

FIFTY-SEVENTH DAY

Thursday, April 24, 2008

The Senate of the Twenty-Fourth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2008, convened at 6:43 p.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Divine Blessing was invoked by the Reverend Shuji Komagata, Soto Mission of Aiea Taiheiji, after which the Roll was called showing all Senators present with the exception of Senator Whalen who was excused.

The President announced that she had read and approved the Journal of the Fifty-Sixth Day.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 662 to 666) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 662, informing the Senate that on April 23, 2008, she signed into law House Bill No. 2502 as Act 31, entitled: "RELATING TO SOLAR ENERGY."

Gov. Msg. No. 663, informing the Senate that on April 23, 2008, she signed into law House Bill No. 2347 as Act 32, entitled: "RELATING TO METAL."

Gov. Msg. No. 664, informing the Senate that on April 23, 2008, she signed into law House Bill No. 2369 as Act 33, entitled: "RELATING TO THE AFTER-SCHOOL PLUS PROGRAM REVOLVING FUND."

Gov. Msg. No. 665, informing the Senate that on April 24, 2008, she signed into law Senate Bill No. 2141 as Act 34, entitled: "RELATING TO PUBLIC HOUSING."

Gov. Msg. No. 666, informing the Senate that on April 24, 2008, she signed into law Senate Bill No. 3074 as Act 35, entitled: "MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR THE EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES AND INJURY PREVENTION SYSTEM BRANCH."

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the House (Hse. Com. Nos. 793 to 800) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Hse. Com. No. 793, returning S.B. No. 69, S.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 23, 2008, in an amended form, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Hemmings and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 69, S.D. 2, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

At this time, the President appointed the following conferees for S.B. No. 69, S.D. 2 (H.D. 3):

Senators Ige, chair; Chun Oakland, Baker, co-chairs; Whalen, manager.

Senator Ige, requested a waiver of the notice requirement pursuant to the 2008 Committee on Conference Procedures for S.B. No. 69.

Senator Ige noted:

"Madam President, the co-chairs intent to convene the initial conference at 10:00 a.m. in conference room 229 and a hearing notice will be posted."

The Chair granted the waiver.

Hse. Com. No. 794, informing the Senate that the following bills passed Final Reading in the House of Representatives on April 23, 2008:

S.B. No. 2400, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1; and
S.B. No. 2784, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1,

was placed on file.

Hse. Com. No. 795, informing the Senate that the House has agreed to the amendments proposed by the Senate to the following House bills and said bills passed Final Reading in the House on April 23, 2008:

H.B. No. 1402, H.D. 2, S.D. 2;
H.B. No. 1978, H.D. 1, S.D. 1;
H.B. No. 2009, S.D. 1;
H.B. No. 3140, S.D. 2; and
H.B. No. 3197, S.D. 1,

was placed on file.

Hse. Com. No. 796, informing the Senate that the House reconsidered its action taken on April 8, 2008, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2326, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1), was placed on file.

Hse. Com. No. 797, informing the Senate that the House reconsidered its action taken on April 10, 2008, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2589, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2), was placed on file.

Hse. Com. No. 798, informing the Senate that the amendments proposed by the Senate to the following House concurrent resolutions were agreed to by the House and said resolutions were finally adopted in the House of Representatives on April 23, 2008:

H.C.R. No. 93, H.D. 1, S.D. 1;
H.C.R. No. 226, S.D. 1;
H.C.R. No. 245, H.D. 1, S.D. 1,

was placed on file.

Hse. Com. No. 799, informing the Senate that the Speaker on April 24, 2008, made the following changes to the conferees on the following bills:

H.B. No. 1909, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Discharged Representative Caldwell as manager.

S.B. No. 409, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Discharged Representative Green as co-chair,

was placed on file.

Hse. Com. No. 800, informing the Senate that the Speaker on April 24, 2008, made the following changes to the conferees on the following bill:

S.B. No. 1804, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

Representative Waters replaced Representative Green as lead co-chair,

was placed on file.

