRADE ZONES BOARD TO ESTABLISH, OPERATE, AND MAINTAIN A FOREIGN-TRADE ZONE AT THE NATURAL ENERGY LABORATORY OF HAWAII AUTHORITY'S SCIENCE AND OCEAN TECHNOLOGY PARK AT KAILUA-KONA ON THE ISLAND OF HAWAII," was deferred until Friday, April 7, 2006.

Hse. Com. No. 445, transmitting H.C.R. No. 174, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 5, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on H.C.R. No. 174, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE BOARD OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO FACILITATE THE TRANSFER OF PUBLIC LANDS IN KEALAKEHE TO THE DIVISION OF BOATING AND OCEAN RECREATION AS AN EXPANSION OF HONOKOHAU SMALL BOAT HARBOR," was deferred until Friday, April 7, 2006.

Hse. Com. No. 446, transmitting H.C.R. No. 195, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 5, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on H.C.R. No. 195, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING HAWAII'S LANDOWNERS, INVESTORS, COUNTY GOVERNMENTS, AND REGULATED ELECTRIC UTILITIES TO PURSUE DEVELOPMENT AND CONVERSION OF FUEL CROPS FOR ELECTRICITY GENERATION, AND REQUESTING THE HAWAII ENERGY POLICY FORUM TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS," was deferred until Friday, April 7, 2006

Hse. Com. No. 447, transmitting H.C.R. No. 197, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 5, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on H.C.R. No. 197, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING LEAHI HOSPITAL TO DEVELOP A MASTER PLAN AND FINANCIAL FEASIBILITY REPORT FOR ITS EXISTING CAMPUS THAT WILL TAKE ADVANTAGE OF ITS UNIQUE LOCATION AND RELATIONSHIPS IN EAST HONOLULU," was deferred until Friday, April 7, 2006.

Hse. Com. No. 448, transmitting H.C.R. No. 200, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 5, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on H.C.R. No. 200, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO CONDUCT AN ANALYSIS OF INCENTIVES TO PROMOTE LANDOWNER PROTECTION OF IMPORTANT MAUKA LANDS," was deferred until Friday, April 7, 2006.

Hse. Com. No. 449, transmitting H.C.R. No. 218, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 5, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on H.C.R. No. 218, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REOUESTING THE HIGH TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION, UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII JOHN A. BURNS SCHOOL OF MEDICINE, RESEARCH CENTER OF DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES, THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY. AND KAMEHAMEHA SCHOOLS TO PLAN A TECHNOLOGY-BASED COLLABORATIVE PROJECT ON STATE LANDS. OR OTHER APPROPRIATE LANDS, IN KAKAAKO," was deferred until Friday, April 7, 2006.

Hse. Com. No. 450, transmitting H.C.R. No. 234, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 5, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on H.C.R. No. 234, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU, HONOLULU COMMUNITY COLLEGE, AND VARIOUS OTHER ENTITIES TO PURSUE DEVELOPMENT OF A MIXED-USE URBAN CORE IN KALIHI AND REQUESTING ENTERPRISE HONOLULU TO SUBMIT A REPORT RELATING TO THE MIXED-USE URBAN CORE," was deferred until Friday, April 7, 2006.

Hse. Com. No. 451, transmitting H.C.R. No. 249, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 5, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on H.C.R. No. 249, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO REEVALUATE THE BOUNDARIES OF THE HILO BAY RECREATIONAL THRILL CRAFT ZONE," was deferred until Friday, April 7, 2006.

Hse. Com. No. 452, transmitting H.C.R. No. 261, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 5, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on H.C.R. No. 261, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, WITH THE ASSISTANCE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES AND THE DEPARTMENT OF FACILITY MAINTENANCE OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU, TO REPORT TO THE LEGISLATURE ON THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN VARIOUS KAILUA WATERWAYS, INCLUDING THE KAELEPULU POND, AND THE WATER QUALITY AND NATURAL RESOURCES OF KAILUA BEACH AND KAILUA BAY," was deferred until Friday, April 7, 2006.

Hse. Com. No. 453, transmitting H.C.R. No. 270, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 5, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on H.C.R. No. 270, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO SPEEDILY REBUILD A SCHOOL OF GLOBAL AND PUBLIC HEALTH," was deferred until Friday, April 7, 2006.

Hse. Com. No. 454, transmitting H.C.R. No. 289, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 5, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on H.C.R. No. 289, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO FORM A TASK FORCE TO RECOMMEND SOLUTIONS TO ABATE AND PREVENT THE ACCUMULATION OF SEDIMENT IN WAILOA RIVER AND HILO BAY," was deferred until Friday, April 7, 2006.

