

TWENTY-SIXTH DAY

Thursday, March 6, 2008

The Senate of the Twenty-Fourth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2008, convened at 10:41 a.m. with the Vice President in the Chair.

The Divine Blessing was invoked by the Honorable Paul Whalen, Hawai'i State Senate, after which the Roll was called showing all Senators present.

The Vice President announced that she had read and approved the Journal of the Twenty-Fifth Day.

DEPARTMENTAL COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications (Dept. Com. Nos. 29 to 35) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Dept. Com. No. 29, from the Department of Education dated February 15, 2008, transmitting the Annual Report for Repair and Maintenance, pursuant to Sections 36-35, 36-36, and 302A-1312, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 30, from the Department of Education dated February 15, 2008, transmitting the Hawaii 3R's School Repair and Maintenance Fund Report, pursuant to Section 302A-1502.4, HRS, and Act 213, Section 81, SLH 2007.

Dept. Com. No. 31, from the Department of Education dated February 15, 2008, transmitting the Educational Workforce Work Group Report, pursuant to Act 283, SLH 2007.

Dept. Com. No. 32, from the Department of Education dated February 19, 2008, transmitting its Planned Repair and Maintenance Projects for Fiscal Year 2008-2009.

Dept. Com. No. 33, letter from the City Clerk, City and County of Honolulu, dated February 21, 2008, informing the Legislature that the Council of the City and County of Honolulu adopted Resolution 08-26 on February 20, 2008.

Dept. Com. No. 34, from the State Auditor dated February 26, 2008, transmitting a report, "Sunrise Analysis: Debt-Management Service Providers," (Report No. 08-04).

Dept. Com. No. 35, from the State Auditor dated March 5, 2008, transmitting a report, "Study of the Social and Financial Impacts of Mandatory Health Insurance Coverage for Use of Intelligent Medical Vigilance Services in Acute Care Hospitals," (Report No. 08-05).

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the House (Hse. Com. Nos. 95 to 372) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Hse. Com. No. 95, transmitting H.B. No. 7, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 7, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE I-SAVERX PRESCRIPTION DRUG PROGRAM," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing.

Hse. Com. No. 96, transmitting H.B. No. 12, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 12, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO PRESCRIPTION DRUG COST CONTAINMENT AND AFFORDABLE ACCESS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing.

Hse. Com. No. 97, transmitting H.B. No. 266, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 266, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and Hawaiian Affairs, the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 98, transmitting H.B. No. 396, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 396, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PROCUREMENT CODE," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Tourism and Government Operations, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 99, transmitting H.B. No. 464, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 464, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Education.

Hse. Com. No. 100, transmitting H.B. No. 466, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 466, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 101, transmitting H.B. No. 509, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 509, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Transportation and International Affairs and the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing.

Hse. Com. No. 102, transmitting H.B. No. 523, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 523, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILDREN," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 103, transmitting H.B. No. 524, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 524, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD WELFARE," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 104, transmitting H.B. No. 584, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 584, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing, then to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 105, transmitting H.B. No. 602, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 602, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 106, transmitting H.B. No. 839, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 839, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ACCESS TO BEACHES," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 107, transmitting H.B. No. 935, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 935, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 108, transmitting H.B. No. 937, H.D. 3, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 937, H.D. 3, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRICAL AND PLUMBING TRADES," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing.

Hse. Com. No. 109, transmitting H.B. No. 1075, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 1075, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL PROPERTY," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing.

Hse. Com. No. 110, transmitting H.B. No. 1101, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 1101, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVER LICENSES," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Transportation and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing.

Hse. Com. No. 111, transmitting H.B. No. 1476, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 1476, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 112, transmitting H.B. No. 1616, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 1616, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AQUACULTURE," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 113, transmitting H.B. No. 1745, H.D. 3, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 1745, H.D. 3, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 114, transmitting H.B. No. 1823, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 1823, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BICYCLE AND PEDESTRIAN SAFETY," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Transportation and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 115, transmitting H.B. No. 1890, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 1890, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR HEALTH CARE SERVICES," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 116, transmitting H.B. No. 1898, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 1898, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 117, transmitting H.B. No. 1968, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 1968, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC MEETINGS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 118, transmitting H.B. No. 1969, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 1969, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 119, transmitting H.B. No. 1975, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 1975, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Transportation and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 120, transmitting H.B. No. 1978, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 1978, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ORDER," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 121, transmitting H.B. No. 1979, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 1979, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE SALARIES," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 122, transmitting H.B. No. 1984, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 1984, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC HOUSING," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 123, transmitting H.B. No. 1988, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 1988, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MACADAMIA NUTS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 124, transmitting H.B. No. 1989, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 1989, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN

ACT RELATING TO VETERANS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 125, transmitting H.B. No. 1993, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 1993, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 126, transmitting H.B. No. 2004, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2004, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A STUDY ON ENERGY EFFICIENT TRANSPORTATION STRATEGIES," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Transportation and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 127, transmitting H.B. No. 2005, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2005, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY TECHNOLOGIES," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 128, transmitting H.B. No. 2009, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2009, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Public Safety, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 129, transmitting H.B. No. 2017, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2017, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 130, transmitting H.B. No. 2020, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2020, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR SMALL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 131, transmitting H.B. No. 2047, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2047, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INDIVIDUAL DEVELOPMENT ACCOUNTS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 132, transmitting H.B. No. 2051, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2051, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION FOR FOSTER CHILDREN," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 133, transmitting H.B. No. 2076, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2076, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEPLETED URANIUM," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 134, transmitting H.B. No. 2099, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2099, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAX CREDIT," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 135, transmitting H.B. No. 2134, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2134, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CENTER FOR NURSING," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 136, transmitting H.B. No. 2137, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2137, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 137, transmitting H.B. No. 2138, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2138, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAREGIVER RECOGNITION DAY," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing.