JUDICIARY COMMUNICATION

Jud. Com. No. 1, submitting for consideration and consent, the nomination of ANTHONY K. BARTHOLOMEW to the Office of Judge, District Court of the Third Circuit, in accordance with the provisions of Article VI, Section 3, of the Hawaii State Constitution, for a term of six years, was read by

the Clerk and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Fukunaga, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 2434, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 11-08) recommending that S.B. No. 2434, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 11-08 and S.B. No. 2434, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STADIUM AUTHORITY," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Fukunaga, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 3166, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 12-08) recommending that S.B. No. 3166, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 12-08 and S.B. No. 3166, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 2838, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 13-08) recommending that S.B. No. 2838, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 13-08 and S.B. No. 2838, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Fukunaga, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 2196, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 14-08) recommending that S.B. No. 2196, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 14-08 and S.B. No. 2196, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL ACTIVITIES ON OCEAN WATERS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 2054, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 15-08) recommending that S.B. No. 2054, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 15-08 and S.B. No. 2054, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY COURT," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 2730, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 16-08) recommending that S.B. No. 2730, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 16-08 and S.B. No. 2730, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD PROTECTION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 3087, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 17-08) recommending that S.B. No. 3087, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 17-08 and S.B. No. 3087, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTRACTOR SUSPENSION ON PUBLIC WORKS PROJECTS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 1035, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 18-08) recommending that S.B. No. 1035, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 18-08 and S.B. No. 1035, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MAKAHIKI DAY COMMEMORATION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 2849, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 19-08) recommending that S.B. No. 2849, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 19-08 and S.B. No. 2849, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LANDS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 2895, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 20-08) recommending that S.B. No. 2895, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 20-08 and S.B. No. 2895, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OFFENSES AGAINST PUBLIC ORDER," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 1337, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 21-08) recommending that S.B. No. 1337, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 21-08 and S.B. No. 1337, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTEMPT OF COURT," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 1961, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 22-08) recommending that S.B. No. 1961, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 22-08

and S.B. No. 1961, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BAIL," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Fukunaga, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 2644, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 23-08) recommending that S.B. No. 2644, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 23-08 and S.B. No. 2644, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICER," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate in H.B. No. 2450, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 54-08) recommending that H.B. No. 2450, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 54-08 and H.B. No. 2450, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the majority of the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate in H.B. No. 2346, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 55-08) recommending that H.B. No. 2346, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 55-08 and H.B. No. 2346, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENDANGERING THE WELFARE OF A MINOR," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate in H.B. No. 3126, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 56-08) recommending that H.B. No. 3126, S.D. 2, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 56-08 and H.B. No. 3126, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN HOMES COMMISSION ACT," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator English, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate in H.B. No. 931, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 57-08) recommending that H.B. No. 931, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 57-08 and H.B. No. 931, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOPEDES," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator English, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate in H.B. No. 2847, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 58-08) recommending that H.B. No. 2847, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 58-08

and H.B. No. 2847, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDITIONAL LICENSE PERMITS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator English, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate in H.B. No. 2953, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 59-08) recommending that H.B. No. 2953, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 59-08 and H.B. No. 2953, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator English, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate in H.B. No. 3249, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 60-08) recommending that H.B. No. 3249, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 60-08 and H.B. No. 3249, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate in H.B. No. 1356, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 61-08) recommending that H.B. No. 1356, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 61-08 and H.B. No. 1356, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHER EDUCATION BOARD ALLOWANCE FOR FORMER FOSTER YOUTH," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Menor, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate in H.B. No. 2661, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 62-08) recommending that H.B. No. 2661, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 62-08 and H.B. No. 2661, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST INDUSTRIAL ENTERPRISES," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate in H.B. No. 523, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 63-08) recommending that H.B. No. 523, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 63-08 and H.B. No. 523, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILDREN," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Ige, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate in H.B. No. 2139, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 64-08) recommending that H.B. No. 2139, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 64-08 and H.B. No. 2139, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ANATOMICAL GIFTS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Kokubun, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate in H.B. No. 2255, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 65-08) recommending that H.B. No. 2255, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 65-08 and H.B. No. 2255, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIFE INSURANCE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Kokubun, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3652) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of DONNA LEE CHING to the State Board of Chiropractic Examiners, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 564.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3652 and Gov. Msg. No. 564 was deferred until Friday, April 25, 2008.