Hse. Com. No. 455, transmitting H.C.R. No. 290, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 5, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on H.C.R. No. 290, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

REQUESTING THE EXECUTIVE OFFICE ON AGING TO CONVENE A FOCUS GROUP WITH OTHER STAKEHOLDERS TO ASSESS YEARLY SERVICE DELIVERY NEEDS AND LONG-TERM STRATEGIC PLANNING FOR KUPUNA CARE," was deferred until Friday, April 7, 2006.

Hse. Com. No. 456, transmitting H.C.R. No. 305, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 5, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on H.C.R. No. 305, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE KYOTO PROTOCOL ON CLIMATE CHANGE AS A SIGNIFICANT MEANS TO REDUCE GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS AND STABILIZE THE GLOBAL ATMOSPHERE, AND AS A NECESSARY FIRST STEP TOWARD MAINTAINING THE HEALTH AND QUALITY OF LIFE FOR FUTURE GENERATIONS OF HAWAII RESIDENTS, AND URGING THE GOVERNOR TO REQUEST THE PRESIDENT TO PURSUE RATIFICATION OF THIS AGREEMENT," was deferred until Friday, April 7, 2006

Hse. Com. No. 457, transmitting H.C.R. No. 307, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 5, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on H.C.R. No. 307, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO INCLUDE THE USE OF BIOREMEDIATION METHODS TO PREVENT AND MITIGATE POLLUTION IN ITS BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICES AND PROGRAMS," was deferred until Friday, April 7, 2006.

Hse. Com. No. 458, transmitting H.C.R. No. 317, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 5, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on H.C.R. No. 317, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE EFFORTS OF THE ONE CAMPAIGN AND INVITING ALL CITIZENS TO JOIN IN RECOGNIZING AND SUPPORTING THE ONE CAMPAIGN AS IT SPREADS ITS MESSAGE THROUGHOUT THE NATION AND THE WORLD," was deferred until Friday, April 7, 2006.

Hse. Com. No. 459, returning S.B. No. 2090, S.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 5, 2006, in an amended form, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2090, S.D. 2, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 460, returning S.B. No. 2143, S.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 5, 2006, in an amended form, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2143, S.D. 2, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 461, returning S.B. No. 2229, S.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 5, 2006, in an amended form, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2229, S.D. 2, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 462, returning S.B. No. 2479, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 5, 2006, in an amended form, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2479, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 463, returning S.B. No. 2606, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 5, 2006, in an amended form, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2606, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 464, returning S.B. No. 2643, S.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 5, 2006, in an amended form, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2643, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 465, returning S.B. No. 2704, S.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 5, 2006, in an amended form, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2704, S.D. 2, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 466, returning S.B. No. 2720, S.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 5, 2006, in an amended form, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2720, S.D. 2, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 467, returning S.B. No. 2737, S.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 5, 2006, in an amended form, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2737, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 468, returning S.B. No. 2929, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 5, 2006, in an amended form, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2929, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 469, returning S.B. No. 2984, S.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 5, 2006, in an amended form, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2984, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 470, returning S.B. No. 3253, S.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 5, 2006, in an amended form, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3253, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 471, returning S.B. No. 2050, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 5, 2006, was placed on file.

Hse. Com. No. 472, returning S.B. No. 2051, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 5, 2006, was placed on file.

Hse. Com. No. 473, returning S.B. No. 2263, S.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 5, 2006, was placed on file.

Hse. Com. No. 474, returning S.B. No. 2332, S.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 5, 2006, was placed on file.

Hse. Com. No. 475, returning S.B. No. 2581, S.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 5, 2006, was placed on file.

Hse. Com. No. 476, returning S.B. No. 2593, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 5, 2006, was placed on file.

Hse. Com. No. 477, returning S.B. No. 2598, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 5, 2006, was placed on file.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Inouye, for the Committee on Transportation and Government Operations, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3371) recommending that S.C.R. No. 48, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3371 and S.C.R. No. 48, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING A TASK FORCE TO RECOMMEND WHETHER THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION SHOULD ADOPT THE BASIC RIDER COURSE OF THE MOTORCYCLE SAFETY FOUNDATION AS A COMPREHENSIVE EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM FOR THE ENTIRE MOTORCYCLE COMMUNITY," was deferred until Friday, April 7, 2006.

Senator Inouye, for the Committee on Transportation and Government Operations, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3372) recommending that S.R. No. 29, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3372 and S.R. No. 29, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING A TASK FORCE TO RECOMMEND WHETHER THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION SHOULD ADOPT THE BASIC RIDER COURSE OF THE

MOTORCYCLE SAFETY FOUNDATION AS A COMPREHENSIVE EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM FOR THE ENTIRE MOTORCYCLE COMMUNITY," was deferred until Friday, April 7, 2006.