Hse. Com. No. 138, transmitting H.B. No. 2139, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2139, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ANATOMICAL GIFTS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 139, transmitting H.B. No. 2163, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2163, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMPTROLLER SUPERVISION OF ACCOUNTS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 140, transmitting H.B. No. 2164, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2164, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CANCER RESEARCH SPECIAL FUND," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 141, transmitting H.B. No. 2166, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2166, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 142, transmitting H.B. No. 2168, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2168, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 143, transmitting H.B. No. 2186, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2186, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 144, transmitting H.B. No. 2204, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2204, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LIABILITY OF A FIREARM OWNER," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 145, transmitting H.B. No. 2207, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2207, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR DISASTER RELIEF," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 146, transmitting H.B. No. 2211, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2211, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR WASTEWATER PROJECTS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 147, transmitting H.B. No. 2216, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2216, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC AGENCY MEETINGS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 148, transmitting H.B. No. 2217, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2217, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF INFORMATION PRACTICES," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 149, transmitting H.B. No. 2224, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2224, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 150, transmitting H.B. No. 2228, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2228, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR COMMUNITY-BASED ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 151, transmitting H.B. No. 2238, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2238, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC HOUSING," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Human

Services and Public Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 152, transmitting H.B. No. 2242, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2242, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTIES," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing.

Hse. Com. No. 153, transmitting H.B. No. 2243, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2243, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land.

Hse. Com. No. 154, transmitting H.B. No. 2248, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2248, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing, then to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 155, transmitting H.B. No. 2253, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2253, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AMENDING OR REPEALING VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 281, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES, INTOXICATING LIQUOR, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CLARIFYING LANGUAGE, CORRECTING ERRORS, AND DELETING UNNECESSARY AND OBSOLETE PROVISIONS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 156, transmitting H.B. No. 2255, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2255, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIFE INSURANCE," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 157, transmitting H.B. No. 2256, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2256, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 158, transmitting H.B. No. 2259, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2259, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AEROSPACE DEVELOPMENT," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation and the Committee on Tourism and Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 159, transmitting H.B. No. 2260, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2260, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE HAWAII ASSOCIATION OF CONSERVATION DISTRICTS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 160, transmitting H.B. No. 2261, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2261, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LOANS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 161, transmitting H.B. No. 2271, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2271, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST CASTLE MEDICAL CENTER AND ITS AFFILIATES," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 162, transmitting H.B. No. 2272, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2272, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO QUALIFIED COMMUNITY REHABILITATION PROGRAMS," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 163, transmitting H.B. No. 2283, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2283, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TATTOO ARTISTS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Health.

Hse. Com. No. 164, transmitting H.B. No. 2292, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2292, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on

Agriculture and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 165, transmitting H.B. No. 2293, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2293, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 166, transmitting H.B. No. 2301, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2301, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTISTRY," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing.

Hse. Com. No. 167, transmitting H.B. No. 2302, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2302, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL PROPERTY," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 168, transmitting H.B. No. 2306, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2306, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAXATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 169, transmitting H.B. No. 2323, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2323, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BEACHES," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Tourism and Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 170, transmitting H.B. No. 2326, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2326, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MORTGAGES," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 171, transmitting H.B. No. 2330, H.D. 3, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2330, H.D. 3, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRIC VEHICLES," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on

Transportation and International Affairs and the Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 172, transmitting H.B. No. 2346, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2346, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENDANGERING THE WELFARE OF A MINOR," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 173, transmitting H.B. No. 2347, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2347, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO METAL," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 174, transmitting H.B. No. 2350, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2350, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LANDOWNER LIABILITY FOR NATURAL CONDITIONS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 175, transmitting H.B. No. 2355, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2355, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WELLS," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land.

Hse. Com. No. 176, transmitting H.B. No. 2357, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2357, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LANDS," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 177, transmitting H.B. No. 2361, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2361, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land.

Hse. Com. No. 178, transmitting H.B. No. 2366, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2366, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ORGAN DONOR REGISTRY," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 179, transmitting H.B. No. 2367, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2367, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 180, transmitting H.B. No. 2369, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2369, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AFTER-SCHOOL PLUS PROGRAM REVOLVING FUND," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 181, transmitting H.B. No. 2372, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2372, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TIME SHARE PLANS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 182, transmitting H.B. No. 2373, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2373, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR MOOKINI HEIAU," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 183, transmitting H.B. No. 2376, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2376, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE FIRE COUNCIL," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 184, transmitting H.B. No. 2386, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2386, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 185, transmitting H.B. No. 2387, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2387, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 186, transmitting H.B. No. 2388, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2388, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 187, transmitting H.B. No. 2391, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2391, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEGAL SERVICE," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 188, transmitting H.B. No. 2401, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2401, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST OCEANLINX HAWAII LLC," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 189, transmitting H.B. No. 2408, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2408, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MORTGAGE BROKERS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 190, transmitting H.B. No. 2412, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2412, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 191, transmitting H.B. No. 2421, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2421, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Transportation and International Affairs and the Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs.

Hse. Com. No. 192, transmitting H.B. No. 2429, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2429, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RECREATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 193, transmitting H.B. No. 2431, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2431, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOARD OF REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Tourism and Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 194, transmitting H.B. No. 2436, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2436, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Public Safety, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 195, transmitting H.B. No. 2438, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2438, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIGARETTES," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 196, transmitting H.B. No. 2441, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2441, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 197, transmitting H.B. No. 2450, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2450, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 198, transmitting H.B. No. 2456, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2456, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 199, transmitting H.B. No. 2467, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2467, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIRE PROTECTION," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Transportation and International Affairs.