Senator Kokubun, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3653) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of DARYL S. SUEHIRO to the Contractors License Board, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 565.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3653 and Gov. Msg. No. 565 was deferred until Friday, April 25, 2008.

Senator Fukunaga, for the Committee on Economic Development and Taxation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3654) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of RANDAL TANIGUCHI to the Board of Taxation Review, 2nd Taxation District (Maui), in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 540.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3654 and Gov. Msg. No. 540 was deferred until Friday, April 25, 2008.

Senator Kokubun, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3655) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of DAN HIROYOSHI HIROTA to the Board of Professional Engineers, Architects, Surveyors, and Landscape Architects, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 566.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3655 and Gov. Msg. No. 566 was deferred until Friday, April 25, 2008.

Senator Kokubun, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3656) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of THOMAS S. KOSASA MD to the Board of Medical Examiners, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 567.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3656 and Gov. Msg. No. 567 was deferred until Friday, April 25, 2008.

Senator Kokubun, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3657) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of DENISE L. COHEN to the State Board of Nursing, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 568.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3657 and Gov. Msg. No. 568 was deferred until Friday, April 25, 2008.

Senator Kokubun, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3658) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of KRISTINE M. TAKEKAWA to the Board of Speech Pathology and Audiology, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 569.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3658 and Gov. Msg. No. 569 was deferred until Friday, April 25, 2008.

Senator Kokubun, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3659) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of RALPH MAXWELL MESICK to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Housing Finance and Development Corporation (HFD), in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 604.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3659 and Gov. Msg. No. 604 was deferred until Friday, April 25, 2008.

Senator Sakamoto, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3660) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Hawai'i Commission for National and Community Service of the following:

DONOVAN M. DELA CRUZ, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 573;

ROBERT J. NANIOLÉ, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 574;

LORI A. Y. TAKAO, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 575; and

ELIZA V. TALBOT, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 576.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3660 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 573, 574, 575 and 576 was deferred until Friday, April 25, 2008.

Senator Sakamoto, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3661) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Regents of the University of Hawai'i of the following:

CARL A. CARLSON JR., in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 608;

TEENA M. RASMUSSEN, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 610; and

HARVEY S. TAJIRI, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 611.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3661 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 608, 610 and 611 was deferred until Friday, April 25, 2008.

Senator Hee, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3662) recommending that H.C.R. No. 112 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3662 and H.C.R. No. 112, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES AND THE COUNTY OF HAWAII TO PREPARE A COORDINATED, COMPREHENSIVE PLAN TO ADDRESS THE NEEDS AND CONCERNS OF THE LESSEES FACING EVICTION UPON THE EXPIRATION OF THE LEASES AT THE KANOELEHUA INDUSTRIAL PARK," was deferred until Friday, April 25, 2008.

Senator Hee, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3663) recommending that H.C.R. No. 258 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3663 and H.C.R. No. 258, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE OFFICE OF STATE PLANNING TO COORDINATE THE CITY AND STATE AGENCIES IN ADDRESSING THE OVERGROWTH OF VEGETATION ON KAHALA BEACH," was deferred until Friday, April 25, 2008.

ORDER OF THE DAY

ADVISE AND CONSENT

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3644 (Gov. Msg. No. 320):

Senator Kokubun moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3644 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Ige and carried.

Senator Kokubun then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of RANDALL W. MACK to the Board of Private Detectives and Guards, term to expire June 30, 2012, seconded by Senator Ige.

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

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (Inouye, Sakamoto, Whalen).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3645 (Gov. Msg. No. 513):

Senator Kokubun moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3645 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Ige and carried.

Senator Kokubun then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of GWEN S. LAU to the Credit Union Advisory Board, term to expire June 30, 2011, seconded by Senator Ige.

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

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (Inouye, Sakamoto, Whalen).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3646 (Gov. Msg. No. 531):

Senator Kokubun moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3646 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Ige and carried.

Senator Kokubun then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of JAMES K. HIRAKAWA to the Motor Vehicle Repair Industry Board, term to expire June 30, 2012, seconded by Senator Ige.

Senator Taniguchi rose to offer comments in support of the measure and said:

"Madam President, I have some comments with regard to Gov. Msg. No. 531—this is for the Motor Vehicle Repair

Industry Board—in support. Mr. Hirokawa was my boss at Palolo Auto Service."