Senator Inouye, for the Committee on Transportation and Government Operations, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3373) recommending that S.C.R. No. 151, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3373 and S.C.R. No. 151, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE PUBLIC POLICY CENTER OF THE COLLEGE OF SOCIAL SCIENCES AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO SPONSOR A SERIES OF PUBLIC POLICY DIALOGS ON OPEN GOVERNMENT," was deferred until Friday, April 7, 2006.

Senator Inouye, for the Committee on Transportation and Government Operations, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3374) recommending that S.R. No. 107, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3374 and S.R. No. 107, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE PUBLIC POLICY CENTER OF THE COLLEGE OF SOCIAL SCIENCES AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO SPONSOR A SERIES OF PUBLIC POLICY DIALOGS ON OPEN GOVERNMENT," was deferred until Friday, April 7, 2006.

Senator Hanabusa, for the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3375) recommending that S.C.R. No. 90 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3375 and S.C.R. No. 90, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUIRING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO STUDY THE CRIME RATES IN JURISDICTIONS IN THE UNITED STATES THAT ALLOW FOR THE OPEN CARRY OF A FIREARM," was deferred until Friday, April 7, 2006.

Senator Ige, for the majority of the Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3376) recommending that S.C.R. No. 228, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3376 and S.C.R. No. 228, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO DIRECT THE FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION AND THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE TO EXAMINE THE FEASIBILITY OF ENACTING FEDERAL LEGISLATION THAT WOULD PROVIDE MAIL RECIPIENTS THE OPTION OF BEING INCLUDED ON A NATIONAL LIST OF THOSE NOT WISHING TO RECEIVE ANY UNSOLICITED COMMERCIAL MAIL," was deferred until Friday, April 7, 2006

Senator Ige, for the Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3377), recommending that S.C.R. No. 186, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Water, Land, and Agriculture.

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 186, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE COUNTIES TO

ENCOURAGE ALL NEW RESIDENTIAL AND COMMERCIAL DEVELOPMENTS BE EQUIPPED WITH WATER CONSERVATION DEVICES," was referred to the Committee on Water, Land, and Agriculture.

Senator Ige, for the Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3378), recommending that S.C.R. No. 185, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Water, Land, and Agriculture.

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 185, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE COUNTIES TO CONSIDER REQUIRING PERVIOUS PAVEMENT BE USED TO PAVE SIDEWALKS, DRIVEWAYS, AND ROADS FOR NEW RESIDENTIAL, COMMERCIAL, AND PUBLIC CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS," was referred to the Committee on Water, Land, and Agriculture.

Senator Ige, for the Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3379), recommending that S.C.R. No. 191, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 191, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT A TAX POLICY TASK FORCE BE ESTABLISHED TO CONDUCT A HOLISTIC REVIEW OF THE STATE AND COUNTY TAX STRUCTURES AND TO DETERMINE HOW THE CURRENT STATE AND COUNTY TAX STRUCTURES AFFECT VARIOUS SECTORS OF THE ECONOMY," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Ige, for the Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3380), recommending that S.R. No. 126, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 126, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT A TAX POLICY TASK FORCE BE ESTABLISHED TO CONDUCT A HOLISTIC REVIEW OF THE STATE AND COUNTY TAX STRUCTURES AND TO DETERMINE HOW THE CURRENT STATE AND COUNTY TAX STRUCTURES AFFECT VARIOUS SECTORS OF THE ECONOMY," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Hanabusa, for the Committee on Judiciary and Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3381), recommending that S.C.R. No. 128, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 128, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS ENTER INTO A LEASE/PURCHASE AGREEMENT FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A NEW OFFICE FACILITY ON HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS IN EAST KAPOLEI TO BE FUNDED BY THE ISSUANCE OF CERTIFICATES OF PARTICIPATION," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Hanabusa, for the Committee on Judiciary and Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3382), recommending that S.R. No. 81, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 81, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUDGET AND FINANCE TO CONVENE A HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE TASK FORCE," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means

Senator Hanabusa, for the Committee on Judiciary and Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3383), recommending that S.C.R. No. 133, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 133, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUDGET AND FINANCE TO CONVENE A HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE TASK FORCE," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Business and Economic Development, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3384), recommending that S.C.R. No. 65, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 65, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE CONCEPT OF A PUBLIC-PRIVATE JOINT VENTURE TO DEVELOP A NEW ADVANCED SIMULATOR AIRLINE TRAINING FACILITY IN HAWAII," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Business and Economic Development, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3385), recommending that S.R. No. 42, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 42, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE CONCEPT OF A PUBLIC-PRIVATE JOINT VENTURE TO DEVELOP A NEW ADVANCED SIMULATOR AIRLINE TRAINING FACILITY IN HAWAII," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Business and Economic Development, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3386), recommending that S.C.R. No. 171, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Energy, Environment, and International Affairs.