Hse. Com. No. 200, transmitting H.B. No. 2473, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2473, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 201, transmitting H.B. No. 2476, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2476, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRUELTY TO ANIMALS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 202, transmitting H.B. No. 2479, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2479, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 203, transmitting H.B. No. 2481, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2481, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 204, transmitting H.B. No. 2492, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2492, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PLANNED COMMUNITY ASSOCIATIONS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing.

Hse. Com. No. 205, transmitting H.B. No. 2501, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2501, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BIOSECURITY," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 206, transmitting H.B. No. 2502, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2502, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOLAR ENERGY," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Energy and Environment.

Hse. Com. No. 207, transmitting H.B. No. 2503, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2503, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LANDS," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Energy and Environment.

Hse. Com. No. 208, transmitting H.B. No. 2504, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2504, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIGHTING," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 209, transmitting H.B. No. 2505, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2505, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 210, transmitting H.B. No. 2506, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2506, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REORGANIZATION OF STATE AGENCIES," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Tourism and Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 211, transmitting H.B. No. 2507, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2507, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS REDUCTION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 212, transmitting H.B. No. 2509, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2509, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRONIC DEVICE RECYCLING," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 213, transmitting H.B. No. 2510, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2510, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 214, transmitting H.B. No. 2512, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2512, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing and the Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 215, transmitting H.B. No. 2513, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2513, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DWELLING UNIT REVOLVING FUND," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 216, transmitting H.B. No. 2514, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2514, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONVEYANCE TAX," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing and the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing, then to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 217, transmitting H.B. No. 2515, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2515, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KUKUI GARDENS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 218, transmitting H.B. No. 2516, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2516, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BIOSECURITY," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Transportation and International Affairs and the Committee on Agriculture and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 219, transmitting H.B. No. 2518, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2518, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND CONSERVATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 220, transmitting H.B. No. 2519, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2519, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH CARE," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 221, transmitting H.B. No. 2520, H.D. 3, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2520, H.D. 3, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAREGIVERS," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 222, transmitting H.B. No. 2521, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2521, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 223, transmitting H.B. No. 2527, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2527, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMART GROWTH," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 224, transmitting H.B. No. 2540, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2540, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 225, transmitting H.B. No. 2543, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2543, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A SHOOTING RANGE IN WEST HAWAII ON THE ISLAND OF HAWAII," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 226, transmitting H.B. No. 2550, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2550, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing.

Hse. Com. No. 227, transmitting H.B. No. 2553, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2553, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PAWNBROKERS AND SECONDHAND DEALERS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 228, transmitting H.B. No. 2555, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2555, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE HAWAII CIVIL AIR PATROL," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 229, transmitting H.B. No. 2557, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2557, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EVIDENCE," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 230, transmitting H.B. No. 2558, H.D. 3, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2558, H.D. 3, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD PROTECTION," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 231, transmitting H.B. No. 2559, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2559, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM UNCLAIMED PROPERTY ACT," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing.

Hse. Com. No. 232, transmitting H.B. No. 2576, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2576, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Human

Services and Public Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 233, transmitting H.B. No. 2581, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2581, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE FACILITIES," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 234, transmitting H.B. No. 2583, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2583, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Education, the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Tourism and Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 235, transmitting H.B. No. 2588, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2588, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 236, transmitting H.B. No. 2589, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2589, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCRAP METAL," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 237, transmitting H.B. No. 2591, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2591, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GIFT CERTIFICATES," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing.

Hse. Com. No. 238, transmitting H.B. No. 2593, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2593, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DROUGHT MITIGATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 239, transmitting H.B. No. 2596, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2596, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILDREN," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 240, transmitting H.B. No. 2598, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2598, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing and the Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs.

Hse. Com. No. 241, transmitting H.B. No. 2605, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2605, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ARMED SERVICES," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 242, transmitting H.B. No. 2611, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2611, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IOLANI PALACE," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 243, transmitting H.B. No. 2618, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2618, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC INFRACTIONS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 244, transmitting H.B. No. 2626, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2626, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DESIGNATION OF THE HAWAIIAN MONK SEAL AS THE STATE MAMMAL OF HAWAII," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation.

Hse. Com. No. 245, transmitting H.B. No. 2661, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2661, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST INDUSTRIAL ENTERPRISES," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 246, transmitting H.B. No. 2662, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2662, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing and the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing.

Hse. Com. No. 247, transmitting H.B. No. 2664, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2664, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISASTER RELIEF," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 248, transmitting H.B. No. 2672, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2672, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARKING," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Tourism and Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 249, transmitting H.B. No. 2675, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2675, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL MARIJUANA," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Health.

Hse. Com. No. 250, transmitting H.B. No. 2685, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2685, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Public Safety, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 251, transmitting H.B. No. 2691, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2691, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS: MAKING VARIOUS TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS TO THE HAWAII REVISED STATUTES FOR THE PURPOSE OF CORRECTING ERRORS AND REFERENCES, AND CLARIFYING LANGUAGE," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing.

Hse. Com. No. 252, transmitting H.B. No. 2692, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2692, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING VARIOUS HOUSEKEEPING AMENDMENTS TO VOLUME 11 OF THE HAWAII REVISED STATUTES FOR THE PURPOSE OF CORRECTING ERRORS AND REFERENCES, AND CLARIFYING LANGUAGE," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing.