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

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (Inouye, Sakamoto, Whalen).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3647 (Gov. Msg. No. 538):

Senator Kokubun moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3647 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Ige and carried.

Senator Kokubun then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of ANNE MARIE HORNER to the Board of Speech Pathology and Audiology, term to expire June 30, 2011, seconded by Senator Ige.

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

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (Inouye, Sakamoto, Whalen).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3648 (Gov. Msg. No. 563):

Senator Kokubun moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3648 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Ige and carried.

Senator Kokubun then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of JUNE J. TAKANO to the State Board of Barbering and Cosmetology, term to expire June 30, 2012, seconded by Senator Ige.

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

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (Inouye, Sakamoto, Whalen).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3649 (Gov. Msg. No. 571):

Senator Fukunaga moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3649 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Espero and carried.

Senator Fukunaga then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of ERIC NORIO YAMA to the Board of Taxation Review, 4th Taxation District (Kaua'i), term to expire June 30, 2012, seconded by Senator Espero.

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

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (Inouye, Sakamoto, Whalen).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3650 (Gov. Msg. No. 606):

Senator Fukunaga moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3650 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Espero and carried.

Senator Fukunaga then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of PETER M. TADAKI to the Board of Taxation Review, 3rd Taxation District (Hawai'i), term to expire June 30, 2012, seconded by Senator Espero.

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

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (Inouye, Sakamoto, Whalen).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3651 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 577 and 578):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3651 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Chun Oakland and carried.

Senator Tokuda then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Hawai'i Teacher Standards Board of the following:

TERRY L. HOLCK, term to expire June 30, 2011 (Gov. Msg. No. 577); and

JANICE Y. SHISHIDO, term to expire June 30, 2011 (Gov. Msg. No. 578),

seconded by Senator Chun Oakland.

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

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (Inouye, Sakamoto, Whalen).

FINAL ADOPTION

S.C.R. No. 115, S.D. 1, H.D. 1:

Senator Ige moved that S.C.R. No. 115, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, be adopted, seconded by Senator Hemmings.

Senator Hemmings rose to speak in opposition to the measure and stated:

"Madam President, I rise to speak against S.C.R. No. 115 and S.C.R. No. 118. I'd love the Clerk of the Senate to please record 'no' votes on those two resolutions for me.

"Regarding S.C.R. No. 115, the title REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO CONVENE A PILOT PROJECT TO ALLOW A SCHOOL COMPLEX TO IDENTIFY CRITICAL DEPARTMENT RULES AND POLICIES THAT IMPEDE EFFECTIVE DECISION-MAKING, ADMINISTERING, AND TEACHING AND TO OPERATE FREE OF THOSE RULES AND POLICIES—that title alone betrays the lunacy of this whole concept. First of all, it's an admission of failure of the Department to have rules that can be implemented. Number two is, rather than addressing that problem, we would just want to exempt certain people upon request from following the rules. So the whole purpose of the resolution is an admission of bad rules, number one, and number two, a failure of the school system to be able to get out of the way of its own bad policies.

"I would suggest that in lieu of this resolution, we really look into implementing more charter schools, which work real well by every measure and do not have to follow these rules in the first place."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.C.R. No. 115, S.D. 1 and S.C.R. No. 115, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO CONVENE A PILOT PROJECT TO ALLOW A SCHOOL COMPLEX TO IDENTIFY CRITICAL DEPARTMENT RULES AND POLICIES THAT IMPEDE EFFECTIVE DECISION-MAKING, ADMINISTERING, AND TEACHING AND TO OPERATE FREE OF THOSE RULES AND POLICIES," was Finally Adopted with Senator Hemmings voting "No."

S.C.R. No. 118, S.D. 1, H.D. 1:

Senator Ige moved that S.C.R. No. 118, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, be adopted, seconded by Senator Hemmings.