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 171, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING FAVORABLE ACTION ON HAWAII'S APPLICATION TO ESTABLISH A FOREIGNTRADE ZONE AT THE NATURAL ENERGY LABORATORY OF HAWAII SITE AT KAILUA-KONA ON THE ISLAND OF HAWAII," was referred to the Committee on Energy, Environment, and International Affairs.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Business and Economic Development, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3387), recommending that S.R. No. 115, as amended in

S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Energy, Environment, and International Affairs.

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 115, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING FAVORABLE ACTION ON HAWAII'S APPLICATION TO ESTABLISH A FOREIGN-TRADE ZONE AT THE NATURAL ENERGY LABORATORY OF HAWAII SITE AT KAILUA-KONA ON THE ISLAND OF HAWAII," was referred to the Committee on Energy, Environment, and International Affairs.

Senator Hee, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3388) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of SCOTT SHIGERU MORISHIGE to the Hawai'i Commission for National and Community Service, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 283.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3388 and Gov. Msg. No. 283 was deferred until Friday, April 7, 2006.

Senator Hee, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3389) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Center for Nursing Advisory Board of the following:

CATHERINE A. ADAMS RN, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 285; and

SALLY T. ISHIKAWA, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 286.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3389 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 285 and 286 was deferred until Friday, April 7, 2006.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3390) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of CAROL ANN BURDICK to the Board of Taxation Review, 2nd Taxation District (Maui), in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 292.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3390 and Gov. Msg. No. 292 was deferred until Friday, April 7, 2006.

Senator Hanabusa, for the Committee on Judiciary and Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3391) recommending that H.B. No. 1833, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3391 and H.B. No. 1833, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS," was deferred until Tuesday, April 11, 2006.

Senator Hanabusa, for the Committee on Judiciary and Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3392) recommending that H.B. No. 1706, H.D. 3, S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3392 and H.B. No. 1706, H.D. 3, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM ENVIRONMENTAL COVENANTS ACT," was deferred until Tuesday, April 11, 2006.

Senator Hanabusa, for the Committee on Judiciary and Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3393) recommending that H.B. No. 1871, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3393 and H.B. No. 1871, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER CREDIT REPORTING AGENCIES," was deferred until Tuesday, April 11, 2006.

Senator Hanabusa, for the Committee on Judiciary and Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3394) recommending that H.B. No. 1977, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3394 and H.B. No. 1977, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STRUCTURED SETTLEMENTS," was deferred until Tuesday, April 11, 2006.

Senator Hanabusa, for the Committee on Judiciary and Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3395) recommending that H.B. No. 2199, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3395 and H.B. No. 2199, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERNATIONAL TRADE AGREEMENT," was deferred until Tuesday, April 11, 2006.

Senator Hanabusa, for the Committee on Judiciary and Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3396) recommending that H.B. No. 2287, H.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3396 and H.B. No. 2287, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT," was deferred until Tuesday, April 11, 2006.

Senator Hanabusa, for the Committee on Judiciary and Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3397) recommending that H.B. No. 2901 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3397 and H.B. No. 2901, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GARNISHMENT," was deferred until Tuesday, April 11, 2006.

Senators Hanabusa and Taniguchi, for the Committee on Judiciary and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3398) recommending that H.B. No. 1928, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3398 and H.B. No. 1928, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS," was deferred until Tuesday, April 11, 2006.

Senators Hanabusa and Taniguchi, for the Committee on Judiciary and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3399) recommending that H.B. No. 2440, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3399 and H.B. No. 2440, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM ATHLETE AGENTS ACT," was deferred until Tuesday, April 11, 2006.

Senators Hanabusa and Taniguchi, for the Committee on Judiciary and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a joint report of the majority of the Committees (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3400) recommending that H.B. No. 3018, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3400 and H.B. No. 3018, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES," was deferred until Tuesday, April 11, 2006.

Senators Hanabusa and Taniguchi, for the Committee on Judiciary and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3401) recommending that H.B. No. 3244, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3401 and H.B. No. 3244, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IDENTITY THEFT," was deferred until Tuesday, April 11, 2006.

Senator Hanabusa, for the Committee on Judiciary and Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3402) recommending that H.B. No. 2476 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3402 and H.B. No. 2476, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATUTORY REVISION: AMENDING, REENACTING, OR REPEALING VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE HAWAII REVISED STATUTES AND THE SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII FOR THE PURPOSE OF CORRECTING ERRORS AND REFERENCES, CLARIFYING LANGUAGE, AND DELETING OBSOLETE OR UNNECESSARY PROVISIONS," was deferred until Tuesday, April 11, 2006.

