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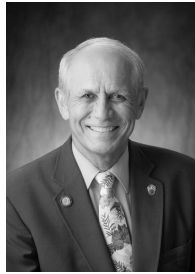
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THE
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FIRST DAY

Wednesday, January 21, 2015

In accordance with the provisions of Section 10 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Hawai'i, the Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, was called to order at 10:04 a.m., by the Honorable Gilbert Kahele, Temporary Chair of the Senate.

At this time, the members of the Senate and guests rose for the Hawaiian blessing, delivered by Mr. Danny Kaleikini, followed by the singing of the National Anthem and "Hawai'i Pono'i".

Nominations now being in order for a temporary clerk, Senator English nominated Carol Taniguchi, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro.

Senator Riviere moved that the nominations be closed, seconded by Senator Baker and carried.

The Chair declared Carol Taniguchi as Temporary Clerk of the Senate.

Senator Tokuda then moved that a committee of three senators be appointed by the Chair as a Committee on Credentials to examine the certificates of election of the newly elected members of the Senate and to submit a report of its findings to the Senate, seconded by Senator Inouye and carried.

The Chair thereupon appointed Senators Ihara, Kouchi, and Slom to serve on such committee.

The Chair then proceeded to introduce the following distinguished guests to the members of the Senate:

The Honorable David Y. Ige, Governor of the State of Hawai'i, and Mrs. Dawn Amano-Ige;

The Honorable Shan S. Tsutsui, Lieutenant Governor of the State of Hawai'i;

The Honorable Mark E. Recktenwald, Chief Justice, Supreme Court, State of Hawai'i;

The Honorable Neil Abercrombie, former Governor of the State of Hawai'i;

The Honorable George R. Ariyoshi, former Governor of the State of Hawai'i, and Mrs. Jean Ariyoshi;

The Honorable Benjamin Cayetano, former Governor of the State of Hawai'i, and Mrs. Vicky Cayetano;

The Honorable John D. Waihe'e III, former Governor of the State of Hawai'i, and Mrs. Lynne Waihe'e;

The Honorable Billy Kenoi, Mayor of the County of Hawai'i;

The Honorable Alan Arakawa, Mayor of the County of Maui;

Major General Michael Compton, Pacific Air Forces;

Captain Charles Acock, United States Coast Guard;

Mr. Damien Donovan, Consul Strategic Policy, Consulate General of Australia;

The Honorable Gina Jamoralin, Consul General of the Philippines;

The Honorable Walter Paik, Consul General of the Republic of Korea;

The Honorable Toyoei Shigeeda, Consul General of Japan;

Mr. V.C. Chu, Director General, Taipei Economic & Cultural Office;

Mr. Kunio Kaji, Chairman of the Fukuoka Prefectural Assembly, and Mrs. Kaji;

Mr. Iwami Haratake, Assemblyman, Fukuoka Prefectural Assembly;

Mr. Kunihiro Yoshitake, Assemblyman, Fukuoka Prefectural Assembly; and

Mr. Ko Isayama, Liaison for the Fukuoka Prefecture.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE REPORT

Senator Ihara, for the Committee on Credentials, presented a report (Spec. Com. Rep. No. 1) as follows:

"Honorable Gilbert Kahele
 Temporary Chair of the Senate
 Twenty-eighth State Legislature
 Regular Session of 2015
 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Credentials begs leave to report that it has examined the Certificates of Election of the Senate of the Twenty-eighth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2015, and finds that the following persons have been legally elected and are fully qualified to sit as members of the Senate.

The newly elected Senator whose term of office will expire on November 8, 2016, is:

Fifth Senatorial District

Gilbert S.C. Keith-Agaran

The newly elected Senators whose respective terms of office will expire on November 6, 2018, are:

First Senatorial District

Gilbert Kahele

Third Senatorial District

Josh Green

Fourth Senatorial District

Lorraine R. Inouye

Sixth Senatorial District

Rosalyn H. Baker

Seventh Senatorial District

J. Kalani English

Twelfth Senatorial District

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Clarence K. Nishihara

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Michelle N. Kidani

Twenty-First Senatorial District

Maile S.L. Shimabukuro

Twenty-Third Senatorial District

Gil Riviere

Twenty-Fourth Senatorial District

Jill N. Tokuda

Respectfully submitted,

/s/Les Ihara, Jr.

/s/Ronald D. Kouchi

/s/Sam Slom"

On motion by Senator Ihara, seconded by Senator Harimoto and carried, Spec. Com. Rep. No. 1 was adopted.

The Committee on Credentials was thereupon discharged with thanks.

The Chair then called upon Chief Justice Mark E. Recktenwald of the Supreme Court, State of Hawai'i, to the rostrum to administer the oath of office to the newly elected members of the Senate.

Chief Justice Recktenwald administered the oath of office to the newly elected members of the Senate who were standing at their respective desks.

The Roll was then called by the Temporary Clerk showing all Senators present.

Nominations for officers of the Senate being next in order, Senator Green placed in nomination the name of Senator Donna Mercado Kim for President of the Senate, seconded by Senator Tokuda.

Senator Thielen moved that the nominations be closed, seconded by Senator Gabbard.

The motion to close the nominations was then put by the Chair and carried unanimously, and the Temporary Clerk was directed to cast a unanimous ballot for Senator Donna Mercado Kim as President of the Senate.

The ballot having been so cast, Senator Donna Mercado Kim was declared elected President of the Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015.

The Chair then appointed Senators Espero and Keith-Agaran to escort the President to the rostrum, and the President addressed the members of the Senate and guests as follows:

"Aloha and welcome to the opening of the 28th Legislature! Thank you all for joining us.

"Wow. Only in Hawai'i can you experience a legislative opening with so many flowers of aloha. On behalf of my colleagues, I would like to thank our families, our friends, and our well-wishers for these beautiful expressions.

"These flowers bring to mind this song, made popular by the folk trio Peter, Paul and Mary."

At this time, a video presentation of "Where Have All the Flowers Gone?" was shown to the members of the Senate and guests.

The President continued:

"While this recording dates back more than 50 years, the power of its message has not diminished with time. These lyrics got me thinking ...

"And asking: Where have all our beaches gone? Where has all the Hawaiian entertainment in Waikiki gone? Where are the koa and 'ohi'a lehua trees? The fish and 'opihi? And when will we ever learn that once it's lost, we may not be able to get it back?

"From 1935 through 1975, the world tuned in to their radios to hear the voice of Webley Edwards. Each week, on his *Hawaii Calls* broadcast, he invited the world to experience our Hawaiian Islands, our culture, our music. The show at its peak was heard on over 750 stations around the globe.

"Fortunately, most of the *Hawaii Calls* programs are not lost. In fact, we will soon be realizing our goal of capturing and preserving our cultural past. Two years ago, Senator Brickwood Galuteria and I proposed establishing a Center for Hawaiian Music and Dance. The Legislature appropriated funds to the Hawai'i Tourism Authority and the groundwork has been laid.

"Tourism Chair Gilbert Kahele and I are happy to report that we are on track to construct this facility atop the Hawai'i Convention Center. It will house, preserve, and maintain our Hawaiian music of yesterday and today, and capture the stories of our talented musicians and kumu hula before their work is lost. We are doing this for the future generations so that they, too, will have a lasting appreciation and understanding of our enriching heritage.

"With the help of the Hawai'i Tourism Board Chair Aaron Salā, our program later this morning will highlight a part of this past.

"When *Hawaii Calls* opened each week with the sounds of the gentle surf on the beach at Waikiki, no one ever thought we'd be asking, 'Where have all the sand on our beaches and our native Hawaiian forests gone, and what are we doing about it?'

"Sadly, we are witnessing a significant depletion of sand on our famous beaches. Two years ago, the Department of Land and Natural Resources added 24,000 cubic yards of sand to Waikiki Beach at a cost of \$2 million. But a UH study found that one-fourth of the sand was gone a year later.

"Can you imagine how economically and environmentally devastating it will be if we cannot find an effective solution to address this problem? Which is why Energy and Environment Chair Mike Gabbard and I are proposing dedicated funding using existing TAT revenues for the maintenance and restoration of beaches across the state. This bill would make available a steady source of funds to implement

recommendations from a joint DLNR/county study and stay vigilant in preserving our marine environment.

“But just as devastating is invasive species – one of the greatest threats to our agriculture, our environment, and our health and lifestyle. We simply cannot afford to let up on our efforts to aggressively find and eradicate these pests.

“In this vein, I am excited that in September of 2016, the World Conservation Congress will convene for the first time in 60 years in the United States, and they have chosen Hawai‘i as the host for the 17th Congress. Held every four years, this is the world’s largest and most important conservation event. It aims to improve how we manage our natural environment.

“This event will give us an opportunity to showcase to the 160 member countries and 8,000 delegates from around the world Hawai‘i’s diversity in nature, culture, conservation, and sustainability. A huge mahalo has to go out to Chipper Wichman of the Federal National Botanical Gardens on Kaua‘i for working tirelessly on this bid for the past 10 years, as well as the Department of Land and Natural Resources, which is the lead state agency.

“I pose another ‘where have they gone’ question, and that is ‘Where have all the voters gone?’ In the last election, Hawai‘i experienced a record low voter turnout.

“While this body certainly supported initiatives to encourage greater participation, we must do better to remove all the barriers and excuses. All-mail elections should accomplish that. Both Oregon and Washington have implemented vote-by-mail elections, resulting in high voter participation rates of 70 to 80 percent. I look to our new Judiciary Chair Gil Keith-Agaran to move us toward all-mail ballots to be phased in over the 2016 and 2018 elections.

“But, colleagues, all-mail elections are just the means; people must want to exercise their fundamental right to vote. So we as legislators must do our part by restoring the public’s trust in government by giving them reasons to register and vote.

“As Senate President, I pledge to continue to bring transparency and accountability to the legislative process. Government officials should be held accountable for broken promises, for miscalculations and bloated assumptions. Therefore, I propose we establish an Office of the Inspector General that would investigate complaints alleging fraud, waste, abuse, or corruption, and I have asked Government Operations Chair Donovan Dela Cruz to help shepherd this legislation.

“I also propose that we expand mandatory ethics training to all lobbyists; members of all board and commissions; and employees responsible for procurement, for administering state contracts, or regulating private organizations.

“From a financial standpoint, we have good reason to be hopeful. The backbone of our economy has been our visitor industry and our very hard-working small businesses. And despite a recent report from the Council on Revenues and other forecasts indicating that our economy may be slowing, our year-to-date tax collections are up. Tourism is experiencing consecutive months of double-digit growth in arrivals and spending, prompting the Council on Revenues to increase its forecast by 1 percent, which translates to \$55 million a year.

“But, colleagues, the state and the counties continue to face many fiscal challenges. As a former city councilmember – and I make note that there are five of us here in the Senate – we must work collaboratively with all the counties in addressing homelessness, providing affordable housing, and streamlining the land use process.

“With Economic Development and Technology Chair Glenn Wakai, we believe it’s time to consider giving the counties

more local control over land use classifications by eliminating the Land Use Commission and overlapping operations to make the permitting process more efficient.

“But with more control comes greater accountability, and in that regard, the counties are urged to step up the enforcement of transient vacation rental ordinances. The state and counties are losing millions of dollars in TAT and GET revenues, money which we cannot afford to ignore.

“So I am looking to Ways and Means Chair Jill Tokuda to begin the discussion of whether the counties should be granted the option of enacting a half-percent tax, provided that it is earmarked specifically for housing, transportation, road improvements, and transient vacation rentals enforcement.

“Hearings on this measure will allow the Transportation Committee, chaired by Clarence Nishihara, to scrutinize the rail financial plan and obtain a full accounting for the half-percent tax surcharge the city has received thus far.

“Certainly, the issues facing us are daunting, so senators led by Majority Leader Kalani English have spent the last few months formulating the Senate’s Majority Legislative Program. Our focus is on energy and food resiliency, government effectiveness, and community well-being and smart growth.

“This brings me to the Hawaii Health Systems Corporation. HHSC is facing a \$50 million shortfall for the next fiscal year and about a billion dollars or more in capital improvements in the next decade. While we are on the verge of a public-private partnership for Maui, I call upon Health Chair Josh Green and Commerce and Consumer Protection Chair Roz Baker to finally resolve the HHSC issue.

“Human Services Chair Suzanne Chun Oakland has the challenging task of addressing our homeless population and the shortage of affordable housing, along with helping our family caregivers as they care for our kūpuna. It will take all of us pulling together – the Hawaii Public Housing Authority, the counties, and the private sector – to come up with viable solutions.

“Senators, throughout all our history, education has been the pathway to socioeconomic success for generations of island people. With the adoption of Acts 51 and 130, our students have since experienced unprecedented growth in our national assessment test scores in math and reading.

“Did you know that more students are graduating from high school, more are enrolling in college, and fewer need remedial support? U.S. Secretary of Education Arne Duncan recently visited Hawai‘i, something that has not happened in over 20 years. He spoke about Hawai‘i’s performance, saying, ‘The progress has been extraordinary. Hawai‘i, by any objective measure, is one of the fastest improving states in the nation, top five states.’

“But there is more work to be done. With Education Chair Michelle Kidani, we have every reason to expect more improvements in our public education system, especially given our new governor’s commitment and insight.

“In the same light, higher education is vital in helping diversify our economy with jobs that pay a living wage for our workers. Public education is driven by the University of Hawai‘i System. The three baccalaureate campuses and seven community colleges ensure that our people have the education they need to be ready to compete and be successful in this workforce.

“Note, too, that education has grown into an industry in itself. For instance, UH has brought in \$400 million in research dollars in FY 2014 and is currently 12 to 15 percent ahead of the pace for this year.

"Not enough is said about the vital role of our community colleges in providing an affordable and flexible education. Their graduation rates have doubled and students who go on to receive degrees in STEM have increased 15-fold. Students are better prepared to move on to higher degrees or succeed in the workforce.

"Many are finding success in Hawai'i's fashion industry, which is generating more than \$750 million in annual sales, \$20 million in tax revenues, and 3,600 jobs, with huge potential growth.

"Kini Zamora of Kapolei and Wai'anae's Ari South are shining examples of the university's role in career development. Kini was one of the top three finalists in season 13 of the popular – and my favorite – *Project Runway* TV series, and Ari also finished in the top three in season 8.

"Even after attending the prestigious Fashion Institute of Technology in New York, Kini said that they were teaching the same things he learned at HCC. I'm sorry that Kini and Ari could not be with us today, although they wanted to be.

"But with Kini and Ari joining the ranks of our 'Made In Hawai'i' businesses like Tori Richards, 'Iolani Sportswear, Mamo Howell, and others, Hawai'i can surely compete as a fashion powerhouse and attract international students to our fashion program.

"The culinary arts program at the various community college campuses is another example of education as an industry. The advanced training being developed by the Culinary Institute of the Pacific will train students to excel in the culinary arts and restaurant management, as well as attract students from Asia, Europe, Canada, and the mainland who want to come here to learn about our regional cuisine.

"It is a shame, though, that this project has lagged. So Higher Education Chair Brian Taniguchi and I will work to ensure that construction begins soon on the first phase of this long-awaited facility at KCC on the slopes of Diamond Head. With renowned local chefs like Roy Yamaguchi – Roy, please stand – and Alan Wong, Russell Siu, Sam Choy, and others, this has got to be a priority.

"Ladies and gentlemen, the Senate is a body of highly capable and dedicated individuals, and I am humbled to serve as President. I thank you, members, for this privilege.

"While we represent different constituencies, we share a commitment and responsibility to do the people's business, always mindful that the voters have entrusted us with their future.

"The Senate stands ready and committed to collaborate with Speaker Souki and the members of the House of Representatives, with our lone Republican Sam Slom, with our mayors and county officials.

"We are eager to work with our former Senate colleagues, the new governor, David Ige, Lieutenant Governor Shan Tsutsui, and an Ige administration that is committed to putting people back to work. There is no one who better understands the state's challenges of balancing the needs of our citizens with our limited state resources than the former chair of the Senate Ways and Means Committee, Governor Ige. Governor, I'm confident that together, we will listen and work in the best interests of the people we represent.

"While I began today concerned about what Hawai'i has lost over time, I am nevertheless very optimistic about our future, a future that includes the aerospace industry and space tourism, championed by Senator Will Espero, which is projected to be a million-dollar industry in Hawai'i one day.

"Hawai'i has an incredible history of achievement. We are the beneficiaries of the hard work, sacrifices, and spirit of hope of our parents and those who came before us. There is absolutely no reason why, together, we cannot continue to build on the legacy we've inherited.

"Hawai'i's own Marcus Mariota said it best at a news conference after he accepted the prestigious Heisman Trophy. Marcus told reporters, 'In Hawai'i, when one person is successful, the whole state is successful.' Mahalo, Marcus, for the success you have brought to our great state. We join you in thanking all the people who nurtured, mentored, and sacrificed to help you be successful, and in the process, lift us all. Marcus joins other keiki o ka 'āina like President Obama, Grammy Award-winner Bruno Mars, Maui's Shane Victorino, and a host of island people who are just as accomplished and successful in their own fields and in their own lives.

"I'd like to close by acknowledging the sacrifices of my mother, and in particular, my son Micah, who has been my inspiration. Yes, our children are the reasons for us to put aside partisan politics and individual differences.

"Let us dedicate ourselves to preserving what we treasure and what makes Hawai'i special. There is much we can do because all is not lost **yet**.

"Colleagues, we have been given much, and as it is often quoted: 'To whom much is given, much is expected.' The expectation is for us to work together to make Hawai'i a place we can be proud to leave our children. Mahalo nui loa."

At this time, the Chair called on Senate Minority Leader Sam Slom.

Senator Slom rose to present the following remarks:

"Senate President Kim, Governor Ige, our military, distinguished guests, and our overburdened Hawai'i taxpayers, on behalf of the entire Senate Minority: Aloha!

"You know, Madam President, following up on your theme, where have all the Republicans gone? First, let me reassure you, those of you who have been worried over the past several weeks, that I remain a Republican – I'm not switching parties – and I pledge to continue to represent the loyal, but responsible, opposition to harmful legislation while advocating reasonable alternative legislation to solve problems and ease the economic burdens on our citizens.

"It has become increasingly difficult to stand up and speak out against the status quo and to call for change in Hawai'i. Yet it must be done. There are some who would silence any dissent in our state. Sometimes there are severe political, social, economic, and media consequences for speaking out. Ask former UH Chancellor Tom Apple. Or me.

"With a new year, though, we remain hopeful with a new administration that we may actually get some positive change.

"We now have a governor who was once one of us in the Senate, whom I respect, with an engineering and not a community organizing background. As the governor has said, government can't do it alone; people must get involved and do some of the 'heavy lifting' to solve the problems that have remained with us for many years.

"Our job, as the Senate President indicated, is to restore and encourage the public's confidence in our process and to be more transparent and accountable ourselves while empowering our citizens. We have to do more than just talk and make speeches; we need appropriate action. The good news is, we can do this.

"The public feels disconnected because we haven't done a good enough job to date. There haven't been consequences for bad government behavior. We have been lax in the oversight of

billions of taxpayer dollars. I like the President's proposal for the inspector general to look at these things.

"Your Senate Minority offers a thoughtful, effective five-point Action Agenda for 2015:

- 1) Economic diversification and budget reduction.
- 2) Meaningful, outcome-based education.
- 3) Health connector, Obamacare, and HHSC alternatives.
- 4) Changes to the Public Utilities Commission and analysis of the proposed HECO merger.
- 5) Reduction in the terrible cost of living for our beleaguered residents, middle class and poor.

"Your Senate Minority continues to caution that Hawai'i's economy, overall, has not turned any corner and that many more of our citizens and small businesses are still struggling needlessly.

"Every national organization rates Hawai'i worst in economic opportunity. We are now concerned that more than 20,000 of our active duty Army and 30,000 dependents may leave Hawai'i, causing more than \$1 billion in economic loss. Our military is far more than dollars alone; they contribute to all of our society. This decision will be made outside of our state. But in Hawai'i, we can improve our business climate and diversify by listening to those who have the proven ability to create jobs.

"Our \$25 billion operating budget is bloated and must be trimmed as we propose. So, too, our \$20 billion unfunded liability. This, too, can be done. **We must promise no new taxes!** We can't throw good money after bad for the black hole that is the flawed O'ahu transit fixed rail system. It is all about development and not about transportation or relieving congestion. It is \$900 million over budget currently. No extension of the General Excise Tax should be permitted by this legislature. Not one more penny to those who purposefully have misled the taxpayers of this state. Otherwise, elected officials are like enablers who assist drug addicts to become more destructive.

"Stop this project now and provide real transportation alternatives like 'HOT lanes,' already advanced."

At 10:52 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 10:53 a.m.

Senator Slom continued his remarks as follows:

"Thank you, Madam President. Thank you, colleagues.

"Our educational system in Hawai'i has shortchanged the students and parents who pay for that education. We need a comprehensive financial and managerial audit of the DOE and my alma mater, the University of Hawai'i. UH has said it's proud 'to have 52 percent of the students able to graduate in six years.' That's not good enough. We can do better.

"The Legislature must say **no** to continued shortfalls in DOE programs, the annual UH athletics deficits, and the spendthrift UH Cancer Center, and **yes** to more classroom teachers. Tuition must reflect actual costs, not larger salaries for coaches and VIPs.

"The PUC has been without effective leadership for the past several years. Too many dockets still remain open. We have worked with the new chair, Randy Iwase, in the past, and we will support a changing mission for the PUC and an objective analysis of the planned \$4 billion HECO merger. My staff member Kathryn Higa has experienced mergers and

acquisitions before, and she has already been on this task since December.

"The Hawai'i Health Connector has sped through millions of taxpayer dollars without noticeable results or honesty in presentations. The data it provides to the Legislature does not match up with federal data. It should receive no more taxpayer funds.

"The Medicaid computer failure may cost taxpayers up to \$100 million more. The Legislature has to monitor outside contracts when agencies don't, as the Senate President has done.

"We should continue to practice compassion, but not ignorance, in helping people truly in need while separating those who prey on others and game the system.

"We have to increase our residents' standard of living by reducing their burdensome costs. We can do this by food and medical GET tax relief and by advancing federal affordable cargo shipping reform of the Jones Act. The Senate Minority has been cooperating with like-minded lawmakers in Alaska, Guam, and Puerto Rico.

"We have many other positive legislative changes. Come see us and make sure that our bills are heard.

"On behalf of the Senate Minority, I pledge our continued efforts to support good legislation regardless of who introduces it, to examine and report honestly on the impact of all bills, and to work toward ending legislative exemptions for ourselves for laws we pass on to others.

"We celebrate our God-given liberty and our ability to change. Our goal should be not a 'New Day,' but a 'Better Day.' This is not a partisan issue. Together, we must navigate a different course with a vision of how much greater Hawai'i can be.

"Finally, this is the Year of the Sheep. My hope and advice is that the taxpayers and voters of Hawai'i will stop acting like sheep and be more independent and hold all of us to a higher standard.

"So on behalf of the Senate Minority, God bless our Armed Forces men and women and the United States of America. Aloha."

At 10:57 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

At this time, the members of the Senate and their guests were entertained by a video presentation by Aaron J. Salā. Mr. Danny Kaleikini also introduced musical performances by Keauhou and Robert Cazimero, and hula performances by Hālau Ka Liko Pua O Kalaniākea.

The Senate reconvened at 11:14 a.m.

The President then announced that nominations were in order for the office of Vice President of the Senate.

Senator Ruderman placed in nomination the name of Senator Will Espero for Vice President of the Senate, seconded by Senator Chun Oakland.

Senator Taniguchi moved that the nominations be closed, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran.

The motion was then put by the Chair and carried unanimously, and the Temporary Clerk was directed to cast a unanimous ballot for Senator Will Espero as Vice President of the Senate.

The ballot having been so cast, Senator Will Espero was declared elected Vice President of the Senate of the Twenty-

Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015.

SENATE RESOLUTION

The following resolution (S.R. No. 1) was read by the Temporary Clerk and was disposed of as follows:

S.R. No. 1 "SENATE RESOLUTION ELECTING OFFICERS OF THE TWENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE."

Offered by: Senators English, Slom.

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator Dela Cruz and carried, S.R. No. 1 was adopted.

The President thereupon administered the oath of office to the newly elected officers of the Senate: Clerk Carol T. Taniguchi, Assistant Clerk Jennifer T. Chow, Sergeant-at-Arms Bienvenido C. Villaflor, and Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms Daniel U.I. Holt.

The President then stated:

"Last year, in conjunction with our 55 years of Statehood anniversary, a very special lapel pin was designed and presented to current and past senators. This pin is a symbol of your service in the Senate and to the people of the State of Hawai'i. Under Senate Rule 91, the Senate pin shall only be worn by current or past members."

The President then directed Senators Chun Oakland, Galuteria, and Thielen to present the Senate lapel pins to Senators Harimoto, Inouye, and Riviere.

At 11:18 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

At this time, the members of the Senate and their guests were entertained by a video presentation by Aaron J. Salā. Mr. Danny Kaleikini also introduced musical performances by Keauhou, Marlene Sai, and Nā Leo, and hula performances by Debbie Nakanelua-Richards and Hālau Ka Liko Pua O Kalaniākea.

The Senate reconvened at 11:42 a.m.

SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions (S.R. Nos. 2 and 3) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

S.R. No. 2 "SENATE RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE RULES OF THE SENATE OF THE TWENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE."

Offered by: Senators English, Slom.

On motion by Senator Nishihara, seconded by Senator Kidani and carried, S.R. No. 2 was adopted.

S.R. No. 3 "SENATE RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE SENATE ADMINISTRATIVE AND FINANCIAL MANUAL OF THE SENATE OF THE TWENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE."

Offered by: Senators English, Slom.

On motion by Senator Galuteria, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, S.R. No. 3 was adopted.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

The following concurrent resolution (S.C.R. No. 1) was read by the Clerk and was disposed of as follows:

S.C.R. No. 1 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CHIEF JUSTICE OF THE HAWAII SUPREME COURT TO ADDRESS THE

LEGISLATURE ASSEMBLED IN JOINT SESSION FOR THE STATE OF THE JUDICIARY ADDRESS."

Offered by: Senators English, Slom.

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Inouye and carried, S.C.R. No. 1 was adopted.

At this time, the following Senate leadership assignments were announced by Senate President Kim:

Majority Leader:

Senator J. Kalani English

Majority Floor Leader:

Senator Josh Green

Majority Policy Leader:

Senator Les Ihara, Jr.

Majority Caucus Leader:

Senator Gilbert Kahele

Majority Whip:

Senator Brian T. Taniguchi

Minority Leader and Minority Floor Leader:

Senator Sam Slom

The President also announced the following standing committees of the Senate, their respective chairs, and members:

AGRICULTURE

Senator Russell E. Ruderman, Chair

Senator Gil Riviere, Vice Chair

Senator Suzanne Chun Oakland

Senator Brian T. Taniguchi

Senator Laura H. Thielen

Senator Glenn Wakai

Senator Sam Slom

COMMERCE AND CONSUMER PROTECTION

Senator Rosalyn H. Baker, Chair

Senator Brian T. Taniguchi, Vice Chair

Senator Gilbert Kahele

Senator Michelle N. Kidani

Senator Clarence K. Nishihara

Senator Glenn Wakai

Senator Sam Slom

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND TECHNOLOGY

Senator Glenn Wakai, Chair

Senator Sam Slom, Vice Chair

Senator Rosalyn H. Baker

Senator Suzanne Chun Oakland

Senator Donovan M. Dela Cruz

Senator Will Espero

Senator Breene Harimoto

EDUCATION

Senator Michelle N. Kidani, Chair

Senator Breene Harimoto, Vice Chair

Senator Suzanne Chun Oakland

Senator Donovan M. Dela Cruz

Senator Gilbert S.C. Keith-Agaran

Senator Ronald D. Kouchi

Senator Clarence K. Nishihara

Senator Laura H. Thielen

Senator Sam Slom

ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT

Senator Mike Gabbard, Chair

Senator Josh Green, Vice Chair

Senator Brickwood Galuteria
 Senator Les Ihara, Jr.
 Senator Sam Slom

GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS

Senator Donovan M. Dela Cruz, Chair
 Senator Clarence K. Nishihara, Vice Chair
 Senator Les Ihara, Jr.
 Senator Jill N. Tokuda
 Senator Sam Slom

HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS

Senator Maile S.L. Shimabukuro, Chair
 Senator Brickwood Galuteria, Vice Chair
 Senator Lorraine R. Inouye
 Senator Gilbert Kahele
 Senator Sam Slom

HEALTH

Senator Josh Green, Chair
 Senator Glenn Wakai, Vice Chair
 Senator Rosalyn H. Baker
 Senator Mike Gabbard
 Senator Gil Riviere
 Senator Russell E. Ruderman
 Senator Sam Slom

HIGHER EDUCATION AND THE ARTS

Senator Brian T. Taniguchi, Chair
 Senator Lorraine R. Inouye, Vice Chair
 Senator Mike Gabbard
 Senator Gilbert Kahele
 Senator Michelle N. Kidani
 Senator Glenn Wakai
 Senator Sam Slom

HUMAN SERVICES AND HOUSING

Senator Suzanne Chun Oakland, Chair
 Senator Josh Green, Vice Chair
 Senator Breene Harimoto
 Senator Gil Riviere
 Senator Sam Slom

JUDICIARY AND LABOR

Senator Gilbert S.C. Keith-Agaran
 Senator Maile S.L. Shimabukuro, Vice Chair
 Senator Will Espero
 Senator Mike Gabbard
 Senator Les Ihara, Jr.
 Senator Laura H. Thielen
 Senator Sam Slom

PUBLIC SAFETY, INTERGOVERNMENTAL AND MILITARY AFFAIRS

Senator Will Espero, Chair
 Senator Rosalyn H. Baker, Vice Chair
 Senator Brickwood Galuteria
 Senator Gilbert S.C. Keith-Agaran
 Senator Sam Slom

TOURISM AND INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

Senator Gilbert Kahele, Chair
 Senator J. Kalani English, Vice Chair
 Senator Brian T. Taniguchi
 Senator Jill N. Tokuda
 Senator Sam Slom

TRANSPORTATION

Senator Clarence K. Nishihara, Chair
 Senator Breene Harimoto, Vice Chair
 Senator Donovan M. Dela Cruz
 Senator J. Kalani English
 Senator Will Espero
 Senator Lorraine R. Inouye
 Senator Michelle N. Kidani
 Senator Ronald D. Kouchi
 Senator Sam Slom

WATER AND LAND

Senator Laura H. Thielen, Chair
 Senator Brickwood Galuteria, Vice Chair
 Senator Les Ihara, Jr.
 Senator Gil Riviere
 Senator Russell E. Ruderman
 Senator Maile S.L. Shimabukuro
 Senator Sam Slom

WAYS AND MEANS

Senator Jill N. Tokuda, Chair
 Senator Ronald D. Kouchi, Vice Chair
 Senator Suzanne Chun Oakland
 Senator Donovan M. Dela Cruz
 Senator J. Kalani English
 Senator Brickwood Galuteria
 Senator Breene Harimoto
 Senator Lorraine R. Inouye
 Senator Gil Riviere
 Senator Russell E. Ruderman
 Senator Sam Slom

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:46 a.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Thursday, January 22, 2015.

SECOND DAY

Thursday, January 22, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:34 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present.

The President announced that she had read and approved the Journal of the First Day.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 1 to 88) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 1, dated August 31, 2014, transmitting the Pacific International Space Center for Exploration Systems (PISCES) Fiscal Year 2014 Annual Report, prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism pursuant to Section 201-80, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 2, dated September 18, 2014, transmitting the Report on Hawaii Tax Credit for Research Activities for Tax Year 2013, prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism pursuant to Section 235-110.91, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 3, dated September 19, 2014, transmitting the 2013 Annual Report of the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands pursuant to Sections 222 and 228, Hawaiian Homes Commission Act, 1920, as amended.

Gov. Msg. No. 4, dated October 28, 2014, transmitting the 2014 Annual Report of the Hawaii Strategic Development Corporation pursuant to Section 211F-15, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 5, dated October 28, 2014, transmitting the Parental Preferences in Government Contracts, Programs, and Services Report, prepared by the Department of Human Resources Development pursuant to Act 162, SLH 2002.

Gov. Msg. No. 6, dated October 28, 2014, transmitting the Hawai'i Teacher Standards Board Annual Report 2015 pursuant to Section 302A-803, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 7, dated October 28, 2014, transmitting the Dual QUEST and Private Coverage Recipients Report, prepared by the Department of Human Services pursuant to H.C.R. No.199, H.D. 1 (2010).

Gov. Msg. No. 8, dated October 28, 2014, transmitting the Home Property Lien Report, prepared by the Department of Human Services pursuant to Section 346-29.5, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 9, letter dated October 28, 2014, reporting that no retirants were hired to fill a labor shortage or difficult-to-fill position in Fiscal Year 2014, prepared by the Department of Human Resources Development pursuant to Section 88-9(f), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 10, dated October 31, 2014, transmitting the Study of Potential EUTF/ERS Investment Consolidation, prepared by the Department of Budget and Finance pursuant to Act 268, SLH 2013.

Gov. Msg. No. 11, dated November 3, 2014, transmitting the Report on Implementation of Chapter 190D, Hawaii Revised Statutes, Ocean and Submerged Lands Leasing, prepared by the Department of Agriculture and Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Act 176, SLH 1999.

Gov. Msg. No. 12, dated November 3, 2014, transmitting the report Relating to Public Land Liability pursuant to Act 86,

SLH 2014, and the Recommendations of the Task Force on Beach and Water Safety pursuant to Act 190, SLH 1996, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources.

Gov. Msg. No. 13, dated November 3, 2014, transmitting the Findings and Recommendations of the West Maui Ocean Recreation Management Area Advisory Committee Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Act 194, SLH 2012.

Gov. Msg. No. 14, dated November 6, 2014, transmitting the Hawaii State Public Library System's Annual Report for Fiscal Year 2014, pursuant to Sections 312-3.6 and 312-22, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 15, dated November 6, 2014, transmitting the Makaha Valley Flood Study for State Fiscal Year 2014, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Act 283, SLH 2012.

Gov. Msg. No. 16, dated November 6, 2014, transmitting a report on the Status of the Issuance of Incidental Take Licenses for Endangered, Threatened, Proposed, and Candidate Species; and the Condition of the Endangered Species Trust Fund Fiscal Year 2014, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 195D-26, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 17, dated November 6, 2014, transmitting the Relating to the Wildlife Revolving Fund Fiscal Year 2014 Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 183D-10.5, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 18, dated November 6, 2014, transmitting the Budgetary and Other Issues Regarding Invasive Species Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 194-2, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 19, dated November 18, 2014, transmitting the Relating to the Forest Stewardship Program Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant Section 195F-6, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 20, dated November 18, 2014, transmitting the Operations of the Filing Office for Financing Statements Under the Uniform Commercial Code, Secured Transaction (Revised Article 9) Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 490:0-527, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 21, dated November 18, 2014, transmitting the Activities and Plans of the Aha Moku Advisory Committee Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 171-4.5, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 22, dated November 18, 2014, transmitting the Hawaii Historic Preservation Special Fund for Fiscal Year 2013-2014 Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 6E-3, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 23, dated November 18, 2014, transmitting the Administratively Established Accounts and Funds of the Department of Land and Natural Resources for Fiscal Year 2014 Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 37-52.5, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 24, dated November 18, 2014, transmitting the Relating to the Land Conservation Fund and the Legacy Land Conservation Program Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 173A-5, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 25, dated November 18, 2014, transmitting the Geothermal Royalty Dispositions and Status of Geothermal and Cable System Development Fiscal Year 2014 Report,

prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Sections 182-18 and 196D-11, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 26, dated November 18, 2014, transmitting the User Conflicts on Public Lands Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 179D-29, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 27, dated November 18, 2014, transmitting the Revenues Generated from General Administrative Penalties Imposed Under Chapter 183, HRS Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 183-5, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 28, dated November 20, 2014, transmitting the Status of the Kaho'olawe Rehabilitation Trust Fund Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 6K-9.5(e), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 29, dated November 25, 2014, transmitting the Medical Inquiry and Conciliation Panel and the Design Claims Conciliation Panel Report, prepared by the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs pursuant to Sections 671-20 and 672B-17, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 30, dated November 25, 2014, transmitting the Annual Report on the Development and Expansion of Telework Initiatives and Annual Report on the Receipt and Expenditure of Federal Moneys from the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA), prepared by the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs pursuant to Section 440G-11.5(b) and 440G-11.5, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 31, dated November 25, 2014, transmitting the Executive Branch Workforce Profile Report, prepared by the Department of Human Resources Development pursuant to Act 16, SLH 2012.