Senator Hemmings rose to speak in opposition as follows:

"Regarding S.C.R. No. 118, the title has been changed. It now reads IMPROVING THE COMMUNITY'S UNDERSTANDING OF THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION'S PROGRAMS AND SCHOOL EXPENSES INCLUDING A COMPARISON WITH OTHER STATES ON ADEQUACY OF FUNDS. It is certainly a request in passing this resolution to have the DOE conspire with some people at the University of Hawai'i, according to the resolution, to improve their public relations. This is due to one of their provisos, whereas many outside the department, the department operates in ways which may leave the department open to unwarranted criticism. Possibly unwarranted, but I would say the criticism that I've heard regarding the Department of Education is not based on opinion but on fact. The \$2.4 billion budget, the stagnation of test scores are undeniable and cannot be escaped, and the increase of funding on a yearly basis with no results speaks louder than anyone's opinion or unwarranted criticism—this is me saying.

"But there's another reason why this resolution is a public relations effort—not really designed to improve the state of public education and address the real problems. The ultimate consumer is speaking louder than our words regarding the problems with public education. With the population of the State of Hawai'i increasing, enrollment in public schools is going down.

"So rather than pass resolutions like this, what we really ought to do if we're intellectually honest, we would look at ways to address the real problems of the public education system. They certainly aren't a lack of money. Our children are being cheated and these resolutions are to do nothing more than further cover up and try to obfuscate the truth to the poor, beleaguered public who's paying for this system that's failing our children so miserably. Thank you, Madam President."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.C.R. No. 118, S.D. 1 and S.C.R. No. 118, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION IMPROVING THE COMMUNITY'S UNDERSTANDING OF THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION'S PROGRAMS AND SCHOOL EXPENSES INCLUDING A COMPARISON WITH OTHER STATES ON ADEQUACY OF FUNDS," was Finally Adopted with Senator Hemmings voting "No."

S.C.R. No. 134, S.D. 2, H.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Hemmings and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.C.R. No. 134, S.D. 2 and S.C.R. No. 134, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO 'BUY LOCAL' AND TO IMPLEMENT AND DEVELOP FOOD WARE AND FOOD WASTE RECYCLING PROGRAMS TO ENCOURAGE SUSTAINABILITY," was Finally Adopted.

ADOPTION OF RESOLUTIONS

MATTERS DEFERRED FROM WEDNESDAY, APRIL 23, 2008

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3640 (H.C.R. No. 125, H.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Hemmings and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 125, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO EXAMINE UPCOMING CONDOMINIUM LEASEHOLD EXPIRATIONS AND THEIR IMPACT ON THE AVAILABILITY OF REPLACEMENT AND AFFORDABLE HOUSING FOR HAWAII RESIDENTS," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3641 (H.C.R. No. 357, H.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Hemmings and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.C.R. No. 357, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII COLLEGE OF TROPICAL AGRICULTURE AND HUMAN RESOURCES TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF CONSTRUCTING A MULTIPURPOSE, MULTI-USER PROCESSING FACILITY ON THE LAND IN THE EWA, CENTRAL OAHU AREA BEING OFFERED TO THE HAWAII AGRICULTURE RESEARCH CENTER, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF VALUE-ADDED PRODUCTS THAT MAKE USE OF LOCALLY-GROWN AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS," was adopted.

ADOPTION OF RESOLUTIONS

H.C.R. No. 208:

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Hemmings and carried, H.C.R. No. 208, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION SUPPORTING CONGRESSIONAL ACTION TO EXEMPT THE STATE OF HAWAII FROM FEDERAL PREEMPTION PROHIBITING STATE INSPECTION OF PLANTS, PLANT PRODUCTS, AND OTHER BIOLOGICAL ORGANISMS," was adopted.

H.C.R. No. 326, H.D. 2:

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Hemmings and carried, H.C.R. No. 326, H.D. 2, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE CONVENE A TASK FORCE TO DEVISE A PLAN WITHIN ONE YEAR TO TIMELY EXPEDITE THE INTRODUCTION AND DELIVERY OF HAWAIIAN CACAO TO THE MARKETPLACE," was adopted.

H.C.R. No. 345:

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Hemmings and carried, H.C.R. No. 345, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS TO TELEVISION THE GENERAL MEETINGS OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS," was adopted.

H.C.R. No. 235, H.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Hemmings and carried, H.C.R. No. 235, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION SUPPORTING FEDERAL TAX INCENTIVES TO ENCOURAGE THE USE OF RENEWABLE ENERGY SOURCES," was adopted.