Senator Hanabusa, for the Committee on Judiciary and Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3403) recommending that H.B. No. 237, H.D. 3, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3403 and H.B. No. 237, H.D. 3, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TORTS," was deferred until Tuesday, April 11, 2006.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3404) recommending that H.B. No. 2412, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3404 and H.B. No. 2412, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONFORMITY OF THE HAWAII INCOME TAX LAW TO THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE," was deferred until Tuesday, April 11, 2006.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3405) recommending that H.B. No. 2626, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3405 and H.B. No. 2626, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE BONDS," was deferred until Tuesday, April 11, 2006.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3406) recommending that H.B. No. 2400 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3406 and H.B. No. 2400, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR ACQUISITION OF WAIMEA VALLEY, OAHU," was deferred until Friday, April 7, 2006.

Senator Menor, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3407), recommending that S.C.R. No. 93, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Transportation and Government Operations.

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 93, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND THE ATTORNEY GENERAL TO IMPLEMENT MEASURES TO PROVIDE A SMOOTH TRANSITION FOR PUBLIC, EDUCATION. AND GOVERNMENT ACCESS ORGANIZATIONS SHOULD IT BE DETERMINED BY THE STATE PROCUREMENT OFFICE THAT THESE ORGANIZATIONS ARE SUBJECT TO THE STATE PROCUREMENT LAW," was referred to the Committee on Transportation and Government Operations.

ORDER OF THE DAY

ADOPTION OF RESOLUTIONS

MATTERS DEFERRED FROM WEDNESDAY, APRIL 5, 2006

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3335 (S.C.R. No. 159, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.C.R. No. 159, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE PESTICIDES ADVISORY COMMITTEE TO ASSIST THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE WITH ESTABLISHING AN AGRICULTURAL PESTICIDE DISPOSAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3336 (S.R. No. 97, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.R. No. 97, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE PESTICIDES ADVISORY COMMITTEE TO ASSIST THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE WITH ESTABLISHING AN AGRICULTURAL PESTICIDE DISPOSAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3337 (S.C.R. No. 47):

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.C.R. No. 47, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND THE COUNTY FIRE CHIEFS TO COLLABORATE AND COOPERATE TO REACH A MUTUALLY AGREEABLE SOLUTION OVER FIRE INSPECTION RESPONSIBILITIES AT THE HONOLULU INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT AND OTHER STATE AIRPORTS," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3338 (S.R. No. 28):

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.R. No. 28, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND THE COUNTY FIRE CHIEFS TO COLLABORATE AND COOPERATE TO REACH A MUTUALLY AGREEABLE SOLUTION OVER FIRE INSPECTION RESPONSIBILITIES AT THE HONOLULU INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT AND OTHER STATE AIRPORTS," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3339 (S.C.R. No. 95):

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.C.R. No. 95, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO IMPROVE THE SYNCHRONIZATION OF TRAFFIC SIGNALS ON ALA MOANA BOULEVARD BETWEEN PUNCHBOWL STREET AND KALAKAUA AVENUE, AND TO ASSUME JURISDICTION OF THAT SAME PORTION OF ROAD IN THE INTEREST OF PROMOTING SAFE TRAFFIC FLOW," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3340 (S.R. No. 57):

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.R. No. 57, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO IMPROVE THE SYNCHRONIZATION OF TRAFFIC SIGNALS ON ALA MOANA BOULEVARD BETWEEN PUNCHBOWL STREET AND KALAKAUA AVENUE, AND TO ASSUME JURISDICTION OF THAT SAME PORTION OF ROAD IN THE INTEREST OF PROMOTING SAFE TRAFFIC FLOW," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3341 (S.C.R. No. 74):

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.C.R. No. 74, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO EXPEDITE THE COMPLETION OF THE LAHAINA BYPASS PROJECT AS A TOP PRIORITY AND, IN COOPERATION WITH THE COUNTY OF MAUI AND STAKEHOLDERS, DEVELOP STRATEGIES TO REDUCE MOTOR VEHICLE USE INTO AND OUT OF LAHAINA ON THE ISLAND OF MAUI," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3342 (S.R. No. 48):

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.R. No. 48, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO EXPEDITE THE COMPLETION OF THE LAHAINA BYPASS PROJECT AS A TOP PRIORITY AND, IN COOPERATION WITH THE COUNTY OF MAUI AND STAKEHOLDERS, DEVELOP STRATEGIES TO REDUCE MOTOR VEHICLE USE INTO AND OUT OF LAHAINA ON THE ISLAND OF MAUI," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3343 (S.R. No. 3):

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.R. No. 3, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION SERVICES TO CONDUCT A ROAD SIGN AUDIT WITH THE PRIVATE SECTOR," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3344 (S.C.R. No. 158):