Gov. Msg. No. 32, dated November 25, 2014, transmitting the Instance of Usage of Electric Guns Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 134-16(d), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 33, dated November 25, 2014, transmitting the Evaluation of Effectiveness of Community Fisheries Enforcement Units on Maui, Oahu, Hawaii and Kauai Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Act 122, SLH 2014.

Gov. Msg. No. 34, dated November 25, 2014, transmitting the Annual Report of the Hawaii State Commission on the Status of Women, prepared by the Department of Human Services pursuant to Section 367-3(8), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 35, dated November 25, 2014, transmitting the Department of Human Services Preschool Open Doors (POD) Report, prepared by the Department of Human Services pursuant to Act 169, SLH 2013.

Gov. Msg. No. 36, dated November 25, 2014, transmitting the Hawaii Statewide Trail and Access System Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 198D-9(7), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 37, dated November 25, 2014, transmitting the Hawaii Dam and Reservoir Safety Program State Fiscal Year 2014 Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 179D-29, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 38, dated November 25, 2014, transmitting the Annual Report of the Office of Youth Services, prepared by the Department of Human Services pursuant to Section 352D-6(11), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 39, dated November 25, 2014, transmitting the State of Hawaii Offices in Taiwan and Beijing Annual

Report, prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism pursuant to Section 201-84, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 40, dated November 25, 2014, transmitting the Hawaii Targeted and Emerging Industries, 2014 Update Report, prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism pursuant to Section 201-19(b), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 41, dated November 25, 2014, transmitting the 2014 Annual Report of the High Technology Development Corporation, prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism pursuant to Chapter 206M, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 42, dated November 25, 2014, transmitting the Energy Resources Coordinator's Report, prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism pursuant to Act 95, SLH 2004.

Gov. Msg. No. 43, dated November 26, 2014, transmitting the 2014 Annual Report of the Insurance Commissioner of Hawaii, prepared by the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs pursuant to Section 431:2-211, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 44, dated November 26, 2014, transmitting the 2014 Annual Compliance Resolution Fund Report, prepared by the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs pursuant to Section 26-9(o), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 45, dated November 26, 2014, transmitting the Hawaii Post-Secondary Education Authorization Program Legislative Report, prepared by the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs pursuant to Act 180, SLH 2013.

Gov. Msg. No. 46, dated November 26, 2014, transmitting the 2014 Annual Report of the Real Estate Commission, prepared by the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs pursuant to Section 514B-73(d), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 47, dated November 26, 2014, transmitting the Renewable Energy Facilitation Activities and the Renewable Energy Facility Siting Process Report, prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism pursuant to Act 208, SLH 2008.

Gov. Msg. No. 48, dated November 26, 2014, transmitting the Facilitation of Permit Processing Report, prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism pursuant to Act 237, SLH 1985.

Gov. Msg. No. 49, dated November 26, 2014, transmitting the State of Hawaii Department of Accounting and General Services Building Code Council Annual Report, prepared by the Department of Accounting and General Services pursuant to Section 107-30, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 50, dated November 26, 2014, transmitting the State of Hawaii Department of Account and General Services Claims and Lawsuits Arbitrated, Compromised, or Settled for \$10,000 or Less Annual Report for Fiscal Year 2013-2014, prepared by the Department of Accounting and General Services pursuant to Section 41D-4(f), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 51, dated November 26, 2014, transmitting the State of Hawaii Department of Accounting and General Services Enhanced 9-1-1 Board Annual Report for the period of July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2014, prepared by the Department of Accounting and General Services pursuant to Section 138-6, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 52, dated November 26, 2014, transmitting the State of Hawaii Department of Accounting and General Services Goals and Objectives Annual Report for Fiscal Year 2013-2014, prepared by the Department of Accounting and General Services pursuant to Act 100, SLH 1999.

Gov. Msg. No. 53, dated December 8, 2014, transmitting the Hawaiian language translation of the Activities and Plans of the Aha Moku Advisory Committee Report that was approved and signed by Governor Abercrombie on November 18, 2014, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 171-4.5, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 54, dated December 9, 2014, transmitting the Stadium Authority's Stadium Special Fund Annual Report for Fiscal Year 2014, prepared by the Department of Accounting and General Services pursuant to Section 109-3, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 55, dated December 10, 2014, transmitting the Positions Exempted from Civil Service Report, prepared by the Department of Human Resources Development pursuant to Act 300, SLH 2006.

Gov. Msg. No. 56, dated December 10, 2014, transmitting the Department of Taxation's 2013-2014 Annual Report, prepared by the Department of Taxation pursuant to Section 231-3(8), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 57, dated December 10, 2014, transmitting the Office of Information Practices' Annual Report, prepared by the Office of Information Practices pursuant to Section 92F-42(7), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 58, dated December 10, 2014, transmitting the Medicaid Compliance with the federal Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act, prepared by the Department of Human Services pursuant to Act 240, SLH 2013.

Gov. Msg. No. 59, dated December 10, 2014, transmitting the Relating to Health Care Administrative Uniformity of the temporary Health Care Transformation Office Report, prepared by the Office of the Governor pursuant to Act 224, SLH 2013.

Gov. Msg. No. 60, dated December 10, 2014, transmitting the Psychotropic Medication Report, prepared by the Department of Human Services pursuant to 346-59.9, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 61, dated December 15, 2014, transmitting the Establishment of the Public Land Trust Inventory Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 3, Act 54, SLH 2011.

Gov. Msg. No. 62, dated December 15, 2014, transmitting the Accounting of All Receipts from Lands Described in Section 5(f) of the Admission Act Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 5, Act 178, SLH 2006.

Gov. Msg. No. 63, dated December 15, 2014, transmitting the Natural Area Reserves System, Natural Area Partnership Program, and the Financial Condition of the Natural Area Reserve Fund Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 195-6.6, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 64, dated December 15, 2014, transmitting the Requiring All Departments and Agencies to Identify Their Goals, Objectives, and Policies, to Provide a Basis for Determining Priorities and Allocating Limited Public Funds and Human Resources Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Sections 6 and 7, Act 100, SLH 1999.

Gov. Msg. No. 65, dated December 15, 2014, transmitting a report relating to the progress of the State ACA Innovation Waiver Task Force, prepared by the Office of the Governor pursuant to Act 158, SLH 2014.

Gov. Msg. No. 66, dated December 15, 2014, transmitting the State Public Charter School Commission Annual Report, prepared by the State Public Charter School Commission pursuant to Section 302D-7, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 67, dated December 16, 2014, transmitting the Department of the Attorney General's Annual Report on the Tobacco Enforcement Special Fund, prepared by the Department of the Attorney General pursuant to Section 28-15(d), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 68, dated December 16, 2014, transmitting the Department of the Attorney General's Annual Report on the Number of Pen Register Orders and Orders for Trap and Trace Devices Applied for by Law Enforcement Agencies of the State, prepared by the Department of the Attorney General pursuant to Section 803-47(c), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 69, dated December 16, 2014, transmitting the Department of the Attorney General's Annual Report on Recommendations for Denial of Claims for Legislative Relief, prepared by the Department of the Attorney General pursuant to Section 37-77, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 70, dated December 22, 2014, transmitting the Multi-Year Program and Financial Plan and Executive Budget for the Period 2015-2021, the Variance Report for FYs 2014-2015, and the Budget in Brief for FY 2015-2017, prepared by the Department of Budget and Finance pursuant to Sections 37-69, 37-71, and 37-75, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 71, dated January 2, 2015, transmitting the Operation of the Internet Portal 2014 Annual Report, prepared by the Department of the Attorney General pursuant to Section 27G-5, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 72, dated January 2, 2015, transmitting the Actuarial Analysis of the Projected Costs of Providing Insurance Coverage for the Screening, Diagnosis, and Treatment of Autism Spectrum Disorders, prepared by the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs pursuant to Act 185, SLH 2014.

Gov. Msg. No. 73, dated January 2, 2015, transmitting the Environment Response Law and Hawaii Emergency Planning and Community Right to Know Act Financial and Environmental Site Information Reports, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to Section 128D and Section 128E, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 74, dated January 2, 2015, transmitting the Transfer Responsibility of the Medical Use of Marijuana Program from the Department of Public Safety to the Department of Health, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to Act 177, SLH 2013.

Gov. Msg. No. 75, dated January 2, 2015, transmitting the Status of the Program for Environmentally-Themed Products to Support the Environment Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 195D-5.5, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 76, dated January 2, 2015, transmitting the Office of Planning Annual Report for FY 2013-2014, prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism pursuant to Section 205A-3(10), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 77, dated January 2, 2015, transmitting the Activities Under the Neurotrauma Special Fund Annual Report, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to Section 321H-4, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 78, dated January 2, 2015, transmitting the Status of the Sanitation and Environmental Health Education Fund and the Sanitation Branch Annual Audit Reports, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to Sections 321-27 and 321-27.5, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 79, dated January 2, 2015, transmitting the Persons Waiting for Developmental Disability or Intellectual

Disability Services and Support Annual Report, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to Section 333F-6, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 80, dated January 2, 2015, transmitting the Stroke Task Force Final Report, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to S.C.R. No. 155, S.D. 1 (2013).

Gov. Msg. No. 81, dated January 2, 2015, transmitting the Drinking Water Treatment Revolving Loan Fund Report, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to Section 340E-33, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 82, dated January 2, 2015, transmitting the Rental Housing Trust Fund Project Awards Report, prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism pursuant to Section 201H-202(f), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 83, dated January 2, 2015, transmitting the Comprehensive Breast and Cervical Cancer Control Program Report, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to Act 52, Section 4, SLH 2008.

Gov. Msg. No. 84, dated January 2, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on Implementation for Substance Abuse, pursuant to Section 321-195, HRS; Hawaii Advisory Commission on Drug Abuse and Controlled Substances, pursuant to 329-3, HRS; Coordination of Offender Substance Abuse Treatment Programs, pursuant to Act 161, Section 10, SLH 2002; Substance Abuse Treatment Monitoring Program, pursuant to Act 40, Section 29, SLH 2004; and Operating Clean and Sober Homes, pursuant to Act 193, Section 9, SLH 2014, prepared by the Department of Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 85, dated January 2, 2015, transmitting the Primary Care Incentive Program Report, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to Section 321-1.5(6), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 86, dated January 2, 2015, transmitting the Emergency Medical Service Special Fund Annual Report, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to Section 321-234(d), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 87, dated January 2, 2015, transmitting the Trauma System Special Fund Annual Report, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to Section 321-22.5(g), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 88, dated January 2, 2015, transmitting the Disability and Communication Access Board Annual Report, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to Section 348F-4, HRS.

DEPARTMENTAL COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications (Dept. Com. Nos. 1 to 19, 22 to 36, and 50 to 55) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Dept. Com. No. 1, from the Office of the Auditor dated September 16, 2014, transmitting the report, "Study of Proposed Mandatory Health Insurance for Treatment of Orofacial Anomalies" (Report No. 14-08) pursuant to Section 23-9, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 2, from the Department of Health dated August 11, 2014, transmitting the State Fiscal Year 2013 Financial and Compliance Audit and Internal Control and Business Issues Report.

Dept. Com. No. 3, from the Legislative Research Bureau dated September 2, 2014, transmitting the report, "Is the Grass Always Greener? An Updated Look at Other State Medical Marijuana Programs," pursuant to H.C.R. No. 48, H.D. 2, S.D. 1 (2014).

Dept. Com. No. 4, from the Office of the Auditor dated October 13, 2014, transmitting the report, "Study of the Civil

Service Exemption Process" (Report No. 14-09) pursuant to Section 23-9, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 5, from the Office of the Auditor dated December 1, 2014, transmitting the report, "Sunrise Analysis: Regulation of Medical Marijuana Dispensaries" (Report No. 14-12) pursuant to Section 23-9, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 6, from the Office of the Auditor dated December 3, 2014, transmitting the report, "Review of Special Funds, Revolving Funds, Trust Funds and Trust Accounts of the Departments of the Attorney General and Business, Economic Development and Tourism" (Report No. 14-13) pursuant to Section 23-9, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 7, from the Office of the Auditor dated November 25, 2014, transmitting the report, "Audit of the Hawai'i State Foundation Culture on the Arts" (Report No. 14-11) pursuant to Section 23-9, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 8, from the State-County Functions Working Group (TAT) dated December 18, 2014, transmitting the interim report of Working Group activities in 2014 and its plans for 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 9, from the University of Hawai'i dated December 19, 2014, transmitting the Annual Report on Hawai'i P-20 Partnerships for Education and Plans for Education in the 21st Century pursuant to Act 281, SLH 2007.

Dept. Com. No. 10, from the Office of the Auditor dated December 22, 2014, transmitting the report, "Sunrise Analysis: Regulation of Herbal Therapists" (Report No. 14-14) pursuant to Section 23-9, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 11, from the Office of the Auditor dated December 22, 2014, transmitting the report, "Sunrise Analysis: Regulation of Veterinary Technicians" (Report No. 14-15) pursuant to Section 23-9, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 12, from the University of Hawai'i dated December 22, 2014, transmitting the Report on the University of Hawai'i's Guidelines and the Status of its Title IX and VAWA Policies, Procedures, Staffing and Statistics pursuant to H.C.R. No. 12, H.D. 1, S.D. 1 (2014).

Dept. Com. No. 13, from the University of Hawai'i dated December 23, 2014, transmitting the Annual Report on Material Weaknesses and Fraud pursuant to Section 304A-321, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 14, from the University of Hawai'i dated December 23, 2014, transmitting the Annual Report on the Construction Academy Curriculum pursuant to Section 304A-1144, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 15, from the University of Hawai'i dated December 24, 2014, transmitting the Annual Report on Nursing Scholars Program pursuant to Section 304A-3305, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 16, from the University of Hawai'i dated December 24, 2014, transmitting the Annual Report on Operations of the Hawai'i Research Center for Future Studies pursuant to Section 304A-3253, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 17, from the University of Hawai'i dated December 24, 2014, transmitting the Semi-Annual Report on Hawai'i Cancer Research Special Fund for January 1, 2014 to June 30, 2014 pursuant to Section 304A-2168, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 18, from the University of Hawai'i dated December 24, 2014, transmitting the Semi-Annual Report on Hawai'i Cancer Research Special Fund from July 1, 2013 to December 31, 2013 pursuant to Section 304A-2168, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 19, from the University of Hawai'i dated December 24, 2014, transmitting the combined Annual Report

on the Goals, Objectives/Policies, Action Plan and Performance Measures pursuant to Act 100, SLH 1999, and Biennium Report on Benchmarks and Performance Indicators pursuant to Section 304A-2001, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 22, from the Office of the Auditor dated December 29, 2014, transmitting the report, "Audit of the Department of Health's Glass Advance Disposal Fee Program," (Report No. 14-16) pursuant to Section 23-9, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 23, from the Office of the Auditor dated December 29, 2014, transmitting the report, "Review of Special Funds, Revolving Funds, Trust Funds, and Trust Accounts of the University of Hawai'i" (Report No. 14-18) pursuant to Section 23-9, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 24, from the Office of the Auditor dated December 30, 2014, transmitting the report, "A Study to Identify Local Alternatives to Shipping Non-Deposit Glass out of the State of Hawai'i" (Report No. 14-17) pursuant to Section 23-9, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 25, from the University of Hawai'i dated January 2, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report from the Hawai'i Natural Energy Institute pursuant to Section 304A-1891, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 26, from the University of Hawai'i dated January 6, 2015, transmitting the 2014 Annual Report of the Research Corporation of the University of Hawai'i pursuant to Section 304A-3007, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 27, from the Department of Budget and Finance dated November 3, 2014, transmitting the Report on the Non-Facility Per-Pupil Allocation pursuant to Act 130, SLH 2012, and Act 122, SLH 2014.

Dept. Com. No. 28, from the Department of Budget and Finance dated November 14, 2014, transmitting a report on temporary positions and funds to provide backfill support for departments where permanent staffing have been assigned to work on the implementation of the Enterprise Resource Planning project pursuant to Act 134, SLH 2014.

Dept. Com. No. 29, from the City Clerk, City and County of Honolulu, dated December 10, 2014, transmitting Resolution 14-268, which was adopted by the Council of the City and County of Honolulu on December 10, 2014.

Dept. Com. No. 30, from the County Clerk, County of Kaua'i, dated December 19, 2014, transmitting Resolution No. 2015-09, which was adopted by the Kaua'i County Council on December 17, 2014.

Dept. Com. No. 31, from the Hawai'i Invasive Species Council dated December 22, 2014, transmitting Resolution 14-2, which was adopted by the Council on October 28, 2014.

Dept. Com. No. 32, from the Hawai'i State Center for Nursing dated December 22, 2014, transmitting its 2014 Annual Report.

Dept. Com. No. 33, from the Office of Hawaiian Affairs dated December 24, 2014, transmitting its 2014 Annual Report, including the 2014 Grants and Scholarships Annual Report, pursuant to Section 10-15, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 34, from the Department of Land and Natural Resources dated December 29, 2014, transmitting the report on the 2014 Activities and Status of the Aha Moku Advisory Committee pursuant to Act 288, SLH 2012.

Dept. Com. No. 35, from the County of Hawai'i Police Department dated January 2, 2015, transmitting the Report Concerning Electric Guns and Their Use pursuant to Section 134-16(d), HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 36, from the County of Maui Police Department dated January 5, 2015, transmitting Report Concerning Electric Guns and Their Use pursuant to Section 134-16(d), HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 50, from the University of Hawai'i dated January 5, 2015, transmitting the Report on Certification of Compliance by the University of Hawai'i Board of Regents, pursuant to Act 134, SLH 2013.

Dept. Com. No. 51, from the State Procurement Office dated January 8, 2015, transmitting the report, "Legislative Report – Study on Past Performance Consideration in Hawaii Contracting," pursuant to H.C.R. No. 176 (2014).

Dept. Com. No. 52, from the House and Senate Committees on Human Services dated September 25, 2014, transmitting reports produced by the Home and Community-Based Services Working Group pursuant to Act 215, SLH 2013.

Dept. Com. No. 53, from the City Clerk, City and County of Honolulu, dated December 10, 2014, transmitting Resolution 14-267, which was adopted by the Council of the City and County of Honolulu on December 10, 2014.

Dept. Com. No. 54, from the Department of Budget and Finance dated December 8, 2014, transmitting the FY14 Transfers from Non-General Funds to General Funds Report pursuant to Section 37-46, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 55, from the Department of Budget and Finance dated December 8, 2014, transmitting the FY14 Special Fund Assessments for Central Services Report pursuant to Section 36-27, HRS, and the FY14 Departmental Administrative Expenses Report pursuant to Section 36-30, HRS.

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the House (Hse. Com. Nos. 1 to 3) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Hse. Com. No. 1, transmitting H.C.R. No. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on January 21, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.C.R. No. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RELATING TO RECESS DAYS FOR THE REGULAR SESSION OF 2015," was adopted.

Hse. Com. No. 2, transmitting H.C.R. No. 2, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on January 21, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.C.R. No. 2, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO ADDRESS THE LEGISLATURE ASSEMBLED IN JOINT SESSION," was adopted.

Hse. Com. No. 3, transmitting H.R. No. 5, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on January 21, 2015, was placed on file.

JUDICIARY COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the Judiciary (Jud. Com. Nos. 1 to 3) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Jud. Com. No. 1, dated December 11, 2014, transmitting the 2013 Annual Report of the Hawaii Access to Justice Commission pursuant to Rule 21(j)(1) of the Rules of the Supreme Court of the State of Hawai'i.

Jud. Com. No. 2, dated December 19, 2014, transmitting the Report of the Judiciary Working Group Relating to Environmental Court pursuant to Act 218, Section 7, SLH 2014.

Jud. Com. No. 3, dated December 22, 2014, transmitting the following reports from the Judiciary and Administrative Director of the Courts: Multi-Year Program and Financial Plan (2015-2021), Biennium Budget (2015-2017), and Variance Report (2013-2015), pursuant to Act 159, SLH 1974, and Chapter 37, HRS; Center for Alternative Dispute Resolution Annual Report, pursuant to Section 613-4, HRS; King Kamehameha V – Judiciary History Center Annual Report, pursuant to Section 6F-6, HRS; Report on Statewide Substance Abuse Treatment Monitoring Program, pursuant to Section 601-21, HRS; Report on Parental Preferences in Government Contracts, pursuant to Section 577-7.5, HRS; Report on the Parent Education Special Fund, pursuant to Section 607-5.6, HRS; Report on the Spouse and Child Abuse Special Account, pursuant to Section 607-3.6, HRS; and Report on the Number of Complaints Against Court-Appointed Child Custody Evaluators, pursuant to Section 571-46.4, HRS.

INTRODUCTION OF SENATE BILLS

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the following bills passed First Reading by title and were referred to committee or deferred:

S.B. No. 1 “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RESEARCH CORPORATION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.”

Introduced by: Senator Kim.

Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 2 “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PILOTAGE.”

Introduced by: Senator Kim.

Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 3 “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC BOARDS.”

Introduced by: Senator Kim.

Referred to: Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 4 “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR CHAMINADE UNIVERSITY OF HONOLULU.”

Introduced by: Senator Kim, by request.

Referred to: Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 5 “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROFESSIONAL AND VOCATIONAL LICENSING.”

Introduced by: Senator Ruderman, by request.

Referred to: Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection

S.B. No. 6 “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC PROCUREMENT CODE.”

Introduced by: Senator Ruderman, by request.

Referred to: Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 7 “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCESS SERVERS.”

Introduced by: Senator Ruderman, by request.

Referred to: Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 8 “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STANDARDS OF CONDUCT.”

Introduced by: Senator Ihara.

Referred to: Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 9 “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC AGENCIES.”

Introduced by: Senator Ihara.

Referred to: Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 10 “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DIAMOND HEAD SEAWALL.”

Introduced by: Senator Ihara.

Referred to: Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 11 “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS.”

Introduced by: Senator Ihara, by request.

Referred to: Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 12 “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SMALL BUSINESS REGULATORY FLEXIBILITY ACT.”

Introduced by: Senators Baker, Chun Oakland, Kidani, Gabbard, Green, Inouye, Nishihara, Riviere, Wakai.

Referred to: Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 13 “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PSYCHOLOGY.”

Introduced by: Senators Baker, Chun Oakland, Green, Kidani, Nishihara, Inouye, Riviere.

Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection

S.B. No. 14	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RESIDENTIAL LANDLORD-TENANT CODE.”	S.B. No. 21	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING.”
Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Chun Oakland, English, Harimoto, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Nishihara, Riviere, Wakai, Gabbard, Green.	Introduced by:	Senator English.
Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 15	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDIATION AFFECTING JUDICIAL FORECLOSURE.”	S.B. No. 22	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COURTS.”
Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Green, Kidani, English, Inouye, Kahele, Nishihara, Taniguchi.	Introduced by:	Senator English.
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 16	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOWING.”	S.B. No. 23	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIME.”
Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Kahele, Kidani, Harimoto, Nishihara, Wakai.	Introduced by:	Senator English.
Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 17	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL ESTATE SELLER DISCLOSURE.”	S.B. No. 24	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS.”
Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Green, Inouye, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Nishihara, Riviere, Wakai.	Introduced by:	Senator English.
Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 18	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMOKING.”	S.B. No. 25	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM.”
Introduced by:	Senators Harimoto, Green.	Introduced by:	Senator English.
Referred to:	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 19	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION.”	S.B. No. 26	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT.”
Introduced by:	Senators Nishihara, Harimoto, Espero.	Introduced by:	Senator English.
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 20	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE DRIVER LICENSING.”	S.B. No. 27	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INFORMATION PRACTICES.”
Introduced by:	Senator Nishihara, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator English.
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
		S.B. No. 28	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY.”
		Introduced by:	Senator English.
		Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
		S.B. No. 29	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR.”
		Introduced by:	Senator English.
		Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
		S.B. No. 30	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE.”
		Introduced by:	Senator English.
		Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
		S.B. No. 31	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SUNSHINE LAW.”
		Introduced by:	Senator English.
		Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
		S.B. No. 32	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE.”
		Introduced by:	Senator English.
		Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 33	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS’ COMPENSATION.”	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Introduced by:	Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
	Referred to:		
S.B. No. 34	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESS REGULATION.”	S.B. No. 44	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS.”
	Introduced by:	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Referred to:	Referred to:	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs
	Referred to:	S.B. No. 45	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS.”
S.B. No. 35	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCE.”	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Introduced by:	Referred to:	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs
	Referred to:	S.B. No. 46	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS.”
S.B. No. 36	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS.”	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Introduced by:	Referred to:	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs
	Referred to:	S.B. No. 47	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION.”
S.B. No. 37	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION.”	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Introduced by:	Referred to:	Committee on Education
	Referred to:	S.B. No. 48	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIBRARIES.”
S.B. No. 38	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS.”	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Introduced by:	Referred to:	Committee on Education
	Referred to:	S.B. No. 49	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHERS.”
S.B. No. 39	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE.”	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Introduced by:	Referred to:	Committee on Health
	Referred to:	S.B. No. 51	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH.”
S.B. No. 40	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LICENSING.”	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Introduced by:	Referred to:	Committee on Health
	Referred to:	S.B. No. 52	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH.”
S.B. No. 41	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROFESSIONS AND VOCATIONS.”	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Introduced by:	Referred to:	Committee on Health
	Referred to:	S.B. No. 53	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ECONOMY.”
S.B. No. 42	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES.”	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Introduced by:	Referred to:	Committee on Economic Development and Technology
	Referred to:	S.B. No. 54	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ECONOMY.”
S.B. No. 43	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TELECOMMUNICATIONS.”	Introduced by:	Senator English.
		Referred to:	Committee on Economic Development and Technology

S.B. No. 55	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
Introduced by:	Senator English.	Referred to:	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts
Referred to:	Committee on Economic Development and Technology	S.B. No. 66	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHER EDUCATION."
S.B. No. 56	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
Introduced by:	Senator English.	Referred to:	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts
Referred to:	Committee on Water and Land	S.B. No. 67	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAI'I."
S.B. No. 57	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OCEAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
Introduced by:	Senator English.	Referred to:	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts
Referred to:	Committee on Water and Land	S.B. No. 68	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT."
S.B. No. 58	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER USE."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
Introduced by:	Senator English.	Referred to:	Committee on Government Operations
Referred to:	Committee on Water and Land	S.B. No. 69	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE FACILITIES."
S.B. No. 59	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
Introduced by:	Senator English.	Referred to:	Committee on Government Operations
Referred to:	Committee on Tourism and International Affairs	S.B. No. 70	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AND GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS AND POLICY."
S.B. No. 60	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
Introduced by:	Senator English.	Referred to:	Committee on Government Operations
Referred to:	Committee on Tourism and International Affairs	S.B. No. 71	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AEROSPACE DEVELOPMENT."
S.B. No. 61	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOURISM."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
Introduced by:	Senator English.	Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs
Referred to:	Committee on Tourism and International Affairs	S.B. No. 72	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS."
S.B. No. 62	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOMELESSNESS."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
Introduced by:	Senator English.	Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs
Referred to:	Committee on Human Services and Housing	S.B. No. 73	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY."
S.B. No. 63	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
Introduced by:	Senator English.	Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs
Referred to:	Committee on Human Services and Housing	S.B. No. 74	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY."
S.B. No. 64	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
Introduced by:	Senator English.	Referred to:	Committee on Energy and Environment
Referred to:	Committee on Human Services and Housing	S.B. No. 75	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT."
S.B. No. 65	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ARTS."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
		Referred to:	Committee on Energy and Environment

S.B. No. 76	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT.”	S.B. No. 88	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FINANCES.”
Introduced by:	Senator English.	Introduced by:	Senator English.
Referred to:	Committee on Energy and Environment	Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 77	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE.”	S.B. No. 89	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FUNDS.”
Introduced by:	Senator English.	Introduced by:	Senator English.
Referred to:	Committee on Agriculture	Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 78	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE.”	S.B. No. 90	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FUNDS.”
Introduced by:	Senator English.	Introduced by:	Senator English.
Referred to:	Committee on Agriculture	Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 79	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE.”	S.B. No. 91	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REVENUE.”
Introduced by:	Senator English.	Introduced by:	Senator English.
Referred to:	Committee on Agriculture	Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 80	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION.”	S.B. No. 92	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION.”
Introduced by:	Senator English.	Introduced by:	Senator English.
Referred to:	Committee on Transportation	Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 81	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION.”	S.B. No. 93	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION.”
Introduced by:	Senator English.	Introduced by:	Senator English.
Referred to:	Committee on Transportation	Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 82	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION.”	S.B. No. 94	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION.”
Introduced by:	Senator English.	Introduced by:	Senator English.
Referred to:	Committee on Transportation	Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 83	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO APPROPRIATIONS.”	S.B. No. 95	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SELF DEFENSE.”
Introduced by:	Senator English.	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Slom.
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Ways and Means, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 84	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO APPROPRIATIONS.”	S.B. No. 96	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE TWENTIETH SENATORIAL DISTRICT.”
Introduced by:	Senator English.	Introduced by:	Senator Gabbard.
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 85	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO APPROPRIATIONS.”	S.B. No. 97	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NATURAL RESOURCES.”
Introduced by:	Senator English.	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Galuteria, Green, Ihara, Inouye, Slom.
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 86	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BONDS.”		
Introduced by:	Senator English.		
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means		
S.B. No. 87	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET.”		
Introduced by:	Senator English.		
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means		

S.B. No. 98	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION.”	S.B. No. 108	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NUISANCE ABATEMENT.”
Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Espero, Harimoto, Ihara, Kidani, Nishihara.	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Baker, Keith-Agaran.
Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 99	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARKING.”	S.B. No. 109	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POLICE.”
Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Kidani, Espero, Harimoto, Ihara, Nishihara.	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Baker, Galuteria, Slom.
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 100	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO APPROPRIATIONS.”	S.B. No. 110	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTIES.”
Introduced by:	Senator Tokuda.	Introduced by:	Senator Ruderman, by request.
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 101	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET.”	S.B. No. 111	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE.”
Introduced by:	Senator Tokuda.	Introduced by:	Senator Ruderman, by request.
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 102	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUDGETING.”	S.B. No. 112	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE THIRD SENATORIAL DISTRICT.”
Introduced by:	Senator Tokuda.	Introduced by:	Senator Green.
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 103	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET.”	S.B. No. 113	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII STATE LOAN REPAYMENT PROGRAM.”
Introduced by:	Senator Tokuda.	Introduced by:	Senators Green, Baker, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Harimoto, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, English, Gabbard, Ihara, Nishihara, Riviere, Ruderman.
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 104	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUDGETING.”	S.B. No. 114	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTISTRY.”
Introduced by:	Senator Tokuda.	Introduced by:	Senators Green, Baker, English, Espero, Gabbard, Galuteria, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Nishihara, Riviere, Thielen.
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 105	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET.”	S.B. No. 115	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH.”
Introduced by:	Senator Tokuda.	Introduced by:	Senators Green, Baker, Chun Oakland, Harimoto, Riviere, English, Espero,
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means		
S.B. No. 106	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURE CEILING.”		
Introduced by:	Senator Tokuda.		
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor		
S.B. No. 107	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COURT FEES.”		
Introduced by:	Senator Espero.		
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means		

	Galuteria, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Nishihara, Taniguchi, Thielen.	S.B. No. 123	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY."
Referred to:	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Education	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Green, Harimoto, Kahele, Riviere, Dela Cruz, Espero, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara, Ruderman.
S.B. No. 116	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII RULES OF EVIDENCE."	Referred to:	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Introduced by:	Senators Green, Baker, Chun Oakland, English, Espero, Galuteria, Harimoto, Ihara, Riviere, Ruderman, Thielen.	S.B. No. 124	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY."
Referred to:	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Espero, Harimoto, Kahele, Galuteria, Ihara, Nishihara, Riviere, Ruderman.
S.B. No. 117	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senators Green, Baker, Chun Oakland, English, Espero, Harimoto, Kidani, Ruderman, Galuteria, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Riviere.	S.B. No. 125	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENTAL HOUSING."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Green, Ruderman, Dela Cruz, Thielen.
S.B. No. 118	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT TRUSTS."	Referred to:	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senator Kim.	S.B. No. 126	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senators Harimoto, Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Kidani.
S.B. No. 119	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT COST ITEMS."	Referred to:	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Introduced by:	Senator Kim.	S.B. No. 127	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CROSSWALK SAFETY."
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senators Harimoto, Espero, Inouye, Kidani.
S.B. No. 120	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING."	Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Espero, Galuteria, Dela Cruz, English, Green, Harimoto, Riviere.	S.B. No. 128	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES."
Referred to:	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senators Harimoto, Dela Cruz, Espero.
S.B. No. 121	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY."	Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Espero, Green, Dela Cruz, English, Harimoto, Keith-Agaran, Kim, Riviere.	S.B. No. 129	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR."
Referred to:	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro, Tokuda, Baker.
S.B. No. 122	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Green, Harimoto, Riviere.	S.B. No. 130	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATEWIDE TRAFFIC CODE."
Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran, by request.
		Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 131	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD LABELING.”	Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro, Tokuda, Wakai.
Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, English, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Riviere.	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	S.B. No. 140	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT RECORDS.”
S.B. No. 132	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION.”	Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, English, Shimabukuro, Wakai.
Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Baker, Dela Cruz, English, Inouye, Riviere, Shimabukuro, Kahele, Ruderman.	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 141	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMALS.”
S.B. No. 133	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES’ RETIREMENT SYSTEM.”	Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran, by request.
Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Tokuda, Wakai, Baker, Shimabukuro.	Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 142	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WAILUKU STATE OFFICE MASTER PLAN.”
S.B. No. 134	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARTITION OF HEIRS PROPERTY.”	Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Baker, English.
Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, English, Shimabukuro.	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 143	“A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION TO CHANGE THE THRESHOLD VALUE IN CONTROVERSY REQUIREMENT FOR JURY TRIALS IN CIVIL CASES AT COMMON LAW FROM \$5,000 TO \$10,000.”
S.B. No. 135	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUNSHINE LAW.”	Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro.
Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran, by request.	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 144	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JURY TRIAL.”
S.B. No. 136	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD WITNESS TESTIMONY.”	Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro.
Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Baker, Shimabukuro, Tokuda, Wakai.	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 145	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WRONGFUL IMPRISONMENT.”
S.B. No. 137	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE.”	Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro, Baker, English, Wakai.
Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Dela Cruz, English, Shimabukuro.	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 146	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TORT LIABILITY.”
S.B. No. 138	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEGISLATIVE JURISDICTION.”	Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran, by request.
Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Espero, Shimabukuro.	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 147	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE.”
S.B. No. 139	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL SERVICE EXEMPTIONS.”	Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro.
		Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
		S.B. No. 148	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NUISANCE ABATEMENT.”
		Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran, by request.

Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 149	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OPEN GOVERNMENT."	S.B. No. 158	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET DOCUMENTS."
Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran, by request.	Introduced by:	Senators Tokuda, English, Keith-Agaran, Kouchi.
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 159	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REPEAL OF NON-GENERAL FUNDS."
S.B. No. 150	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOTING."	Introduced by:	Senators Tokuda, English, Keith-Agaran, Kouchi, Wakai.
Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran, by request.	S.B. No. 160	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII NON-GENERAL FUNDS."
Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Introduced by:	Senators Tokuda, English, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Kouchi, Taniguchi.
S.B. No. 151	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."	S.B. No. 161	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE."
Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran.
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 162	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING IN PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT."
S.B. No. 152	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RETENTION OF BIOLOGICAL EVIDENCE."	Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran.
Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran, by request.	S.B. No. 163	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING."
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran.
S.B. No. 153	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ATTORNEYS."	S.B. No. 164	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTRACTORS."
Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran.
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 165	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE FACILITIES."
S.B. No. 154	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ATTORNEYS."	Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran.
Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran, by request.	S.B. No. 166	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT."
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran.
S.B. No. 155	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."	S.B. No. 167	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS."
Introduced by:	Senators Chun, Oakland, Espero, Harimoto, Ihara, Nishihara, Dela Cruz, Gabbard, Galuteria, Green, Keith-Agaran, Riviere.	Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran.
Referred to:	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 168	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTRACTORS."
S.B. No. 156	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."	Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran.
Introduced by:	Senators Chun, Oakland, Ihara, Dela Cruz, English, Gabbard, Galuteria, Green, Harimoto, Keith-Agaran, Riviere.	S.B. No. 169	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."
Referred to:	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran.
S.B. No. 157	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE TWENTY-FIFTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT."	S.B. No. 170	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."
Introduced by:	Senator Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions (S.C.R. Nos. 2 and 3) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

S.C.R. No. 2 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT TO KAHALUU POND, INC., FOR THE USE, REPAIR, AND

MAINTENANCE OF THE SEAWALL LOCATED AT KAHALUU, KOOLAUPOKO, OAHU, TMK: (1) 4-7-011: SEAWARD OF 001.”

Offered by: Senator Kim.

By unanimous consent, action on S.C.R. No. 2 was deferred.

S.C.R. No. 3 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION STRONGLY OPPOSING THE UNITED STATES ARMY’S PROPOSED FORCE REDUCTION OF SCHOFIELD BARRACKS AND FORT SHAFTER BASES.”

Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Espero, Kidani, Nishihara, Wakai.

Senator Green moved that S.C.R. No. 3 be adopted, seconded by Senator Slom.

Senator Dela Cruz rose to speak in support of the measure as follows:

“As the Army is holding its listening sessions next Tuesday and Wednesday, it was proposed that each chamber respectively introduce concurrent resolutions showing our support for our military personnel and bases.

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“I also request to enter today’s *Civil Beat* opinion and this factsheet into the Journal. Thank you, Madam President.” (The Chair so ordered.)

The Chair having so ordered, the *Civil Beat* opinion and factsheet are identified as “ATTACHMENT A” to the Journal of this day.

The motion to adopt S.C.R. No. 3 was then put by the Chair and carried.

ORDER OF THE DAY

MISCELLANEOUS COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications (Misc. Com. Nos. 1 to 4) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Misc. Com. No. 1, from OptumRx, Inc. dated October 29, 2014, transmitting a report relating to prescription drugs pursuant to Act 226, SLH 2013.

Misc. Com. No. 2, from the Hawaii Medical Service Association (HMSA) dated December 18, 2014, transmitting a report relating to prescription drugs pursuant to Act 226, SLH 2013.

Misc. Com. No. 3, from CVS Health dated December 19, 2014, transmitting a report relating to prescription drugs pursuant to Act 226, SLH 2013.

Misc. Com. No. 4, letter from the Louisiana Secretary of State dated December 4, 2014, transmitting H.C.R. No. 70 of the 2014 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature.

At this time, Senator Slom rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

“Yesterday, colleagues, I created an incident here, and it was simply to get your attention and your love and compassion, which I did get. I wanted to publicly thank everyone who was concerned about me yesterday, particularly Dr. Green – it’s always important to have a doctor in the body – and our Majority Leader. I think there were many people who were involved, and I guess if this were Obamacare, I should be grateful.

“I got a complete medical makeover thanks to Dr. Green, but the EMT people who were there did assure me they were all Republicans, so I did feel safe. The only thing I was a little disappointed in was when I asked if there was a possibility that I would need mouth-to-mouth resuscitation, all my colleagues withdrew from the office. I wanted to express my thanks to you, and you know, we operate as a family here. We are together on many things. Anyway, I just wanted to say I appreciate our camaraderie; we’re all thinking of one another, and it was nice gestures and it was fully appreciated. So thank you, Madam President.”

The Chair responded in jest, noting that the members seated nearest to Senator Slom should administer mouth-to-mouth resuscitation, should the need arise.

Senator Thielen rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

“May I request a seat change, please?”

Senator Espero invited the members to an informational briefing on key initiatives in Hawai‘i’s growing aerospace industry to be held by the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs that afternoon in Conference Room 229

Senator Kahele introduced Arthur Cunningham, a United States veteran and aeronautical science consultant at the University of Hawai‘i at Hilo.

Senator Green informed the members of an informational briefing on the cost of autism spectrum disorders to be held by the Committee on Health that afternoon in Conference Room 414.

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:45 a.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Friday, January 23, 2015.

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The Army in Hawaii: Fight to Save It, Prepare to Lose It

Business leaders are right to pull out all the stops to preserve the Army's Hawaii presence at its current level, but we also need to start thinking about what comes next if major cuts are made.

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The U.S. Army stands to lose 20,000 soldiers currently stationed here in Hawaii because of budget cuts resulting from sequestration.

Schofield Barracks and Fort Shafter are among 30 possible installations the Army is evaluating for potential cuts. Come October, when a decision is expected about which bases will be affected, Hawaii could lose roughly 50,000 soldiers and civilians, or about 5 percent of Oahu's population.

The Chamber of Commerce is currently circulating a petition to "Keep Hawaii's Heroes," and the Army has scheduled two listening sessions (Jan. 27 and 28) to hear concerns from the community.

U.S. Army



It's in Hawaii's best interest economically for the Army to maintain its presence here.

Hawaii should fight to keep the Army for two main reasons: First, the chance to positively impact America's relations in the Pacific; and second, The cuts would deal a serious blow to the state's economy. But we also need to prepare to lose it.

At the Center of America's Involvement in the Pacific

Despite its challenges, Hawaii gives the Army a unique and culturally diverse perspective on the Pacific region — a region where seven of the world's 10 largest armies operate.

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From February to July, more than 1,000 Hawaii-based soldiers are deploying to Thailand, South Korea, the Philippines, Australia, Indonesia and Malaysia. The deployments are part of an initiative called Pacific Pathways, and the goal is threefold: allow U.S. soldiers to train in different environments, be forward-deployed in case of conflicts or humanitarian disasters, and engage in diplomatic, military-to-military relations.

While the exercises are definitely idiosyncratic — in its expeditionary mission, the Army resembles the Marines — they are also innovative.

Pacific Pathways allows the Army to broaden its capabilities and leverage its many resources while complementing the work Marines have long done in the region.

The Pacific theater encompasses more than half the globe. It is home to pressing security challenges such as China's increased militarization and the "ring of fire," the most disaster-prone region in the world. As U.S. Army Pacific Commander Gen. Vincent Brooks said to the Washington Post, "There's plenty of work to be done in the Pacific."

As the gateway to the Pacific, Hawaii should continue to be a key player in that work.

A Serious Blow To Hawaii's Economy

When you're sitting in traffic, the immediate loss of 5 percent of Oahu's population might seem like a great idea. Some people are even heralding the potential cuts as a sort of magic bullet — a way to alleviate overcrowding on the island and solve many of Hawaii's most intransigent problems like a lack of housing.

But this utopian vision overlooks the very drastic short-term consequences.

According to Gov. David Ige, whose first job out of college, coincidentally, was as a military consultant on Ford Island, the military generates more than \$14.7 billion in economic activity here. The Army estimates that it alone had a \$3 billion economic impact in the state last year and without it, the state's unemployment rate would double.

It is not hyperbolic to say that losing that activity so swiftly would, for the next 10 to 20 years at least, be devastating to the local economy. Without the jobs provided by Schofield Barracks, the communities of Wahiawa, Mililani, Haleiwa and Waialua would be in a freefall. What industry or employer would rush in to take its place?

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Hawaii Should be Prepared

While politicians everywhere fight tooth and nail to avoid base closures, that doesn't mean they don't still happen. As it petitions to avoid this loss, Hawaii also needs to prepare itself and look for ways to mitigate the blow.

Base closures are almost always wrenching in the short term, but some communities are more successful than others at converting military facilities to civilian uses. Fort Ord in Monterey, California, is sometimes cited as an example of this.

Fort Ord saw the loss of 35,000 people when it closed in 1994. In the 20 years since, it has established an attractive national monument, built a joint Department of Defense/Veterans Administration health care clinic, and opened California State University Monterey Bay, which now has close to 7,000 students and has repurposed crumbling barracks as dorms.

While these revitalization efforts are impressive, the fact remains that the area is still bereft of any meaningful economic activity. According to Michael Houlemard, the executive officer of the Fort Ord Reuse Authority (FORA), the negative economic impact is over a billion dollars a year. FORA says delays in everything from planning to regulatory requirements are some of the biggest barriers, even now, to reuse of the area.

If Hawaii wants to avoid Fort Ord's fate, it must fight to keep the Army here and seriously plan to lose it.

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KEEP HAWAII'S HEROES

SAVE OUR BASES, OUR COMMUNITIES DEPEND ON IT

FORT SHAFTER ★ SCHOFIELD BARRACKS**FACT SHEET**

As part of its 2020 force structure realignment, the Army is considering a proposal that would eliminate 19,800 soldiers and approximately 30,000 civilians. The total is roughly 5% of Honolulu's total population.

-16,606
SCHOFIELD
BARRACKS

-3,786
FORT
SHAFTER

-30,000
FAMILY
MEMBERS

HONOLULU'S
POPULATION **-5%**

ARMY FINDINGS

The Army conducted a Supplemental Programmatic Environmental Assessment. It looked at 14 factors.

Results were "minor to beneficial" in all categories except one: **Socioeconomic**.

Air quality
Airspace
Cultural resources
Noise
Soils
Biological resources
Wetlands

Water resources
Facilities
Socioeconomic
Energy demand and generation
Land use conflict and compatibility
Hazardous materials and hazardous waste
Traffic and transportation

WHAT WOULD BE IMPACTED?

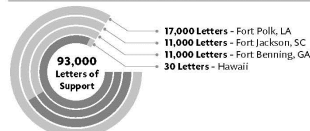
-20,000 Jobs
Impacted Industries include construction, retail, restaurants, real estate and professional/scientific/technical services

ECONOMIC IMPACT

-\$1.35 Billion
\$9.2 Million in sales tax receipts

GOALS

- CREATE AWARENESS**
 - Invite us to make a presentation at a company meeting or a community organization
 - Invite us to a community event
 - Follow our social media pages
 - Subscribe to & share our email list
- SIGN THE PETITION**
 - Sign online at KeepHawaiiHeroes.org
- ATTEND THE LISTENING SESSION**
 - Sign up online to attend the Listening Session on January 27, 2015

WHAT HAS BEEN DONE?

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THIRD DAY

Friday, January 23, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:37 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present.

The President announced that she had read and approved the Journal of the Second Day.

Senator Espero, on behalf of Senate President Kim, recognized former State Representative Corinne Ching, who was present in the gallery with her daughter, Anna Lauren Lerner, a fifth grade student at Le Jardin Academy.

Senator Tokuda extended an additional welcome to the fifth grade class of Le Jardin Academy, who were accompanied in the gallery by their student aides, parent chaperones, and teachers Suzie Gamble, Maggie Foley, and Kathy Thomas.

Senator Shimabukuro introduced Verencya Oktaviani, a student from Indonesia attending Maui High School as a participant in the Kennedy-Lugar Youth Exchange & Student (YES) Program.

Senator Nishihara introduced Boubacar Dabo, a student from Mali attending Moanalua High School as a participant in the YES Program.

Senator Ruderman introduced Roy Atallah, a student from Lebanon attending Waiākea High School as a participant in the YES Program.

Senator Gabbard introduced Benjamin Balboa III De Guzman, a student from the Philippines attending Hawai'i School for the Deaf as a participant in the YES Program.

Senator Inouye introduced Muhammad Khan, a student from Pakistan attending Parker High School as a participant in the YES Program.

Senator Thielen introduced Karma Khalaf, a student from the West Bank attending St. Andrew's Priory School as a participant in the YES Program.

Senator Slom introduced Tijana Nikic, a student from Serbia attending Parker High School as a participant in the YES Program.

Senator Kahele introduced Darya Kruglova, a student from Russia attending Maui High School as a participant in the YES Program.

The Chair extended an additional welcome to all of the exchange program students.

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the House (Hse. Com. Nos. 4 and 5) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Hse. Com. No. 4, returning S.C.R. No. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on January 22, 2015, was placed on file.

Hse. Com. No. 5, transmitting H.C.R. No. 3, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on January 22, 2015, was placed on file.

Senator Green moved that H.C.R. No. 3 be adopted, seconded by Senator Slom.

Senator Dela Cruz rose to request that remarks in support of the measure be entered in the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Dela Cruz's remarks read as follows:

"As the Army is holding its listening sessions next Tuesday and Wednesday, it was proposed that each chamber respectively introduce concurrent resolutions showing our support for our military personnel and bases.

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The Chair having so ordered, the *Civil Beat* opinion and factsheet are identified as "**ATTACHMENT A**" to the Journal of this day.

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, H.C.R. No. 3, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION STRONGLY OPPOSING THE UNITED STATES ARMY'S PROPOSED FORCE REDUCTION OF SCHOFIELD BARRACKS AND FORT SHAFTER BASES," was adopted.

INTRODUCTION OF SENATE BILLS

On motion by Senator Green seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the following bills passed First Reading by title and were referred to committee or deferred:

S.B. No. 171 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRUTH-IN-ADVERTISING."

Introduced by: Senator Dela Cruz.

Referred to: Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection

S.B. No. 172 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATERSHED PROTECTION."

Introduced by: Senator Dela Cruz.

Referred to: Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 173 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TUITION WAIVERS."

Introduced by: Senator Dela Cruz.

S.B. No. 174 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION INCENTIVES."

Introduced by: Senator Dela Cruz.

S.B. No. 175	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPOSIT BEVERAGE CONTAINER PROGRAM.”	S.B. No. 185	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT.”
Introduced by:	Senator Dela Cruz.	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Baker, Galuteria, Ihara, Shimabukuro, Thielen.
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 186	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESISTING AN ORDER TO STOP A VEHICLE.”
S.B. No. 176	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPOSIT BEVERAGE CONTAINER PROGRAM.”	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Baker, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran, Thielen.
Introduced by:	Senator Dela Cruz.	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 187	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TRAFFIC CODE.”
S.B. No. 177	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MILITIA.”	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Harimoto, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara, Galuteria, Slom.
Introduced by:	Senator Dela Cruz.	Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 178	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERANS.”	S.B. No. 188	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OPERATING A VEHICLE UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF INTOXICANTS.”
Introduced by:	Senator Dela Cruz.	Introduced by:	Senator Espero.
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 189	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SCHEDULING OF MARIJUANA.”
S.B. No. 179	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOLID WASTE REDUCTION.”	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Baker, Galuteria, Ihara, Ruderman.
Introduced by:	Senator Dela Cruz.	S.B. No. 190	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL USE OF MARIJUANA.”
S.B. No. 180	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RECYCLABLE MATERIALS.”	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Galuteria, Ruderman, Baker, Ihara.
Introduced by:	Senator Dela Cruz.	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs
S.B. No. 181	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERANS.”	S.B. No. 191	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIME REDUCTION.”
Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Baker, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran.	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Baker, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro, Thielen.
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 182	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERANS.”	S.B. No. 192	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IDENTIFICATION CARDS.”
Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Galuteria.	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Chun Oakland.
S.B. No. 183	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONCURRENT JURISDICTION.”	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Baker, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro, Slom.	S.B. No. 193	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENHANCED 911 SURCHARGES.”
S.B. No. 184	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY.”	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Baker, Galuteria.
Introduced by:	Senator Espero.		
Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means		

Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 203	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS."
		Introduced by:	Senators Riviere, Harimoto, Taniguchi, Thielen.
S.B. No. 194	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CULTURAL EXCHANGES BETWEEN HAWAII AND AFRICAN AMERICANS."	S.B. No. 204	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BEACH MANAGEMENT FOR THE NORTH SHORE OF OAHU."
Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Baker, Gabbard, Taniguchi, Wakai.	Introduced by:	Senators Riviere, Dela Cruz, English, Keith-Agaran, Ruderman, Slom, Thielen.
Referred to:	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 195	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS."	S.B. No. 205	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENTS."
Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Baker.	Introduced by:	Senators Riviere, Inouye, Espero, Galuteria, Ruderman, Slom, Thielen.
S.B. No. 196	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS."	S.B. No. 206	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."
Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Galuteria, Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran, by request.
S.B. No. 197	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS."	S.B. No. 207	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INFORMATION CHARGING."
Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Galuteria.	Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro, Wakai.
S.B. No. 198	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIME REDUCTION."	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Gabbard, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro, Ihara, Slom.	S.B. No. 208	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO USE OF INTOXICANTS WHILE OPERATING A VEHICLE."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro, Wakai.
S.B. No. 199	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT."	Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Baker, Keith-Agaran, Galuteria, Slom, Thielen.	S.B. No. 209	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRUGS."
S.B. No. 200	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION."	Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro, Baker, Tokuda, Wakai.
Introduced by:	Senators Harimoto, Espero, Inouye, Kidani, Dela Cruz, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara.	S.B. No. 210	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMES AGAINST PREGNANT WOMEN."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Kim, Shimabukuro.
S.B. No. 201	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS."	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Introduced by:	Senators Riviere, Ruderman, Thielen.	S.B. No. 211	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FORENSIC IDENTIFICATION."
S.B. No. 202	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING."	Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro.
Introduced by:	Senators Riviere, Inouye, Dela Cruz, Espero, Galuteria, Harimoto, Keith-Agaran, Ruderman, Thielen.	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 212	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE."
		Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro.
		Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 213	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PENAL CODE.”	Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Dela Cruz, English, Galuteria, Shimabukuro, Wakai.
Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Espero, Shimabukuro, English, Ihara, Ruderman.	Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 222	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII GOOD AGRICULTURAL PRACTICES.”
S.B. No. 214	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SMALL CLAIMS DIVISION OF THE DISTRICT COURT.”	Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Dela Cruz, English, Kahele, Nishihara, Ruderman, Shimabukuro.
Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Baker, English, Shimabukuro, Tokuda.	Referred to:	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 223	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC GUARDIAN.”
S.B. No. 215	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JURORS.”	Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Chun Oakland, English, Tokuda, Baker, Shimabukuro.
Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Espero, Shimabukuro, Wakai, Baker, Galuteria, Kahele, Tokuda.	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 216	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WAGES AND HOURS ON PUBLIC WORKS.”	S.B. No. 224	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FARMS.”
Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro.	Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Baker, English, Kahele, Ruderman, Shimabukuro.
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Government Operations and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 217	“A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION REGARDING FREEDOM OF SPEECH.”	S.B. No. 225	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE.”
Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Ruderman, Shimabukuro.	Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro, Baker, Wakai.
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 226	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABUSE OF FAMILY OR HOUSEHOLD MEMBER.”
S.B. No. 218	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ORDER OF SUCCESSION.”	Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro, Tokuda, Wakai.
Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Baker, Shimabukuro.	Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 219	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS.”	S.B. No. 227	“A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY OF THE COUNTY OF MAUI.”
Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Baker, Ihara, Kahele, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Tokuda, Wakai, English, Riviere.	Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Baker, English.
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 220	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN FINANCE.”	S.B. No. 228	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES.”
Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Ihara, Shimabukuro.	Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro.
Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 229	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JUVENILE JUSTICE INFORMATION.”
S.B. No. 221	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR.”	Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro.

Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Introduced by:	Senators Ihara, Ruderman.
S.B. No. 230	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESTITUTION FOR VICTIMS OF CRIME."	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Baker, Dela Cruz, Nishihara, Riviere, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Tokuda, Espero, Galuteria, Kahele, Wakai.	S.B. No. 238	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senators Ihara, Ruderman, Thielen.
S.B. No. 231	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICINE."	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Introduced by:	Senator Baker, by request.	S.B. No. 239	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COMMISSION ON SALARIES."
S.B. No. 232	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENTS."	Introduced by:	Senators Ihara, Ruderman.
Introduced by:	Senators Baker, English, Espero, Gabbard, Green, Harimoto, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Nishihara, Riviere, Ruderman, Thielen, Wakai.	S.B. No. 240	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Introduced by:	Senators Ihara, Ruderman, Thielen.
S.B. No. 233	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION."	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Kahele, Kidani, Espero, Green, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara, Riviere, Ruderman, Taniguchi, Thielen, Wakai.	S.B. No. 241	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IMPEACHMENT."
S.B. No. 234	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RETAIL EMPLOYMENT."	Introduced by:	Senators Ihara, Ruderman.
Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Green.	S.B. No. 242	"A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE III, SECTION 15, OF THE HAWAII STATE CONSTITUTION TO ALLOW ELECTRONIC COPIES, AS AN ALTERNATIVE TO PRINTED COPIES, OF A BILL TO BE MADE AVAILABLE FOR MEMBERS OF A HOUSE IN WHICH THE BILL IS BEING VOTED UPON FOR THIRD OR FINAL READING IN FULFILLMENT OF THE FORTY-EIGHT HOUR AVAILABILITY REQUIREMENT."
Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Introduced by:	Senators Ihara, Espero, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Kim, Ruderman.
S.B. No. 235	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC HEARINGS."	S.B. No. 243	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."
Introduced by:	Senators Baker, English, Gabbard, Green, Harimoto, Ihara, Inouye, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Nishihara, Riviere, Ruderman, Wakai, Espero, Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senators Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Kahele, Ruderman, Taniguchi.
S.B. No. 236	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Green, Kidani, Nishihara, Ruderman, Gabbard, Harimoto, Ihara, Inouye, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Riviere, Taniguchi, Thielen.	S.B. No. 244	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN FUNDRAISERS."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senators Ihara, Ruderman, Thielen.
S.B. No. 237	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN FINANCE."	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
		S.B. No. 245	"A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE III, SECTION 14, OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION TO ENSURE THAT NO BILL BECOMES LAW IF IT NO LONGER REFLECTS ITS ORIGINAL PURPOSE."
		Introduced by:	Senators Ihara, Harimoto, Kim, Riviere, Ruderman, Slom, Thielen.
		Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
		S.B. No. 246	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INFORMATION PRACTICES."
		Introduced by:	Senator Ihara.

S.B. No. 247	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUDGET DOCUMENTS.”	S.B. No. 257	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENTERPRISE ZONES.”
Introduced by:	Senators Tokuda, English, Keith-Agaran, Kouchi.	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Kidani, Wakai, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran, Slom.
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 248	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRUST FUNDS.”	S.B. No. 258	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS.”
Introduced by:	Senators Tokuda, English, Keith-Agaran, Kouchi.	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Dela Cruz, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara, Slom, Thielen.
S.B. No. 249	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYER-UNION HEALTH BENEFITS.”	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senators Tokuda, English, Keith-Agaran, Kouchi.	S.B. No. 259	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION.”
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Baker, Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Harimoto, Ihara, Riviere, Wakai.
S.B. No. 250	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FEDERAL FUNDS.”	Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senators Tokuda, English, Keith-Agaran, Kouchi.	S.B. No. 260	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION.”
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Harimoto, Keith-Agaran, Kim, Nishihara, Wakai, Riviere.
S.B. No. 251	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HARBORS.”	Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senators Tokuda, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara, English, Harimoto, Kouchi.	S.B. No. 261	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION.”
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senator Chun Oakland.
S.B. No. 252	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS.”	Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senator Tokuda.	S.B. No. 262	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE NURSING FACILITY SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAM.”
Referred to:	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Baker, Green, Riviere.
S.B. No. 253	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE DEBT.”	Referred to:	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senators Tokuda, English, Keith-Agaran, Kouchi.	S.B. No. 263	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KE’EHI LAGOON BEACH PARK.”
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran, Kim, Thielen, Wakai.
S.B. No. 254	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET.”	Referred to:	Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senators Tokuda, English, Keith-Agaran, Kouchi.	S.B. No. 264	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADVERTISING.”
S.B. No. 255	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS BY MAIL.”	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Espero, Green.
Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Gabbard, Baker, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran, Thielen.	Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 265	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEX TRAFFICKING.”
S.B. No. 256	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD SECURITY.”		
Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Ruderman.		

Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Espero, Nishihara, Keith-Agaran.	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 266	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF LANGUAGE ACCESS."		
Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Green, Slom.	S.B. No. 275	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEXUAL ASSAULT."
Referred to:	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Baker, Inouye, Kidani, Shimabukuro, Harimoto, Keith-Agaran, Kim, Ruderman, Thielen.
S.B. No. 267	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY."	S.B. No. 276	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELDER AND VULNERABLE ADULTS."
Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Green, Harimoto, Ihara, Kim, Riviere.	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Baker, English, Galuteria, Green, Harimoto, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Kim, Ihara, Ruderman, Shimabukuro.
Referred to:	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 268	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE."	S.B. No. 277	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."
Introduced by:	Senator Chun Oakland, by request.	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Green, Baker, Harimoto, Ihara.
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 269	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ORDER."	S.B. No. 278	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BROADBAND."
Introduced by:	Senator Chun Oakland, by request.	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Baker, English, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara, Ihara, Wakai.
Referred to:	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 270	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOMELESSNESS."	S.B. No. 279	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BROADBAND."
Introduced by:	Senator Chun Oakland, by request.	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Green, Ihara, Riviere, Wakai.
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
S.B. No. 271	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CHILD PROTECTIVE ACT."	S.B. No. 280	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BROADBAND."
Introduced by:	Senator Chun Oakland, by request.	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Baker, Green, Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Ihara, Taniguchi.
Referred to:	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 272	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY."	S.B. No. 281	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT."
Introduced by:	Senator Chun Oakland, by request.	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Riviere, Green, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara, Wakai.
S.B. No. 273	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IDENTIFICATION CARDS."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on
Introduced by:	Senator Chun Oakland.		
S.B. No. 274	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO YOUTH."		
Introduced by:	Senator Chun Oakland.		

	Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 291	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MERRIE MONARCH FESTIVAL."
S.B. No. 282	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SERVICE OF PROCESS."	Introduced by:	Senators Inouye, Galuteria, Gabbard, Green, Ihara, Kahele, Shimabukuro, Slom, Taniguchi.
Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Espero, Galuteria, Ihara.	Referred to:	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 283	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY."	S.B. No. 292	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION."
Introduced by:	Senators Kim, Kahele.	Introduced by:	Senators Inouye, Galuteria, Ruderman, Slom.
S.B. No. 284	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS TAX."	S.B. No. 293	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROPOSING AMENDMENTS TO THE UNITED STATES CONSTITUTION."
Introduced by:	Senators Kim, Kahele.	Introduced by:	Senators Inouye, by request, Green, Ruderman, Keith-Agaran, by request, Slom.
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 285	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENTAL RESPONSE, ENERGY, AND FOOD SECURITY TAX."	S.B. No. 294	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION."
Introduced by:	Senators Kim, by request, Gabbard.	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Ihara, Shimabukuro.
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 286	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF THE STATE INSPECTOR GENERAL."	S.B. No. 295	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY."
Introduced by:	Senators Kim, Ihara, Dela Cruz, Harimoto.	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Nishihara, Espero, Ihara, Keith-Agaran.
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 287	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."	S.B. No. 296	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAREGIVING."
Introduced by:	Senators Kim, Chun Oakland, Espero, Harimoto, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Ruderman.	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Ihara, English, Keith-Agaran, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Thielen.
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 288	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATION."	S.B. No. 297	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO IMPLEMENT THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE TASK FORCE ON MOBILITY MANAGEMENT, ESTABLISHED PURSUANT TO ACT 214, SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII 2013."
Introduced by:	Senators Kim, Chun Oakland, Harimoto.	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Espero, Galuteria, Green, Ihara, Nishihara, Keith-Agaran.
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means		
S.B. No. 289	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOARD OF REGENTS."		
Introduced by:	Senators Kim, Chun Oakland, Espero, Harimoto, Ihara, Ruderman, Taniguchi.		
S.B. No. 290	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHICS TRAINING."		
Introduced by:	Senators Kim, Harimoto, Ihara, Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Espero, Ruderman.		

S.B. No. 298	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH.”	Gabbard, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Riviere, Shimabukuro.
Introduced by:	Senators Green, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Baker, Espero, Gabbard, Ihara, Riviere, Shimabukuro, Wakai.	
Referred to:	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	
S.B. No. 299	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRONIC SMOKING DEVICES.”	
Introduced by:	Senators Green, Baker, Harimoto, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Riviere, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Wakai.	
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	
S.B. No. 300	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VIOLENCE AGAINST HEALTH CARE PERSONNEL.”	
Introduced by:	Senators Green, Baker, Chun Oakland, Espero, Gabbard, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Riviere, Ruderman, Shimabukuro.	
Referred to:	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	
S.B. No. 301	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH.”	
Introduced by:	Senators Green, Chun Oakland, Baker, Espero, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Wakai.	
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	
S.B. No. 302	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRUG OVERDOSE PREVENTION.”	
Introduced by:	Senators Green, Espero, Baker, English, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Riviere, Ruderman, Shimabukuro.	
S.B. No. 303	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH.”	
Introduced by:	Senators Green, Baker, Espero, Kidani, Riviere, Gabbard, Harimoto, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Kim, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Wakai.	
S.B. No. 304	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH.”	
Introduced by:	Senators Green, Espero, Baker, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Kim, Ruderman, Shimabukuro.	
Referred to:	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	
S.B. No. 305	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO USE OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS AND E-CIGARETTES ON HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION PREMISES.”	
Introduced by:	Senators Green, Baker, Chun Oakland, Harimoto, Ruderman, Wakai, Espero,	
S.B. No. 306	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH.”	
Introduced by:	Senators Green, Baker, Espero, Ruderman, Keith-Agaran, Riviere, Taniguchi.	
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	
S.B. No. 307	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH.”	
Introduced by:	Senators Green, Baker, Keith-Agaran, English, Espero, Ruderman.	
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	
S.B. No. 308	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH CORPS LOAN REPAYMENT PROGRAM.”	
Introduced by:	Senators Green, Baker, Chun Oakland, Riviere, Ruderman, Wakai, Espero, Gabbard, Harimoto, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro.	
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	
S.B. No. 309	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH EXAMINATIONS.”	
Introduced by:	Senators Green, Chun Oakland, Espero, Keith-Agaran, Riviere, Ruderman.	
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	
S.B. No. 310	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH.”	
Introduced by:	Senators Green, Baker, Chun Oakland, English, Espero, Keith-Agaran, Ruderman, Riviere, Taniguchi.	
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	
S.B. No. 311	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION.”	
Introduced by:	Senators Green, Chun Oakland, Wakai, Espero, Gabbard, Ihara, Riviere, Ruderman, Shimabukuro.	
Referred to:	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	

S.B. No. 312	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BIOSECURITY.”		Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Chun Oakland, English, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Riviere, Thielen.	S.B. No. 320	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL DISTRICTS.”
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, English, Gabbard, Green, Keith-Agaran, Riviere, Baker, Galuteria, Harimoto, Inouye, Kahele, Taniguchi, Thielen.
S.B. No. 313	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII ASSOCIATION OF CONSERVATION DISTRICTS.”	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Energy and Environment
Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Chun Oakland, English, Keith-Agaran, Riviere, Kahele, Thielen.	S.B. No. 321	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OPERATING A VEHICLE WHILE UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF AN INTOXICANT.”
Referred to:	Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Espero, Green, Shimabukuro, Baker, Chun Oakland, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Thielen.
S.B. No. 314	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION SERVICE.”	Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Baker, Harimoto, Ihara, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Riviere, Taniguchi, Espero, Galuteria.	S.B. No. 322	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WILDLIFE.”
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Baker, Chun Oakland.
S.B. No. 315	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARKING FOR DISABLED PERSONS.”	S.B. No. 323	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PESTICIDES.”
Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Green, English, Espero, Harimoto, Keith-Agaran, Riviere, Taniguchi.	Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Gabbard, Green, Shimabukuro.
Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 316	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIME VICTIM COMPENSATION.”	S.B. No. 324	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AN ART EDUCATION FACILITY.”
Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Gabbard, Riviere, Shimabukuro, Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senator Taniguchi.
S.B. No. 317	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII BUSINESS CORPORATION ACT.”	S.B. No. 325	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.”
Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Slom, Ihara, Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senator Taniguchi.
S.B. No. 318	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NATUROPATHIC PHYSICIANS.”	S.B. No. 326	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.”
Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Baker, Gabbard.	Introduced by:	Senator Taniguchi.
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 327	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.”
S.B. No. 319	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SANDALWOOD.”	Introduced by:	Senator Taniguchi.
Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Inouye, Riviere, Harimoto, Kahele.	S.B. No. 328	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOLS.”
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Judiciary and	Introduced by:	Senator Taniguchi.
		S.B. No. 329	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE.”
		Introduced by:	Senator Taniguchi.
		S.B. No. 330	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOLUCCA ALBIZIA TREES.”
		Introduced by:	Senator Taniguchi.

S.B. No. 331	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MANOA ROAD."	S.B. No. 344	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCARCERATION ALTERNATIVES."
Introduced by:	Senator Taniguchi.	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Espero, Inouye, Baker, English, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro.
S.B. No. 332	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOHANDAS KARAMCHAND GANDHI DAY."	S.B. No. 345	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PASSENGERS RIDING IN BED OF PICKUP TRUCKS."
Introduced by:	Senators Taniguchi, Chun Oakland.	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Espero, Galuteria, Harimoto, Kidani, Nishihara.
S.B. No. 333	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS."	S.B. No. 346	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATEWIDE TRAFFIC CODE."
Introduced by:	Senator Taniguchi, by request.	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Kidani, Espero, Galuteria, Ihara, Nishihara.
S.B. No. 334	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FORECLOSURE."	S.B. No. 347	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AIR POLLUTION."
Introduced by:	Senator Taniguchi, by request.	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Galuteria, Green, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Ruderman.
S.B. No. 335	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS."	S.B. No. 348	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BIODIESEL."
Introduced by:	Senator Taniguchi, by request.	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Galuteria, Green, Ihara, Ruderman, Espero, Keith-Agaran.
S.B. No. 336	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."	S.B. No. 349	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Ihara, Inouye, Shimabukuro, Espero, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara.	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Galuteria, Green, Ihara, Espero, Keith-Agaran, Ruderman.
S.B. No. 337	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."	S.B. No. 350	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY."
Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Baker, Green, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Ruderman, Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Espero, Galuteria, Green, Ihara, Ruderman, Keith-Agaran.
S.B. No. 338	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COMMUTER BENEFITS PROGRAM."	S.B. No. 351	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNEMPLOYMENT."
Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Chun Oakland, Harimoto, Espero, Inouye, Nishihara, Ruderman.	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Chun Oakland, Espero, Green, Shimabukuro, Thielen.
S.B. No. 339	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL EXCISE TAX COLLECTION DATE."	S.B. No. 352	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADOPTION RECORDS."
Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Espero, Inouye, Nishihara, Riviere, Ruderman.	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Espero, Green, Chun Oakland, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro.
S.B. No. 340	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNADJUDICATED TRAFFIC FINES."	S.B. No. 353	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RECYCLING."
Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Chun Oakland, Harimoto, Inouye, Ruderman, Espero, Nishihara.	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Inouye, Galuteria, Green, Ihara, Keith-Agaran.
S.B. No. 341	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."	S.B. No. 354	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERMITS TO ACQUIRE."
Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Inouye, Baker, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro.	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Slom.
S.B. No. 342	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT."	S.B. No. 355	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESTRAINTS OF TRADE."
Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, English, Espero, Shimabukuro, Baker, Galuteria, Inouye, Keith-Agaran.	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Espero, Green, Harimoto, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro.
S.B. No. 343	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERANS."	S.B. No. 356	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."
Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Espero, Inouye, Shimabukuro, Baker, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran.	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Chun Oakland, Ruderman, Galuteria, Riviere, Wakai.