FINAL READING

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 3-08 (S.B. No. 2454, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Kokubun, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 3-08 was adopted and S.B. No. 2454, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MORTGAGE FORECLOSURES," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23. Noes, none. Excused, 2 (Sakamoto, Whalen).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 4-08 (S.B. No. 2464, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Fukunaga, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 4-08 was adopted and S.B. No. 2464, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE MAMMAL," having been

read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23. Noes, none. Excused, 2 (Sakamoto, Whalen).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 5-08 (S.B. No. 3030, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1):

Senator Kokubun moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 5-08 be adopted and S.B. No. 3030, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Baker

Senator Slom rose to speak in opposition to the measure and said:

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

"The alleged purpose of the bill is to regulate, license, and help promote mixed martial arts by regulation. The real intent and the real purpose of the bill however is to increase fees, surcharges, and it amounts to taxation. The fees are large. They bear no resemblance to the regulation. And I think this would be a problem for the State later on when we re-examine the recent court decision looking at fees and taxes. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 5-08 was adopted and S.B. No. 3030, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MIXED MARTIAL ARTS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 21. Noes, 2 (Slom, Trimble). Excused, 2 (Sakamoto, Whalen).

RECOMMITTAL

At this time, the President made the following announcement:

"Members, yesterday, 48-hour notice was given for Conference Committee Report No. 52-08 on House Bill No. 3331, C.D. 1, "Relating to Condominiums." Subsequently, the Senate and House Conference Committee co-chairs have requested that the measure be recommitted to the conference committee for further deliberation, and the House Speaker and I concur with the request."

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 52-08 (H.B. No. 3331, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Kokubun, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 52-08 and H.B. No. 3331, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS," was recommitted to the Committee on Conference.

Senator Kokubun, requested a waiver of the notice requirement pursuant to the 2008 Joint Senate-House Conference Procedures for H.B. No. 3331, C.D. 1.

Senator Kokubun noted:

"Madam President, you and the House Speaker have approved the conference co-chairs' request to extend conference deliberations on this bill. Your conferees plan to reconvene tomorrow but will not be able to meet the 24 hour notice requirement."

The Chair granted the waiver.

RECONSIDERATION OF ACTIONS TAKEN

S.C.R. No. 124, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Senator Chun Oakland moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on April 23, 2008, in disagreeing to the

amendments proposed by the House to S.C.R. No. 124, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Baker and carried.

Senator Chun Oakland rose and said:

“Madam President, the reason why the House has amended this resolution is to narrow the financial management...”

At 6:59 p.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 6:59 p.m.

Senator Chun Oakland moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.C.R. No. 124, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Baker.

Senator Chun Oakland rose to speak in support of the measure as follows:

“Ditto. The House has amended this resolution by narrowing the scope of the financial and management audit for the Medicaid program. We concur. Thank you.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.C.R. No. 124, S.D. 1, and S.C.R. No. 124, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A FINANCIAL AND MANAGEMENT AUDIT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES MEDICAID-SPONSORED PROGRAMS,” was placed on the calendar for Final Adoption on Friday, April 25, 2008.

Senator English, Chair of the Committee on Transportation and International Affairs, requested that the referral of H.C.R. No. 16 to the Committee on Transportation and International Affairs be waived.

Senator English noted:

“Madam President, the reason we were asking is because this was a reso that the Filipino caucus had asked for and we simply ran out of time.”

The Chair then granted the waiver.

By unanimous consent, the following concurrent resolution was placed on the calendar for Adoption on Friday, April 25, 2008:

H.C.R. No. 16, entitled: “HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO RATIFY THE UNITED NATIONS CONVENTION ON THE ELIMINATION OF ALL FORMS OF DISCRIMINATION AGAINST WOMEN.”

At 7:01 p.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 7:01 p.m.

Senator Ige, Chair of the Committee on Education, requested that the referral of H.C.R. No. 71 to the Committee on Education be waived.

Senator Ige noted:

“Madam President, this is another resolution that I think we just ran out of time.”

The Chair then granted the waiver.