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 158, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A STUDY OF THE SHORELINE SETBACK REFERENCE LINE," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3345 (S.R. No. 96):

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 96, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A STUDY OF THE SHORELINE SETBACK REFERENCE LINE," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3346 (S.C.R. No. 160, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 160, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO STUDY THE APPLICABILITY AND AGRICULTURAL OF THE INCOME CAPITALIZATION APPROACH AND OTHER METHODOLOGIES TO STABILIZE THE REOPENING OF RENTS FOR DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE'S AGRICULTURAL PARKS," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3347 (S.R. No. 98, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 98, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO STUDY THE APPLICABILITY AND USE OF THE AGRICULTURAL INCOME CAPITALIZATION APPROACH AND OTHER METHODOLOGIES TO STABILIZE THE REOPENING OF RENTS FOR DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE'S AGRICULTURAL PARKS," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3348 (S.C.R. No. 163):

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 163, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY ON ESTABLISHING A HAWAII STATE GEOLOGICAL SURVEY," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3349 (S.R. No. 101):

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 101, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY ON ESTABLISHING A HAWAII STATE GEOLOGICAL SURVEY," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3350 (S.C.R. No. 165):

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 165, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, UNITED STATES CONGRESS, AND UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO SUPPORT THE GOALS OF THE NO CHILD LEFT BEHIND ACT (NCLB) BY INCREASING FUNDS FOR FEDERAL EDUCATION INITIATIVES AND AFFORDING MORE FLEXIBILITY TO STATES IN RELATION TO NCLB," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3351 (S.R. No. 103):

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 103, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, UNITED STATES CONGRESS, AND UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO SUPPORT THE GOALS OF THE NO CHILD LEFT BEHIND ACT (NCLB) BY INCREASING FUNDS FOR FEDERAL EDUCATION INITIATIVES AND AFFORDING MORE FLEXIBILITY TO STATES IN RELATION TO NCLB," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3352 (S.C.R. No. 166, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 166, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION EVALUATE THE AIR COOLING NEEDS OF EACH SCHOOL COMPLEX AND TO REVIEW THE FEASIBILITY OF USING ALTERNATIVE AIR COOLING METHODS SUCH AS FANS, HEAT REDUCTION, INSULATION, AND ENERGY EFFICIENT INDIVIDUAL AIR CONDITIONING WALL UNITS," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3353 (S.R. No. 104, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 104, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION EVALUATE THE AIR COOLING NEEDS OF EACH SCHOOL COMPLEX AND TO REVIEW THE FEASIBILITY OF USING ALTERNATIVE AIR COOLING METHODS SUCH AS FANS, HEAT REDUCTION, INSULATION, AND ENERGY EFFICIENT INDIVIDUAL AIR CONDITIONING WALL UNITS," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3354 (S.C.R. No. 105):

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 105, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO SUPPORT CHANGES TO THE NO CHILD LEFT BEHIND ACT OF 2001," was adopted with Senator Slom voting "No."

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3355 (S.R. No. 61):

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 61, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO SUPPORT CHANGES TO THE NO CHILD LEFT BEHIND ACT OF 2001," was adopted with Senator Slom voting "No."

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3356 (S.C.R. No. 104):

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 104, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE PRESIDENT AND UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO PROVIDE STATES WITH THE NECESSARY FUNDING TO IMPLEMENT THE GOALS OF THE NO CHILD LEFT BEHIND ACT OF 2001 AND OTHER EDUCATION-RELATED PROGRAMS AND TO OFFER STATES WAIVERS OR EXEMPTIONS FROM RELATED REGULATIONS WHEN FEDERAL FUNDING FOR ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION IS DECREASED," was adopted with Senator Slom voting "No."

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3357 (S.R. No. 60):

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 60, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE PRESIDENT AND UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO PROVIDE STATES WITH THE NECESSARY FUNDING TO IMPLEMENT THE GOALS OF THE NO CHILD LEFT BEHIND ACT OF 2001 AND OTHER EDUCATION RELATED PROGRAMS AND TO OFFER STATES WAIVERS OR EXEMPTIONS FROM RELATED REGULATIONS WHEN FEDERAL FUNDING FOR ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION IS DECREASED," was adopted with Senator Slom voting "No."