S.B. No. 357	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH INSURANCE EXCHANGE."
Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Riviere, Ruderman, Wakai.
S.B. No. 358	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY."
Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Chun Oakland, Green, Ruderman, Galuteria, Riviere.
S.B. No. 359	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENTAL RESPONSE, ENERGY, AND FOOD SECURITY TAX."
Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Green, Riviere, Ruderman.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

The following concurrent resolution (S.C.R. No. 4) was read by the Clerk and was deferred:

S.C.R. No. 4 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF THE OLDER AMERICANS ACT AND DESIGNATING MAY AS "OLDER AMERICANS MONTH" IN HAWAII."

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, English, Shimabukuro, Thielen.

ORDER OF THE DAY**REFERRAL OF SENATE BILLS**

The President made the following committee assignments of Senate bills introduced on Thursday, January 22, 2015:

S.B. No.:	Referred to:
S.B. No. 158	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 159	Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 160	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 162	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 163	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 164	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
S.B. No. 170	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

At this time, Senator Slom rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

"We were just discussing the resolution in support of our military, and it's my understanding that in the House yesterday, they had a 45-minute debate on that resolution, resulting in a number of the members of the House voting 'with reservations' and one member of the House voting 'no' against it. Again, Madam President, I think this shows the importance of the Senate, our deliberative powers, and always taking the right position. Thank you."

Senator Thielen rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

"I just want to remind the members that we are having the staff orientation wrap-up lunch immediately after session today, so I invite you to stick around. We are going to hear – in addition to a brief orientation quiz – the dulcet tones of Senator Russell Ruderman; I think Senator Mike Gabbard, maybe due to artistic differences, is not going to be performing. (Once they get famous, they tend to go their own ways.) And then, some other surprise performances, hopefully including one from Senator Will Espero. So please join us for the lunch. Thank you."

Senator Kidani announced that the Senate and House Committees on Education would be holding a joint informational briefing that afternoon in Conference Room 309 to receive testimonies relating to the overview of the State Public Library System, Public Charter Schools, and Department of Education.

The Chair then made the following announcements:

"Today is the unlimited bill introduction deadline as well as the last day to submit non-administration bill packages; please submit all bills to the Clerk's office by 6:00 p.m. tonight."

"After today, bill limits will be in effect for the duration of the bill introduction period. You may file up to five bills each on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday of next week."

"The Senate session on Monday, January 26 will convene at 9:30 a.m., after which we will meet in Joint Session with the House to receive the Governor's State of the State address at 10:00 a.m. in the House Chamber."

"And finally, members, on your desk you will find a little memento or token that I present to all of you in the spirit of all of us working together, because that is the 'key' to our success."

INTRODUCTION OF SENATE BILLS

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried unanimously, the Clerk was authorized to receive Senate bills for introduction prior to 6:00 p.m. In consequence thereof, and subsequent to its recessing at 11:56 a.m., the following bills were introduced and placed on the calendar for further action on Monday, January 26, 2015:

S.B. No. 360	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEASUREMENTS."
Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran, by request.
S.B. No. 361	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES."
Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, English, Riviere, Shimabukuro, Kidani.
S.B. No. 362	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII CIVIL RIGHTS COMMISSION."
Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran, by request.
S.B. No. 363	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARTIAL PUBLIC FINANCING."
Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran, by request.
S.B. No. 364	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."
Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Baker, English, Galuteria, Shimabukuro, Tokuda, Kahele, Riviere, Wakai.

S.B. No. 365	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE DRIVER LICENSING.”	S.B. No. 378	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT.”
Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Baker, English, Shimabukuro, Tokuda.	Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Chun Oakland, Green, Harimoto, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro, Espero, Ihara, Riviere.
S.B. No. 366	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET.”	S.B. No. 379	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD.”
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Chun Oakland, Espero, Gabbard, Green, Harimoto, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Riviere, Shimabukuro, Slom, Thielen.
S.B. No. 367	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY.”	S.B. No. 380	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE.”
Introduced by:	Senator Kim.	Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Chun Oakland, Gabbard, Green, Harimoto, Ihara, Shimabukuro, Espero, Keith-Agaran, Riviere, Slom, Thielen.
S.B. No. 368	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING.”	S.B. No. 381	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE.”
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Chun Oakland, Espero, Gabbard, Green, Shimabukuro, Keith-Agaran, Slom, Thielen.
S.B. No. 369	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII RULEMAKING.”	S.B. No. 382	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE.”
Introduced by:	Senator Taniguchi, by request.	Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Chun Oakland, Espero, Shimabukuro, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Slom.
S.B. No. 370	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.”	S.B. No. 383	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARIJUANA.”
Introduced by:	Senator Taniguchi, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Taniguchi, by request.
S.B. No. 371	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.”	S.B. No. 384	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADDRESS CONFIDENTIALITY.”
Introduced by:	Senator Taniguchi, by request.	Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Chun Oakland, Inouye, Kidani, Kim, Shimabukuro, Tokuda, Thielen.
S.B. No. 372	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII ACCOUNTING AND FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT SYSTEM.”	S.B. No. 385	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CANCER.”
Introduced by:	Senator Taniguchi, by request.	Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Chun Oakland, Inouye, Kidani, Shimabukuro, Kim, Thielen, Tokuda.
S.B. No. 373	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII CONFERENCE CENTER.”	S.B. No. 386	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE.”
Introduced by:	Senator Taniguchi, by request.	Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Chun Oakland, Shimabukuro, Tokuda, Inouye, Kidani, Kim, Thielen.
S.B. No. 374	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DUAL CREDIT PROGRAMS.”	S.B. No. 387	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFIRMATIVE CONSENT.”
Introduced by:	Senator Taniguchi, by request.	Introduced by:	Senators Shimabukuro, Chun Oakland, Inouye, Kidani, Kim, Thielen, Tokuda, Baker.
S.B. No. 375	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INDUSTRIAL HEMP.”	S.B. No. 388	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POLICE DEPARTMENTS.”
Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Chun Oakland, Espero, Green, Ihara, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Slom, Riviere, Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senators Thielen, Baker, Chun Oakland, Inouye, Kidani, Kim, Shimabukuro, Tokuda.
S.B. No. 376	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A FARM TO SCHOOL PROGRAM.”		
Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Chun Oakland, Gabbard, Green, Harimoto, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro, Espero, Slom, Thielen.		
S.B. No. 377	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD.”		
Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Chun Oakland, Espero, Gabbard, Green, Ihara, Shimabukuro, Slom, Keith-Agaran, Thielen.		

S.B. No. 389	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POLICE COMMISSIONS.”	S.B. No. 403	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUOR LICENSES.”
Introduced by:	Senators Thielen, Baker, Chun Oakland, Inouye, Kim, Shimabukuro, Tokuda.	Introduced by:	Senator Kouchi, by request.
S.B. No. 390	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE.”	S.B. No. 404	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY.”
Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Baker, Inouye, Shimabukuro, Kim.	Introduced by:	Senator Kouchi, by request.
S.B. No. 391	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PSYCHOLOGISTS.”	S.B. No. 405	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABUSE OF FAMILY OR HOUSEHOLD MEMBER.”
Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Baker, Inouye, Shimabukuro, Tokuda, Chun Oakland, Kim, Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
S.B. No. 392	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING.”	S.B. No. 406	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION PRIMARY CARE TRAINING PROGRAM.”
Introduced by:	Senators Shimabukuro, Baker, Chun Oakland, Inouye, Kidani.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
S.B. No. 393	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATEWIDE SEXUAL ASSAULT SERVICES.”	S.B. No. 407	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EVIDENCE.”
Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Baker, Inouye, Shimabukuro, Kidani, Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
S.B. No. 394	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH.”	S.B. No. 408	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS TAX.”
Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Baker, Chun Oakland, Inouye, Shimabukuro, Kim, Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
S.B. No. 395	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH.”	S.B. No. 409	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ZONING.”
Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Baker, Chun Oakland, Shimabukuro, Inouye, Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
S.B. No. 396	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POLICE DEPARTMENTS.”	S.B. No. 410	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMUNITY MEETINGS.”
Introduced by:	Senators Thielen, Baker, Shimabukuro, Chun Oakland.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
S.B. No. 397	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.”	S.B. No. 411	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INDUSTRIAL HEMP.”
Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Baker, Chun Oakland, Inouye, Shimabukuro, Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
S.B. No. 398	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH.”	S.B. No. 412	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS TAX.”
Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Baker, Chun Oakland, Shimabukuro, Inouye, Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
S.B. No. 399	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOBACCO PRODUCTS.”	S.B. No. 413	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EVIDENCE.”
Introduced by:	Senators Kouchi, Green.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
S.B. No. 400	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOBACCO PRODUCTS.”	S.B. No. 414	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ZONING.”
Introduced by:	Senators Kouchi, Green.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
S.B. No. 401	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION.”	S.B. No. 415	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BICYCLE SIGNALS.”
Introduced by:	Senators Kouchi, Green.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
S.B. No. 402	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION.”	S.B. No. 416	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CYCLE TRACKS.”
Introduced by:	Senator Kouchi.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
		S.B. No. 417	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRIC BICYCLES.”
		Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.

S.B. No. 418	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OVERTAKING A BICYCLIST."	S.B. No. 432	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNLAWFUL INTERNET POSTING OF PERSONAL INFORMATION."
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
S.B. No. 419	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NEIGHBORHOOD BOARDS."	S.B. No. 433	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCARCERATED PARENTS."
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
S.B. No. 420	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NEIGHBORHOOD BOARDS."	S.B. No. 434	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATED TO AGRICULTURE."
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
S.B. No. 421	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS."	S.B. No. 435	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN PLANTS."
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
S.B. No. 422	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS."	S.B. No. 436	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAINING."
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
S.B. No. 423	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO APPROPRIATIONS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU."	S.B. No. 437	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE IMMERSION PROGRAM."
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
S.B. No. 424	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE HONOLULU FAMILY JUSTICE CENTER."	S.B. No. 438	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET OF THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS."
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
S.B. No. 425	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TORT LIABILITY."	S.B. No. 439	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOTER REGISTRATION."
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
S.B. No. 426	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."	S.B. No. 440	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VACANCIES."
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
S.B. No. 427	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM INFORMATION PRACTICES ACT."	S.B. No. 441	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATED TO ABSENTEE VOTING."
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
S.B. No. 428	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY."	S.B. No. 442	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERMANENT ABSENTEE BALLOTS."
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
S.B. No. 429	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVER EDUCATION AND TRAINING FUND."	S.B. No. 443	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOBBYING CONTRIBUTIONS AND EXPENDITURES STATEMENTS."
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
S.B. No. 430	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SMALL CLAIMS DIVISION OF THE DISTRICT COURT."	S.B. No. 444	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOBBYING EXPENDITURES."
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
S.B. No. 431	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JUDGES."	S.B. No. 445	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VIOLATIONS OF THE LOBBYISTS LAW."
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
		S.B. No. 446	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MANDATORY ETHICS TRAINING."
		Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.

S.B. No. 447	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADVISORY OPINIONS BY THE STATE ETHICS COMMISSION.”	Introduced by: Senator Kim, by request.	COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS.”	Introduced by: Senator Kim, by request.
S.B. No. 448	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ETHICS CODE.”	Introduced by: Senator Kim, by request.	S.B. No. 462	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS POSSESSION.”
S.B. No. 449	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ETHICS CODE.”	Introduced by: Senator Kim, by request.	S.B. No. 463	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOLAR ENERGY.”
S.B. No. 450	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NEPOTISM.”	Introduced by: Senator Kim, by request.	S.B. No. 464	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION.”
S.B. No. 451	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONFLICTS OF INTEREST.”	Introduced by: Senator Kim, by request.	S.B. No. 465	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT RECORDS.”
S.B. No. 452	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING.”	Introduced by: Senator Kim, by request.	S.B. No. 466	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTRACTORS.”
S.B. No. 453	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIRE SPRINKLERS.”	Introduced by: Senator Kim, by request.	S.B. No. 467	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIDUCIARY ACCESS TO DIGITAL ASSETS.”
S.B. No. 454	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS.”	Introduced by: Senator Kim, by request.	S.B. No. 468	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SELECTIVE SERVICE REGISTRATION AWARENESS AND COMPLIANCE ACT.”
S.B. No. 455	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS.”	Introduced by: Senator Kim, by request.	S.B. No. 469	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DAM AND RESERVOIR SAFETY.”
S.B. No. 456	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS.”	Introduced by: Senator Kim, by request.	S.B. No. 470	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KAHOLAWE ISLAND RESERVE.”
S.B. No. 457	“A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS.”	Introduced by: Senator Kim, by request.	S.B. No. 471	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROTECTIVE ORDERS.”
S.B. No. 458	“A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS.”	Introduced by: Senator Kim, by request.	S.B. No. 472	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF INFORMATION PRACTICES.”
S.B. No. 459	“A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS.”	Introduced by: Senator Kim, by request.	S.B. No. 473	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS.”
S.B. No. 460	“A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS.”	Introduced by: Senator Kim, by request.		
S.B. No. 461	“A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR			

S.B. No. 474	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SECURE AND FAIR ENFORCEMENT FOR MORTGAGE LICENSING ACT.”	S.B. No. 488	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY.”
Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, English.	Introduced by:	Senator Chun Oakland.
S.B. No. 475	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OPEN GOVERNMENT.”	S.B. No. 489	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ECONOMY.”
Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Ihara, Shimabukuro, Tokuda.	Introduced by:	Senator Chun Oakland.
S.B. No. 476	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISCLOSURES.”	S.B. No. 490	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUOR.”
Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Ihara, Shimabukuro.	Introduced by:	Senator Chun Oakland.
S.B. No. 477	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC HOUSING.”	S.B. No. 491	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT.”
Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Inouye, Dela Cruz, Riviere.	Introduced by:	Senator Chun Oakland.
S.B. No. 478	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY.”	S.B. No. 492	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILDREN.”
Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Inouye, Dela Cruz, Harimoto.	Introduced by:	Senator Chun Oakland.
S.B. No. 479	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROSTITUTION.”	S.B. No. 493	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION.”
Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Espero, Inouye, Riviere.	Introduced by:	Senator Chun Oakland.
S.B. No. 480	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FACILITIES FOR MAEMAE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL.”	S.B. No. 494	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD VISITATION.”
Introduced by:	Senator Chun Oakland.	Introduced by:	Senators Thielen, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Green, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Baker, Espero, Keith-Agaran, Kouchi, Riviere.
S.B. No. 481	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES.”	S.B. No. 495	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT.”
Introduced by:	Senator Chun Oakland.	Introduced by:	Senators Thielen, Chun Oakland, Ruderman, Gabbard, Shimabukuro.
S.B. No. 482	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ECONOMY.”	S.B. No. 496	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EVIDENCE.”
Introduced by:	Senator Chun Oakland.	Introduced by:	Senators Thielen, Chun Oakland, Ihara, Ruderman, Gabbard, Shimabukuro.
S.B. No. 483	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FORESTRY.”	S.B. No. 497	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POLICE DEPARTMENTS.”
Introduced by:	Senator Chun Oakland.	Introduced by:	Senators Thielen, Baker, Espero, Ruderman, Kim, Shimabukuro.
S.B. No. 484	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION.”	S.B. No. 498	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WASTE MANAGEMENT.”
Introduced by:	Senator Chun Oakland.	Introduced by:	Senators Thielen, Galuteria, Ihara, Riviere, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Slom.
S.B. No. 485	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION.”	S.B. No. 499	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS.”
Introduced by:	Senator Chun Oakland.	Introduced by:	Senators Thielen, Shimabukuro, Ihara, Ruderman, Slom.
S.B. No. 486	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES.”	S.B. No. 500	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS.”
Introduced by:	Senator Chun Oakland.	Introduced by:	Senators Thielen, Shimabukuro, Ihara, Ruderman, Slom.
S.B. No. 487	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION.”	S.B. No. 501	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT.”
Introduced by:	Senator Chun Oakland.	Introduced by:	Senators Thielen, Shimabukuro, Chun Oakland, Gabbard, Ruderman.

S.B. No. 502	“A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE DIVISION OF CONSERVATION AND RESOURCES ENFORCEMENT.”	Introduced by:	Senators Thielen, Chun Oakland, English, Gabbard, Riviere, Ruderman, Shimabukuro.
Introduced by:	Senators Thielen, Galuteria, Ruderman, Ihara, Riviere, Shimabukuro, Slom.	S.B. No. 513	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNAUTHORIZED ENTRY INTO MOTOR VEHICLE.”
S.B. No. 503	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES.”	Introduced by:	Senators Thielen, Keith-Agaran, Galuteria, Kim, Ruderman, Shimabukuro.
Introduced by:	Senators Thielen, Gabbard, Galuteria, Riviere, Ruderman, Ihara, Shimabukuro, Slom.	S.B. No. 514	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THEFT OF PERSONAL ELECTRONIC DEVICES.”
S.B. No. 504	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION.”	Introduced by:	Senators Thielen, Chun Oakland, Keith-Agaran, Galuteria, Kim, Riviere, Ruderman, Shimabukuro.
Introduced by:	Senator Thielen.	S.B. No. 515	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PAWNBROKERS AND SECONDHAND DEALERS.”
S.B. No. 505	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE STATEMENTS.”	Introduced by:	Senators Thielen, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran, Kim, Nishihara, Riviere, Ruderman, Shimabukuro.
Introduced by:	Senators Thielen, Ruderman, Espero, Gabbard, Ihara, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Shimabukuro, Slom.	S.B. No. 516	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SALES ADVERTISEMENTS FOR STOLEN PROPERTY.”
S.B. No. 506	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOBBYISTS.”	Introduced by:	Senators Thielen, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Kim, Nishihara, Riviere, Ruderman, Shimabukuro.
Introduced by:	Senators Thielen, Ihara, Ruderman, Gabbard, Shimabukuro.	S.B. No. 517	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRONIC MONITORING OF CRIMINAL OFFENDERS.”
S.B. No. 507	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOBBYISTS.”	Introduced by:	Senators Thielen, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Kim, Riviere, Shimabukuro.
Introduced by:	Senators Thielen, Ihara, Ruderman, Espero, Gabbard, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro, Wakai.	S.B. No. 518	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND TRANSFER.”
S.B. No. 508	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN FINANCE.”	Introduced by:	Senator Thielen.
Introduced by:	Senators Thielen, Dela Cruz, Espero, Gabbard, Ihara, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Slom, Taniguchi, Wakai.	S.B. No. 519	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION.”
S.B. No. 509	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.”	Introduced by:	Senator Thielen.
Introduced by:	Senators Thielen, Gabbard, Kidani, Ruderman, Dela Cruz, English, Espero, Ihara, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro, Slom, Taniguchi, Wakai.	S.B. No. 520	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY.”
S.B. No. 510	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LANDS MANAGED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND THE AGRIBUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION.”	Introduced by:	Senator Thielen, by request.
Introduced by:	Senators Thielen, Chun Oakland, Gabbard, Riviere, Ruderman, Shimabukuro.	S.B. No. 521	“A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO WAIMEA NUI COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION.”
S.B. No. 511	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LAND USE COMMISSION.”	Introduced by:	Senators Inouye, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Kidani, Ruderman, Slom, Wakai.
Introduced by:	Senators Thielen, Chun Oakland, Riviere, Ruderman, Shimabukuro.	S.B. No. 522	“A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO HA OLA O WAIPI‘O VALLEY.”
S.B. No. 512	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE.”	Introduced by:	Senators Inouye, Chun Oakland, Ruderman, Galuteria, Kidani, Riviere, Slom, Wakai.

S.B. No. 523	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAIR PUBLIC ACCESS.”	S.B. No. 532	“A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO MOOKINI LUAKINI, INC.”
Introduced by:	Senators Inouye, Chun Oakland, Ihara, Kidani, Riviere, Ruderman, Galuteria, Shimabukuro, Slom, Thielen, Wakai.	Introduced by:	Senators Inouye, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Kidani, Ruderman, Slom, Wakai.
S.B. No. 524	“A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING A GRANT TO THE HAWAII COUNTY OFFICE OF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY.”	S.B. No. 533	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT.”
Introduced by:	Senators Inouye, Ruderman, Galuteria, Kidani, Riviere, Wakai.	Introduced by:	Senators Inouye, Kidani, Ruderman, Slom, Wakai.
S.B. No. 525	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COMMISSION ON WATER RESOURCE MANAGEMENT.”	S.B. No. 534	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS TAX.”
Introduced by:	Senators Inouye, Chun Oakland, Kidani, Riviere, Ruderman, Baker, Gabbard, Galuteria, Shimabukuro, Slom, Thielen, Wakai.	Introduced by:	Senators Kahele, Chun Oakland, Green, Inouye, Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Riviere, Ruderman, Wakai.
S.B. No. 526	“A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION TO REQUIRE THE REAPPORTIONMENT COMMISSION TO INCLUDE MEMBERS FROM EACH OF THE FOUR BASIC ISLAND UNITS.”	S.B. No. 535	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION.”
Introduced by:	Senators Inouye, Gabbard, Galuteria, Kidani, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Slom, Wakai.	Introduced by:	Senators Kahele, Chun Oakland, Green, Inouye, Ruderman, Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran, Riviere, Slom, Thielen.
S.B. No. 527	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EARLY LEARNING.”	S.B. No. 536	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOURISM STIMULUS INITIATIVES.”
Introduced by:	Senators Inouye, Chun Oakland, Green, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Riviere, Ruderman, Baker, Gabbard, Galuteria, Ihara, Kahele, Shimabukuro, Slom, Thielen, Wakai.	Introduced by:	Senators Kahele, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Inouye, Dela Cruz, English, Harimoto, Riviere, Slom.
S.B. No. 528	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION.”	S.B. No. 537	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN FISHPONDS.”
Introduced by:	Senators Inouye, Galuteria, Kidani, Slom, Wakai, Gabbard, Ihara, Kahele, Riviere, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Taniguchi, Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senators Kahele, Galuteria, Inouye, Ruderman, English, Riviere, Slom.
S.B. No. 529	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION.”	S.B. No. 538	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NATURAL RESOURCES.”
Introduced by:	Senators Inouye, Kidani, Galuteria, Ruderman, Slom, Wakai.	Introduced by:	Senators Kahele, English, Galuteria, Riviere, Ruderman, Slom, Thielen.
S.B. No. 530	“A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS TO THE KAMUELA VACUUM COOLING PLANT.”	S.B. No. 539	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS.”
Introduced by:	Senators Inouye, Chun Oakland, Kidani, Galuteria, Kahele, Riviere, Ruderman, Slom, Wakai.	Introduced by:	Senators Kahele, Galuteria, Inouye, Ruderman, Keith-Agaran, Slom.
S.B. No. 531	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION.”	S.B. No. 540	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER QUALITY CERTIFICATION.”
Introduced by:	Senators Inouye, Baker, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Green, Kidani, Ruderman, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro.	Introduced by:	Senators Kahele, Galuteria, Ruderman, Slom, Thielen.
		S.B. No. 541	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUM CONVERSIONS.”
		Introduced by:	Senators Riviere, Chun Oakland, Inouye, Ruderman.
		S.B. No. 542	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT.”
		Introduced by:	Senators Riviere, Baker, Ruderman, Inouye.
		S.B. No. 543	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ACCOUNTANCY.”
		Introduced by:	Senator Tokuda.

S.B. No. 544	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NATURAL RESOURCES."	S.B. No. 558	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERNET CRIMES AGAINST CHILDREN."
Introduced by:	Senator Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran.
S.B. No. 545	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NATURAL RESOURCES."	S.B. No. 559	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MILITARY."
Introduced by:	Senator Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Ihara, Shimabukuro, Slom.
S.B. No. 546	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FRANCHISES."	S.B. No. 560	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY LEAVE."
Introduced by:	Senators Wakai, Inouye, Espero.	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Baker, Galuteria, Ihara, Shimabukuro, Thielen.
S.B. No. 547	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE FOUNDATION ON CULTURE AND THE ARTS."	S.B. No. 561	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY."
Introduced by:	Senators Wakai, Dela Cruz, Kidani, Nishihara, Riviere, Slom.	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Baker, Gabbard, Shimabukuro, Slom.
S.B. No. 548	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTRACTORS."	S.B. No. 562	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY."
Introduced by:	Senators Wakai, Riviere, Slom.	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Baker, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran.
S.B. No. 549	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UMBILICAL CORD BLOOD DONATION."	S.B. No. 563	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY."
Introduced by:	Senators Wakai, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Slom.	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Ruderman, Baker, Galuteria, Riviere, Wakai.
S.B. No. 550	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."	S.B. No. 564	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONS."
Introduced by:	Senators Wakai, Inouye, Riviere, Slom, Taniguchi.	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Baker, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran, Ruderman, Riviere.
S.B. No. 551	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HELMETS."	S.B. No. 565	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONS."
Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Baker, Harimoto, Nishihara.	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Baker, Galuteria, Ihara, Shimabukuro, Thielen.
S.B. No. 552	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PICKUP TRUCKS."	S.B. No. 566	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES."
Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Ihara, Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Baker, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro.
S.B. No. 553	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAX."	S.B. No. 567	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PAROLE."
Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Chun Oakland, Harimoto, Green.	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Baker, Galuteria, Shimabukuro.
S.B. No. 554	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAX CREDITS."	S.B. No. 568	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A LAW ENFORCEMENT STANDARDS BOARD."
Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Chun Oakland, Green, Harimoto, Riviere.	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Baker, Green, Ihara, Kahele, Ruderman, Chun Oakland, Gabbard, Harimoto, Kim, Nishihara, Riviere, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Wakai.
S.B. No. 555	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX CREDITS."	S.B. No. 569	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THEFT."
Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Chun Oakland, Green, Riviere.	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Baker, Galuteria, Shimabukuro.
S.B. No. 556	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."		
Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Chun Oakland, Green.		
S.B. No. 557	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TATTOOS."		
Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Baker, Wakai.		

S.B. No. 570	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EVIDENCE.”	Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Baker, Chun Oakland, Green, Harimoto, Keith-Agaran, English, Espero, Gabbard, Riviere, Shimabukuro, Thielen.
Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Shimabukuro.		
S.B. No. 571	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RETENTION OF BIOLOGICAL EVIDENCE.”	S.B. No. 582	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CITATION QUOTAS.”
Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Galuteria, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro, Slom.	Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Riviere, Baker, English, Espero, Shimabukuro.
S.B. No. 572	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SERVICE OF LEGAL PROCESS.”	S.B. No. 583	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE.”
Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Baker, Ihara, Shimabukuro, Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Chun Oakland, English, Espero, Green, Harimoto, Keith-Agaran, Riviere, Thielen.
S.B. No. 573	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OCEAN SAFETY.”	S.B. No. 584	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IRRIGATION.”
Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Espero, Galuteria, Green, Shimabukuro.	Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Espero, Gabbard, Keith-Agaran, Green, Kahele, Riviere.
S.B. No. 574	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABUSE OF FAMILY OR HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS.”	S.B. No. 585	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH.”
Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Espero, Riviere, Gabbard, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro, Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Espero.
S.B. No. 575	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION.”	S.B. No. 586	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.”
Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Gabbard, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Inouye.	Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Green, Kahele, Shimabukuro, Thielen.
S.B. No. 576	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH.”	S.B. No. 587	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FRIVOLOUS COMPLAINTS.”
Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Baker, Chun Oakland, Inouye, Espero, Kahele, Riviere, Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Espero, Galuteria, Shimabukuro.
S.B. No. 577	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN FINANCE.”	S.B. No. 588	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE.”
Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Green, Baker, Espero, Harimoto, Inouye, Riviere, Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Green, Shimabukuro, Espero, Gabbard, Keith-Agaran, Riviere, Thielen.
S.B. No. 578	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS.”	S.B. No. 589	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE.”
Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Espero, Green, Inouye, Baker, Galuteria, Harimoto, Keith-Agaran, Riviere, Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Baker, Gabbard, Inouye.
S.B. No. 579	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNMANNED AIRCRAFTS.”	S.B. No. 590	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRUELTY TO ANIMALS.”
Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Baker, Espero, Harimoto, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Riviere, Shimabukuro.	Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Chun Oakland, Ihara, Thielen.
S.B. No. 580	“A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE PUNA COMMUNITY MEDICAL CENTER.”	S.B. No. 591	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT.”
Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Green, Espero, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro, Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Green, Kahele, Shimabukuro, Thielen.
S.B. No. 581	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX CREDITS.”	S.B. No. 592	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE.”
		Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Green, Espero, Shimabukuro, Thielen.
		S.B. No. 593	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE.”
		Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Espero, Gabbard, Green, Riviere, Thielen.

S.B. No. 594	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COFFEE.”		Galuteria, Inouye, Kidani, Kouchi, Riviere, Taniguchi, Thielen, Wakai.
Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Espero, Gabbard, Green, Harimoto, Inouye, Shimabukuro.	S.B. No. 607	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENTAL MOTOR VEHICLES.”
S.B. No. 595	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL MARIJUANA.”	Introduced by:	Senators Nishihara, Kidani, Baker, Espero, Galuteria, Kahele, Wakai.
Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, English, Espero, Gabbard, Riviere, Shimabukuro.	S.B. No. 608	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BLIND PEDESTRIAN SAFETY.”
S.B. No. 596	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARIJUANA.”	Introduced by:	Senators Nishihara, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Slom, Wakai.
Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, English, Espero, Gabbard, Shimabukuro.	S.B. No. 609	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX RELIEF.”
S.B. No. 597	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS.”	Introduced by:	Senators Nishihara, Espero, Galuteria, Inouye.
Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Gabbard, Harimoto, Slom, Espero.	S.B. No. 610	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE.”
S.B. No. 598	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE.”	Introduced by:	Senators Nishihara, Kidani, Inouye, Wakai.
Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Gabbard, Green, Riviere.	S.B. No. 611	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO USE OF INTOXICANTS WHILE OPERATING A VEHICLE.”
S.B. No. 599	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS.”	Introduced by:	Senators Nishihara, Inouye, Dela Cruz, Espero, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Kouchi, Slom.
Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Slom, Ihara, Shimabukuro.	S.B. No. 612	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROBATION.”
S.B. No. 600	“A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR KUA O KA LA PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL AND THE HAWAII ACADEMY OF ARTS AND SCIENCE PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL.”	Introduced by:	Senators Nishihara, Espero, Inouye, Dela Cruz, Harimoto, Kidani, Kouchi, Slom.
Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Green, Shimabukuro, Thielen.	S.B. No. 613	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PENALTIES.”
S.B. No. 601	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRIVACY.”	Introduced by:	Senators Nishihara, Espero, Harimoto, Inouye, Kidani, Dela Cruz, Keith-Agaran, Kouchi.
Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Baker, Chun Oakland, Inouye.	S.B. No. 614	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FOURTEENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT.”
S.B. No. 602	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARTIAL PUBLIC FINANCING.”	Introduced by:	Senator Kim.
Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Green, Espero.	S.B. No. 615	“A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE VI, SECTION 3, OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII.”
S.B. No. 603	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN FINANCE.”	Introduced by:	Senators Kim, English, Espero, Green, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Tokuda, Kahele, Taniguchi.
Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Green.	S.B. No. 616	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION.”
S.B. No. 604	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE.”	Introduced by:	Senator Kim.
Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Chun Oakland, Riviere.	S.B. No. 617	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BEACH PROTECTION.”
S.B. No. 605	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TORT LIABILITY.”	Introduced by:	Senators Kim, Chun Oakland, Gabbard, Kahele, Thielen.
Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Espero, Shimabukuro, Riviere, Slom.	S.B. No. 618	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEAWATER AIR CONDITIONING.”
S.B. No. 606	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JURORS.”	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
Introduced by:	Senators Nishihara, Ruderman, Baker, Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Espero,		

S.B. No. 619	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST SEAWATER AIR CONDITIONING PROJECTS ON OAHU.”	S.B. No. 632	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ASSET FORFEITURE.”
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Dela Cruz.
S.B. No. 620	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEAWATER AIR CONDITIONING.”	S.B. No. 633	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MILITARY.”
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Dela Cruz.
S.B. No. 621	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING.”	S.B. No. 634	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.”
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Introduced by:	Senators Dela Cruz, Chun Oakland, Harimoto, Kidani, Nishihara, Galuteria, Inouye, Kahele, Wakai.
S.B. No. 622	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ELECTIONS COMMISSION.”	S.B. No. 635	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SERVICE LEGAL LOAN REPAYMENT ASSISTANCE.”
Introduced by:	Senators Ihara, Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Nishihara, Riviere, Taniguchi.	Introduced by:	Senator Taniguchi, by request.
S.B. No. 623	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS.”	S.B. No. 636	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.”
Introduced by:	Senator Ihara.	Introduced by:	Senator Taniguchi, by request.
S.B. No. 624	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEGISLATIVE PROVISIONS.”	S.B. No. 637	“A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION TO DIVEST EXCLUSIVE JURISDICTION OF THE BOARD OF REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII OVER THE INTERNAL STRUCTURE, MANAGEMENT, AND OPERATION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.”
Introduced by:	Senators Ihara, Dela Cruz, Riviere.	Introduced by:	Senator Taniguchi, by request.
S.B. No. 625	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS.”	S.B. No. 638	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING.”
Introduced by:	Senators Ihara, Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Nishihara, Riviere.	Introduced by:	Senator Taniguchi.
S.B. No. 626	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHICS.”	S.B. No. 639	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISPOSABLE CONTAINERS.”
Introduced by:	Senators Ihara, Dela Cruz, Riviere.	Introduced by:	Senator Taniguchi.
S.B. No. 627	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGH TECHNOLOGY.”	S.B. No. 640	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESISTING ARREST.”
Introduced by:	Senator Dela Cruz, Chun Oakland, Inouye, Kahele, Kidani, Nishihara, Wakai.	Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Kahele, Shimabukuro.
S.B. No. 628	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY FACILITIES.”	S.B. No. 641	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DIGITAL MEDIA.”
Introduced by:	Senators Dela Cruz, Chun Oakland, Kidani, Nishihara, Wakai.	Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Baker, English, Tokuda, Ihara, Shimabukuro.
S.B. No. 629	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO URBAN WATER CONSERVATION.”	S.B. No. 642	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION.”
Introduced by:	Senators Dela Cruz, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Inouye, Kahele, Kidani, Nishihara, Wakai, Espero, Harimoto, Taniguchi.	Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Baker, English, Ruderman, Tokuda, Shimabukuro, Wakai.
S.B. No. 630	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION.”	S.B. No. 643	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD VISITATION.”
Introduced by:	Senators Dela Cruz, Espero, Inouye, Kidani, Kouchi, Nishihara, Wakai.	Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Baker, Dela Cruz, Ruderman, Thielen.
S.B. No. 631	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION.”	S.B. No. 644	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMALS.”
Introduced by:	Senator Dela Cruz, by request.	Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro.

S.B. No. 645	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY."	S.B. No. 660	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE NINETEENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT."
Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Baker, English, Tokuda, Wakai, Galuteria, Kahele, Nishihara, Shimabukuro.	Introduced by:	Senator Espero.
S.B. No. 646	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY."	S.B. No. 661	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNMANNED AERIAL SYSTEMS TEST SITES."
Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, English, Shimabukuro, Tokuda.	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Baker, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran.
S.B. No. 647	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOBBYISTS."	S.B. No. 662	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS."
Introduced by:	Senators Ihara, Espero, Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Galuteria.
S.B. No. 648	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHICS."	S.B. No. 663	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS."
Introduced by:	Senator Ihara.	Introduced by:	Senator Espero.
S.B. No. 649	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WRONGFUL IMPRISONMENT."	S.B. No. 664	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONS."
Introduced by:	Senators Ihara, Espero, Keith-Agaran, Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro, Thielen.
S.B. No. 650	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGNS."	S.B. No. 665	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRISONS."
Introduced by:	Senators Ihara, Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran.
S.B. No. 651	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHICS."	S.B. No. 666	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARIJUANA."
Introduced by:	Senators Ihara, Espero, Keith-Agaran, Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Galuteria.
S.B. No. 652	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC AGENCY MEETINGS."	S.B. No. 667	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAID."
Introduced by:	Senators Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Chun Oakland, Espero, Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Galuteria.
S.B. No. 653	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOBBYISTS."	S.B. No. 668	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REGISTRY OF CLEAN AND SOBER HOMES."
Introduced by:	Senators Ihara, Espero, Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Galuteria.
S.B. No. 654	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGNS."	S.B. No. 669	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VIETNAM WAR COMMEMORATION."
Introduced by:	Senators Ihara, Espero, Keith-Agaran, Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran.
S.B. No. 655	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHICS."	S.B. No. 670	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMAL TRANSPORT."
Introduced by:	Senators Ihara, Keith-Agaran.	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Inouye.
S.B. No. 656	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SENTENCING FOR PUBLIC EMPLOYEES."	S.B. No. 671	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL SPACE CENTER FOR EXPLORATION SYSTEMS' BASALT REBAR INITIATIVE."
Introduced by:	Senator Ihara.	Introduced by:	Senator Espero.
S.B. No. 657	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN FINANCE."	S.B. No. 672	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL SPACE CENTER FOR EXPLORATION SYSTEMS."
Introduced by:	Senator Ihara.	Introduced by:	Senator Espero.
S.B. No. 658	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INFORMATION PRACTICES."		
Introduced by:	Senator Ihara.		
S.B. No. 659	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT RECORDS."		
Introduced by:	Senator Ihara.		