By unanimous consent, the following concurrent resolution was placed on the calendar for Adoption on Friday, April 25, 2008:

H.C.R. No. 71, H.D. 2, entitled: “HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF

EDUCATION TO STUDY SCHOOL BUS SEAT BELT POLICIES AND COMPILE DATA RELATING TO SCHOOL BUS SAFETY AND TO REPORT TO THE LEGISLATURE WITH RECOMMENDATIONS.”

Senator Taniguchi, requested a waiver of the notice requirement pursuant to the 2008 Committee on Conference Procedures for H.B. No. 516.

Senator Taniguchi noted:

“Madam President, you and the House Speaker have approved the conference co-chairs’ request to extend conference deliberations on this bill. We plan to convene the initial conference meeting tomorrow, I believe at 10 a.m., but will not be able to meet the 24 hour notice requirement.”

The Chair granted the waiver.

Senator Ige, requested a waiver of the notice requirement pursuant to the 2008 Committee on Conference Procedures for S.B. No. 1804.

Senator Ige noted:

“Madam President, the co-chairs plan to convene the initial conference meeting tomorrow at 11:00 a.m. in conference room 229 but will not be able to meet the 24 hour notice requirement.”

The Chair granted the waiver.

Senator Menor, requested a waiver of the notice requirement pursuant to the 2008 Committee on Conference Procedures for H.B. No. 3407.

Senator Menor noted:

“Madam President, the conference co-chairs’ request to extend conference deliberations on this bill have been approved by you Madam President and the House Speaker. And we’re going to convene the initial conference meeting tomorrow but will not be able to meet the 24 hour notice requirement.”

The Chair granted the waiver.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORTS

On motion by Senator Ige, seconded by Senator Hemmings and carried unanimously, the Senate authorized the Clerk to receive Conference Committee Reports on Senate and House bills for Final Reading. In consequence thereof, and subsequent to its recessing at 7:05 p.m., the Senate took the following actions:

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 2345, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 24-08) recommending that S.B. No. 2345, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 24-08 and S.B. No. 2345, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILDREN,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Hee, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 1891, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 25-08) recommending that S.B. No. 1891, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 25-08 and S.B. No. 1891, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL

FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 3061, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 26-08) recommending that S.B. No. 3061, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 26-08 and S.B. No. 3061, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE FIRST-TO-WORK PROGRAM,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Fukunaga, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 2456, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 27-08) recommending that S.B. No. 2456, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 27-08 and S.B. No. 2456, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HARASSMENT,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Sakamoto, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 2449, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 28-08) recommending that S.B. No. 2449, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 28-08 and S.B. No. 2449, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 3051, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 29-08) recommending that S.B. No. 3051, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 29-08 and S.B. No. 3051, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL HISTORY BACKGROUND CHECKS FOR SOCIAL SERVICES PROGRAMS,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Kokubun, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 2373, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 30-08) recommending that S.B. No. 2373, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 30-08 and S.B. No. 2373, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PSEUDOEPHEDRINE SALES,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Sakamoto, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 2080, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 31-08) recommending that S.B. No. 2080, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 31-08 and S.B. No. 2080, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL

FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHER LICENSURE,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 2785, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 32-08) recommending that S.B. No. 2785, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 32-08 and S.B. No. 2785, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISTRICT COURT JURISDICTION,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 3092, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 33-08) recommending that S.B. No. 3092, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 33-08 and S.B. No. 3092, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 2499, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 34-08) recommending that S.B. No. 2499, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 34-08 and S.B. No. 2499, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TARO,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Kokubun, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 2833, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 35-08) recommending that S.B. No. 2833, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 35-08 and S.B. No. 2833, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUSTAINABILITY,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Ige, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 1802, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 36-08) recommending that S.B. No. 1802, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 36-08 and S.B. No. 1802, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Ige, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 2396, S.D. 1, H.D. 3, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 37-08) recommending that S.B. No. 2396, S.D. 1, H.D. 3, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 37-08 and S.B. No. 2396, S.D. 1, H.D. 3, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 2212, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 38-08) recommending that S.B. No. 2212, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 38-08 and S.B. No. 2212, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIME," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 2867, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 39-08) recommending that S.B. No. 2867, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 39-08 and S.B. No. 2867, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC PROCUREMENT CODE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Menor, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 3001, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 40-08) recommending that S.B. No. 3001, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 40-08 and S.B. No. 3001, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY EFFICIENCY," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 2341, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 41-08) recommending that S.B. No. 2341, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 41-08 and S.B. No. 2341, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Ige, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 1487, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 42-08) recommending that S.B. No. 1487, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 42-08 and S.B. No. 1487, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Ige, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 2363, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 43-08) recommending that S.B. No. 2363, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 43-08 and S.B. No. 2363, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEXUAL ASSAULT," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by