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3358 (S.C.R. No. 84):

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 84, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE HA'IKU ELEMENTARY SCHOOL CAFETERIA BE KNOWN AS THE JEAN SUZUKI CAFETERIA IN HONOR OF FORMER HA'IKU ELEMENTARY SCHOOL CAFETERIA EMPLOYEE JEAN SUZUKI," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3359 (S.R. No. 55):

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 55, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE HA'IKU ELEMENTARY SCHOOL CAFETERIA BE KNOWN AS THE JEAN SUZUKI CAFETERIA IN HONOR OF FORMER HA'IKU ELEMENTARY SCHOOL CAFETERIA EMPLOYEE JEAN SUZUKI," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3360 (S.R. No. 35):

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 35, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO CONDUCT A STUDY ON THE ISSUE OF RECLASSIFYING VARIABLE ANNUITY CONTRACTS AS INSURANCE RATHER THAN SECURITIES," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3361 (S.C.R. No. 55):

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 55, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO CONDUCT A STUDY ON THE ISSUE OF RECLASSIFYING VARIABLE ANNUITY

CONTRACTS AS INSURANCE RATHER THAN SECURITIES," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3362 (S.R. No. 23, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 23, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS TO ESTABLISH A TASK FORCE ON SUPPLY OF CONTRACTORS AND TRADESMEN IN TIMES OF NATURAL DISASTER TO STUDY THE EXPEDITED LICENSING OR LICENSING EXEMPTIONS FOR CONTRACTORS AND TRADESMEN," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3363 (S.C.R. No. 42, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 42, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS TO ESTABLISH A TASK FORCE ON SUPPLY OF CONTRACTORS AND TRADESMEN IN TIMES OF NATURAL DISASTER TO STUDY THE EXPEDITED LICENSING OR LICENSING EXEMPTIONS FOR CONTRACTORS AND TRADESMEN," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3364 (S.C.R. No. 34, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 34, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A MANAGEMENT AUDIT OF THE MAINTENANCE SERVICE SECTION OF THE HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION OF HAWAII," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3365 (S.C.R. No. 82, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 82, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING CONGRESS AND THE FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION TO ADDRESS PUBLIC INTERESTS AND COMMUNITY NEEDS FOR LOCAL MEDIA, INCLUDING NEWS, ACCESS, AND OWNERSHIP," was adopted with Senator Slom voting "No."

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3366 (S.R. No. 53, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 53, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING CONGRESS AND THE FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION TO ADDRESS PUBLIC INTERESTS AND COMMUNITY NEEDS FOR LOCAL MEDIA, INCLUDING NEWS, ACCESS, AND OWNERSHIP," was adopted with Senator Slom voting "No."

THIRD READING

H.B. No. 1878, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, H.B. No. 1878, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVESTMENT SECURITIES ACT," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 20. Noes, none. Excused, 5 (Hanabusa, Hemmings, Hogue, Menor, Taniguchi).

H.B. No. 2313, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, H.B. No. 2313, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESS REGISTRATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 20. Noes, none. Excused, 5 (Hanabusa, Hemmings, Hogue, Menor, Taniguchi).

H.B. No. 2443, H.D. 1, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Inouye, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, H.B. No. 2443, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT ASSISTANCE COMPACT," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 21. Noes, none. Excused, 4 (Hanabusa, Hemmings, Hogue, Menor).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3285 (H.B. No. 1787, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

Senator Hee moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3285 be adopted and H.B. No. 1787, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Chun Oakland.

Senator Whalen rose in opposition to the measure and said:

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

"Mr. President, obviously, this bill is an attempt to address the situation that doesn't really exist in Hawaii. It's been across the mainland where cars have been stolen with a child left inside. The thief usually didn't know about it because the car was quickly abandoned with the child inside. Certainly, in a situation like that, Mr. President, that is a very dangerous situation for a child. But once again, we use the shotgun approach to deal with this problem. We've made it illegal now, or a violation rather, to have a 14-year-old child watch another child in the car if they are under nine years old.

"Mr. President, my 13-year-old son regularly watches my kids when my wife and I aren't available. He makes them their food and takes care of them. He knows our cell numbers. He's a very responsible kid. This bill right now makes it illegal for my wife to stop the car, open the door, take two steps outside to throw something in the garbage can, because under the law, she's leaving the car. She's leaving the children inside unsupervised. It's now a violation.

"If the situation is that a 14-year-old child is not responsible enough to watch another child, then we should make it illegal for that to happen anyplace, anytime, whether it's in a car, a house, an apartment, out in the yard, playing sports.

"The problem that we're trying to deal with here, Mr. President, is the illegal behavior of a car thief, not the responsibleness or irresponsibleness of a child. What we're doing is we're punishing ... I know we heard this argument before, but what we're doing is we're punishing law-abiding families for the illegal behavior of some. And if that was dangerous – to leave a 14-year-old with an 8-year-old – we already have a law on the books about endangering the welfare of a minor. So this bill is completely unnecessary if it was

endangering. But because it's not endangering, we are now making it illegal.

"I wish, as a body, we would not have these knee-jerk reactions without thinking clearly through what's going on, because even the bill itself might even be deemed unconstitutional because it's so vague about what is leaving.