Hse. Com. No. 253, transmitting H.B. No. 2693, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2693, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JUDICIAL SELECTION COMMISSION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 254, transmitting H.B. No. 2696, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2696, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOARD OF THE JUDICIARY HISTORY CENTER," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 255, transmitting H.B. No. 2697, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2697, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE INTERMEDIATE APPELLATE COURT," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 256, transmitting H.B. No. 2698, H.D. 3, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2698, H.D. 3, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COURT-APPOINTED COUNSEL AND GUARDIANS AD LITEM IN FAMILY COURT," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 257, transmitting H.B. No. 2699, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2699, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM PROBATE CODE," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 258, transmitting H.B. No. 2704, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2704, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HA'IKU VALLEY," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Agriculture and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 259, transmitting H.B. No. 2710, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2710, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RE-EMPLOYMENT OF RETIREES," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 260, transmitting H.B. No. 2729, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2729, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BURGLARY," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 261, transmitting H.B. No. 2727, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2727, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH INSURANCE," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing.

Hse. Com. No. 262, transmitting H.B. No. 2730, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2730, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEGAL REQUIREMENTS FOR NEIGHBORHOOD BOARD MEETINGS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 263, transmitting H.B. No. 2732, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2732, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KAKA'AKO," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 264, transmitting H.B. No. 2735, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2735, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC HOUSING," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 265, transmitting H.B. No. 2737, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2737, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER RESOURCES," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 266, transmitting H.B. No. 2739, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2739, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE ENTERPRISE ZONES," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 267, transmitting H.B. No. 2757, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2757, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOSPITALS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 268, transmitting H.B. No. 2758, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2758, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing, then to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 269, transmitting H.B. No. 2759, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2759, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAX," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing, then to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 270, transmitting H.B. No. 2763, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2763, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CHILDREN OF INCARCERATED PARENTS TASK FORCE," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing and the Committee on Public Safety, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 271, transmitting H.B. No. 2766, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2766, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRONIC MONITORING," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 272, transmitting H.B. No. 2772, H.D. 3, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2772, H.D. 3, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN TRAFFICKING," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 273, transmitting H.B. No. 2778, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2778, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX CREDITS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Human Services

and Public Housing, then to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 274, transmitting H.B. No. 2781, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2781, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMALL BUSINESS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 275, transmitting H.B. No. 2792, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2792, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 276, transmitting H.B. No. 2795, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2795, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAID," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 277, transmitting H.B. No. 2797, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2797, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE KALOKO HOUSING PROGRAM," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing and the Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 278, transmitting H.B. No. 2807, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2807, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and Hawaiian Affairs, the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing.

Hse. Com. No. 279, transmitting H.B. No. 2810, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2810, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER RATES," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing.

Hse. Com. No. 280, transmitting H.B. No. 2816, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2816, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUBSTANCE ABUSE," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing.

Hse. Com. No. 281, transmitting H.B. No. 2823, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2823, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DAM SAFETY," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 282, transmitting H.B. No. 2825, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2825, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST SOPOGY INC., IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF RENEWABLE ENERGY ON THE ISLAND OF OAHU," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 283, transmitting H.B. No. 2828, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2828, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE SUPER SUCKER," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 284, transmitting H.B. No. 2843, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2843, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Transportation and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 285, transmitting H.B. No. 2857, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2857, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX CREDITS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 286, transmitting H.B. No. 2860, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2860, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN

ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Transportation and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 287, transmitting H.B. No. 2862, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2862, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WIND ENERGY," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 288, transmitting H.B. No. 2863, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2863, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment, the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 289, transmitting H.B. No. 2872, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2872, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 290, transmitting H.B. No. 2874, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2874, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE PARKS ON KAUAI," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 291, transmitting H.B. No. 2887, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2887, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TATTOOING," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing.

Hse. Com. No. 292, transmitting H.B. No. 2888, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2888, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL SERVICES," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 293, transmitting H.B. No. 2897, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2897, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR ASSET BUILDING," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 294, transmitting H.B. No. 2907, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2907, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR FERAL PIG ABATEMENT," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 295, transmitting H.B. No. 2908, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2908, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AUDIT RECOMMENDATIONS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 296, transmitting H.B. No. 2913, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2913, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KIDNEY DISEASE," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 297, transmitting H.B. No. 2917, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2917, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HARBORS," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Transportation and International Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land.

Hse. Com. No. 298, transmitting H.B. No. 2920, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2920, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FRAUD PREVENTION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing.

Hse. Com. No. 299, transmitting H.B. No. 2922, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2922, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FUEL TAX," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 300, transmitting H.B. No. 2927, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2927, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC WORKS," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Tourism and Government Operations and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 301, transmitting H.B. No. 2929, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2929, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 302, transmitting H.B. No. 2939, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2939, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AEROSPACE DEVELOPMENT," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 303, transmitting H.B. No. 2942, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2942, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 304, transmitting H.B. No. 2952, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2952, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Transportation and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 305, transmitting H.B. No. 2954, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2954, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATED TO TOWING," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Transportation and International Affairs and the Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 306, transmitting H.B. No. 2955, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2955, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ARCHAEOLOGICAL DATA," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation and the Committee on Agriculture and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 307, transmitting H.B. No. 2956, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2956, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUNTING," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 308, transmitting H.B. No. 2960, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2960, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUOR," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing.

Hse. Com. No. 309, transmitting H.B. No. 2961, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2961, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 310, transmitting H.B. No. 2964, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2964, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 311, transmitting H.B. No. 2971, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2971, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation.