S.B. No. 673	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL SPACE CENTER FOR EXPLORATION SYSTEMS.”	S.B. No. 687	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESIDENTIAL REAL PROPERTY.”
Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Galuteria.	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Espero, Ihara, Inouye, Nishihara, Wakai.
S.B. No. 674	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WILDLIFE PROTECTION.”	S.B. No. 688	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CLOTHESLINES.”
Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Keith-Agaran, Kahele, Nishihara.	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Espero, Ihara, Riviere, Taniguchi, Wakai.
S.B. No. 675	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREFIGHTERS.”	S.B. No. 689	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION.”
Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Galuteria.	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Green, Inouye, Ihara, Riviere, Wakai.
S.B. No. 676	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CAPITAL INFRASTRUCTURE TAX CREDIT.”	S.B. No. 690	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FORFEITURE.”
Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Inouye, Nishihara.	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Keith-Agaran, Baker, Galuteria, Inouye, Shimabukuro.
S.B. No. 677	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT.”	S.B. No. 691	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEVICES WITH MONETARY PAYOUTS.”
Introduced by:	Senator Espero.	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Baker, Harimoto, Kidani, Kouchi, Nishihara, Riviere, Ruderman.
S.B. No. 678	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT.”	S.B. No. 692	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PESTICIDES.”
Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Baker.	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Chun Oakland, Green, Ruderman, Galuteria, Ihara.
S.B. No. 679	“A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE I OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII RELATING TO THE RIGHTS OF VICTIMS OF CRIME.”	S.B. No. 693	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES’ RETIREMENT SYSTEM.”
Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Galuteria.	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Green, Keith-Agaran, Espero, Ihara, Shimabukuro.
S.B. No. 680	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESISTING ARREST.”	S.B. No. 694	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTY SURCHARGE ON STATE TAX.”
Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Galuteria.	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Riviere, Baker, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Nishihara.
S.B. No. 681	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARIJUANA.”	S.B. No. 695	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICINE.”
Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Galuteria.	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Dela Cruz, Kidani, Baker, Keith-Agaran, Ruderman, Wakai.
S.B. No. 682	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL MARIJUANA.”	S.B. No. 696	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAX CREDITS.”
Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Galuteria.	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Chun Oakland, Kidani, Galuteria, Inouye, Nishihara.
S.B. No. 683	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE DRIVER LICENSING.”	S.B. No. 697	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDSCAPING.”
Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Inouye, Nishihara.	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Chun Oakland, Inouye, Riviere, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Ihara.
S.B. No. 684	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VEHICULAR TAXES.”	S.B. No. 698	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY.”
Introduced by:	Senator Espero.	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Inouye, Ruderman, Chun Oakland, Ihara, Shimabukuro.
S.B. No. 685	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE.”		
Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Chun Oakland, Galuteria.		
S.B. No. 686	“A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A WAR MEMORIAL.”		
Introduced by:	Senator Espero.		

S.B. No. 699	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY SERVICES.”	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Espero, Green, Inouye, Taniguchi.
Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Dela Cruz, Keith-Agaran, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Taniguchi.	S.B. No. 712	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENTERPRISE ZONES.”
S.B. No. 700	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PLACES OF PUBLIC ACCOMMODATION.”	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Ruderman, Ihara, Shimabukuro.
Introduced by:	Senator Gabbard.	S.B. No. 713	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION.”
S.B. No. 701	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS.”	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Ruderman, Galuteria, Riviere.
Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro.	S.B. No. 714	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD SUPPORT.”
S.B. No. 702	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WILDLIFE.”	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Chun Oakland.
Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Kidani, Espero, Galuteria, Ihara, Kahele.	S.B. No. 715	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE STANDARDS.”
S.B. No. 703	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOLID WASTE.”	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Kidani, Keith-Agaran, Ruderman, Wakai.
Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Green, Galuteria, Ihara, Keith-Agaran.	S.B. No. 716	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PRACTICE OF LAW.”
S.B. No. 704	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRIC VEHICLES.”	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Galuteria.
Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Galuteria, Kidani, Espero, Inouye.	S.B. No. 717	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHANOL.”
S.B. No. 705	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAX.”	Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, English, Gabbard, Green, Kahele, Kidani, Nishihara, Riviere, Ruderman, Wakai, Espero, Galuteria, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Thielen.
Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Galuteria, Ihara, Inouye.	S.B. No. 718	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LAHAINA FLOOD CONTROL PROJECT.”
S.B. No. 706	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE HYDROGEN.”	Introduced by:	Senator Baker.
Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Espero, Inouye, Kahele, Riviere.	S.B. No. 719	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE.”
S.B. No. 707	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.”	Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Ruderman.
Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Chun Oakland, Inouye, Ruderman, Dela Cruz, Espero, Taniguchi.	S.B. No. 720	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPINNER DOLPHINS.”
S.B. No. 708	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARIJUANA.”	Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Keith-Agaran.
Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Dela Cruz, English, Espero, Ruderman, Riviere.	S.B. No. 721	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INNOVATIVE BUSINESS INTERACTION.”
S.B. No. 709	“A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR RESEARCH, DEVELOPMENT, MARKETING, AND CONSERVATION OF ‘ULU.”	Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Wakai.
Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, English, Espero, Inouye, Ruderman, Riviere, Taniguchi.	S.B. No. 722	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE INSURANCE.”
S.B. No. 710	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE INTEGRATED SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN.”	Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Chun Oakland, English, Espero, Riviere, Wakai, Ruderman, Taniguchi.
Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Baker, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro.	S.B. No. 723	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMUNITY MEETINGS.”
S.B. No. 711	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT.”	Introduced by:	Senator Baker.

S.B. No. 725	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTISTRY.”	S.B. No. 737	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHECK CASHING.”
Introduced by:	Senator Baker.	Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Chun Oakland, Espero, Green, Kidani, Ruderman, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara, Taniguchi, Thielen, Wakai.
S.B. No. 726	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT.”	S.B. No. 738	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIPOA POINT.”
Introduced by:	Senator Baker.	Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Thielen.
S.B. No. 727	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE.”	S.B. No. 739	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOW-SPEED ELECTRIC BICYCLES.”
Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Chun Oakland, Green, English, Ruderman, Taniguchi.	Introduced by:	Senator Baker.
S.B. No. 728	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT CONTRACTS.”	S.B. No. 740	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BROADBAND ACCESS AVAILABILITY IN RESORT AREAS.”
Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Green, Espero, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara, Taniguchi.	Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Chun Oakland.
S.B. No. 729	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADVANCED PRACTICE REGISTERED NURSES.”	S.B. No. 741	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING.”
Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Chun Oakland, English, Green, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Riviere, Espero, Ihara, Nishihara, Ruderman, Taniguchi, Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Chun Oakland.
S.B. No. 730	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS.”	S.B. No. 742	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING.”
Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Espero, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara, Taniguchi, Wakai.	Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Chun Oakland.
S.B. No. 731	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEFERRED DEPOSITS.”	S.B. No. 743	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ACTIVITY DESKS.”
Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Espero, Green, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara, Taniguchi, Wakai.	Introduced by:	Senator Baker.
S.B. No. 732	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION NETWORK COMPANIES.”	S.B. No. 744	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH INSURANCE EXCHANGE.”
Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Chun Oakland, Green, Inouye, Espero, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Nishihara, Riviere, Taniguchi.	Introduced by:	Senator Baker.
S.B. No. 733	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION.”	S.B. No. 745	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH CONNECTOR.”
Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Chun Oakland, Espero, Kidani, Ruderman, Ihara, Nishihara, Riviere, Taniguchi.	Introduced by:	Senator Baker.
S.B. No. 734	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PESTICIDES.”	S.B. No. 746	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CYBERSECURITY.”
Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Chun Oakland, Green, Ihara, Kidani, Nishihara, Espero, Keith-Agaran, Riviere, Taniguchi.	Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Chun Oakland.
S.B. No. 735	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NURSES.”	S.B. No. 747	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WEST MAUI OCEAN RECREATION MANAGEMENT AREA.”
Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Chun Oakland, Green, Espero, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Nishihara, Ruderman, Taniguchi.	Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Riviere, Espero, Keith-Agaran, Wakai.
S.B. No. 736	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE.”	S.B. No. 748	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRESCRIPTIVE AUTHORITY FOR CERTAIN PSYCHOLOGISTS.”
Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Chun Oakland, Green, Kidani, Espero, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara.	Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Chun Oakland, Espero, Ruderman.
		S.B. No. 749	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COLORECTAL CANCER SCREENING AND AWARENESS PILOT PROGRAM.”
		Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Chun Oakland, English, Espero, Green, Kahele, Kidani, Nishihara, Ihara, Keith-Agaran,

	Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Taniguchi, Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senator Baker, by request.
S.B. No. 750	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST ANAERGIA INCORPORATED."	S.B. No. 762	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BEACH ACCESS."
	Introduced by: Senators Baker, English, Keith-Agaran, Chun Oakland, Espero, Ihara, Kidani, Nishihara, Riviere, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Wakai.	Introduced by:	Senator Baker, by request.
S.B. No. 751	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERINARY TECHNICIANS."	S.B. No. 763	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ALTERNATIVE HOUSING."
	Introduced by: Senator Baker.	Introduced by:	Senators Shimabukuro, Galuteria, Chun Oakland, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara.
S.B. No. 752	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE."	S.B. No. 764	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII RULES OF EVIDENCE."
	Introduced by: Senators Baker, Espero, Green.	Introduced by:	Senators Shimabukuro, Baker, Espero, Ihara.
S.B. No. 753	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTAL HEALTH."	S.B. No. 765	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."
	Introduced by: Senators Baker, Espero.	Introduced by:	Senators Shimabukuro, Baker, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran, Ruderman.
S.B. No. 754	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TIME SHARING."	S.B. No. 766	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."
	Introduced by: Senators Baker, Kidani, Nishihara, English, Ihara, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Riviere, Taniguchi, Wakai.	Introduced by:	Senators Shimabukuro, Chun Oakland, Ihara.
S.B. No. 755	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JURORS."	S.B. No. 767	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES."
	Introduced by: Senators Baker, Green, Kidani, Espero, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara, Riviere, Ruderman, Shimabukuro.	Introduced by:	Senator Shimabukuro.
S.B. No. 756	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SECURE AND FAIR ENFORCEMENT FOR MORTGAGE LICENSING ACT."	S.B. No. 768	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IN VITRO FERTILIZATION INSURANCE COVERAGE."
	Introduced by: Senators Baker, Riviere, Chun Oakland, English, Green, Ihara, Nishihara, Ruderman.	Introduced by:	Senators Shimabukuro, Ihara.
S.B. No. 757	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REGULATION OF ELECTRONIC SMOKING DEVICES."	S.B. No. 769	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION."
	Introduced by: Senators Baker, Riviere, Ruderman, Wakai, Chun Oakland, Espero, Gabbard, Green, Ihara, Nishihara, Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senators Shimabukuro, Chun Oakland, Ihara.
S.B. No. 758	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SERVICE BY PUBLICATION."	S.B. No. 770	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION."
	Introduced by: Senators Baker, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Chun Oakland, Espero, Ihara, Nishihara, Ruderman, Thielen, Wakai.	Introduced by:	Senators Shimabukuro, Chun Oakland, Ihara.
S.B. No. 759	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUOR TAX."	S.B. No. 771	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT."
	Introduced by: Senator Baker, by request.	Introduced by:	Senators Shimabukuro, Galuteria, Ruderman, Espero.
S.B. No. 760	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SERVICE ANIMALS."	S.B. No. 772	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION."
	Introduced by: Senator Baker, by request.	Introduced by:	Senators Shimabukuro, Espero, Galuteria, Ihara, Ruderman.
S.B. No. 761	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS."	S.B. No. 773	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMAL CRUELTY."
		Introduced by:	Senators Shimabukuro, Chun Oakland, Ruderman, Galuteria, Kahele.
		S.B. No. 774	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PROTECTION OF TARO."
		Introduced by:	Senators Shimabukuro, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Ruderman, Espero, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Thielen.

S.B. No. 775	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING.”	S.B. No. 789	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IN VITRO FERTILIZATION INSURANCE COVERAGE.”
Introduced by:	Senators Shimabukuro, Chun Oakland.	Introduced by:	Senator Shimabukuro.
S.B. No. 776	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE.”	S.B. No. 790	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROVIDER ORDERS FOR LIFE-SUSTAINING TREATMENT.”
Introduced by:	Senator Shimabukuro.	Introduced by:	Senators Green, Ruderman, Riviere, Taniguchi, Wakai.
S.B. No. 777	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION.”	S.B. No. 791	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDERS.”
Introduced by:	Senators Shimabukuro, Chun Oakland, Espero, Galuteria, Ihara, Ruderman.	Introduced by:	Senators Green, Baker, Ruderman, Riviere, Taniguchi.
S.B. No. 778	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION.”	S.B. No. 792	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTAL HEALTH.”
Introduced by:	Senators Shimabukuro, Chun Oakland, Ihara.	Introduced by:	Senators Green, Baker, Ruderman, Riviere, Taniguchi.
S.B. No. 779	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS.”	S.B. No. 793	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HEALTH IMPACT OF PESTICIDES.”
Introduced by:	Senators Shimabukuro, Chun Oakland, Ihara.	Introduced by:	Senators Green, Chun Oakland, Gabbard, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Ihara, Keith-Agaran.
S.B. No. 780	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION.”	S.B. No. 794	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE.”
Introduced by:	Senators Shimabukuro, Espero, Ruderman.	Introduced by:	Senators Green, Baker, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, English, Espero, Harimoto, Shimabukuro.
S.B. No. 781	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FERTILITY RIGHTS OF CANCER PATIENTS.”	S.B. No. 795	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION.”
Introduced by:	Senators Shimabukuro, Ruderman.	Introduced by:	Senators Green, Baker, English, Keith-Agaran, Espero.
S.B. No. 782	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING.”	S.B. No. 796	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY.”
Introduced by:	Senators Shimabukuro, Ruderman.	Introduced by:	Senators Green, Baker, Keith-Agaran, Riviere, Ruderman, Wakai.
S.B. No. 783	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS AND AMMUNITION.”	S.B. No. 797	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HEALTH IMPACT OF PESTICIDES.”
Introduced by:	Senator Shimabukuro.	Introduced by:	Senator Green.
S.B. No. 784	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OPEN GOVERNMENT.”	S.B. No. 798	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH.”
Introduced by:	Senators Shimabukuro, Chun Oakland, Ihara.	Introduced by:	Senators Green, Baker, Inouye, Dela Cruz, Espero, Nishihara, Riviere, Taniguchi.
S.B. No. 785	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING ON HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS.”	S.B. No. 799	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HEALTH IMPACT OF PESTICIDES.”
Introduced by:	Senator Shimabukuro.	Introduced by:	Senators Green, Ruderman.
S.B. No. 786	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AHA MOKU ADVISORY COMMITTEE.”	S.B. No. 800	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HEALTH IMPACT OF PESTICIDES.”
Introduced by:	Senator Shimabukuro.	Introduced by:	Senators Green, Ruderman.
S.B. No. 787	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AUDITOR.”		
Introduced by:	Senator Shimabukuro.		
S.B. No. 788	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AERONAUTICS.”		
Introduced by:	Senator Shimabukuro.		

S.B. No. 801	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HEALTH IMPACT OF PESTICIDES.”	S.B. No. 814	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION.”
Introduced by:	Senators Green, Ruderman.	Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Baker, Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Inouye, Nishihara, Shimabukuro, Tokuda, Kim, Slom, Thielen.
S.B. No. 802	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMOKING.”	S.B. No. 815	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOARD OF REGENTS.”
Introduced by:	Senators Green, Baker, Dela Cruz, English, Nishihara, Ruderman, Taniguchi, Wakai.	Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Harimoto, Galuteria, Kouchi, Nishihara, Taniguchi.
S.B. No. 803	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS’ COMPENSATION.”	S.B. No. 816	“A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE HAWAII STATE CONSTITUTION TO AMEND SENATE TERMS.”
Introduced by:	Senator Green.	Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Dela Cruz, Nishihara, Galuteria, Wakai.
S.B. No. 804	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTISTRY.”	S.B. No. 817	“A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE XVII, SECTION 2, OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION TO CHANGE THE METHOD OF RATIFYING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT.”
Introduced by:	Senator Green.	Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Wakai, Dela Cruz, Galuteria.
S.B. No. 805	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH.”	S.B. No. 818	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TUBERCULOSIS TESTING.”
Introduced by:	Senator Green.	Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Baker, Green, Nishihara, Dela Cruz, Espero, Galuteria, Slom, Wakai.
S.B. No. 806	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOSPITAL SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAM.”	S.B. No. 819	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.”
Introduced by:	Senators Green, Baker, Keith-Agaran, Ruderman, Galuteria.	Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Baker, Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Harimoto, Kouchi, Nishihara, Wakai, Galuteria, Taniguchi.
S.B. No. 807	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH.”	S.B. No. 820	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.”
Introduced by:	Senators Green, Baker, Keith-Agaran, Riviere, Taniguchi, Wakai.	Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Harimoto, Kouchi, Nishihara, Galuteria.
S.B. No. 808	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH SCIENCE EDUCATION.”	S.B. No. 821	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION.”
Introduced by:	Senators Green, Baker, Galuteria, Espero.	Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Harimoto, Kouchi, Nishihara, Baker, Chun Oakland, Slom, Taniguchi, Wakai.
S.B. No. 809	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS’ COMPENSATION TREATMENT PLANS.”	S.B. No. 822	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION.”
Introduced by:	Senators Green, Baker, Ruderman, Espero, Galuteria.	Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Nishihara, Dela Cruz, Espero, Galuteria, Wakai.
S.B. No. 810	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE ACT.”	S.B. No. 823	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOARD OF REGENTS.”
Introduced by:	Senators Green, Baker, Espero, Galuteria, Taniguchi.	Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Dela Cruz, Wakai.
S.B. No. 811	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LICENSURE OF DURABLE MEDICAL EQUIPMENT SUPPLIERS.”	S.B. No. 824	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DNA COLLECTION.”
Introduced by:	Senators Green, Baker, Espero, Galuteria, Ruderman, Taniguchi.	Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Dela Cruz, Espero, Galuteria, Nishihara, Wakai.
S.B. No. 812	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BEHAVIOR SUPPORT REVIEW COMMITTEE FOR PERSONS WITH DEVELOPMENTAL OR INTELLECTUAL DISABILITIES.”		
Introduced by:	Senator Green.		
S.B. No. 813	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION.”		
Introduced by:	Senator Kidani.		

S.B. No. 825	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CULTURAL EXCHANGES BETWEEN HAWAII AND PUERTO RICO.”	S.B. No. 838	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTRACTORS.”
Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Dela Cruz, Inouye.	Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Inouye, Dela Cruz, Espero, Galuteria, Nishihara, Riviere, Wakai.
S.B. No. 826	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS.”	S.B. No. 839	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY.”
Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Baker, Dela Cruz, Espero, Nishihara, Wakai, Galuteria.	Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Dela Cruz, Espero, Galuteria, Kahele.
S.B. No. 827	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES’ RETIREMENT SYSTEM.”	S.B. No. 840	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FREEDOM OF INFORMATION.”
Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Inouye, Galuteria, Nishihara, Shimabukuro.	Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Wakai, Dela Cruz, Espero, Galuteria, Inouye, Nishihara, Riviere.
S.B. No. 828	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PSYCHOLOGISTS.”	S.B. No. 841	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL HEALTH.”
Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Wakai.	Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Harimoto, Inouye, Kahele, Galuteria, Taniguchi.
S.B. No. 829	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PSYCHOLOGISTS.”	S.B. No. 842	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHERS.”
Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Dela Cruz, Wakai.	Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Dela Cruz, Harimoto, Galuteria, Kouchi, Taniguchi.
S.B. No. 830	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES.”	S.B. No. 843	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION.”
Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Galuteria, Inouye, Nishihara, Shimabukuro.	Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Harimoto, Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Kouchi, Nishihara.
S.B. No. 831	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION.”	S.B. No. 844	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION.”
Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Harimoto, Inouye, Galuteria.	Introduced by:	Senator Kidani.
S.B. No. 832	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION.”	S.B. No. 845	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BULLYING.”
Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Galuteria, Inouye, Kahele.	Introduced by:	Senator Kidani.
S.B. No. 833	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS.”	S.B. No. 846	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION.”
Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Harimoto, Inouye, Kahele, Galuteria.	Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Baker, Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Inouye, Kahele, Nishihara.
S.B. No. 834	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.”	S.B. No. 847	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHERS.”
Introduced by:	Senator Kidani.	Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Harimoto, Inouye, Galuteria, Taniguchi.
S.B. No. 835	“A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE III, SECTION 4, OF THE HAWAII STATE CONSTITUTION TO ESTABLISH LEGISLATIVE TERM LIMITS.”	S.B. No. 848	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH.”
Introduced by:	Senator Kidani, by request.	Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Galuteria, Inouye, Kahele, Nishihara, Dela Cruz.
S.B. No. 836	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS.”	S.B. No. 849	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS.”
Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Keith-Agaran.	Introduced by:	Senator Kidani.
S.B. No. 837	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS.”	S.B. No. 850	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FACILITIES FUNDING FOR CHARTER SCHOOLS.”
Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Keith-Agaran.	Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Galuteria, Inouye, Kahele, Nishihara.

S.B. No. 851	“A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.”	Introduced by:	Senator Kidani.
S.B. No. 852	“A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.”	Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Baker, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Harimoto, Keith-Agaran, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Kim.
S.B. No. 853	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE LIBRARIAN’S SALARY.”	Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Dela Cruz.
S.B. No. 854	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SCHOOL LANDS.”	Introduced by:	Senators English, Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Green, Inouye, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Shimabukuro, Baker, Espero, Gabbard, Ihara, Kouchi, Ruderman.
S.B. No. 855	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIBRARIES.”	Introduced by:	Senators English, Green, Inouye, Baker, Dela Cruz, Espero, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran, Kouchi, Nishihara, Riviere, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Wakai.
S.B. No. 856	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION.”	Introduced by:	Senator Kidani.
S.B. No. 857	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PREAUDITS OF PROPOSED PAYMENTS.”	Introduced by:	Senator Kidani.
S.B. No. 858	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAMS FOR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL STUDENTS.”	Introduced by:	Senator Kidani.
S.B. No. 859	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES.”	Introduced by:	Senator Kidani, by request.
S.B. No. 860	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.”	Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Dela Cruz, Harimoto, Galuteria, Kouchi, Nishihara.
S.B. No. 861	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE NOISE.”	Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Espero, Nishihara, Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Wakai.
S.B. No. 862	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION.”	Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Dela Cruz, Espero, Galuteria, Nishihara, Taniguchi, Wakai.
S.B. No. 863	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION.”	Introduced by:	Senator Kidani.
S.B. No. 864	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION.”	Introduced by:	Senators English, Galuteria, Ruderman, Dela Cruz.
S.B. No. 865	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BULLYING.”	Introduced by:	Senator Kidani.
S.B. No. 866	“A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO SUPPORT THE AFTER-SCHOOL PLUS PROGRAM.”	Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Baker, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Harimoto, Keith-Agaran, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Kim.
S.B. No. 867	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE KAHŌ‘OLAWĒ ISLAND RESERVE.”	Introduced by:	Senators English, Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Green, Inouye, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Shimabukuro, Baker, Espero, Gabbard, Ihara, Kouchi, Ruderman.
S.B. No. 868	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUOR COMMISSIONS.”	Introduced by:	Senators English, Green, Inouye, Baker, Dela Cruz, Espero, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran, Kouchi, Nishihara, Riviere, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Wakai.
S.B. No. 869	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CREDIT CARDS.”	Introduced by:	Senators English, Green, Baker, Dela Cruz, Espero, Gabbard, Galuteria, Inouye, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Kouchi, Nishihara, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Wakai.
S.B. No. 870	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES.”	Introduced by:	Senators English, Chun Oakland, Green, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Ruderman, Baker, Dela Cruz, Espero, Gabbard, Galuteria, Harimoto, Ihara, Inouye, Kahele, Kouchi, Nishihara, Shimabukuro, Slom, Thielen, Wakai.
S.B. No. 871	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY.”	Introduced by:	Senators English, Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Green, Inouye, Ruderman, Baker, Espero, Gabbard, Galuteria, Ihara, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Kouchi, Shimabukuro, Slom, Thielen, Wakai.
S.B. No. 872	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRONIC COPIES.”	Introduced by:	Senators English, Chun Oakland, Green, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Riviere, Wakai, Baker, Dela Cruz, Espero, Gabbard, Galuteria, Harimoto, Ihara, Kahele, Kouchi, Nishihara, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Slom, Thielen.
S.B. No. 873	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARIJUANA.”	Introduced by:	Senators English, Galuteria, Ruderman, Dela Cruz.

S.B. No. 874	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENETIC ENGINEERING.”	S.B. No. 885	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENETIC ENGINEERING.”
Introduced by:	Senators English, Gabbard, Green, Ruderman, Chun Oakland, Shimabukuro.	Introduced by:	Senators English, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro.
S.B. No. 875	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD LABELING.”	S.B. No. 886	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A SMALL BOAT HARBOR IN PUKO‘O, MOLOKA‘I.”
Introduced by:	Senators English, Gabbard, Green, Keith-Agaran, Ruderman, Chun Oakland, Riviere, Shimabukuro, Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senators English, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Inouye, Baker, Ruderman.
S.B. No. 876	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION.”	S.B. No. 887	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGH TECHNOLOGY.”
Introduced by:	Senators English, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Green, Kahele, Shimabukuro, Baker, Dela Cruz, Espero, Gabbard, Ihara, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Kouchi, Ruderman, Thielen, Wakai.	Introduced by:	Senators English, Baker, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Inouye, Nishihara, Ruderman.
S.B. No. 877	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION.”	S.B. No. 888	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTIES.”
Introduced by:	Senators English, Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Green, Keith-Agaran, Kouchi, Riviere, Baker, Espero, Gabbard, Inouye, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Slom.	Introduced by:	Senators English, Galuteria, Ruderman.
S.B. No. 878	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WASTEWATER.”	S.B. No. 889	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JOINT EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT CENTER.”
Introduced by:	Senators English, Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Gabbard, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Kouchi, Slom.	Introduced by:	Senators English, Baker, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Inouye, Nishihara.
S.B. No. 879	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARIJUANA.”	S.B. No. 890	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY.”
Introduced by:	Senators English, Dela Cruz, Espero, Inouye, Ruderman, Baker, Shimabukuro.	Introduced by:	Senators English, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Inouye, Ruderman, Nishihara.
S.B. No. 880	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC VIOLATION RECORDS.”	S.B. No. 891	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BROADBAND.”
Introduced by:	Senators English, Baker, Dela Cruz, Espero, Inouye, Kouchi, Ruderman, Shimabukuro.	Introduced by:	Senators English, Baker, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Inouye, Nishihara, Ruderman.
S.B. No. 881	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION.”	S.B. No. 892	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OMNIBUS HAWAII RESILIENCE AND SUSTAINABILITY STRATEGY.”
Introduced by:	Senators English, Baker, Dela Cruz, Inouye, Ruderman, Espero, Kouchi, Shimabukuro.	Introduced by:	Senators English, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Baker, Inouye, Nishihara, Ruderman.
S.B. No. 882	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CLIMATE CHANGE.”	S.B. No. 893	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER AND SEWER DISTRIBUTION SYSTEMS.”
Introduced by:	Senators English, Baker, Dela Cruz, Espero, Inouye, Kouchi, Shimabukuro.	Introduced by:	Senators English, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Baker, Inouye, Nishihara, Ruderman.
S.B. No. 883	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION.”	S.B. No. 894	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION.”
Introduced by:	Senators English, Keith-Agaran, Kouchi, Shimabukuro.	Introduced by:	Senators English, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Baker, Inouye, Ruderman.
S.B. No. 884	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENETICALLY MODIFIED MATERIAL.”	S.B. No. 895	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE.”
Introduced by:	Senators English, Shimabukuro.	Introduced by:	Senators English, Galuteria, Green, Kahele, Baker, Espero, Inouye, Ruderman.
		S.B. No. 896	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION.”
		Introduced by:	Senators English, Baker, Espero, Inouye, Kouchi, Ruderman, Shimabukuro.

S.B. No. 897	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE KAHO‘OLAWA ISLAND RESERVE COMMISSION.”	S.B. No. 911	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LATEX.”
Introduced by:	Senators English, Baker, Ruderman.	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Baker.
S.B. No. 898	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE SEVENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT.”	S.B. No. 912	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE FACILITIES.”
Introduced by:	Senator English.	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Baker.
S.B. No. 899	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE KIDS’ SAVINGS PROJECT.”	S.B. No. 913	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY.”
Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Inouye, Kidani.	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Baker, Espero, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran.
S.B. No. 900	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION.”	S.B. No. 914	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INDIGENT LEGAL SERVICES.”
Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Kidani.	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Shimabukuro.
S.B. No. 901	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAXATION.”	S.B. No. 915	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY.”
Introduced by:	Senator Chun Oakland.	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Riviere.
S.B. No. 902	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION.”	S.B. No. 916	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY.”
Introduced by:	Senator Chun Oakland.	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Harimoto, Galuteria.
S.B. No. 903	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYEE LEAVE.”	S.B. No. 917	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A SEX TRAFFICKING SPECIAL TREATMENT FACILITY.”
Introduced by:	Senator Chun Oakland.	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Espero, Inouye, Riviere, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara, Shimabukuro.
S.B. No. 904	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE CERTIFICATION OF HEALTH CARE INTERPRETERS.”	S.B. No. 918	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HOUSING FINANCE AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION.”
Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Nishihara.	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Wakai.
S.B. No. 905	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BEHAVIOR SUPPORT REVIEW COMMITTEE FOR PERSONS WITH DEVELOPMENTAL OR INTELLECTUAL DISABILITIES.”	S.B. No. 919	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROSTITUTION.”
Introduced by:	Senator Chun Oakland.	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Espero, Inouye, Riviere, Shimabukuro.
S.B. No. 906	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY.”	S.B. No. 920	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAID.”
Introduced by:	Senator Chun Oakland.	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Baker, Green, Riviere.
S.B. No. 907	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNIVERSAL CHILDREN’S SAVINGS ACCOUNTS.”	S.B. No. 921	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEXUAL ASSAULT TREATMENT SERVICES.”
Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Gabbard, Kidani.	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Baker, Galuteria, Nishihara, Keith-Agaran, Taniguchi, Thielen.
S.B. No. 908	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH.”	S.B. No. 922	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEXUAL ASSAULT.”
Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Baker.	Introduced by:	Senator Chun Oakland.
S.B. No. 909	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEX TRAFFICKING.”	S.B. No. 923	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STUDENT SAFETY.”
Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Espero, Green, Kidani, Nishihara, Shimabukuro.	Introduced by:	Senator Chun Oakland.
S.B. No. 910	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION.”		
Introduced by:	Senator Chun Oakland.		

S.B. No. 924	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH COVERAGE FOR BRAIN INJURIES.”	S.B. No. 936	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL LIABILITY.”
Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Baker, Green.	Introduced by:	Senators Slom, Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Gabbard, Harimoto, Inouye, Ruderman, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro.
S.B. No. 925	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH.”	S.B. No. 937	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHICS.”
Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Baker, Kidani, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran, Ruderman, Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senators Slom, Inouye, Ruderman.
S.B. No. 926	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF LANGUAGE ACCESS.”	S.B. No. 938	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAILURE TO REPORT A MISSING CHILD.”
Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Green, Keith-Agaran, Harimoto, Ihara, Nishihara.	Introduced by:	Senators Slom, Gabbard, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Kim, Ruderman, Harimoto.
S.B. No. 927	“A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE III, SECTION 4, OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION, TO IMPOSE TERM LIMITS UPON SENATORS AND REPRESENTATIVES.”	S.B. No. 939	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY.”
Introduced by:	Senators Slom, Riviere.	Introduced by:	Senators Slom, Espero, Riviere, Ruderman.
S.B. No. 928	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SENTENCING.”	S.B. No. 940	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ACCOMMODATIONS.”
Introduced by:	Senators Slom, Gabbard, Inouye, Kidani, Harimoto, Kim.	Introduced by:	Senators Slom, Gabbard.
S.B. No. 929	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SAFETY.”	S.B. No. 941	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TORT ACTIONS.”
Introduced by:	Senators Slom, Espero, Galuteria, Inouye, Chun Oakland, Ihara, Kidani, Riviere, Ruderman, Taniguchi, Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senators Slom, Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Gabbard, Galuteria, Harimoto, Ihara, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Ruderman, Shimabukuro.
S.B. No. 930	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT ACCOUNTABILITY.”	S.B. No. 942	“A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE V, SECTION 6 OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION TO PROVIDE FOR THE ELECTION OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL.”
Introduced by:	Senators Slom, Galuteria, Espero, Harimoto, Ruderman, Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senator Slom.
S.B. No. 931	“A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AMENDMENTS TO THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION TO PROVIDE FOR A UNICAMERAL LEGISLATURE.”	S.B. No. 943	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXABLE INCOME EXCLUSION.”
Introduced by:	Senator Slom.	Introduced by:	Senators Slom, Galuteria, Harimoto.
S.B. No. 932	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARENTAL RIGHTS.”	S.B. No. 944	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL CHOICE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM.”
Introduced by:	Senators Slom, Espero, Inouye, Kidani, Galuteria, Riviere, Ruderman, Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senator Slom.
S.B. No. 933	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEXUAL ASSAULTS.”	S.B. No. 945	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRIVACY.”
Introduced by:	Senator Slom.	Introduced by:	Senators Slom, Espero, Galuteria, Riviere, Ruderman, Thielen.
S.B. No. 934	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMINENT DOMAIN.”	S.B. No. 946	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAX.”
Introduced by:	Senators Slom, Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Harimoto, Riviere.	Introduced by:	Senators Slom, Galuteria, Ruderman.
S.B. No. 935	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE LICENSING.”	S.B. No. 947	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONFORMANCE OF STATE PERSONAL EXEMPTION TO FEDERAL PERSONAL EXEMPTION.”
Introduced by:	Senators Slom, Baker, Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Inouye, Kidani, Ruderman, Taniguchi.	Introduced by:	Senators Slom, Galuteria, Espero, Harimoto, Ruderman, Thielen, Wakai.