the House in S.B. No. 2157, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 44-08) recommending that S.B. No. 2157, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 44-08 and S.B. No. 2157, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 3203, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 45-08) recommending that S.B. No. 3203, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 45-08 and S.B. No. 3203, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMAL HOARDING," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 2825, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 46-08) recommending that S.B. No. 2825, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 46-08 and S.B. No. 2825, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Hee, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 6, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 47-08) recommending that S.B. No. 6, H.D. 2, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 47-08 and S.B. No. 6, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OPIHI," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House in S.B. No. 2827, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 48-08) recommending that S.B. No. 2827, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 48-08 and S.B. No. 2827, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC CONTRACTS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Kokubun, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate in H.B. No. 2492, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 66-08) recommending that H.B. No. 2492, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 66-08 and H.B. No. 2492, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PLANNED COMMUNITY ASSOCIATIONS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Sakamoto, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate in H.B. No. 2245, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 67-08) recommending that H.B. No. 2245, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 67-08 and H.B. No. 2245, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate in H.B. No. 1365, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 68-08) recommending that H.B. No. 1365, S.D. 2, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 68-08 and H.B. No. 1365, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE OF HAWAII DEFERRED COMPENSATION PLANS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Inouye, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate in H.B. No. 660, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 69-08) recommending that H.B. No. 660, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 69-08 and H.B. No. 660, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JURISDICTION OF THE CIRCUIT COURTS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate in H.B. No. 2697, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 70-08) recommending that H.B. No. 2697, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 70-08 and H.B. No. 2697, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE INTERMEDIATE APPELLATE COURT," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Inouye, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate in H.B. No. 2730, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 71-08) recommending that H.B. No. 2730, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 71-08 and H.B. No. 2730, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEGAL REQUIREMENTS FOR NEIGHBORHOOD BOARD MEETINGS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate in H.B. No. 2253, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 72-08) recommending that H.B. No. 2253, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 72-08 and H.B. No. 2253, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, 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," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Menor, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by

the Senate in H.B. No. 2550, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 73-08) recommending that H.B. No. 2550, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 73-08 and H.B. No. 2550, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate in H.B. No. 2557, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 74-08) recommending that H.B. No. 2557, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 74-08 and H.B. No. 2557, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EVIDENCE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate in H.B. No. 1832, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 75-08) recommending that H.B. No. 1832, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 75-08 and H.B. No. 1832, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OUTDOOR ADVERTISING," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate in H.B. No. 2486, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 76-08) recommending that H.B. No. 2486, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 76-08 and H.B. No. 2486, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Kokubun, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate in H.B. No. 2920, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 77-08) recommending that H.B. No. 2920, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 77-08 and H.B. No. 2920, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FRAUD PREVENTION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate in H.B. No. 1153, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 78-08) recommending that H.B. No. 1153, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 78-08 and H.B. No. 1153, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRECURSORS TO THE MANUFACTURE OF CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate in H.B. No. 2204, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, presented a report

(Conf. Com. Rep. No. 79-08) recommending that H.B. No. 2204, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 79-08 and H.B. No. 2204, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LIABILITY OF A FIREARM OWNER," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate in H.B. No. 3002, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 80-08) recommending that H.B. No. 3002, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 80-08 and H.B. No. 3002, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROSTITUTION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate in H.B. No. 3383, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 81-08) recommending that H.B. No. 3383, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 81-08 and H.B. No. 3383, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII PENAL CODE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate in H.B. No. 3040, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 82-08) recommending that H.B. No. 3040, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in C.D. 1, pass Final Reading.

In accordance with Article III, Section 15, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 82-08 and H.B. No. 3040, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:00 midnight, the Senate adjourned until 6:30 p.m., Friday, April 25, 2008.