Hse. Com. No. 312, transmitting H.B. No. 2972, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2972, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 313, transmitting H.B. No. 2973, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2973, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EARLY LEARNING," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 314, transmitting H.B. No. 2974, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2974, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 315, transmitting H.B. No. 2978, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2978, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 316, transmitting H.B. No. 2985, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2985, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Tourism and Government Operations, then to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 317, transmitting H.B. No. 2997, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 2997, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TORTS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 318, transmitting H.B. No. 3002, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3002, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROSTITUTION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 319, transmitting H.B. No. 3008, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3008, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO QUALIFIED IMPROVEMENT TAX CREDIT," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing, then to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 320, transmitting H.B. No. 3011, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3011, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Transportation and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 321, transmitting H.B. No. 3013, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3013, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AGREEMENT AMONG THE STATES TO ELECT THE PRESIDENT BY NATIONAL POPULAR VOTE," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 322, transmitting H.B. No. 3016, H.D. 3, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3016, H.D. 3, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Public Safety and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 323, transmitting H.B. No. 3023, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3023, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE DRIVER'S LICENSE," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Transportation and International Affairs and the Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs.

Hse. Com. No. 324, transmitting H.B. No. 3029, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3029, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC WORKS," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Tourism and Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 325, transmitting H.B. No. 3030, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3030, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Tourism and Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 326, transmitting H.B. No. 3034, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3034, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MILK," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 327, transmitting H.B. No. 3040, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3040, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 328, transmitting H.B. No. 3058, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3058, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOUSING LOAN AND MORTGAGE PROGRAM," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 329, transmitting H.B. No. 3059, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3059, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOW-INCOME HOUSING TAX CREDITS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing, then to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 330, transmitting H.B. No. 3064, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3064, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REFUNDABLE RENEWABLE ENERGY TAX CREDIT," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 331, transmitting H.B. No. 3085, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3085, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESS REGISTRATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing.

Hse. Com. No. 332, transmitting H.B. No. 3107, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3107, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OWNER-BUILDER PERMITS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 333, transmitting H.B. No. 3109, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3109, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISPENSING OPTICIANS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing.

Hse. Com. No. 334, transmitting H.B. No. 3120, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3120, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMAL QUARANTINE FACILITIES," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Agriculture and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 335, transmitting H.B. No. 3139, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3139, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE FIRST-TO-WORK PROGRAM," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 336, transmitting H.B. No. 3146, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3146, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR THE ADULT MENTAL HEALTH DIVISION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 337, transmitting H.B. No. 3151, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3151, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRONIC PERMITTING FEES," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 338, transmitting H.B. No. 3152, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3152, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR THE EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES AND INJURY PREVENTION SYSTEM BRANCH," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 339, transmitting H.B. No. 3163, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3163, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SPECIAL FUND FOR DISABILITY BENEFITS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 340, transmitting H.B. No. 3166, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3166, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS APPEALS BOARD," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 341, transmitting H.B. No. 3168, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3168, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNEMPLOYMENT CONTRIBUTION RATES," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the

Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 342, transmitting H.B. No. 3174, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3174, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FEDERAL FISHERIES REGULATIONS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Water and Land.

Hse. Com. No. 343, transmitting H.B. No. 3175, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3175, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL MARINE FISHING REPORTS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Water and Land.

Hse. Com. No. 344, transmitting H.B. No. 3177, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3177, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS WITHIN THE CONSERVATION DISTRICT," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 345, transmitting H.B. No. 3191, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3191, H.D. 1, 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 referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 346, transmitting H.B. No. 3211, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3211, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CLOTHESLINES," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing.

Hse. Com. No. 347, transmitting H.B. No. 3213, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3213, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AIR POLLUTION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 348, transmitting H.B. No. 3226, H.D. 3, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3226, H.D. 3, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 349, transmitting H.B. No. 3243, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3243, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE HONOLULU SYMPHONY AND ITS PROGRAMS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 350, transmitting H.B. No. 3259, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3259, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ALA WAI WATERSHED," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 351, transmitting H.B. No. 3279, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3279, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII UNITED OKINAWA ASSOCIATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 352, transmitting H.B. No. 3286, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3286, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MINING," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs.

Hse. Com. No. 353, transmitting H.B. No. 3305, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3305, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing.

Hse. Com. No. 354, transmitting H.B. No. 3310, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3310, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 355, transmitting H.B. No. 3331, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3331, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 356, transmitting H.B. No. 3340, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3340, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KAWAI NUI MARSH," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 357, transmitting H.B. No. 3348, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3348, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 358, transmitting H.B. No. 3352, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3352, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AN AUDIT OF THE HAWAII DISABILITY RIGHTS CENTER," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 359, transmitting H.B. No. 3355, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3355, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRIC GUNS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 360, transmitting H.B. No. 3358, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3358, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGH TECHNOLOGY," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 361, transmitting H.B. No. 3367, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3367, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WIRELESS ENHANCED 911," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 362, transmitting H.B. No. 3379, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3379, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 363, transmitting H.B. No. 3391, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3391, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AQUATIC RESOURCES," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 364, transmitting H.B. No. 3398, H.D. 3, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3398, H.D. 3, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOREIGN LANGUAGE PROGRAMS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 365, transmitting H.B. No. 3399, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3399, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHAPTER 346, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing.

Hse. Com. No. 366, transmitting H.B. No. 3400, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3400, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ASSISTANCE," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 367, transmitting H.B. No. 3403, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3403, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 368, transmitting H.B. No. 3406, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3406, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL HARBORS MODERNIZATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Transportation and International Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 369, transmitting H.B. No. 3410, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3410, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BIODIESEL," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Agriculture and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 370, transmitting H.B. No. 3422, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3422, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SURCHARGE FOR INDIGENT LEGAL SERVICES," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 371, transmitting H.B. No. 3425, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3425, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TARO," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 372, transmitting H.B. No. 3444, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 4, 2008, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Whalen and carried, H.B. No. 3444, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions (S.C.R. Nos. 94 and 95) were read by the Clerk and were deferred:

Senate Concurrent Resolution

S.C.R. No. 94 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO BEGIN REBUILDING THE SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH BY 2012."