S.B. No. 948	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURE CEILING.”	S.B. No. 960	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.”
Introduced by:	Senators Slom, Harimoto.	Introduced by:	Senators Slom, Dela Cruz, Gabbard, Galuteria, Harimoto, Inouye, Kidani, Ruderman.
S.B. No. 949	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AERONAUTICS.”	S.B. No. 961	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH TREATMENT.”
Introduced by:	Senators Slom, Galuteria, Inouye.	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Green, Baker, Harimoto.
S.B. No. 950	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.”	S.B. No. 962	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERPRETER REFERRAL SERVICES.”
Introduced by:	Senators Slom, Galuteria, Ruderman, Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senator Chun Oakland.
S.B. No. 951	“A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE II OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII TO PROVIDE FOR RECALL.”	S.B. No. 963	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEARING AIDS.”
Introduced by:	Senators Slom, Riviere.	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Baker, Green, Harimoto, Taniguchi.
S.B. No. 952	“A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE XVII OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII FOR REFERENDUM.”	S.B. No. 964	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGING.”
Introduced by:	Senators Slom, Harimoto, Riviere.	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Baker, Espero, Galuteria, Green, Ihara, Nishihara, Shimabukuro.
S.B. No. 953	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A BASIC BILL OF RIGHTS FOR VICTIMS AND WITNESSES.”	S.B. No. 965	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT.”
Introduced by:	Senators Slom, Chun Oakland, Gabbard, Inouye, Kidani, Ruderman, Keith-Agaran, Kim.	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Ihara, Baker, Espero, Galuteria.
S.B. No. 954	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES.”	S.B. No. 966	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LICENSURE OF SUPPLIERS OF DURABLE MEDICAL EQUIPMENT.”
Introduced by:	Senators Slom, Chun Oakland, Espero, Galuteria, Inouye, Riviere, Ruderman, Ihara, Kidani, Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Ihara, Baker, Espero.
S.B. No. 955	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SHOOTING RANGE PROTECTION.”	S.B. No. 967	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.”
Introduced by:	Senators Slom, Gabbard.	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Baker, Espero, Galuteria, Green, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara, Shimabukuro.
S.B. No. 956	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION.”	S.B. No. 968	“A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE ADULT PROTECTIVE AND COMMUNITY SERVICES BRANCH.”
Introduced by:	Senators Slom, Galuteria, Inouye, Kidani, Espero.	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Baker, Ihara.
S.B. No. 957	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION.”	S.B. No. 969	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FARM WORKER HOUSING.”
Introduced by:	Senators Slom, Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Inouye, Kidani, Ruderman, Baker, Galuteria, Harimoto, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro.	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Galuteria, Harimoto, Riviere, Wakai.
S.B. No. 958	“A BILL FOR AN ACT REPEAL OF CORPORATE INCOME TAX.”	S.B. No. 970	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENTAL HOUSING.”
Introduced by:	Senators Slom, Harimoto.	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Harimoto, Dela Cruz.
S.B. No. 959	“A BILL FOR AN ACT REPEAL OF THE INHERITANCE AND ESTATE TAX.”	S.B. No. 971	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION.”
Introduced by:	Senators Slom, Espero, Galuteria, Inouye, Kidani, Riviere.	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Harimoto.

S.B. No. 972 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY."

Introduced by: Senators Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Riviere, Shimabukuro, Wakai.

S.B. No. 973 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY."

Introduced by: Senators Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Green, Kidani, Dela Cruz, Riviere.

S.B. No. 974 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RENTAL HOUSING TRUST FUND."

Introduced by: Senators Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Galuteria.

S.B. No. 975 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RENTAL HOUSING TRUST FUND."

Introduced by: Senators Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Galuteria.

S.B. No. 976 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MIXED-USE RESIDENTIAL PROJECTS."

Introduced by: Senators Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Galuteria.

S.B. No. 977 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Senators Chun Oakland, Harimoto, Kidani, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Baker, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran.

S.B. No. 978 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO YOUTH."

Introduced by: Senators Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Harimoto, Kidani, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Baker, Keith-Agaran, Thielen.

S.B. No. 979 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO YOUTH."

Introduced by: Senators Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Harimoto, Kidani, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Baker, Keith-Agaran, Thielen.

S.B. No. 980 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAMS."

Introduced by: Senators Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Baker, Harimoto, Kim.

S.B. No. 981 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."

Introduced by: Senator Chun Oakland.

S.B. No. 982 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL AMNESTY."

Introduced by: Senators Chun Oakland, Baker, Galuteria, Kidani, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Keith-Agaran, Thielen.

ADJOURNMENT

At 6:00 p.m., the Senate adjourned until 9:30 a.m., Monday, January 26, 2015.

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The Army in Hawaii: Fight to Save It, Prepare to Lose It

Business leaders are right to pull out all the stops to preserve the Army's Hawaii presence at its current level, but we also need to start thinking about what comes next if major cuts are made.

JANUARY 22, 2015 · By THE CIVIL BEAT EDITORIAL BOARD

The U.S. Army stands to lose 20,000 soldiers currently stationed here in Hawaii because of budget cuts resulting from sequestration.

Schofield Barracks and Fort Shafter are among 30 possible installations the Army is evaluating for potential cuts. Come October, when a decision is expected about which bases will be affected, Hawaii could lose roughly 50,000 soldiers and civilians, or about 5 percent of Oahu's population.

The Chamber of Commerce is currently circulating a petition to "Keep Hawaii's Heroes," and the Army has scheduled two listening sessions (Jan. 27 and 28) to hear concerns from the community.

U.S. Army



It's in Hawaii's best interest economically for the Army to maintain its presence here.

Hawaii should fight to keep the Army for two main reasons: First, the chance to positively impact America's relations in the Pacific; and second, The cuts would deal a serious blow to the state's economy. But we also need to prepare to lose it.

At the Center of America's Involvement in the Pacific

Despite its challenges, Hawaii gives the Army a unique and culturally diverse perspective on the Pacific region — a region where seven of the world's 10 largest armies operate.

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From February to July, more than 1,000 Hawaii-based soldiers are deploying to Thailand, South Korea, the Philippines, Australia, Indonesia and Malaysia. The deployments are part of an initiative called Pacific Pathways, and the goal is threefold: allow U.S. soldiers to train in different environments, be forward-deployed in case of conflicts or humanitarian disasters, and engage in diplomatic, military-to-military relations.

While the exercises are definitely idiosyncratic — in its expeditionary mission, the Army resembles the Marines — they are also innovative.

Pacific Pathways allows the Army to broaden its capabilities and leverage its many resources while complementing the work Marines have long done in the region.

The Pacific theater encompasses more than half the globe. It is home to pressing security challenges such as China's increased militarization and the "ring of fire," the most disaster-prone region in the world. As U.S. Army Pacific Commander Gen. Vincent Brooks said to the Washington Post, "There's plenty of work to be done in the Pacific."

As the gateway to the Pacific, Hawaii should continue to be a key player in that work.

A Serious Blow To Hawaii's Economy

When you're sitting in traffic, the immediate loss of 5 percent of Oahu's population might seem like a great idea. Some people are even heralding the potential cuts as a sort of magic bullet — a way to alleviate overcrowding on the island and solve many of Hawaii's most intransigent problems like a lack of housing.

But this utopian vision overlooks the very drastic short-term consequences.

According to Gov. David Ige, whose first job out of college, coincidentally, was as a military consultant on Ford Island, the military generates more than \$14.7 billion in economic activity here. The Army estimates that it alone had a \$3 billion economic impact in the state last year and without it, the state's unemployment rate would double.

It is not hyperbolic to say that losing that activity so swiftly would, for the next 10 to 20 years at least, be devastating to the local economy. Without the jobs provided by Schofield Barracks, the communities of Wahiawa, Mililani, Haleiwa and Waialua would be in a freefall. What industry or employer would rush in to take its place?

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Hawaii Should be Prepared

While politicians everywhere fight tooth and nail to avoid base closures, that doesn't mean they don't still happen. As it petitions to avoid this loss, Hawaii also needs to prepare itself and look for ways to mitigate the blow.

Base closures are almost always wrenching in the short term, but some communities are more successful than others at converting military facilities to civilian uses. Fort Ord in Monterey, California, is sometimes cited as an example of this.

Fort Ord saw the loss of 35,000 people when it closed in 1994. In the 20 years since, it has established an attractive national monument, built a joint Department of Defense/Veterans Administration health care clinic, and opened California State University Monterey Bay, which now has close to 7,000 students and has repurposed crumbling barracks as dorms.

While these revitalization efforts are impressive, the fact remains that the area is still bereft of any meaningful economic activity. According to Michael Houlemard, the executive officer of the Fort Ord Reuse Authority (FORA), the negative economic impact is over a billion dollars a year. FORA says delays in everything from planning to regulatory requirements are some of the biggest barriers, even now, to reuse of the area.

If Hawaii wants to avoid Fort Ord's fate, it must fight to keep the Army here and seriously plan to lose it.

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KEEP HAWAII'S HEROES

SAVE OUR BASES, OUR COMMUNITIES DEPEND ON IT

FORT SHAFTER ★ SCHOFIELD BARRACKS

FACT SHEET

As part of its 2020 force structure realignment, the Army is considering a proposal that would eliminate 19,800 soldiers and approximately 30,000 civilians. The total is roughly 5% of Honolulu's total population.

-16,606
SCHOFIELD BARRACKS

-3,786
FORT SHAFTER

-30,000
FAMILY MEMBERS

HONOLULU'S POPULATION -5%

ARMY FINDINGS

The Army conducted a Supplemental Programmatic Environmental Assessment. It looked at 14 factors.

Results were "minor to beneficial" in all categories except one: **Socioeconomic**.

Air quality	Water resources
Airspace	Facilities
Cultural resources	Socioeconomic
Noise	Energy demand and generation
Soils	Land use conflict and compatibility
Biological resources	Hazardous materials and hazardous waste
Wetlands	Traffic and transportation

WHAT WOULD BE IMPACTED?

-38%

Surrounding Community Population:
Wahiawa, Waiāluā, Schofield, Mililani & Kunia

-20,000 Jobs

Impacted industries include construction, retail, restaurants, real estate and professional/scientific/technical services

ECONOMIC IMPACT

-\$1.35 Billion

↑ **\$9.2 Million** in sales tax receipts

GOALS

- CREATE AWARENESS**
 - Invite us to make a presentation at a company meeting or a community organization
 - Invite us to a community event
 - Follow our social media pages
 - Subscribe to & share our email list
- SIGN THE PETITION**
 - Sign online at KeepHawaiiHeroes.org
- ATTEND THE LISTENING SESSION**
 - Sign up online to attend the Listening Session on January 27, 2015

WHAT HAS BEEN DONE?

93,000 Letters of Support

- 17,000 Letters - Fort Polk, LA
- 11,000 Letters - Fort Jackson, SC
- 11,000 Letters - Fort Benning, GA
- 30 Letters - Hawaii

Sign the Petition & Learn More at:
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FOURTH DAY

Monday, January 26, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 9:33 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present with the exception of Senator Chun Oakland who was excused.

The President announced that she had read and approved the Journal of the Third Day.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 501 to 523) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Gov. Msg. No. 501, submitting for consideration and confirmation as Chairperson of the Department of Agriculture, the nomination of SCOTT ENRIGHT, term to expire December 31, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Gov. Msg. No. 502, submitting for consideration and confirmation as Deputy to the Chairperson of the Department of Agriculture, the nomination of PHYLLIS SHIMABUKURO-GEISER, term to expire December 3, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Gov. Msg. No. 503, submitting for consideration and confirmation as Director of the Department of Accounting and General Services, the nomination of DOUGLAS MURDOCK, term to expire December 3, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

Gov. Msg. No. 504, submitting for consideration and confirmation as Director of the Department of Business, Economic Development and Tourism, the nomination of LUIS SALAVERIA, term to expire December 3, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology.

Gov. Msg. No. 505, submitting for consideration and confirmation as Deputy Director of the Department of Business, Economic Development and Tourism, the nomination of MARY ALICE EVANS, term to expire December 3, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology.

Gov. Msg. No. 506, submitting for consideration and confirmation as Director of the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs, the nomination of CATHERINE AWAKUNI COLÓN, term to expire December 3, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 507, submitting for consideration and confirmation as Director of the Department of Health, the nomination of VIRGINIA PRESSLER, term to expire December 3, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 508, submitting for consideration and confirmation as Deputy Director of the Department of Health, the nomination of KEITH YAMAMOTO, term to expire December 3, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 509, submitting for consideration and confirmation as Chairperson of the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands, the nomination of JOBIE MASAGATANI, term to expire December 31, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs.

Gov. Msg. No. 510, submitting for consideration and confirmation as Deputy to the Chairperson of the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands, the nomination of WILLIAM AILA JR., term to expire December 3, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs.

Gov. Msg. No. 511, submitting for consideration and confirmation as Director of the Department of Human Services, the nomination of RACHAEL WONG, term to expire December 3, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Gov. Msg. No. 512, submitting for consideration and confirmation as Director of the Department of Human Resources Development, the nomination of JAMES NISHIMOTO, term to expire December 3, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Gov. Msg. No. 513, submitting for consideration and confirmation as Attorney General of the Department of the Attorney General, the nomination of DOUGLAS CHIN, term to expire December 3, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Gov. Msg. No. 514, submitting for consideration and confirmation as Chairperson of the Department of Land and Natural Resources, the nomination of CARLETON CHING, term to expire December 31, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Water and Land.

Gov. Msg. No. 515, submitting for consideration and confirmation as Deputy to the Chairperson of the Department of Land and Natural Resources, the nomination of KEKOA KALUHIWA, term to expire December 3, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Water and Land.

Gov. Msg. No. 516, submitting for consideration and confirmation as Director of the Department of Public Safety, the nomination of NOLAN ESPINDA, term to expire December 3, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs.

Gov. Msg. No. 517, submitting for consideration and confirmation as Adjutant General of the Department of Defense, the nomination of BRIGADIER GENERAL ARTHUR LOGAN, term to expire December 3, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs.

Gov. Msg. No. 518, submitting for consideration and confirmation as Deputy Adjutant General of the Department of Defense, the nomination of COLONEL KENNETH HARA, term to expire December 3, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs.

Gov. Msg. No. 519, submitting for consideration and confirmation as Director of the Department of Budget and Finance, the nomination of WESLEY MACHIDA, term to expire December 3, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Gov. Msg. No. 520, submitting for consideration and confirmation as Deputy Director of the Department of Budget and Finance, the nomination of RODERICK BECKER, term to expire December 3, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Gov. Msg. No. 521, submitting for consideration and confirmation as Director of the Department of Taxation, the nomination of MARIA ZIELINSKI, term to expire December 3, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Gov. Msg. No. 522, submitting for consideration and confirmation as Director of the Department of Transportation, the nomination of FORD FUCHIGAMI, term to expire December 3, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Gov. Msg. No. 523, submitting for consideration and confirmation as Deputy Director of the Department of Transportation, the nomination of JADE BUTAY, term to expire December 3, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Transportation.

HOUSE COMMUNICATION

The following communication from the House (Hse. Com. No. 6) was read by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Hse. Com. No. 6, returning S.C.R. No. 3, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on January 23, 2015.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions (S.C.R. Nos. 5 to 7) were read by the Clerk and were deferred:

S.C.R. No. 5 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING PUBLIC AND CHARTER SCHOOLS TO PROVIDE INFORMATION TO PARENTS OF ALL PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS IN THE SIXTH GRADE REGARDING HUMAN PAPILLOMAVIRUS VACCINATIONS."

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Harimoto, Kidani, Shimabukuro, Baker, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran, Kim, Thielen.

S.C.R. No. 6 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE FORMATION OF A TASK FORCE TO STUDY THE ISSUE OF A CANCER PRESUMPTIVE STATUTE RELATING TO FIREFIGHTERS."

Offered by: Senator Kim, by request.

S.C.R. No. 7 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE EXECUTIVE BRANCH PROVIDE ACCURATE AND COMPLETE ACCOUNTING OF PUBLIC LAND TRUST REVENUES UNDER SECTION 5 OF ACT 178, SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII 2006."

Offered by: Senator Kim, by request.

ORDER OF THE DAY

FIRST READING

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the following bills passed First Reading by title and were referred to committee or deferred:

S.B. No. 360 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEASUREMENTS."

Referred to: Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 361 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES."

Referred to: Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 362 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII CIVIL RIGHTS COMMISSION."

Referred to: Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 363

Referred to:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARTIAL PUBLIC FINANCING."

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

S.B. No. 364

Referred to:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."

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

S.B. No. 365

Referred to:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE DRIVER LICENSING."

Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 366

Referred to:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET."

Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 367

Referred to:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY."

Jointly to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 368

Referred to:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING."

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

S.B. No. 369

Referred to:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII RULEMAKING."

Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 370

Referred to:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."

Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 371

Referred to:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."

Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 372

Referred to:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII ACCOUNTING AND FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT SYSTEM."

Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 373

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII CONFERENCE CENTER."

Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 374	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DUAL CREDIT PROGRAMS."	S.B. No. 383	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARIJUANA."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 375	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INDUSTRIAL HEMP."	S.B. No. 384	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADDRESS CONFIDENTIALITY."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 376	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A FARM TO SCHOOL PROGRAM."	S.B. No. 385	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CANCER."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 377	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD."	S.B. No. 386	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 378	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT."	S.B. No. 387	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFIRMATIVE CONSENT."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 379	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD."	S.B. No. 388	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POLICE DEPARTMENTS."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs
S.B. No. 380	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."	S.B. No. 389	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POLICE COMMISSIONS."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 381	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."	S.B. No. 390	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 382	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."	S.B. No. 391	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PSYCHOLOGISTS."
		Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 392	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING.”	Referred to:	Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 403	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUOR LICENSES.”
S.B. No. 393	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATEWIDE SEXUAL ASSAULT SERVICES.”	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 404	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY.”
S.B. No. 394	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH.”	Referred to:	Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 405	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABUSE OF FAMILY OR HOUSEHOLD MEMBER.”
S.B. No. 395	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH.”	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 406	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION PRIMARY CARE TRAINING PROGRAM.”
S.B. No. 396	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POLICE DEPARTMENTS.”	Referred to:	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 407	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EVIDENCE.”
S.B. No. 397	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.”	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 408	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS TAX.”
S.B. No. 398	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH.”	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 409	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ZONING.”
S.B. No. 399	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOBACCO PRODUCTS.”	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 410	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMUNITY MEETINGS.”
S.B. No. 400	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOBACCO PRODUCTS.”	Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 411	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INDUSTRIAL HEMP.”
S.B. No. 401	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION.”	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means		
S.B. No. 402	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION.”		

S.B. No. 412	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS TAX."	S.B. No. 423	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO APPROPRIATIONS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 413	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EVIDENCE."	S.B. No. 424	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE HONOLULU FAMILY JUSTICE CENTER."
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 414	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ZONING."	S.B. No. 425	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TORT LIABILITY."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 415	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BICYCLE SIGNALS."	S.B. No. 426	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
Referred to:	Committee on Transportation	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 416	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CYCLE TRACKS."	S.B. No. 427	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM INFORMATION PRACTICES ACT."
Referred to:	Committee on Transportation	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 417	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRIC BICYCLES."	S.B. No. 428	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY."
Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 418	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OVERTAKING A BICYCLIST."	S.B. No. 429	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVER EDUCATION AND TRAINING FUND."
Referred to:	Committee on Transportation	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 419	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NEIGHBORHOOD BOARDS."	S.B. No. 430	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SMALL CLAIMS DIVISION OF THE DISTRICT COURT."
Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 420	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NEIGHBORHOOD BOARDS."	S.B. No. 431	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JUDGES."
Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 421	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS."		
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Government Operations and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection		
S.B. No. 422	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS."		
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Government Operations and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means		

S.B. No. 432	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNLAWFUL INTERNET POSTING OF PERSONAL INFORMATION."	S.B. No. 443	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOBBYING CONTRIBUTIONS AND EXPENDITURES STATEMENTS."
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 433	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCARCERATED PARENTS."	S.B. No. 444	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOBBYING EXPENDITURES."
Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 434	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATED TO AGRICULTURE."	S.B. No. 445	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VIOLATIONS OF THE LOBBYISTS LAW."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Water and Land	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 435	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN PLANTS."	S.B. No. 446	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MANDATORY ETHICS TRAINING."
Referred to:	Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 436	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAINING."	S.B. No. 447	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADVISORY OPINIONS BY THE STATE ETHICS COMMISSION."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 437	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE IMMERSION PROGRAM."	S.B. No. 448	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ETHICS CODE."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 438	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET OF THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS."	S.B. No. 449	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ETHICS CODE."
Referred to:	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 439	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOTER REGISTRATION."	S.B. No. 450	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NEPOTISM."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 440	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VACANCIES."	S.B. No. 451	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONFLICTS OF INTEREST."
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 441	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATED TO ABSENTEE VOTING."	S.B. No. 452	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING."
Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 442	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERMANENT ABSENTEE BALLOTS."	S.B. No. 453	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIRE SPRINKLERS."
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
		S.B. No. 454	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS."
		Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
		S.B. No. 455	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS."
		Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on

	Transportation, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	S.B. No. 466	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTRACTORS."
S.B. No. 456	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS."	Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 467	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIDUCIARY ACCESS TO DIGITAL ASSETS."
S.B. No. 457	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."	Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 468	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SELECTIVE SERVICE REGISTRATION AWARENESS AND COMPLIANCE ACT."
S.B. No. 458	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 469	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DAM AND RESERVOIR SAFETY."
S.B. No. 459	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."	Referred to:	Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 470	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KAHO'OLAWA ISLAND RESERVE."
S.B. No. 460	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 471	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROTECTIVE ORDERS."
S.B. No. 461	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 472	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF INFORMATION PRACTICES."
S.B. No. 462	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS POSSESSION."	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 473	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS."
S.B. No. 463	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOLAR ENERGY."	Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 474	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SECURE AND FAIR ENFORCEMENT FOR MORTGAGE LICENSING ACT."
S.B. No. 464	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION."	Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	S.B. No. 475	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OPEN GOVERNMENT."
S.B. No. 465	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT RECORDS."	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor		

S.B. No. 476	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISCLOSURES."		on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 487	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION."
S.B. No. 477	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC HOUSING."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means		
S.B. No. 478	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY."	S.B. No. 488	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY."
Referred to:	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
S.B. No. 479	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROSTITUTION."	S.B. No. 489	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ECONOMY."
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 480	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FACILITIES FOR MAEMAE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL."		
Referred to:	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 490	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUOR."
S.B. No. 481	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means		
S.B. No. 482	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ECONOMY."	S.B. No. 491	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT."
Referred to:	Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 483	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FORESTRY."	S.B. No. 492	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILDREN."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 484	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION."	S.B. No. 493	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 485	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."	S.B. No. 494	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD VISITATION."
Referred to:	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 486	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES."	S.B. No. 495	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee	Referred to:	Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
		S.B. No. 496	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EVIDENCE."
		Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 497	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POLICE DEPARTMENTS."	S.B. No. 506	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOBBYISTS."
Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 498	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WASTE MANAGEMENT."	S.B. No. 507	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOBBYISTS."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Government Operations and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 499	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS."	S.B. No. 508	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN FINANCE."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 500	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS."	S.B. No. 509	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 501	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT."	S.B. No. 510	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LANDS MANAGED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND THE AGRIBUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 502	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE DIVISION OF CONSERVATION AND RESOURCES ENFORCEMENT."	S.B. No. 511	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LAND USE COMMISSION."
Referred to:	Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 503	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES."	S.B. No. 512	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."
Referred to:	Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 504	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION."	S.B. No. 513	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNAUTHORIZED ENTRY INTO MOTOR VEHICLE."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 505	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE STATEMENTS."	S.B. No. 514	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THEFT OF PERSONAL ELECTRONIC DEVICES."
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
		S.B. No. 515	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PAWNBROKERS AND SECONDHAND DEALERS."
		Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
		S.B. No. 516	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SALES ADVERTISEMENTS FOR STOLEN PROPERTY."
		Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 517	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRONIC MONITORING OF CRIMINAL OFFENDERS."	Referred to:	Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 526	"A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION TO REQUIRE THE REAPPORTIONMENT COMMISSION TO INCLUDE MEMBERS FROM EACH OF THE FOUR BASIC ISLAND UNITS."
S.B. No. 518	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND TRANSFER."	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 527	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EARLY LEARNING."
S.B. No. 519	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 528	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION."
S.B. No. 520	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY."	Referred to:	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Water and Land	S.B. No. 529	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
S.B. No. 521	"A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO WAIMEA NUI COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION."	Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 530	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS TO THE KAMUELA VACUUM COOLING PLANT."
S.B. No. 522	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO HA OLA O WAIPI'O VALLEY."	Referred to:	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 531	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION."
S.B. No. 523	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAIR PUBLIC ACCESS."	Referred to:	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Government Operations and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 532	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO MOOKINI LUAKINI, INC."
S.B. No. 524	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING A GRANT TO THE HAWAII COUNTY OFFICE OF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY."	Referred to:	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 533	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT."
S.B. No. 525	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COMMISSION ON WATER RESOURCE MANAGEMENT."	Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
		S.B. No. 534	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS TAX."
		Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 535	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."	S.B. No. 546	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FRANCHISES."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 536	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOURISM STIMULUS INITIATIVES."	S.B. No. 547	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE FOUNDATION ON CULTURE AND THE ARTS."
Referred to:	Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 537	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN FISHPONDS."	S.B. No. 548	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTRACTORS."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Health and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
S.B. No. 538	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NATURAL RESOURCES."	S.B. No. 549	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UMBILICAL CORD BLOOD DONATION."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Energy and Environment	Referred to:	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 539	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS."	S.B. No. 550	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 540	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER QUALITY CERTIFICATION."	S.B. No. 551	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HELMETS."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 541	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUM CONVERSIONS."	S.B. No. 552	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PICKUP TRUCKS."
Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 542	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT."	S.B. No. 553	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAX."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 543	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ACCOUNTANCY."	S.B. No. 554	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAX CREDITS."
Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	Referred to:	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 544	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NATURAL RESOURCES."	S.B. No. 555	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX CREDITS."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 545	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NATURAL RESOURCES."	S.B. No. 556	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
Referred to:	Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 557	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TATTOOS."		then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	S.B. No. 567	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PAROLE."
S.B. No. 558	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERNET CRIMES AGAINST CHILDREN."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 568	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A LAW ENFORCEMENT STANDARDS BOARD."
S.B. No. 559	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MILITARY."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Water and Land, then jointly to the Committee on Ways and Means and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 569	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THEFT."
S.B. No. 560	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY LEAVE."	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 570	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EVIDENCE."
S.B. No. 561	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY."	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 571	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RETENTION OF BIOLOGICAL EVIDENCE."
S.B. No. 562	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY."	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 572	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SERVICE OF LEGAL PROCESS."
S.B. No. 563	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY."	Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 573	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OCEAN SAFETY."
S.B. No. 564	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONS."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs	S.B. No. 574	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABUSE OF FAMILY OR HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS."
S.B. No. 565	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONS."	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 575	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION."
S.B. No. 566	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs,	S.B. No. 576	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."
		Referred to:	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 577	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN FINANCE."	S.B. No. 588	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
S.B. No. 578	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."	S.B. No. 589	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 579	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNMANNED AIRCRAFTS."	S.B. No. 590	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRUELTY TO ANIMALS."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 580	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE PUNA COMMUNITY MEDICAL CENTER."	S.B. No. 591	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT."
Referred to:	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 581	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX CREDITS."	S.B. No. 592	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
S.B. No. 582	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CITATION QUOTAS."	S.B. No. 593	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Transportation	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 583	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."	S.B. No. 594	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COFFEE."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
S.B. No. 584	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IRRIGATION."	S.B. No. 595	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL MARIJUANA."
Referred to:	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 585	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."	S.B. No. 596	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARIJUANA."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 586	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."	S.B. No. 597	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 587	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FRIVOLOUS COMPLAINTS."	S.B. No. 598	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 599	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."	S.B. No. 610	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 600	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR KUA O KA LA PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL AND THE HAWAII ACADEMY OF ARTS AND SCIENCE PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL."	S.B. No. 611	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO USE OF INTOXICANTS WHILE OPERATING A VEHICLE."
Referred to:	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 601	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRIVACY."	S.B. No. 612	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROBATION."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 602	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARTIAL PUBLIC FINANCING."	S.B. No. 613	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PENALTIES."
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 603	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN FINANCE."	S.B. No. 614	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FOURTEENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT."
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 604	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."	S.B. No. 615	"A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE VI, SECTION 3, OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 605	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TORT LIABILITY."	S.B. No. 616	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 606	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JURORS."	S.B. No. 617	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BEACH PROTECTION."
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 607	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENTAL MOTOR VEHICLES."	S.B. No. 618	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEAWATER AIR CONDITIONING."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	Referred to:	Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 608	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BLIND PEDESTRIAN SAFETY."	S.B. No. 619	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST SEAWATER AIR CONDITIONING PROJECTS ON OAHU."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Human Services and Housing	Referred to:	Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 609	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX RELIEF."		
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means		

S.B. No. 620	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEAWATER AIR CONDITIONING."	S.B. No. 631	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 621	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING."	S.B. No. 632	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ASSET FORFEITURE."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 622	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ELECTIONS COMMISSION."	S.B. No. 633	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MILITARY."
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 623	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."	S.B. No. 634	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT."
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 624	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEGISLATIVE PROVISIONS."	S.B. No. 635	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SERVICE LEGAL LOAN REPAYMENT ASSISTANCE."
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 625	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."	S.B. No. 636	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 626	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHICS."	S.B. No. 637	"A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION TO DIVEST EXCLUSIVE JURISDICTION OF THE BOARD OF REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII OVER THE INTERNAL STRUCTURE, MANAGEMENT, AND OPERATION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 627	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGH TECHNOLOGY."	S.B. No. 638	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 628	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY FACILITIES."	S.B. No. 639	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISPOSABLE CONTAINERS."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment 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. 629	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO URBAN WATER CONSERVATION."		
Referred to:	Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means		
S.B. No. 630	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION."		
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection		

S.B. No. 640	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESISTING ARREST."	S.B. No. 652	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC AGENCY MEETINGS."
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 641	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DIGITAL MEDIA."	S.B. No. 653	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOBBYISTS."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 642	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION."	S.B. No. 654	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGNS."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 643	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD VISITATION."	S.B. No. 655	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHICS."
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 644	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMALS."	S.B. No. 656	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SENTENCING FOR PUBLIC EMPLOYEES."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 645	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY."	S.B. No. 657	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN FINANCE."
Referred to:	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Water and Land	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 646	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY."	S.B. No. 658	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INFORMATION PRACTICES."
Referred to:	Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 647	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOBBYISTS."	S.B. No. 659	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT RECORDS."
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 648	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHICS."	S.B. No. 660	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE NINETEENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT."
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 649	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WRONGFUL IMPRISONMENT."	S.B. No. 661	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNMANNED AERIAL SYSTEMS TEST SITES."
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 650	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGNS."	S.B. No. 662	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS."
Referred to:	Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
S.B. No. 651	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHICS."	S.B. No. 663	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS."
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 664	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONS."		Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 673	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL SPACE CENTER FOR EXPLORATION SYSTEMS."
S.B. No. 665	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRISONS."	Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 674	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WILDLIFE PROTECTION."
S.B. No. 666	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARIJUANA."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 675	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREFIGHTERS."
S.B. No. 667	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAID."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 676	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CAPITAL INFRASTRUCTURE TAX CREDIT."
S.B. No. 668	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REGISTRY OF CLEAN AND SOBER HOMES."	Referred to:	Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 677	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT."
S.B. No. 669	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VIETNAM WAR COMMEMORATION."	Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 678	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT."
S.B. No. 670	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMAL TRANSPORT."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	S.B. No. 679	"A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE I OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII RELATING TO THE RIGHTS OF VICTIMS OF CRIME."
S.B. No. 671	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL SPACE CENTER FOR EXPLORATION SYSTEMS' BASALT REBAR INITIATIVE."	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 680	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESISTING ARREST."
S.B. No. 672	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL SPACE CENTER FOR EXPLORATION SYSTEMS."	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Economic	S.B. No. 681	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARIJUANA."
		Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 682	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL MARIJUANA."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 693	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."
S.B. No. 683	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE DRIVER LICENSING."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 694	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTY SURCHARGE ON STATE TAX."
S.B. No. 684	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VEHICULAR TAXES."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 695	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICINE."
S.B. No. 685	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE."	Referred to:	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 696	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAX CREDITS."
S.B. No. 686	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A WAR MEMORIAL."	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 697	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDSCAPING."
S.B. No. 687	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESIDENTIAL REAL PROPERTY."	Referred to:	Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	S.B. No. 698	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY."
S.B. No. 688	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CLOTHESLINES."	Referred to:	Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
Referred to:	Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	S.B. No. 699	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY SERVICES."
S.B. No. 689	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION."	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 700	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PLACES OF PUBLIC ACCOMMODATION."
S.B. No. 690	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FORFEITURE."	Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 701	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."
S.B. No. 691	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEVICES WITH MONETARY PAYOUTS."	S.B. No. 702	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WILDLIFE."
Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 703	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOLID WASTE."
S.B. No. 692	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PESTICIDES."	S.B. No. 704	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRIC VEHICLES."
		S.B. No. 705	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAX."

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S.B. No. 711	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT."	S.B. No. 736	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."
S.B. No. 712	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENTERPRISE ZONES."	S.B. No. 737	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHECK CASHING."
S.B. No. 713	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."	S.B. No. 738	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIPOA POINT."
S.B. No. 714	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD SUPPORT."	S.B. No. 739	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOW-SPEED ELECTRIC BICYCLES."
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S.B. No. 716	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PRACTICE OF LAW."	S.B. No. 741	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."
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S.B. No. 723	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMUNITY MEETINGS."	S.B. No. 748	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRESCRIPTIVE AUTHORITY FOR CERTAIN PSYCHOLOGISTS."
S.B. No. 724	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE INSURANCE PREMIUM TAX."	S.B. No. 749	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COLORECTAL CANCER SCREENING AND AWARENESS PILOT PROGRAM."
S.B. No. 725	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTISTRY."	S.B. No. 750	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST ANAERGIA INCORPORATED."
S.B. No. 726	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT."	S.B. No. 751	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERINARY TECHNICIANS."
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S.B. No. 760	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SERVICE ANIMALS."	S.B. No. 785	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING ON HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS."
S.B. No. 761	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS."	S.B. No. 786	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AHA MOKU ADVISORY COMMITTEE."
S.B. No. 762	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BEACH ACCESS."	S.B. No. 787	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AUDITOR."
S.B. No. 763	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ALTERNATIVE HOUSING."	S.B. No. 788	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AERONAUTICS."
S.B. No. 764	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII RULES OF EVIDENCE."	S.B. No. 789	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IN VITRO FERTILIZATION INSURANCE COVERAGE."
S.B. No. 765	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."	S.B. No. 790	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROVIDER ORDERS FOR LIFE-SUSTAINING TREATMENT."
S.B. No. 766	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."	S.B. No. 791	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDERS."
S.B. No. 767	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES."	S.B. No. 792	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTAL HEALTH."
S.B. No. 768	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IN VITRO FERTILIZATION INSURANCE COVERAGE."	S.B. No. 793	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HEALTH IMPACT OF PESTICIDES."
S.B. No. 769	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION."	S.B. No. 794	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."
S.B. No. 770	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION."	S.B. No. 795	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION."
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S.B. No. 774	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PROTECTION OF TARO."	S.B. No. 799	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HEALTH IMPACT OF PESTICIDES."
S.B. No. 775	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."	S.B. No. 800	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HEALTH IMPACT OF PESTICIDES."
S.B. No. 776	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."		
S.B. No. 777	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION."		