"One final note, not to draw it on, but on one hand we're saying that if you're 14 years old, you can consent to very dangerous medical procedures without your parent's knowledge or consent, but yet that same 14-year-old is so irresponsible that they can't watch an 8-year-old in the car.

"I urge my colleagues to vote 'no' or at least kill it in Committee."

At 12:11 o'clock p.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 12:29 o'clock p.m.

Senator Hee moved that action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3285 and H.B. No. 1787, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, be deferred until Tuesday, April 11, 2006, seconded by Senator Baker.

Senator Whalen rose and said:

"Mr. President, point of inquiry. Does that mean I have to say that speech again?" (Laughter.)

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3285 and H.B. No. 1787, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD ENDANGERMENT," was deferred until Tuesday, April 11, 2006

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3286 (H.B. No. 1819, H.D. 1):

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3286 and H.B. No. 1819, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHAPTER 281, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES," was deferred until Tuesday, April 11, 2006.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3287 (H.B. No. 1825, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3287 and H.B. No. 1825, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC INFRACTIONS," was deferred until Tuesday, April 11, 2006.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3288 (H.B. No. 1899, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3288 and H.B. No. 1899, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE USE OF SAFETY HELMETS BY MINORS," was deferred until Tuesday, April 11, 2006.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3289 (H.B. No. 1955, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3289 and H.B. No. 1955, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LITTER CONTROL," was deferred until Tuesday, April 11, 2006.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3290 (H.B. No. 2050, H.D. 2, S.D. 1):

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3290 and H.B. No. 2050, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERNATIONAL

MATCHMAKING," was deferred until Tuesday, April 11, 2006

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3291 (H.B. No. 2133, S.D. 1):

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3291 and H.B. No. 2133, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE NATURAL AREA RESERVE SYSTEM," was deferred until Tuesday, April 11, 2006.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3292 (H.B. No. 2367, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3292 and H.B. No. 2367, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD CHECKS FOR SERVICE PROVIDERS OF THE OFFICE OF YOUTH SERVICES," was deferred until Tuesday, April 11, 2006

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3293 (H.B. No. 2857, H.D. 1):

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3293 and H.B. No. 2857, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION," was deferred until Tuesday, April 11, 2006.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3294 (H.B. No. 3126):

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3294 and H.B. No. 3126, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RAPID IDENTIFICATION DOCUMENTS," was deferred until Tuesday, April 11, 2006.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3295 (H.B. No. 3254, H.D. 1):

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3295 and H.B. No. 3254, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OATHS OF OFFICE," was deferred until Tuesday, April 11, 2006.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3296 (H.B. No. 1809, H.D. 2, S.D. 2):

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3296 and H.B. No. 1809, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE DRIVER'S LICENSE," was deferred until Tuesday, April 11, 2006.

REFERRAL OF HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

MATTERS DEFERRED FROM WEDNESDAY, APRIL 5, 2006

The President made the following committee assignments of House concurrent resolutions that were received on Wednesday, April 5, 2006:

House

Concurrent

Resolution Referred to:

No. 16 Committee on Labor

No. 27, H.D. 1 Jointly to the Committee on Education and Military Affairs and the Committee on Energy, Environment, and International Affairs

No. 34, H.D. 1 Committee on Energy, Environment, and International Affairs

No. 49, H.D. 1 Committee on Education and Military Affairs

No. 62 Committee on Labor

No. 67 Jointly to the Committee on Energy, Environment, and International Affairs and the Committee on Human Services

No. 74 Committee on Judiciary and Hawaiian

Affairs

No. 88 Committee on Health

No. 136, H.D. 1 Committee on Education and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Energy, Environment, and International Affairs

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No. 142 Committee on Media, Arts, Science and

Technology

No. 157, H.D. 1 Committee on Health

No. 230 Committee on Energy, Environment, and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

No. 274 Committee on Energy, Environment, and International Affairs

No. 275 Committee on Energy, Environment, and

International Affairs

No. 287, H.D. 1 Committee on Water, Land, and Agriculture

No. 312, H.D. 1 Committee on Energy, Environment, and International Affairs

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

Senators Hee and Hanabusa, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Committee on Judiciary and Hawaiian Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3408), recommending that S.C.R. No. 199 be referred to the Committee on Transportation and Government Operations.

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.C.R. No. 199, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE COLLEGE OF HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT HILO TO WORK WITH APPROPRIATE GOVERNMENT OFFICES TO DEVELOP A PLAN TO PROMOTE THE HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE IN ALL STATE AND COUNTY GOVERNMENT OFFICES," was referred to the Committee on Transportation and Government Operations.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:32 o'clock p.m., on motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Trimble and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 o'clock a.m., Friday, April 7, 2006.

Respectfully submitted,

Clerk of the Senate

Approved:

President of the Senate