Offered by: Senators Baker, Chun Oakland, English, Bunda, Espero, Fukunaga, Gabbard, Hemmings, Hooser, Ige, Ihara, Inouye, Kim, Kokubun, Menor, Nishihara, Sakamoto, Slom, Taniguchi, Tokuda, Tsutsui, Whalen.

S.C.R. No. 95 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY ON ESTABLISHING A HAWAII STATE GEOLOGICAL SURVEY."

Offered by: Senator Hee.

SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions (S.R. Nos. 54 and 55) were read by the Clerk and were deferred:

Senate Resolution

S.R. No. 54 "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO BEGIN REBUILDING THE SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH BY 2012."

Offered by: Senators Baker, Chun Oakland, English, Bunda, Espero, Fukunaga, Gabbard, Hemmings, Hooser, Ige, Ihara, Inouye, Kim, Kokubun, Menor, Nishihara, Sakamoto, Slom, Taniguchi, Tokuda, Tsutsui, Whalen.

S.R. No. 55 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY ON ESTABLISHING A HAWAII STATE GEOLOGICAL SURVEY."

Offered by: Senator Hee.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator English, for the Committee on Transportation and International Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2890) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of BRENNON MORIOKA as Director of the Department of Transportation, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 257.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2890 and Gov. Msg. No. 257 was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2008.

Senator Hee, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2891) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Kaaui Aquatic Life and Wildlife Advisory Committee of the following:

GEORGE R. COATES, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 426; and

ELTON S. USHIO, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 427.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2891 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 426 and 427 was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2008.

Senator Hee, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2892) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of BONNIE K. KAHAPEA-TANNER to the Kaneohe Bay Regional Council, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 429.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2892 and Gov. Msg. No. 429 was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2008.

Senator Hee, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2893) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of JOAN E. CANFIELD to the Legacy Land Conservation Commission, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 432.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2893 and Gov. Msg. No. 432 was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2008.

Senator Hee, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2894) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of DALE BRIAN BONAR to the Natural Area Reserve System Commission, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 433.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2894 and Gov. Msg. No. 433 was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2008.

Senator Inouye, for the Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2895) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Advisory Board on Veterans' Services of the following:

LUIS ALEJANDRO PARKER, in accordance with Gov. Msg. Nos. 398 and 399;

LLOYD K. SODETANI, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 400; and

ANNE V. STEVENS, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 401.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2895 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 398, 399, 400 and 401 was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2008.

Senator Sakamoto, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2896) recommending that S.C.R. No. 57 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2896 and S.C.R. No. 57, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT PAHOA HIGH AND INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DEDICATE ITS GYMNASIUM IN HONOR OF FORMER REPRESENTATIVE HELENE H. HALE, BY CHANGING THE NAME OF THE GYMNASIUM TO 'HELENE H. HALE GYMNASIUM,'" was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2008.

Senator Inouye, for the Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2897) recommending that S.C.R. No. 47, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2897 and S.C.R. No. 47, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE TO COMMEMORATE THE HONORABLE SERVICE OF THE U.S. NAVY'S F-14 TOMCAT IN DEFENDING FREEDOM," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2008.

Senator Inouye, for the Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2898) recommending that S.R. No. 22, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2898 and S.R. No. 22, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE TO COMMEMORATE THE HONORABLE SERVICE OF THE U.S. NAVY'S F-14 TOMCAT IN DEFENDING FREEDOM," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2008.

Senator English, for the Committee on Transportation and International Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2899) recommending that S.C.R. No. 52 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2899 and S.C.R. No. 52, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM AND THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY TO IMPLEMENT PROGRAMS TO INCREASE VISITORS FROM TAIWAN, AND REQUESTING THE SECRETARY OF HOMELAND SECURITY TO EXPAND THE VISA WAIVER PROGRAM TO INCLUDE TAIWAN," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2008.

Senator English, for the Committee on Transportation and International Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2900) recommending that S.R. No. 26 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2900 and S.R. No. 26, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM AND THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY TO IMPLEMENT PROGRAMS TO INCREASE VISITORS FROM TAIWAN, AND REQUESTING THE SECRETARY OF HOMELAND SECURITY TO EXPAND THE VISA WAIVER PROGRAM TO INCLUDE TAIWAN," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2008.

Senator Sakamoto, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2901) recommending that S.C.R. No. 22 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2901 and S.C.R. No. 22, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT

RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING PATSY TAKEMOTO MINK FOR CHAMPIONING THE CAUSE OF EQUITY IN ATHLETICS ON BEHALF OF ALL WOMEN IN THE UNITED STATES," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2008.

Senator English, for the Committee on Transportation and International Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2902) recommending that S.C.R. No. 53, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2902 and S.C.R. No. 53, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES TO ENTER INTO A FREE TRADE AGREEMENT WITH TAIWAN," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2008.

Senator English, for the Committee on Transportation and International Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2903) recommending that S.R. No. 27, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2903 and S.R. No. 27, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES TO ENTER INTO A FREE TRADE AGREEMENT WITH TAIWAN," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2008.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2904) recommending that S.C.R. No. 8 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2904 and S.C.R. No. 8, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO RESCHEDULE THE YEAR OF THE FAMILY CELEBRATION FROM 2008 TO 2009," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2008.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2905) recommending that S.R. No. 3 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2905 and S.R. No. 3, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO RESCHEDULE THE YEAR OF THE FAMILY CELEBRATION FROM 2008 TO 2009," was deferred until Friday, March 7, 2008.

ORDER OF THE DAY

THIRD READING

S.B. No. 520, S.D. 2:

Senator English moved that S.B. No. 520, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Baker.