S.B. No. 801	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HEALTH IMPACT OF PESTICIDES."	S.B. No. 822	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
S.B. No. 802	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMOKING."	S.B. No. 823	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOARD OF REGENTS."
S.B. No. 803	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."	S.B. No. 824	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DNA COLLECTION."
S.B. No. 804	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTISTRY."	S.B. No. 825	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CULTURAL EXCHANGES BETWEEN HAWAII AND PUERTO RICO."
S.B. No. 805	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."	S.B. No. 826	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS."
S.B. No. 806	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOSPITAL SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAM."	S.B. No. 827	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."
S.B. No. 807	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."	S.B. No. 828	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PSYCHOLOGISTS."
S.B. No. 808	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH SCIENCE EDUCATION."	S.B. No. 829	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PSYCHOLOGISTS."
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S.B. No. 810	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE ACT."	S.B. No. 831	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
S.B. No. 811	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LICENSURE OF DURABLE MEDICAL EQUIPMENT SUPPLIERS."	S.B. No. 832	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
S.B. No. 812	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BEHAVIOR SUPPORT REVIEW COMMITTEE FOR PERSONS WITH DEVELOPMENTAL OR INTELLECTUAL DISABILITIES."	S.B. No. 833	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS."
S.B. No. 813	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."	S.B. No. 834	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOARD OF EDUCATION."
S.B. No. 814	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."	S.B. No. 835	"A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE III, SECTION 4, OF THE HAWAII STATE CONSTITUTION TO ESTABLISH LEGISLATIVE TERM LIMITS."
S.B. No. 815	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOARD OF REGENTS."	S.B. No. 836	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS."
S.B. No. 816	"A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE HAWAII STATE CONSTITUTION TO AMEND SENATE TERMS."	S.B. No. 837	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS."
S.B. No. 817	"A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE XVII, SECTION 2, OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION TO CHANGE THE METHOD OF RATIFYING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT."	S.B. No. 838	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTRACTORS."
S.B. No. 818	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TUBERCULOSIS TESTING."	S.B. No. 839	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY."
S.B. No. 819	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION."	S.B. No. 840	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FREEDOM OF INFORMATION."
S.B. No. 820	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOARD OF EDUCATION."	S.B. No. 841	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL HEALTH."
S.B. No. 821	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."	S.B. No. 842	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHERS."
		S.B. No. 843	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION."
		S.B. No. 844	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION."
		S.B. No. 845	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BULLYING."
		S.B. No. 846	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

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S.B. No. 850	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FACILITIES FUNDING FOR CHARTER SCHOOLS."	S.B. No. 873	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARIJUANA."
S.B. No. 851	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION."	S.B. No. 874	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENETIC ENGINEERING."
S.B. No. 852	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION."	S.B. No. 875	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD LABELING."
S.B. No. 853	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE LIBRARIAN'S SALARY."	S.B. No. 876	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
S.B. No. 854	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SCHOOL LANDS."	S.B. No. 877	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION."
S.B. No. 855	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIBRARIES."	S.B. No. 878	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WASTEWATER."
S.B. No. 856	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."	S.B. No. 879	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARIJUANA."
S.B. No. 857	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PREAUDITS OF PROPOSED PAYMENTS."	S.B. No. 880	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC VIOLATION RECORDS."
S.B. No. 858	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAMS FOR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL STUDENTS."	S.B. No. 881	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION."
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S.B. No. 861	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE NOISE."	S.B. No. 884	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENETICALLY MODIFIED MATERIAL."
S.B. No. 862	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."	S.B. No. 885	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENETIC ENGINEERING."
S.B. No. 863	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION."	S.B. No. 886	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A SMALL BOAT HARBOR IN PUKO'O, MOLOKA'I."
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S.B. No. 865	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BULLYING."	S.B. No. 888	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTIES."
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S.B. No. 867	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE KAHOLAWE ISLAND RESERVE."	S.B. No. 890	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY."
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S.B. No. 906	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY."	S.B. No. 928	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SENTENCING."
S.B. No. 907	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNIVERSAL CHILDREN'S SAVINGS ACCOUNTS."	S.B. No. 929	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SAFETY."
S.B. No. 908	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."	S.B. No. 930	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT ACCOUNTABILITY."
S.B. No. 909	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEX TRAFFICKING."	S.B. No. 931	"A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AMENDMENTS TO THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION TO PROVIDE FOR A UNICAMERAL LEGISLATURE."
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S.B. No. 911	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LATEX."	S.B. No. 933	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEXUAL ASSAULTS."
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S.B. No. 914	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INDIGENT LEGAL SERVICES."	S.B. No. 936	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL LIABILITY."
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S.B. No. 938	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAILURE TO REPORT A MISSING CHILD."	S.B. No. 959	"A BILL FOR AN ACT REPEAL OF THE INHERITANCE AND ESTATE TAX."
S.B. No. 939	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY."	S.B. No. 960	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION."
S.B. No. 940	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ACCOMMODATIONS."	S.B. No. 961	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH TREATMENT."
S.B. No. 941	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TORT ACTIONS."	S.B. No. 962	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERPRETER REFERRAL SERVICES."
S.B. No. 942	"A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE V, SECTION 6 OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION TO PROVIDE FOR THE ELECTION OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL."	S.B. No. 963	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEARING AIDS."
S.B. No. 943	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXABLE INCOME EXCLUSION."	S.B. No. 964	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGING."
S.B. No. 944	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL CHOICE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM."	S.B. No. 965	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT."
S.B. No. 945	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRIVACY."	S.B. No. 966	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LICENSURE OF SUPPLIERS OF DURABLE MEDICAL EQUIPMENT."
S.B. No. 946	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAX."	S.B. No. 967	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."
S.B. No. 947	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONFORMANCE OF STATE PERSONAL EXEMPTION TO FEDERAL PERSONAL EXEMPTION."	S.B. No. 968	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE ADULT PROTECTIVE AND COMMUNITY SERVICES BRANCH."
S.B. No. 948	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURE CEILING."	S.B. No. 969	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FARM WORKER HOUSING."
S.B. No. 949	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AERONAUTICS."	S.B. No. 970	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENTAL HOUSING."
S.B. No. 950	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."	S.B. No. 971	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
S.B. No. 951	"A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE II OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII TO PROVIDE FOR RECALL."	S.B. No. 972	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY."
S.B. No. 952	"A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE XVII OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII FOR REFERENDUM."	S.B. No. 973	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY."
S.B. No. 953	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A BASIC BILL OF RIGHTS FOR VICTIMS AND WITNESSES."	S.B. No. 974	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RENTAL HOUSING TRUST FUND."
S.B. No. 954	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES."	S.B. No. 975	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RENTAL HOUSING TRUST FUND."
S.B. No. 955	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SHOOTING RANGE PROTECTION."	S.B. No. 976	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MIXED-USE RESIDENTIAL PROJECTS."
S.B. No. 956	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION."	S.B. No. 977	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION."
S.B. No. 957	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."	S.B. No. 978	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO YOUTH."
S.B. No. 958	"A BILL FOR AN ACT REPEAL OF CORPORATE INCOME TAX."	S.B. No. 979	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO YOUTH."
		S.B. No. 980	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAMS."

S.B. No. 981 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."

S.B. No. 982 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL AMNESTY."

REFERRAL OF SENATE BILLS

The President made the following committee assignments of Senate bills introduced on Thursday, January 22, 2015; and Friday, January 23, 2015:

S.B. No.: Referred to:

S.B. No. 161 Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 165 Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 166 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 167 Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 168 Jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 169 Jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 173 Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 174 Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 177 Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs 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. 179 Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 180 Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 182 Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Transportation

S.B. No. 183 Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Public

S.B. No. 185 Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 188 Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 189 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 195 Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 196 Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 197 Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 199 Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 201 Jointly to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 203 Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Health and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 205 Jointly to the Committee on Government Operations and the Committee on Energy and Environment

S.B. No. 206 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 209 Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 215 Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 218 Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 225	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 289	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 228	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 290	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 231	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	S.B. No. 292	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 233	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	S.B. No. 297	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 235	Jointly to the Committee on Government Operations and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 302	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 239	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 303	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 241	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 305	Committee on Health
S.B. No. 242	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 316	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 246	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 317	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 248	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 322	Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 254	Jointly to the Committee on Ways and Means and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 324	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 256	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 325	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 265	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 326	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 272	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 327	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 273	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Transportation	S.B. No. 328	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 275	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 329	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 282	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 330	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 283	Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 331	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
		S.B. No. 332	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts

S.B. No. 333	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	S.B. No. 349	Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 334	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	S.B. No. 350	Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 335	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	S.B. No. 351	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 336	Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 352	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 337	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 353	Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 338	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 354	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 339	Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 355	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 340	Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 356	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
S.B. No. 341	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 357	Jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 342	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 358	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 343	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 359	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 344	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	The Chair then made the following announcements:	
S.B. No. 345	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	“The five bills per day limit is in effect for the remainder of the bill introduction period, and the deadline to submit bills to the Clerk’s office is 6:00 p.m. each day.	
S.B. No. 346	Committee on Transportation	“Immediately following our floor session today, please report to the House chamber for the Joint Session at 10:00 a.m. to receive the Governor’s State of the State address.	
S.B. No. 347	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	“Tomorrow is a recess day; Wednesday’s floor session will convene at 9:00 a.m. before we meet in Joint Session with the House for the State of the Judiciary address.”	
S.B. No. 348	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	At 9:37 a.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair to meet in Joint Session with the House of Representatives, in accordance with House Concurrent Resolution No. 2, to receive the Governor’s State of the State Address.	

JOINT SESSION

The Joint Session of the Senate and the House of Representatives of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai‘i, Regular Session of 2015, was called to order at 10:11 a.m. by the Honorable John M. Mizuno, Vice Speaker of the House of Representatives.

At this time, the Vice Speaker welcomed and introduced the following distinguished guests to the members of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature:

The Honorable Shan S. Tsutsui, Lieutenant Governor of the State of Hawai‘i, who was presented a lei by Representative Sylvia Luke;

The Honorable Mark E. Recktenwald, Chief Justice, Supreme Court, State of Hawai‘i, who was presented a lei by Senator Jill N. Tokuda;

Mr. Robert Lindsey, Chair, Office of Hawaiian Affairs, who was presented a lei by Senator Laura H. Thielen;

Mrs. Dawn Amano-Ige, wife of Governor David Y. Ige, who was presented a lei by Representative Ken Ito;

The Honorable George R. Ariyoshi, former Governor of the State of Hawai‘i, and Mrs. Jean Ariyoshi;

The Honorable John D. Waihe‘e III, former Governor of the State of Hawai‘i, and Mrs. Lynne Waihe‘e;

The Honorable Neil Abercrombie, former Governor of the State of Hawai‘i, and Dr. Nancie Caraway;

The Honorable Benjamin Cayetano, former Governor of the State of Hawai‘i, and Mrs. Vicky Cayetano;

The Honorable Paula A. Nakayama, Associate Justice, Supreme Court, State of Hawai‘i;

The Honorable Sabrina S. McKenna, Associate Justice, Supreme Court, State of Hawai‘i;

The Honorable Richard W. Pollack, Associate Justice, Supreme Court, State of Hawai‘i;

The Honorable Michael D. Wilson, Associate Justice, Supreme Court, State of Hawai‘i;

Major General Kevin Pottinger, U.S. Pacific Air Forces;

Colonel Jeff Davis, U.S. Marine Corps Forces, Pacific;

Captain James Jenkins, Fourteenth Coast Guard District;

The Honorable Kirk Caldwell, Mayor, City and County of Honolulu;

The Honorable Billy Kenoi, Mayor, County of Hawai‘i;

The Honorable Bernard P. Carvalho, Mayor, County of Kaua‘i;

The Honorable Alan Arakawa, Mayor, County of Maui;

The Honorable Ernest Y. Martin, Council Chair, City and County of Honolulu;

The Honorable Michael White, Council Chair, County of Maui;

Mr. Jeffrey Daniel Lau, Dean, Consular Corps of Hawai‘i;

The Honorable Jeffrey Robinson, Consul General of Australia;

The Honorable Toyoei Shigeeda, Consul General of Japan;

The Honorable Walter K. Paik, Consul General of the Republic of Korea;

The Honorable Gina Jamoralin, Consul General of the Philippines; and

Mr. V.C. Chu, Director General, Taipei Economic & Cultural Office.

The Vice Speaker then appointed Representatives Scott K. Saiki and Beth Fukumoto Chang, on behalf of the House of Representatives, and Senators J. Kalani English and Sam Slom, on behalf of the Senate, to escort the Honorable David Y. Ige, Governor of the State of Hawai‘i, to the rostrum.

Representative Cindy Evans and Senator Rosalyn H. Baker presented Governor Ige with lei.

The Vice Speaker then presented to the members of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature and guests the Honorable David Y. Ige, Governor of the State of Hawai‘i.

Governor Ige presented the State of the State Address as follows:

“Mr. Speaker, Madam President, former governors, distinguished justices of the courts, representatives of our congressional delegation, members of the Hawai‘i State Legislature, other elected officials, honored guests, family, and friends: Aloha.

“I am honored to be here today to deliver my first State of the State Address. It is, of course, a homecoming of sorts with so many familiar faces and friends. Yet there is one major difference since I last sat amongst you: I am a year older, with a few more gray hairs on my head.

“To say that the last month has been an eye-opener would be an understatement, as all the former governors here will understand. But it’s not so much about being overwhelmed; it is about being invigorated and challenged. And we have a mountain of challenges to climb. And so I hope we can climb it together, because as I said at my inauguration: Alone, it is a daunting and overwhelming task.

“But I have always been an optimist and a believer in people and the power they hold within them. That’s why I’ve always looked to others for help with answers and why I’ve always sought to harness the power of collaboration.

“When I met with my cabinet during a retreat recently, I asked them: What does Hawai‘i mean to them? What drove them? What directed their actions? While there were many different answers and perspectives, one word kept coming up over and over and over again: ‘Home.’

“It’s a sentiment I understand intimately. After I graduated from the University of Hawai‘i, I was fortunate enough to be offered a number of jobs. But only one was located here in Hawai‘i, and that’s the one I accepted. To this day, I know it was the right choice because this is my home. For me, that one word brings everything into focus and gives purpose and direction to everything we do. And what is it, really, that we do here at the Capitol?

“Well, it’s quite simple: We are building a home for our kūpuna, ourselves, and our children. We build schools, hospitals, community centers, and places to work and play. And we safeguard the things that are important to us: our families, our freedoms, our environment, and our future – because this is our home.

“As any carpenter knows, building a good home takes time, money, and skill. And he or she will also tell you, no matter what kind of house you build, you begin at the beginning – with a strong foundation. And that’s what I find myself doing as your new governor: building a solid foundation for this administration, for the work ahead, for the people of Hawai‘i.

“In addition, homes begin with sound and long-term financing. It means working both the income and spending sides of the ledger. I recently submitted a preliminary budget that maintains state programs at current spending levels based on two sobering realities: First, we have fully committed our

current funds to existing programs and services, and second, we are spending more than we take in.

“While we work to correct that imbalance, we need to focus our available resources on strategic investments that grow our economy and strengthen our social safety net. In other words, we need to use funds we have more efficiently and leverage it whenever possible.

“For example, we can be more aggressive in seeking federal funds in a wide array of areas. Federal officials have told me there is significant money – about \$940 million – available to the state for the right projects, proposed for the right reasons at the right time.

“That’s why I’m pleased to announce the appointment of Elizabeth Kim as a special advisor to the governor. Elizabeth’s impressive experience in Washington, D.C. will help the state tremendously in securing more federal dollars. We all know Elizabeth’s story: a bright and talented person from Hawai‘i who wants to come home but can’t find the opportunity to do so. I am committed to creating more opportunities, not just for Elizabeth, but for all of our children to return home to fulfill their dreams and contribute to the future of Hawai‘i.

“We also need to do a better job of collecting taxes already on the books. The tax department, headed by Maria Zielinski, is preparing to implement a tax modernization program this year. The upgrade will better secure tax information and increase tax revenues through its efficiencies. While the project is expected to take several years, we should see a sizable increase in tax collections after the first two years. Moreover, the effort is projected to eventually pay for itself through increased revenues.

“Taxpayers will also benefit by being able to file their returns electronically, having access to online account information, and getting faster payments and refunds. These are the projects we need to fund.

“On the spending side, I believe we can do a number of things which center around a single change in mindset: making government more efficient. I cannot stress how important I believe this one factor is. I recently met with Mike Buskey, president of GameStop, a multimillion-dollar video game retailer. The company operates almost 6,500 stores throughout the world and is a major player in the electronics sector. He said, ‘If the rate of change inside a company does not exceed the rate of change outside the company, it will result in devastating losses to its shareholders, even bankruptcy.’

“It made me wonder about the number of people who would be affected if change within our state government failed to exceed the rate of change in the world. That truly would be devastating, resulting in government unable to meet the needs of its people.

“But what about the opposite scenario? I remember when I was in the Senate, we committed to going paperless and eliminating millions of unnecessary sheets of paper and its related costs. It was not an easy transition, and it was tough to change the way we always did things for decades and decades and decades. But we did. And as a result, the Senate generated more than \$1.2 million in savings over two years. And in the process, we saved nearly 8 million sheets of paper, or the equivalent of 800 trees each year. Now, can you imagine what we could do, if all of state government looked for these kinds of opportunities?

“For example, I am told that the state goes through 1 million pages a month for payroll alone. A little effort could go a long way to alter that; a change in mindset could take us much further. We must reduce the amount of paper we use every day.

“I am committed to transforming the culture of government to embrace and accelerate change. We need to invest in our employees and ask them what changes can be made to improve service or reduce costs. And, most importantly, we need to support them when we ask them to make those changes.

“Leveraging our dollars and maximizing our investments also go a long way in creating savings. I recently attended the groundbreaking for Kapolei Lofts, a public-private partnership with the state, the city, and a private developer. This rental housing project will provide nearly 500 much-needed homes on O‘ahu for residents, including 300 units that will remain affordable for the next 30 years. The state’s share provided an interim loan of \$5 million and is a good example of how low-cost government investment tools can be used to create affordable homes for working families.

“While we’re talking about building homes, let me bring up a related subject. Honolulu’s rail system is often viewed as a response to the growth of our suburban neighborhoods. While that is true today, it doesn’t have to be that way in the future. Rail can be the driver to help us build future communities on O‘ahu – to sensibly direct growth, to protect open space and agriculture, to stimulate business, reinvigorate older neighborhoods, and build affordable homes. In fact, the state is the largest owner of parcels along the transit route.

“Consequently, I will be dedicating a position in the Office of Planning to help us assess and evaluate those parcels specifically to build affordable homes – because that is one of this administration’s main goals.

“We are also adding \$100 million to the Rental Assistance Revolving Fund that can be leveraged with private money and state-owned lands along the transit route to provide rental homes for working families. In addition, we are providing \$25.3 million to construct a long-term care facility here for veterans. Those funds will be matched with \$37.4 million from the federal government.

“And we can also generate additional federal dollars by identifying defense interests along the transit route and seeing if our plans can mesh with the military’s to create a win-win situation. In these ways, federal funds can be tapped not just for our transportation needs but for community building as well.

“And let me make one thing clear: This governor wants rail to succeed, and I’m committed to it. But let’s also make sure we do things the right way for the right reasons – including cost containment – before we ask for any more money.

“Ask anyone who suffers from long-term illnesses: Nothing matters if you don’t have your health. Fully enjoying home and family presupposes good health. Lucky you live Hawai‘i for so many reasons, including one of the healthiest lifestyles and the longest life expectancies in the nation.

“Hawai‘i’s Prepaid Health Care Act has had a lot to do with those outcomes. In addition, it has brought us closer to achieving universal health care amongst all the states across the nation. With the passage of the Affordable Care Act and the launching of Hawai‘i’s Health Connector, we can close that gap. But we’ve got work to do.

“I will not minimize the disappointments we’ve all felt with the Health Connector. But I will not dwell on them, either. That’s why we’re working closely with all stakeholders to ensure that we move toward a sustainable exchange, one that meets the requirements of the Affordable Care Act without endangering Hawai‘i’s Prepaid Health Care Act.

“Despite the negative headlines, we are not that far away. Universal health care is within our grasp in Hawai‘i. And if we

work together and focus on execution, I have every confidence we can achieve this.

"We enjoy many benefits of being an island state cradled in the middle of the Pacific. But there are also disadvantages. Unlike other states, good health care is not easily distributed throughout the islands. Our families and doctors cannot simply drive to another hospital if one is busy or does not have the services they need. We have some wonderful private hospitals, but not everyone has access to them. That's why our public hospitals play such an important role in Hawai'i, a greater one than in most states. That's especially true on our neighbor islands, where they're often the only provider of acute care.

"Public-private partnerships offer great potential, but only if they are shaped in the right way. And no matter what direction we take, changing how we operate our hospitals to meet changing needs will be a key to any long-term solution.

"A home also needs a sustainable and reliable energy source. Importing fossil fuel remains one of our greatest weaknesses, and we simply must move to reduce our dependence on it. We have the locally generated resources that can allow us to be self-sufficient. We just need to move in concert toward that goal.

"As our largest provider of energy, Hawaiian Electric will have a lot to do with our success or failure. And that's why, as discussions with NextEra proceed, I am asking Randy Iwase, the new head of the Public Utilities Commission, to be actively involved in those talks.

"In addition, with the help of the Legislature, we will be restructuring and staffing the PUC to give it the expertise and the resources needed to deal with its due diligence. I will also be assigning a special counsel to protect the public's interest for the short- and long-term of this deal.

"The home we build in Hawai'i needs a strong support network in so many areas. We need to support business and industry so that they can grow our economy and create jobs. That includes our visitor industry, which has had three straight record-setting years in arrivals and spending, totaling about \$15 billion and supporting 175,000 jobs statewide. It also includes the thousands of small businesses that make up the core of our economic engine – those mom and pop stores whose predecessors include success stories like Foodland, City Mill, and the ABC Stores.

"We need to nurture an 'innovation economy,' in which entrepreneurs use technology to develop new processes and products from existing ones, like smartphone makers who have taken their products far beyond the original concept of a mobile phone and created entire new markets.

"It's a whole new economic paradigm, which we need to support with modern infrastructure, whether it's expanding our broadband network or building innovation parks. That's why we are providing \$10 million for the HI Growth Initiative to support and grow innovation and entrepreneurship.

"We need to support agriculture and help our local farmers dramatically increase the amount of food we grow locally. Hawai'i grows about 10 to 15 percent of the total food residents consume. If we are to become a sustainable society, we must increase those numbers. The cost of importing foods adds up to more than \$3 billion leaving the state annually. If we replace just 10 percent of imports with locally grown food, it would generate \$188 million in total sales, \$94 million for farmers, \$47 million in wages, and \$6 million in new taxes and 2,300 jobs. To do that, we need to preserve farm lands, develop agricultural parks, combat invasive species, and reassess the areas that determine whether a local farmer can survive.

"We will be meeting with farmers from each island to hear what they need to make Hawai'i more self-sufficient. And I've asked Agriculture Director Scott Enright to spearhead this effort. In the meantime, we are adding \$5 million to the Agricultural Loan Program and expanding use of the fund to include biosecurity and food safety needs. These are the kinds of things to help our farmers be successful.

"We also need to support our military, whose courage and commitment to our nation's security keeps Hawai'i and the rest of the country safe and strong. From our strategic location in the Pacific comes a responsibility that we cannot shirk. Moreover, the military plays a significant part in our economy, spending more than \$6.5 billion annually with a total economic impact of \$14.7 billion. It is the second largest sector of our economy, supporting more than 101,000 jobs.

"Even with the Pentagon's new focus on the Pacific, there is no guarantee that we can protect the military's presence in the islands simply because of our geographic location. We will need to be proactive and aggressive in our efforts to support our troops here, and I am prepared to do just that.

"We need to fulfill our obligations to our host culture, whose sense of aloha influences everything we do. As we speak, the *Hökūle'a* and its sister ship are sailing across the oceans to call for a more sustainable world. Their voyage banner, 'Mālama Honua,' means 'to care for our earth.' Living on an island, we know better than most that the limited resources of this planet must be protected if we are to thrive as a species. That is the lesson offered by our host culture; it is their gift to all of us. I am pleased that Nainoa Thompson is with us today and would like to recognize him for the many contributions he has made to the Polynesian Voyaging Society and the people of Hawai'i. Nainoa, if you could rise to be recognized?

"We also need a strong university system to help educate our future leaders and citizens and create a place where innovation, original thinking, and technology flourishes – a university system not just engaged in the community, but leading it into the future. In that regard, its goals must be clear; its planning must be precise; its actions must be forthright. I challenge the university leaders to focus on execution, accountability, and delivery in all that they do.

"We all know that education is the key that opens the doors to success. It has the power to lift a family out of poverty and despair. It has the power to turn dreams into reality. And it has the potential to do so much more for our own children. But before education can transform them, we must transform our school system.

"Waipahu High School is a wonderful example of a high-performance school, with strong leadership from the principal, who seeks to empower students and teachers and the community; high expectations for students; and hard-working teachers and staff committed to innovative and creative academies to help students learn. Together, they've generated amazing results, including increasing reading and math performances, graduation rates, the number of students going to college, and satisfaction levels of all stakeholders. With us today, representing Waipahu High School, is Principal Keith Hayashi. I would like Keith to stand to be recognized.

"We have many excellent, high-performing schools in our communities. The question is: How do we unleash them? I know that the best way to improve student learning is to empower schools and give those closest to our children the authority and resources to take action.

"As governor, I will appoint members to the Board of Education who embrace school empowerment of our principals and teachers as the key to ensure student success. I challenge the leaders of public education to stop issuing mandates from

the state office and to focus on empowering schools and delivering resources and support to the school level.

“In the current budget, we are requesting an increase for the Department of Education’s Weighted Student Formula. This will allow principals to decide how to spend this portion of the DOE’s budget and how to best meet the needs of their students. Most importantly, it will give our children greater educational opportunities.

“My mom grew up in Kahuku; at that time, schools there only went to the eighth grade. And so her parents knew that if she was to have any kind of future, she had to go away for high school. Somehow they scraped up enough money to send her to Denver, Colorado to continue her schooling. After graduation, she went on to become a nurse. Eventually, she came back home to work and, with my father, raised six children, including a future grateful governor.

“The point is, my grandparents understood the value of education and were willing to sacrifice for it. So did my parents. When we became parents ourselves, my wife and I decided the same for our children. They are presently away at school, pursuing their own hopes and dreams. But I know they, too, want to come home after college. The story is the same for so many families in Hawai‘i. It’s repeated over and over again, generation after generation.

“I know what it’s like to scrimp and save to buy a home and pay for tuition. I know what it’s like to struggle to make ends meet. The sacrifices are the same because the dreams are the same: to build a better life – and build it, not anywhere else, but here in the islands – because this is my home.

“And so, again, I ask all of you to remember why we’re here and what we have to do: Kō kākou home. This is our home. Let that be your focus. Let that direct your actions and drive your determination. Let the end not justify the means but allow us to work through them. If we do that, I think we will find ourselves in agreement more often than not.

“And so I thank you – each and every one of you – for the sacrifices that you will make during this session and throughout the year. And I look forward to working with all of you and collaborating with all of you. Mahalo and aloha.”

Senate President Donna Mercado Kim then rose and stated:

“Thank you, Governor Ige, for your inspiring remarks. On behalf of the members of the Senate and House of Representatives – your former colleagues – we look forward to working collaboratively with you to make Hawai‘i a better place.

“These are uncertain times, but we’re confident that you, Lieutenant Governor Tsutsui, and your cabinet, together with the members of both legislative houses, can and will provide the leadership and craft the solutions for the challenges facing our people. It is in this spirit of hope and cooperation that we stand ready to work with you.

“There being no further business, I declare this joint session adjourned.”

At 10:53 a.m., President Kim declared the Joint Session adjourned.

ADJOURNMENT

At 10:53 a.m., the Senate adjourned until 9:00 a.m., Wednesday, January 28, 2015.

FIFTH DAY

Wednesday, January 28, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 9:04 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present with the exception of Senators Chun Oakland and Galuteria who were excused.

The President announced that she had read and approved the Journal of the Fourth Day.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 89 to 127 and 524) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Gov. Msg. No. 89, dated January 9, 2015, transmitting the Hawai'i Employer-Union Health Benefits Trust Fund's Relating to Prescription Drugs Report, prepared by the Department of Budget and Finance pursuant to Act 226, SLH 2013, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 90, dated January 16, 2015, transmitting the State of Hawai'i Community-Based Economic Development Technical and Financial Assistance Program Annual Report, prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism pursuant to Section 210D-0014, HRS, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 91, dated January 16, 2015, transmitting the Self-Sufficiency Income Standard, Estimates for Hawai'i 2013, prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism pursuant Section 201-3, HRS, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 92, dated January 16, 2015, transmitting the Hawai'i Housing Finance and Development Corporation 2014 Annual Report, prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism pursuant to Section 201H-21, HRS, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 93, dated January 16, 2015, transmitting the Small Business Regulatory Review Board Annual Report, prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism pursuant to Section 201M-5(f), HRS, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 94, dated January 16, 2015, transmitting the Hawai'i Employer-Union Health Benefits Trust Fund's Annual Report for Fiscal Year ending June 30, 2014, prepared by the Department of Budget and Finance pursuant to Section 87A-25, HRS, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 95, dated January 16, 2015, transmitting the report, "Urging the Director of Health to Convene a Task Force to Assess the Scope and Feasibility of Establishing an Emergency Services Patient Advocate Program," prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to H.C.R. No. 122 (2014), was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 96, dated January 16, 2015, transmitting the Child and Adolescent Mental Health Division Strategic Plan 2015-2018 and Biennial Review of Progress Made on the 2011-2014 Strategic Plan, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to Sections 321-175 and 321-176, HRS, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 97, dated January 16, 2015, transmitting the 2014 Annual Report of the Hawai'i Public Housing Authority pursuant to Section 356D-20, HRS, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 98, dated January 16, 2015, transmitting the Report on Administratively Established Funds and Accounts, prepared by the Department of the Attorney General pursuant to Section 37-52.5, HRS, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 99, dated January 16, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report of Proceedings under the Hawai'i Omnibus Criminal Forfeiture Act, prepared by the Department of the Attorney General pursuant to Section 712A-16(6), HRS, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 100, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the Safe Routes to School Annual Report, prepared by the Department of Transportation pursuant to Act 317, SLH 2012, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 101, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the Statewide Noxious Invasive Pest Program Report, prepared by the Department of Transportation pursuant to Act 106, SLH 2012, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 102, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the report, "Status and Progress of Clean Energy Initiatives and Analysis of the Environmental Response, Energy, and Food Security Tax," prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism pursuant to Act 73, SLH 2010, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 103, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report and Financial Statement for Fiscal Year 2014 for the Hawai'i Health Systems Corporation pursuant to Sections 323F-22(b) and 323F-22(c), HRS, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 104, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the report regarding the Status of the Business and Information Technology and the Information Resource Management Transformation Strategic Plan (Implementation Phase), prepared by the Office of Information Management and Technology pursuant to Act 84, SLH 2011, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 105, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the Annual Internal Audit Report of the Hawai'i Health Systems Corporation pursuant to Section 323F-22(d), HRS, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 106, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the report of the Task Force to Study the Effects of the January 2014 Tank Leak at The Red Hill Fuel Storage Facility, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to S.C.R. No. 73 (2014), was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 107, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the Narcotics Enforcement Division Annual Report, prepared by the Department of Public Safety pursuant to Section 329-11, HRS, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 108, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the Sexual Assaults in Correctional Facilities Report, prepared by the Department of Public Safety pursuant to Act 194, SLH 2010, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 109, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the Relating to Cognitive Restructuring Annual Report, prepared by the Department of Public Safety pursuant to Act 193, SLH 2010, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 110, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the Return of Out-of-State Inmates Annual Report, prepared by the Department of Public Safety pursuant to Section 353H-7, HRS, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 111, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the Corrections Population Management Commission Report,

prepared by the Department of Public Safety pursuant to Section 353F-5, HRS, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 112, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the Mental Health Services for Committed Persons Annual Report, prepared by the Department of Public Safety pursuant to Act 144, SLH 2007, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 113, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the Findings, Recommendations, and Plans Relating to the Exploration of a Competitively Procured Public-Private Partnership Agreement for a New System of Correctional Facilities, prepared by the Department of Public Safety pursuant to S.C.R. No. 120, S.D. 2 (2014), was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 114, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the Gender-Responsive Community Based Programs for Women Annual Report, prepared by the Department of Public Safety pursuant to Section 367D-8, HRS, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 115, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the Hawai'i Correctional Industries Annual Report for Fiscal Year 2014, prepared by the Department of Public Safety pursuant to Section 354D-3.5, HRS, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 116, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the Criminal Offender Treatment Act Report, prepared by the Department of Public Safety pursuant to Section 353G-13(c), HRS, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 117, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the Reentry Pilot Project for Nonviolent, Low-Risk Drug Offenders Report, prepared by the Department of Public Safety pursuant to Act 149, SLH 2014, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 118, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the Federal Reimbursement Maximization Special Fund Annual Report, prepared by the Department of Public Safety pursuant to Section 353C-7(c), HRS, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 119, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the Government Operations Annual Report, prepared by the Department of Public Safety pursuant to Act 100, SLH 1999, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 120, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the Executive Office on Aging Annual Report, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to Section 349-5(b)(2), HRS, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 121, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the Report of the Benefit, Employment, and Support Services and Med-QUEST Divisions, prepared by the Department of Human Services pursuant to Section 346-54, HRS, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 122, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on Litigation Deposits Trust Fund Transactions and Collections Made on Behalf of Other Departments and Agencies, prepared by the Department of the Attorney General pursuant to Section 28-16, HRS, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 123, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on the Antitrust Fund, prepared by the Department of the Attorney General pursuant to Section 28-13(d), HRS, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 124, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the Housing First Program Annual Report, prepared by the Department of Human Services pursuant to Section 346-378, HRS, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 125, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the Airport Security Expenditures Report, prepared by the Department of Transportation pursuant to Act 1, SLH 2014, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 126, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the Customer Facility Charge Report, prepared by the Department of Transportation pursuant to Act 226, SLH 2008, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 127, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the Bikeway Projects and Expenditures Annual Report, prepared by the Department of Transportation pursuant to Act 222, SLH 1995, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 524, submitting for consideration and confirmation as Chairperson of the Public Utilities Commission, the nomination of RANDALL IWASE, term to expire June 30, 2020, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

DEPARTMENTAL COMMUNICATION

The following communication (Dept. Com. No. 58) was read by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Dept. Com. No. 58, from the University of Hawai'i dated January 16, 2015, transmitting the Report on the Findings from the Hawai'i Physician Workforce Assessment Project pursuant to Act 18, Special SLH 2009, as amended by Act 186, SLH 2012.

INTRODUCTION OF SENATE BILLS

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the following bills passed First Reading by title and were referred to committee:

S.B. No. 983 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOBBYISTS."

Introduced by: Senator Thielen.

Referred to: Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 984 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Senators Tokuda, Baker, English, Green, Harimoto, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Kouchi, Ruderman.

Referred to: Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 985 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."

Introduced by: Senator Nishihara.

Referred to: Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 986 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."

Introduced by: Senator Nishihara.

Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 987 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Senators Taniguchi, Tokuda.

Referred to: Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 988	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RESEARCH CORPORATION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.”	Introduced by:	Senators Ihara, Dela Cruz.
		Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Taniguchi.		
Referred to:	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor		
S.B. No. 989	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRIVATE DETECTIVES AND GUARDS.”	S.B. No. 997	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOBBYISTS.”
		Introduced by:	Senators Ihara, Dela Cruz, Keith-Agaran.
Introduced by:	Senator Taniguchi.	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 998	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INFORMATION PRIVACY.”
S.B. No. 990	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NOISE.”	Introduced by:	Senator Ihara.
Introduced by:	Senator Shimabukuro.	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology and the Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 999	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LEGISLATIVE BROADCAST PROGRAM.”
S.B. No. 991	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.”	Introduced by:	Senator Ihara, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Shimabukuro.	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1000	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY.”
S.B. No. 992	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NATIVE HAWAIIAN CHILDREN.”	Introduced by:	Senators Wakai, Espero, Nishihara, Dela Cruz, Keith-Agaran, Riviere, Ruderman.
Introduced by:	Senator Shimabukuro.	Referred to:	Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1001	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MANUFACTURING.”
S.B. No. 993	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY.”	Introduced by:	Senators Wakai, Espero, Ihara, Baker, Dela Cruz, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara, Slom.
Introduced by:	Senator Shimabukuro.	Referred to:	Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 1002	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.”
S.B. No. 994	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PROPERTY INSURANCE ASSOCIATION.”	Introduced by:	Senators Wakai, Baker, Dela Cruz, Espero, Ihara, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara, Taniguchi.
Introduced by:	Senator Shimabukuro.	Referred to:	Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 1003	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY.”
S.B. No. 995	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE STATEMENTS.”	Introduced by:	Senators Wakai, Harimoto, Nishihara, Dela Cruz, Espero, Keith-Agaran, Riviere, Ruderman.
Introduced by:	Senators Ihara, Dela Cruz, Nishihara.	Referred to:	Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor		
S.B. No. 996	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHICS.”		

