

EIGHTH DAY

Tuesday, January 31, 2012

The Senate of the Twenty-Sixth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2012, convened at 11:31 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present.

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

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 204 to 205 and 605 to 606) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Gov. Msg. No. 204, dated January 18, 2012, transmitting the Final Report Relating to Global Warming, prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development and Tourism pursuant to Act 20, SLH 2009, First Special Session, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 205, dated January 30, 2012, transmitting the 2011 Annual Report of the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations pursuant to Act 100, SLH 1999, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 605, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Psychology, the nomination of MARGO PETER, term to expire June 30, 2016, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 606, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Psychology, the nomination of CAROL NOWAK, term to expire June 30, 2016, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the House (Hse. Com. Nos. 3 and 4) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Hse. Com. No. 3, transmitting H.B. No. 2002, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on January 30, 2012, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 2002, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO PROVIDE FOR THE EXPENSES OF THE LEGISLATURE, THE AUDITOR, THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU, THE OMBUDSMAN, AND THE ETHICS COMMISSION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 4, informing the Senate that the following bills passed Final Reading in the House of Representatives on January 30, 2012:

S.B. No. 239, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1; and
S.B. No. 809, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1,

was placed on file.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Government Operations, and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2003) recommending that S.B. No. 2359, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B.

No. 2359, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMALL BUSINESSES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2004) recommending that S.B. No. 2545, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2545, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Government Operations, and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2005) recommending that S.B. No. 2247, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2247, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

ORDER OF THE DAY

FINAL READING

MATTER DEFERRED FROM MONDAY, JANUARY 30, 2012

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 1-12 (H.B. No. 608, H.D. 3, S.D. 1, C.D. 1):

By unanimous consent, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 1-12 and H.B. No. 608, H.D. 3, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," was deferred until Wednesday, February 1, 2012.

At this time, the Chair made the following announcement:

"Referrals and re-referrals are made in accordance with the Supplemental Order of the Day that may be distributed to your offices later this afternoon."

RE-REFERRAL OF SENATE BILLS

The Chair re-referred the following Senate bills that were introduced:

S.B. No.:	Re-referred to:
S.B. No. 2038	Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Water, Land, and Housing
S.B. No. 2478	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 2516	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology and the Committee on Water, Land, and Housing, then jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Ways and Means

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- S.B. No. 2647 Committee on Public Safety, Government Operations, and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
- S.B. No. 2783 Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Water, Land, and Housing, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means
- S.B. No. 2840 Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- S.B. No. 2891 Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Water, Land, and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- S.B. No. 2927 Committee on Water, Land, and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- S.B. No. 3008 Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- S.B. No. 3016 Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Water, Land, and Housing and the Committee on Public Safety, Government Operations, and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- S.B. No. 3064 Committee on Water, Land, and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- S.B. No. 3066 Committee on Water, Land, and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:34 a.m., on motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Wednesday, February 1, 2012.