Senator Hemmings rose to speak against the measure and stated:

"Madam President, I rise to speak against S.B. No. 520.

"Madam President, before I enumerate the reasons why I am voting against this bill I'd like to congratulate the Chairman of the Transportation and International Affairs Committee and I appreciate his efforts to preempt a possible conflict with the federal government—in putting in the proviso in he did by amending it that the peace mission would not violate federal law. Nevertheless, we have a State Department, we have 150 years of case law at the United States Supreme Court, and we even have the Federalist papers written by Madison—number 45—which clearly shows that affairs of this nature should be handled exclusively by the federal government for good reason. It would be awfully complicated if we had individual states

dealing in the matters of peace and war with other jurisdictions around the world without our country speaking with one voice emanating from the federal government.

"There are several other reasons that I think should go on the record why this bill should eventually die here at the Legislature. It talks about charitable programs and I would hearken to say that in the wake of the tsunami of Christmas of 2006, some of the world's nations stood up and pointed a finger of accusation that America did not respond with enough aid in the form of financial contributions from the federal government to the ailing countries of the Indian Ocean who were affected by the tsunami. It is clearly demonstrated that the genius of America's charitable pursuits is not the government, it's found in the churches and the charitable institutions of this country. If you added up the impact of Red Cross or corporations like FedEx who donated airplanes for airlift emergency things, America's charitable pursuits are best pursued as they always have been by private charitable institutions. Even Alexis de Tocqueville recognized that when he wrote *Democracy in America* in 1835.

"Another reason why this bill does not make sense is it's going to cost money. The members shall not receive compensation this bill says, but they will receive reimbursement for expenses including travel. Where they may go we don't know, but it could be anywhere in the world according to this agenda. The original bill had a \$500,000 appropriation. I don't know if the good Chair of the Ways of the Means Committee will eventually allot for this, but I would suggest whatever it is could be better spent with grants-in-aids for local charities to better serve the people of Hawai'i.

"I would submit to this organization the real path to pursue is for America to continue to be strong and resolute and be willing to defend freedom around the world. The world is still full of tyrants and those who would take away the inalienable rights that are guaranteed by our Constitution. We learned the hard way in 1939 when another well meaning gentleman went to Germany and negotiated the peace treaty with Adolph Hitler—and that was Neville Chamberlain—and we knew what followed. Being strong is the way to maintain peace, because the world's bullies and the tyrants are not going to pick fights with the strong that can defend themselves.

"So I would say at this time that this is a well meaning gesture but is contrary to our interests, and certainly contrary to the policies of the United States government and their conduct of our affairs on our behalf and probably contrary to the best interests of the economics of Hawai'i. I urge my colleagues to be of further consideration and vote no on this."

Senator English rose to speak in favor of the measure and stated:

"Madam Chair, I rise to support the measure.

"Quite the contrary to the previous speaker this is concomitant with federal policy because you know there is clear demarcation—the feds handle foreign affairs, yes that's true—but many states do cultural, scientific and educational exchanges, which is what this falls under. In fact, our very own East-West Center is funded by the State Department, which is scientific, cultural and educational and it's funded by what's called the Public Diplomacy or Citizen's Diplomacy section of the State Department. So this is actually furthering the goals of U.S. foreign policy by creating people-to-people contacts and creating the understanding of peace and the understanding of culture.

"The changes that were made I think make the bill stronger and I think that Hawai'i de facto already does many of these types of missions. In fact, I think we're amongst a number of states that have foreign offices—we have offices in Taiwan,

Shanghai, Beijing, elsewhere around the world that act as our de facto representatives in those countries. So we already fund these types of projects. It serves Hawai'i much better because we are in the middle of the Pacific and we deal with the region quite a bit more and in different capacities. So I ask the members to please support this measure as it does promote Hawai'i's best interests and the best interests of the United States."

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Tsutsui and carried, S.B. No. 520, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 21. Noes, 3 (Hemmings, Slom, Whalen). Excused, 1 (Hanabusa).

REFERRAL OF HOUSE BILLS

The President made the following committee assignments of House bills received on Thursday, February 28, 2008; Friday, February 29, 2008; and Tuesday, March 4, 2008:

House Bill Referred to:

H.B. No. 94, H.D. 1 Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

H.B. No. 647, H.D. 2 Committee on Energy and Environment

H.B. No. 2003 Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

H.B. No. 2034, H.D. 1 Committee on Transportation and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

H.B. No. 2040 Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

H.B. No. 2045 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

H.B. No. 2062, H.D. 1 Committee on Human Services and Public Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

H.B. No. 2085, H.D. 1 Committee on Agriculture and Hawaiian Affairs

H.B. No. 2145, H.D. 1 Committee on Tourism and Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

H.B. No. 2151, H.D. 1 Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

H.B. No. 2165 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing

H.B. No. 2169, H.D. 1 Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing

H.B. No. 2196, H.D. 2 Committee on Human Services and Public Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

H.B. No. 2198, H.D. 2 Committee on Human Services and Public Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

H.B. No. 2245, H.D. 1 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

H.B. No. 2247 Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

H.B. No. 2254, H.D. 2 Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

H.B. No. 2263 Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Transportation and International Affairs

H.B. No. 2395, H.D. 1 Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

H.B. No. 2409 Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing

H.B. No. 2415, H.D. 1 Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

H.B. No. 2428 Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and International Affairs and the Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs

H.B. No. 2437 Committee on Tourism and Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

H.B. No. 2460 Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing

H.B. No. 2486 Committee on Economic Development and Taxation

H.B. No. 2491 Committee on Transportation and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

H.B. No. 2511, H.D. 1 Committee on Human Services and Public Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

H.B. No. 2517, H.D. 1 Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Energy and Environment

H.B. No. 2522 Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

H.B. No. 2523 Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Water and Land

H.B. No. 2524 Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and International Affairs and the Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs

H.B. No. 2525 Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing

H.B. No. 2526 Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing

H.B. No. 2531, H.D. 1 Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and International Affairs and the Committee on Tourism and Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

H.B. No. 2547 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

H.B. No. 2587, H.D. 1 Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

- H.B. No. 2614 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- H.B. No. 2656 Committee on Judiciary and Labor
- H.B. No. 2665, H.D. 1 Committee on Human Services and Public Housing, then to the Committee on Tourism and Government Operations
- H.B. No. 2671 Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- H.B. No. 2686, H.D. 1 Committee on Judiciary and Labor
- H.B. No. 2687, H.D. 1 Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- H.B. No. 2712, H.D. 1 Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- H.B. No. 2736, H.D. 1 Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
- H.B. No. 2761, H.D. 1 Committee on Human Services and Public Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- H.B. No. 2770, H.D. 1 Committee on Human Services and Public Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- H.B. No. 2811 Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- H.B. No. 2847 Committee on Transportation and International Affairs
- H.B. No. 2856 Committee on Transportation and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- H.B. No. 2873 Committee on Water and Land
- H.B. No. 2881, H.D. 2 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- H.B. No. 2894 Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing
- H.B. No. 2909 Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- H.B. No. 2953 Committee on Transportation and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
- H.B. No. 2962 Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- H.B. No. 2965, H.D. 2 Committee on Agriculture and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- H.B. No. 2966 Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- H.B. No. 2977, H.D. 1 Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs
- H.B. No. 2998, H.D. 1 Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- H.B. No. 3037 Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- H.B. No. 3038 Committee on Ways and Means
- H.B. No. 3060, H.D. 2 Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- H.B. No. 3072, H.D. 2 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- H.B. No. 3080, H.D. 1 Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing
- H.B. No. 3106 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing
- H.B. No. 3126 Committee on Agriculture and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- H.B. No. 3140 Committee on Human Services and Public Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- H.B. No. 3150, H.D. 2 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Energy and Environment
- H.B. No. 3161 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- H.B. No. 3173, H.D. 1 Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
- H.B. No. 3176, H.D. 1 Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
- H.B. No. 3178 Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
- H.B. No. 3179 Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Agriculture and Hawaiian Affairs
- H.B. No. 3196, H.D. 1 Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing, then to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- H.B. No. 3197 Committee on Transportation and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- H.B. No. 3249, H.D. 1 Committee on Transportation and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
- H.B. No. 3262, H.D. 1 Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- H.B. No. 3272 Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- H.B. No. 3309, H.D. 1 Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- H.B. No. 3325, H.D. 2 Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing
- H.B. No. 3343, H.D. 1 Committee on Economic Development and Taxation
- H.B. No. 3360, H.D. 1 Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- H.B. No. 3377 Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and International Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- H.B. No. 3383 Committee on Judiciary and Labor

H.B. No. 3386, H.D. 1 Committee on Tourism and Government Operations, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

H.B. No. 3407, H.D. 1 Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing

REFERRAL OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The President made the following committee assignments of concurrent resolutions that were offered on Thursday, February 28, 2008:

Senate
Concurrent
Resolution Referred to:

S.C.R. No. 60 Jointly to the Committee on Tourism and Government Operations and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.C.R. No. 61 Committee on Human Services and Public Housing

S.C.R. No. 62 Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing and the Committee on Health

S.C.R. No. 63 Committee on Human Services and Public Housing

S.C.R. No. 64 Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Tourism and Government Operations

S.C.R. No. 65 Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing and the Committee on Health

S.C.R. No. 66 Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land, the Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Energy and Environment

S.C.R. No. 67 Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Tourism and Government Operations

S.C.R. No. 68 Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing

S.C.R. No. 69 Jointly to the Committee on Health, the Committee on Education and the Committee on Agriculture and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.C.R. No. 70 Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.C.R. No. 71 Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and International Affairs and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.C.R. No. 72 Committee on Education

S.C.R. No. 73 Committee on Education

S.C.R. No. 74 Committee on Education

S.C.R. No. 75 Committee on Education

S.C.R. No. 76 Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation and the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing

S.C.R. No. 77 Committee on Water and Land

S.C.R. No. 78 Jointly to the Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Transportation and International Affairs

S.C.R. No. 79 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing

S.C.R. No. 80 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing

S.C.R. No. 81 Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.C.R. No. 82 Committee on Energy and Environment

S.C.R. No. 83 Committee on Education

S.C.R. No. 84 Committee on Education

S.C.R. No. 85 Committee on Human Services and Public Housing, then to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing

S.C.R. No. 86 Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing

S.C.R. No. 87 Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing

REFERRAL OF SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The President made the following committee assignments of resolutions that were offered on Thursday, February 28, 2008:

Senate
Resolution Referred to:

S.R. No. 33 Jointly to the Committee on Tourism and Government Operations and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.R. No. 35 Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing and the Committee on Health

S.R. No. 36 Committee on Human Services and Public Housing

S.R. No. 37 Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Tourism and Government Operations

S.R. No. 38 Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing and the Committee on Health

S.R. No. 39 Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing

S.R. No. 40 Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Tourism and Government Operations

S.R. No. 41 Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing

S.R. No. 42 Committee on Water and Land

S.R. No. 43 Jointly to the Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Transportation and International Affairs

S.R. No. 44 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Public Housing

S.R. No. 45 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing

S.R. No. 46 Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then
to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.R. No. 47 Committee on Human Services and
Public Housing, then to the Committee on Commerce,
Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing

S.R. No. 48 Committee on Commerce, Consumer
Protection and Affordable Housing

S.R. No. 49 Committee on Commerce, Consumer
Protection and Affordable Housing

ADJOURNMENT

At 10:56 a.m., on motion by Senator Ige, seconded by
Senator Whalen and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30
a.m., Friday, March 7, 2008.