S.B. No. 1004	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEVELOPMENT.”	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senators Wakai, Espero, Ihara, Baker, Dela Cruz, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara, Riviere, Slom, Taniguchi.	S.B. No. 1012	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT.”
Referred to:	Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Galuteria, Dela Cruz, English, Kouchi, Nishihara.
S.B. No. 1005	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR.”	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Introduced by:	Senators Galuteria, Espero, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara, Shimabukuro.	S.B. No. 1013	“A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A COMMUNITY CERTIFIED KITCHEN IN PUNA.”
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Ihara, Inouye, Keith-Agaran.
S.B. No. 1006	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH.”	Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senators Galuteria, Chun Oakland, Inouye, Kahele, Kidani, Nishihara, Espero, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro, Wakai.	S.B. No. 1014	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOUSELESS BILL OF RIGHTS.”
Referred to:	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Chun Oakland, Espero, Galuteria, Green, Harimoto, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro.
S.B. No. 1007	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS.”	Referred to:	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Introduced by:	Senators Galuteria, Chun Oakland, Espero, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro.	S.B. No. 1015	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ELECTIONS COMMISSION.”
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Harimoto, Ihara, Inouye.
S.B. No. 1008	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII FOOD RESILIENCY.”	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Introduced by:	Senators Galuteria, Chun Oakland, English, Espero, Inouye, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Shimabukuro, Dela Cruz, Nishihara, Wakai.	S.B. No. 1016	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH.”
Referred to:	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Ihara, Inouye, Keith-Agaran.
S.B. No. 1009	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SERVICE CHARGES.”	Referred to:	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Galuteria.	S.B. No. 1017	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT.”
Referred to:	Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Harimoto, Ihara, Inouye.
S.B. No. 1010	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNAUTHORIZED PRACTICE OF LAW.”	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Government Operations and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Baker, Espero, Ihara, Slom, Taniguchi.	S.B. No. 1018	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IDENTIFICATION.”
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran.
S.B. No. 1011	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING.”	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Baker, Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Kouchi.	S.B. No. 1019	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL USE OF MARIJUANA.”
		Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Galuteria.
		Referred to:	Committee on Health

S.B. No. 1020	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRONIC MONITORING.”	on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Keith-Agaran, Galuteria.	
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	
S.B. No. 1021	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION.”	
Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Keith-Agaran, Galuteria.	
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	
S.B. No. 1022	“A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII TO REPEAL THE ONE-YEAR MINIMUM HAWAII RESIDENCY REQUIREMENT TO QUALIFY FOR APPOINTMENT PURSUANT TO ARTICLE V, SECTION 6, OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII.”	
Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Keith-Agaran.	
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	
S.B. No. 1023	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII CHILD WELFARE EDUCATION COLLABORATION.”	
Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Kidani, Taniguchi.	
Referred to:	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	
S.B. No. 1024	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAYS.”	
Introduced by:	Senator Chun Oakland.	
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	
S.B. No. 1025	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MANDATORY SICK LEAVE.”	
Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Keith-Agaran.	
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	
S.B. No. 1026	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTY INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPMENT.”	
Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Espero.	
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee	
S.B. No. 1027	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY COURT.”	
Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Keith-Agaran.	
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	
S.B. No. 1028	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH CONNECTOR.”	
Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Keith-Agaran, Espero, Ihara, Nishihara, Taniguchi.	
Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	
S.B. No. 1029	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL MARIJUANA.”	
Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Espero, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara, Ruderman.	
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Ways and Means	
S.B. No. 1030	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH.”	
Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Espero, Keith-Agaran, Ruderman, Wakai.	
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	
S.B. No. 1031	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS.”	
Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Espero, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara, Wakai, Ihara.	
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs	
S.B. No. 1032	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHAPTER 245, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES.”	
Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Nishihara, Ruderman, Espero, Wakai.	
Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	
S.B. No. 1033	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH.”	
Introduced by:	Senators Green, Espero, Riviere, Wakai.	
Referred to:	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	

S.B. No. 1034	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH.”		SERVING THE GENERAL PUBLIC IN PROVIDING ELECTRIC ENERGY.”
Introduced by:	Senators Green, Espero.	Introduced by:	Senators English, Keith-Agaran, Espero, Gabbard, Inouye, Riviere, Wakai.
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1035	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LA‘I‘ŌPUA COMMUNITY CENTER.”	S.B. No. 1043	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES.”
Introduced by:	Senators Green, Espero, Riviere, Wakai.	Introduced by:	Senator Taniguchi, by request.
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1036	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUBSTANCE ABUSE TREATMENT.”		
Introduced by:	Senators Green, Espero, Riviere, Wakai.	S.B. No. 1044	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION.”
Referred to:	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senators Harimoto, Espero, Dela Cruz, Inouye, Kidani, Kouchi, Nishihara.
S.B. No. 1037	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HEALTH IMPACTS OF PESTICIDES.”	Referred to:	Committee on Transportation
Introduced by:	Senators Green, Shimabukuro.	S.B. No. 1045	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES.”
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Introduced by:	Senator Thielen.
		Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1038	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL MANAGEMENT AREAS.”		
Introduced by:	Senators Dela Cruz, Kidani, Wakai.	S.B. No. 1046	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES.”
Referred to:	Committee on Water and Land	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Ihara, Inouye, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro, Espero, Galuteria, Thielen, Wakai.
S.B. No. 1039	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STUDENT INSTRUCTIONAL TIME.”	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senators Dela Cruz, Inouye, Kahele, Kidani, Nishihara, Wakai.		
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1047	“A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST PELATRON Q, LLC.”
S.B. No. 1040	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FARMERS’ MARKETS.”	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Chun Oakland, Espero, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro.
Introduced by:	Senators Dela Cruz, Inouye, Kahele, Kidani, Nishihara, Wakai.	Referred to:	Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection		
S.B. No. 1041	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HALEAKALĀ NATIONAL PARK.”	S.B. No. 1048	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY DEVELOPMENT.”
Introduced by:	Senators English, Espero, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara.	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Chun Oakland, Espero, Keith-Agaran, Ihara, Shimabukuro.
Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Energy and Environment,
S.B. No. 1042	“A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR SUNSTRONG LLC, A RENEWABLE ENERGY DEVELOPER		

	then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1049	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRONIC WASTE RECYCLING.”	S.B. No. 1056	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION.”
Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Espero, Galuteria, Ihara, Inouye, Shimabukuro.	Introduced by:	Senator Kidani.
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Health	Referred to:	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1050	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY.”	S.B. No. 1057	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHERS.”
Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Ruderman, Baker, Dela Cruz, Ihara, Kidani, Nishihara, Riviere, Taniguchi.	Introduced by:	Senator Kidani.
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1051	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FUEL CELL ELECTRIC VEHICLES.”	S.B. No. 1058	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FACILITIES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII WEST OAHU.”
Introduced by:	Senators Kahele, Gabbard, Inouye, Kidani, Galuteria, Ihara, Nishihara, Ruderman, Slom.	Introduced by:	Senator Kidani.
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1052	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY.”	S.B. No. 1059	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES.”
Introduced by:	Senators Kahele, Inouye, Kidani, Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Ihara, Nishihara.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Government Operations and the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Transportation, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1053	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NON-FOSSIL FUELS.”	S.B. No. 1060	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LOANS.”
Introduced by:	Senators Kahele, Gabbard, Inouye, Galuteria, Ihara.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Government Operations and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1054	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POST-CONVICTION PROCEEDINGS.”	S.B. No. 1061	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENTAL RESPONSE, ENERGY, AND FOOD SECURITY TAX.”
Introduced by:	Senators Kahele, Inouye, Kidani, Espero, Galuteria, Slom.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1055	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IRONWORKERS.”	S.B. No. 1062	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BIOSECURITY PROGRAM.”
Introduced by:	Senator Kidani.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
		Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
		S.B. No. 1063	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENHANCED 911 BOARD.”
		Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
		Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military

	Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1072	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL."
S.B. No. 1064	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT OF PROFESSIONAL SERVICES."	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Government Operations	S.B. No. 1073	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE."
S.B. No. 1065	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE, ITS OFFICERS, OR ITS EMPLOYEES."	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Water and Land
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1074	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE PLANNING."
S.B. No. 1066	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM INTERSTATE FAMILY SUPPORT ACT."	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 1075	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAX EXEMPTIONS FOR CERTIFIED OR APPROVED HOUSING PROJECTS."
S.B. No. 1067	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARITABLE SOLICITATION."	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Referred to:	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1076	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."
S.B. No. 1068	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FORENSIC IDENTIFICATION."	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 1069	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL ASSISTANCE FRAUD."
S.B. No. 1069	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL ASSISTANCE FRAUD."	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1077	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."
S.B. No. 1070	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT VEHICLES."	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 1078	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."
S.B. No. 1071	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ACQUISITION OF FIREARMS BY LAWFUL PERMANENT RESIDENT ALIENS."	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 1079	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."
		Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.

Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1088	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RETIREMENT CREDIT FOR UNUSED SICK LEAVE."
S.B. No. 1080	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1089	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."
S.B. No. 1081	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1090	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."
S.B. No. 1082	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1091	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII EMPLOYER-UNION HEALTH BENEFITS TRUST FUND."
S.B. No. 1083	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1092	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REPEAL OF NON-GENERAL FUNDS."
S.B. No. 1084	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1093	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MORTGAGE SERVICERS."
S.B. No. 1085	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII EMPLOYER-UNION HEALTH BENEFITS TRUST FUND."	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1094	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."
S.B. No. 1086	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1095	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH INSURANCE."
S.B. No. 1087	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1096	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ON-BILL PROGRAMS."
		Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
		Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 1097	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONSUMER ADVOCATE.”	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.		
Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	S.B. No. 1105	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY.”
S.B. No. 1098	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIBRARIES.”	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Education	S.B. No. 1106	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MEDICAID MANAGED CARE PROGRAM.”
S.B. No. 1099	“A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR.”	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Referred to:	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1107	“A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR GENERAL ASSISTANCE.”
S.B. No. 1100	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING ON HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS.”	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Referred to:	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1108	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AMENDING IDENTITY OF REGISTRANT’S PARENT ON A BIRTH CERTIFICATE.”
S.B. No. 1101	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY.”	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Referred to:	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1109	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REGULATION OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS.”
S.B. No. 1102	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOSPITAL SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAM.”	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Referred to:	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1110	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENTAL RESPONSE, ENERGY, AND FOOD SECURITY TAX.”
S.B. No. 1103	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE NURSING FACILITY SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAM.”	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Referred to:	Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1111	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER INFRASTRUCTURE.”
S.B. No. 1104	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY.”	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 1112	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CIVIL MONETARY PENALTY SPECIAL FUND.”	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	S.B. No. 1120	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NOTICE OF HEARING BY THE LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS APPEALS BOARD.”
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
S.B. No. 1113	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BACKGROUND CHECKS.”	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	S.B. No. 1121	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WAGES AND HOURS ON PUBLIC WORKS LAW.”
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
S.B. No. 1114	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH.”	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	S.B. No. 1122	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WAGE AND HOUR LAW.”
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
S.B. No. 1115	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUILDING DESIGN FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES.”	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	S.B. No. 1123	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS TAX.”
Referred to:	Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
S.B. No. 1116	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RECORDS OF FORENSIC EXAMINATIONS.”	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	S.B. No. 1124	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO USE PERMITS FOR SMALL BOAT HARBORS.”
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
S.B. No. 1117	“A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION.”	Referred to:	Committee on Water and Land
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	S.B. No. 1125	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL SHORELINE ENCROACHMENT EASEMENTS.”
Referred to:	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
S.B. No. 1118	“A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR HAZARD EVALUATION AND EMERGENCY RESPONSE PREPAREDNESS.”	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	S.B. No. 1126	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOREST STEWARDSHIP.”
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
S.B. No. 1119	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET.”	Referred to:	Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	S.B. No. 1127	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENFORCEMENT ACTIONS BY THE BOARD OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES.”
		Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
		Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 1128	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFTER-SCHOOL PROGRAMS.”	S.B. No. 1136	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SECTION 235-55.91, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES.”
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1129	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMISSIONERS OF DEEDS.”	S.B. No. 1137	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIABILITY FOR AMOUNTS PASSED ON AS TAX.”
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1130	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COURT ORDERS TO PROVIDE MEDICAL TREATMENT FOR INMATES AND DETAINEES IN CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES.”	S.B. No. 1138	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVER LICENSING.”
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1131	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT.”	S.B. No. 1139	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSPECTIONS.”
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1132	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY.”	S.B. No. 1140	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ALOHA TOWER DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION.”
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1133	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONFORMITY OF THE HAWAII INCOME TAX LAW TO THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE.”	S.B. No. 1141	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION.”
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Transportation
S.B. No. 1134	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ESTATE AND GENERATION-SKIPPING TRANSFER TAXES.”	S.B. No. 1142	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY.”
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1135	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SECTION 237-23, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES.”	S.B. No. 1143	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII RULEMAKING.”
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1144	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.”	S.B. No. 1144	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.”
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.

Referred to:	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1145	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII CONFERENCE CENTER."	S.B. No. 1153	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS."
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim.
Referred to:	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 1146	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII ACCOUNTING AND FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT SYSTEM."	S.B. No. 1154	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LIQUOR COMMISSION."
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim.
Referred to:	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs
S.B. No. 1147	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."	S.B. No. 1155	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CREATIVE MEDIA INDUSTRY."
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Introduced by:	Senators Kim, Wakai.
Referred to:	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology and the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1148	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CYBERSECURITY WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT."	S.B. No. 1156	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATUTORY REVISION: AMENDING OR REPEALING VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE HAWAII REVISED STATUTES AND THE SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII FOR THE PURPOSES OF CORRECTING ERRORS AND REFERENCES, CLARIFYING LANGUAGE, AND DELETING OBSOLETE OR UNNECESSARY PROVISIONS."
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Kim.
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 1149	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."	S.B. No. 1157	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STARLIGHT RESERVE."
Introduced by:	Senator Kouchi.	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Baker, Keith-Agaran.
Referred to:	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1150	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."	S.B. No. 1158	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL SPACE CENTER FOR EXPLORATION SYSTEMS SPECIAL FUND."
Introduced by:	Senator Kouchi.	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Baker, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran.
Referred to:	Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1151	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR."	S.B. No. 1159	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERANS DISABILITY BENEFITS."
Introduced by:	Senator Taniguchi.	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Baker, Keith-Agaran, Slom.
Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs	Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs,
S.B. No. 1152	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."		
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.		

	then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Introduced by:	Senators Riviere, Gabbard, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro, Ruderman, Slom, Wakai.
S.B. No. 1160	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY."	Referred to:	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Harimoto, Inouye, Nishihara.	S.B. No. 1167	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WINDMILLS."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senators Riviere, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Keith-Agaran, Slom.
S.B. No. 1161	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY DIVISION."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Water and Land
Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Baker, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran.	S.B. No. 1168	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNDERGROUND STORAGE."
Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Green, Inouye, Ruderman, Wakai, English, Ihara.
S.B. No. 1162	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
Introduced by:	Senators Thielen, Ruderman, Taniguchi, Wakai.	S.B. No. 1169	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GLASS ADVANCE DISPOSAL FEE PROGRAM."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Chun Oakland, Harimoto, Kidani, Green, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro, Thielen.
S.B. No. 1163	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LAND."	Referred to:	Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senators Thielen, Ruderman, Chun Oakland, Riviere, Shimabukuro.	S.B. No. 1170	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PLASTIC PRODUCTS."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, English, Inouye, Green, Ruderman, Wakai.
S.B. No. 1164	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Introduced by:	Senator Thielen.	S.B. No. 1171	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Wakai, Inouye, Nishihara, Ruderman.
S.B. No. 1165	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MANAGEMENT OF OCEAN RESOURCES."	Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Introduced by:	Senators Thielen, Riviere, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Galuteria, Ihara, Wakai.	S.B. No. 1172	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY STORAGE."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Ruderman, Baker, Dela Cruz, Harimoto, Ihara, Kidani, Riviere.
S.B. No. 1166	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 1173	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ACQUISITION OF SCENIC LANDS AT KAPUA IN MILOLI‘I ON THE ISLAND OF HAWAII.”	S.B. No. 1180	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATIONS.”
Introduced by:	Senators Kahele, Kidani, Dela Cruz, English, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara, Riviere, Shimabukuro.	Introduced by:	Senators Harimoto, Espero, Inouye, Kidani, Nishihara, Riviere, Kim.
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1174	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS’ COMPENSATION.”	S.B. No. 1181	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION.”
Introduced by:	Senators Green, Espero, Riviere, Ruderman.	Introduced by:	Senators Slom, Keith-Agaran.
Referred to:	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1175	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII STATE HOSPITAL.”	S.B. No. 1182	“A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE II OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII TO IMPOSE RESIGN-TO-RUN.”
Introduced by:	Senators Green, Baker, Shimabukuro, English, Espero, Gabbard, Riviere, Ruderman, Slom.	Introduced by:	Senators Slom, Dela Cruz, Nishihara, Inouye, Kidani, Riviere.
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1176	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LICENSURE OF DURABLE MEDICAL EQUIPMENT SUPPLIERS.”	S.B. No. 1183	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE LAND MAMMAL.”
Introduced by:	Senators Green, Baker, English, Ruderman.	Introduced by:	Senators Slom, Keith-Agaran, Riviere.
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Government Operations
S.B. No. 1177	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE FOUNDATION ON CULTURE AND THE ARTS.”	S.B. No. 1184	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONCEALED CARRY LICENSE OF PISTOLS OR REVOLVERS.”
Introduced by:	Senator Taniguchi.	Introduced by:	Senator Slom.
Referred to:	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 1178	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH.”	S.B. No. 1185	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION.”
Introduced by:	Senators Green, Gabbard, Ruderman, Espero.	Introduced by:	Senator Slom.
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Education, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1179	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MENUS FOR CHILDREN.”	S.B. No. 1186	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERSONAL INFORMATION.”
Introduced by:	Senator Harimoto.	Introduced by:	Senators Wakai, Inouye, Kidani, Ruderman, Baker, Dela Cruz, Espero, Galuteria, Harimoto, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara, Riviere, Slom, Taniguchi.
Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Government Operations and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 1187	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION.”	Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Introduced by:	Senators Wakai, Kahele, Baker, Dela Cruz, Espero, Galuteria, Harimoto, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Nishihara, Slom, Taniguchi.	S.B. No. 1194	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOBBYISTS.”
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senators Shimabukuro, Riviere.
S.B. No. 1188	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMALL BUSINESS.”	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Introduced by:	Senators Wakai, Kahele, Baker, Dela Cruz, Espero, Galuteria, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Nishihara, Ruderman, Slom.	S.B. No. 1195	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.”
Referred to:	Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senator Shimabukuro.
S.B. No. 1189	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM.”	Referred to:	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senators Wakai, Harimoto, Kidani, Slom, Baker, Dela Cruz, Galuteria.	S.B. No. 1196	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION.”
Referred to:	Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Thielen.
S.B. No. 1190	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES.”	Referred to:	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senators Wakai, Harimoto, Kidani, Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Slom, Taniguchi.	S.B. No. 1197	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GEOTHERMAL RESOURCES.”
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senator Ruderman.
S.B. No. 1191	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AHA MOKU ADVISORY COMMITTEE.”	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Energy and Environment, then jointly to the Committee on Ways and Means and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Introduced by:	Senators Shimabukuro, Riviere.	S.B. No. 1198	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE.”
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senator Ruderman.
S.B. No. 1192	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FORECLOSURES.”	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Agriculture, then jointly to the Committee on Ways and Means and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
Introduced by:	Senator Shimabukuro.	S.B. No. 1199	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL THEFT.”
Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Introduced by:	Senator Ruderman.
S.B. No. 1193	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII PROPERTY INSURANCE ASSOCIATION.”	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senator Shimabukuro.	S.B. No. 1200	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A SMALL BOAT HARBOR IN SOUTH PUNA.”
		Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Kahele, Keith-Agaran.
		Referred to:	Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
		S.B. No. 1201	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION.”
		Introduced by:	Senators Chun, Oakland, Espero, Galuteria, Harimoto.

Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1210	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC AGENCY MEETINGS."
S.B. No. 1202	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."	Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Baker, English.
Introduced by:	Senator Chun Oakland.	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1211	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MAJOR DISASTER FUND."
S.B. No. 1203	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY."	Introduced by:	Senators Tokuda, Inouye, Kahele, Kouchi, Ruderman.
Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Espero, Harimoto.	Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1212	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AMENDING OR REPEALING VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF HAWAII TAX LAWS FOR THE PURPOSE OF DELETING OBSOLETE OR UNNECESSARY PROVISIONS."
S.B. No. 1204	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."	Introduced by:	Senator Tokuda.
Introduced by:	Senator Chun Oakland.	Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1213	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY."
S.B. No. 1205	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY."	Introduced by:	Senators Tokuda, Keith-Agaran.
Introduced by:	Senator Chun Oakland.	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1214	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST HAWAIIAN ELECTRIC COMPANY, INC., MAUI ELECTRIC COMPANY, LIMITED, AND HAWAII ELECTRIC LIGHT COMPANY, INC."
S.B. No. 1206	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVING WITHOUT A LICENSE."	Introduced by:	Senator Tokuda.
Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Baker.	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 1215	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS."
S.B. No. 1207	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."	Introduced by:	Senators Tokuda, Kahele, Ruderman, Kidani, Kouchi.
Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Baker, English, Shimabukuro.	Referred to:	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Education and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1216	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLON HYDROTHERAPY."
S.B. No. 1208	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."	Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Kidani, Espero, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara, Taniguchi.
Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran.	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 1217	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."
S.B. No. 1209	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RETIREMENT OF JUDGES."	Introduced by:	Senator Baker.
Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran.	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means		

	Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1218	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OUTDOOR ADVERTISING."		
Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Wakai.	S.B. No. 1226	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HOUSING FINANCE AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	Introduced by:	Senator Taniguchi.
		Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1219	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY."		
Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Kidani, Wakai.	S.B. No. 1227	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD WASTE."
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	Introduced by:	Senators Dela Cruz, Inouye.
		Referred to:	Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
S.B. No. 1220	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHAPTER 245, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES."	S.B. No. 1228	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT."
Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Kidani, Ruderman, Wakai.	Introduced by:	Senators Dela Cruz, Inouye, Kahele, Kidani, Wakai.
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1221	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."		
Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Kouchi, Nishihara, Keith-Agaran.		
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means		
S.B. No. 1222	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."		
Introduced by:	Senators Inouye, Kidani, Dela Cruz, Espero, Gabbard, Galuteria, Harimoto, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Slom, Wakai.		
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means		
S.B. No. 1223	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."		
Introduced by:	Senators Inouye, Gabbard, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Dela Cruz, Espero, Keith-Agaran, Riviere, Thielen, Wakai.		
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means		
S.B. No. 1224	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUNTING."		
Introduced by:	Senators Inouye, Espero, Shimabukuro, Baker, Dela Cruz, Keith-Agaran, Riviere, Ruderman, Slom, Wakai.		
Referred to:	Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means		
S.B. No. 1225	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER RECLAMATION."		
Introduced by:	Senator Kouchi.		

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions (S.C.R. Nos. 8 to 17) were read by the Clerk and were deferred:

S.C.R. No. 8 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SALE OF THE LEASED FEE INTEREST IN 41-655 INOAOLE STREET, WAIMANALO, HAWAII."

Offered by: Senator Kim, by request.

S.C.R. No. 9 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SALE OF THE LEASED FEE INTEREST IN 41-575 INOAOLE STREET, WAIMANALO, HAWAII."

Offered by: Senator Kim, by request.

S.C.R. No. 10 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SALE OF THE LEASED FEE INTEREST IN 41-543 INOA STREET, WAIMANALO, HAWAII."

Offered by: Senator Kim, by request.

S.C.R. No. 11 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SALE OF THE LEASED FEE INTEREST IN 95-944 MEHEULA PARKWAY, NO. 153, MILILANI, HAWAII."

Offered by: Senator Kim, by request.

S.C.R. No. 12 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SALE OF THE LEASED FEE INTEREST IN 95-015 KUAHELANI AVENUE, NO. 319, MILILANI, HAWAII."

Offered by: Senator Kim, by request.

S.C.R. No. 13 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE INTERAGENCY COUNCIL ON HOMELESSNESS TO CONVENE A

WORKING GROUP TO DETERMINE THE BEST PRACTICES FOR COLLECTING, STORING, AND SHARING DATA ON HOMELESS YOUTH.”

Offered by: Senator Kim, by request.

S.C.R. No. 14 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT KAHALUU, KOOLAUPOKO, OAHU, FOR THE USE, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR OF THE EXISTING SEAWALL CONSTRUCTED THEREON.”

Offered by: Senator Kim, by request.

S.C.R. No. 15 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT KAHUKU, KOOLAULOA, OAHU, FOR THE USE, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR OF THE EXISTING DRAINAGE STRUCTURE CONSTRUCTED THEREON.”

Offered by: Senator Kim, by request.

S.C.R. No. 16 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT AT HAUULA, KOOLAULOA, OAHU, FOR THE USE, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR OF PORTION OF THE EXISTING RESIDENCE, FOUNDATION, AND LANAI CONSTRUCTED THEREON.”

Offered by: Senator Kim, by request.

S.C.R. No. 17 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT KANEOHE, KOOLAUPOKO, OAHU, FOR THE USE, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR OF THE EXISTING CRM WALL, LANDSCAPING AREA, FLOATING DOCK, AND CONCRETE PIER PURPOSES CONSTRUCTED THEREON.”

Offered by: Senator Kim, by request.

ORDER OF THE DAY

REFERRAL OF SENATE BILLS

The President made the following committee assignments of Senate bills introduced on Friday, January 23, 2015:

S.B. No.: Referred to:

S.B. No. 701 Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 702 Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 703 Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 704 Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 705 Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 706

Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 707

Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 708

Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 709

Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 710

Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 711

Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 712

Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 713

Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 714

Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 715

Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection

S.B. No. 716

Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 717

Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection

S.B. No. 718

Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 719

Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 720

Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 721

Jointly to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 722

Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection

S.B. No. 723

Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 724	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means		on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 725	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 742	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 726	Jointly to the Committee on Government Operations and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 743	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
S.B. No. 727	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 744	Jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Health
S.B. No. 728	Jointly to the Committee on Government Operations and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 745	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 729	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 746	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 730	Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 747	Committee on Water and Land
S.B. No. 731	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	S.B. No. 748	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
S.B. No. 732	Jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Transportation	S.B. No. 749	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 733	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 750	Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 734	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 751	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 735	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	S.B. No. 752	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 736	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 753	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 737	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	S.B. No. 754	Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
S.B. No. 738	Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 755	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 739	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	S.B. No. 756	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
S.B. No. 740	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology and the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 757	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
S.B. No. 741	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee	S.B. No. 758	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
		S.B. No. 759	Committee on Ways and Means
		S.B. No. 760	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
		S.B. No. 761	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
		S.B. No. 762	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military

	Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 782	Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 763	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 783	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 764	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 784	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 765	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 785	Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 766	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 786	Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 767	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	S.B. No. 787	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 768	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 788	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 769	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 789	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 770	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 790	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
S.B. No. 771	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 791	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 772	Jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 792	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 773	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 793	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Energy and Environment, then jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 774	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 794	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 775	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 795	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 776	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	S.B. No. 796	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 777	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	S.B. No. 797	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Health and the
S.B. No. 778	Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means		
S.B. No. 779	Committee on Judiciary and Labor		
S.B. No. 780	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means		
S.B. No. 781	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means		

	Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection		then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 798	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	S.B. No. 813	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
		S.B. No. 814	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Government Operations
S.B. No. 799	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 815	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts
		S.B. No. 816	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 800	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 817	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
		S.B. No. 818	Committee on Health
		S.B. No. 819	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 801	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 820	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
		S.B. No. 821	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 802	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	S.B. No. 822	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 803	Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means		
		S.B. No. 823	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 804	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 824	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 805	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection		
S.B. No. 806	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 825	Jointly to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
		S.B. No. 826	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
S.B. No. 807	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 827	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
		S.B. No. 828	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
S.B. No. 808	Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means		
		S.B. No. 829	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
S.B. No. 809	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 830	Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
		S.B. No. 831	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 810	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 832	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
		S.B. No. 833	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 811	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means		
		S.B. No. 834	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 812	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor,		

S.B. No. 835	Committee on Judiciary and Labor		and the Arts and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 836	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 857	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 837	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 858	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 838	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	S.B. No. 859	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
S.B. No. 839	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	S.B. No. 860	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 840	Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	S.B. No. 861	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Energy and Environment, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 841	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 862	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 842	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 863	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 843	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 864	Jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 844	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 865	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 845	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 866	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 846	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 867	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 847	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 868	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs
S.B. No. 848	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 869	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
S.B. No. 849	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 870	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
S.B. No. 850	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 871	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 851	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 872	Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 852	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 873	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs 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. 853	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means		
S.B. No. 854	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means		
S.B. No. 855	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means		
S.B. No. 856	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Higher Education		

S.B. No. 874	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 891	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology and the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 875	Jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Health and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 892	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 876	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 893	Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 877	Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts	S.B. No. 894	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 878	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 895	Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Government Operations
S.B. No. 879	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 896	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 880	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 897	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 881	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 898	Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 882	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 899	Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 883	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 900	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 884	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 901	Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 885	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 902	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 886	Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 903	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 887	Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 904	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 888	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 905	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 889	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 906	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 890	Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 907	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
		S.B. No. 908	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
		S.B. No. 909	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health and the Committee on

	Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 929	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 910	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means		
S.B. No. 911	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 930	Committee on Ways and Means
		S.B. No. 931	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 912	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 932	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
		S.B. No. 933	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 913	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs	S.B. No. 934	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
		S.B. No. 935	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 914	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 936	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 915	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 937	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
		S.B. No. 938	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 916	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means		
		S.B. No. 939	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 917	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 940	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
		S.B. No. 941	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 918	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 942	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
		S.B. No. 943	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 919	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means		
		S.B. No. 944	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 920	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 945	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 921	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means		
S.B. No. 922	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 946	Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
		S.B. No. 947	Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 923	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 948	Committee on Ways and Means
		S.B. No. 949	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 924	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 950	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 925	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 951	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
		S.B. No. 952	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 926	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means		
S.B. No. 927	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 953	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 928	Committee on Judiciary and Labor		

S.B. No. 954	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 972	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 955	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 973	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 956	Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 974	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 957	Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 975	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 958	Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 976	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Water and Land, then jointly to the Committee on Ways and Means and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 959	Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 977	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 960	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 978	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 961	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 979	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 962	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 980	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 963	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 981	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 964	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 982	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 965	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	<p style="text-align: center;">REFERRAL OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS</p> <p>The President made the following committee assignments of Senate concurrent resolutions offered on Thursday, January 22, 2015; Friday, January 23, 2015; and Monday, January 26, 2015:</p>	
S.B. No. 966	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means		
S.B. No. 967	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.C.R. No.:	Referred to:
S.B. No. 968	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.C.R. No. 2	Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 969	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.C.R. No. 4	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts
S.B. No. 970	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.C.R. No. 5	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Health
S.B. No. 971	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.C.R. No. 6	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means

S.C.R. No. 7 Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

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. 13	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
S.B. No. 99	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 106	Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 114	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
S.B. No. 115	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 123	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 126	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 131	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Agriculture, then jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 136	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 144	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 147	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 579	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

At this time, Senator Dela Cruz invited the members to Leilehua High School that evening for a listening session by the U.S. Army Garrison – Hawaii regarding troop reductions and restructuring.

The Chair then made the following announcement:

“The Joint Session to receive the Chief Justice’s State of the Judiciary address will convene at 10:00 a.m. in the Senate chamber. Please remain in the chamber or return by 9:45 a.m. so we can start on time.”

At 9:07 a.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair to meet in Joint Session with the House of Representatives, in accordance with Senate Concurrent

Resolution No. 1, to receive the Chief Justice’s State of the Judiciary Address.

JOINT SESSION

The Joint Session of the Senate and the House of Representatives of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai‘i, Regular Session of 2015, was called to order at 10:04 a.m. by the Honorable Donna Mercado Kim, President of the Senate.

At this time, the President welcomed and introduced the following distinguished guests to the members of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature:

The Honorable David Y. Ige, Governor of the State of Hawai‘i, and Mrs. Dawn Amano-Ige, who were presented with lei by Senators Suzanne Chun Oakland and Will Espero;

The Honorable Shan S. Tsutsui, Lieutenant Governor of the State of Hawai‘i, who was presented a lei by Representative Cindy Evans;

Mr. Robert Lindsey, Chair, Office of Hawaiian Affairs, who was presented a lei by Representative Nicole E. Lowen;

Mrs. Gailynn Williamson, who was presented a lei by Vice Speaker John M. Mizuno;

Mr. Andrew Recktenwald, who was presented a lei by Senator Lorraine R. Inouye;

The Honorable George R. Ariyoshi, former Governor of the State of Hawai‘i;

The Honorable John D. Waihe‘e III, former Governor of the State of Hawai‘i, and Mrs. Lynne Waihe‘e;

The Honorable Benjamin Cayetano, former Governor of the State of Hawai‘i, and Mrs. Vicky Cayetano;

The Honorable Ronald T.Y. Moon, former Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, State of Hawai‘i;

The Honorable Paula A. Nakayama, Associate Justice, Supreme Court, State of Hawai‘i;

The Honorable Sabrina S. McKenna, Associate Justice, Supreme Court, State of Hawai‘i;

The Honorable Richard W. Pollack, Associate Justice, Supreme Court, State of Hawai‘i;

The Honorable Michael D. Wilson, Associate Justice, Supreme Court, State of Hawai‘i;

The Honorable Steven Levinson, former Associate Justice, Supreme Court, State of Hawai‘i, and Mrs. Cathy Levinson;

The Honorable Simeon R. Acoba, Jr., former Associate Justice, Supreme Court, State of Hawai‘i, and Mrs. Carolyn Acoba;

The Honorable James Burns, former Chief Judge, Intermediate Court of Appeals, and Mrs. Emme Tomimbang;

The Honorable Richard L. Puglisi, United States Magistrate Judge;

The Honorable Lloyd King, United States Bankruptcy Judge;

The Honorable Florence Nakakuni, United States Attorney, and members of the law enforcement community, including the Chiefs of Police and Prosecuting Attorneys of the County of Hawai‘i, County of Maui, City and County of Honolulu, and County of Kaua‘i;

Mr. Jeffrey Daniel Lau, Dean, Consular Corps of Hawai'i, and distinguished members of the Consular Corps;

Representing United States Senator Brian Schatz – Ms. Malia Paul;

Representing United States Senator Mazie Hirono – Mr. Alan Yamamoto;

Representing United States Representative Tulsi Gabbard – Mr. Walter Kaneakua; and

Representing United States Representative Mark Takai – Mr. Rod Tanonaka.

The President then appointed Senators Gilbert S.C. Keith-Agaran, J. Kalani English, and Sam Slom, on behalf of the Senate, and Representatives Karl Rhoads, Scott K. Saiki, and Beth Fukumoto Chang, on behalf of the House of Representatives, to escort the Honorable Mark E. Recktenwald, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, State of Hawai'i, to the rostrum.

Senator Maile S.L. Shimabukuro and Representative Sylvia Luke presented Chief Justice Recktenwald with lei.

The President then presented to the members of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature and guests the Honorable Mark E. Recktenwald, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, State of Hawai'i.

The Chief Justice addressed the Joint Session as follows:

"President Kim; Speaker Souki; Governor and Mrs. Ige; Lieutenant Governor Tsutsui; members of the House and Senate; Governor Ariyoshi; Governor and Mrs. Waihe'e; Governor and Mrs. Cayetano; Chief Justice Moon; fellow justices, judges, and judiciary staff; members of the Consular Corps; members of the Royal Order of Kamehameha; distinguished guests and friends: Good morning and aloha.

"On behalf of the Hawai'i State Judiciary, I thank the Legislature for giving me this opportunity to report to you and to the people of Hawai'i. We enjoy a strong working relationship with the Senate and House, and we appreciate your support for the administration of justice. I would like to send a special aloha to Representative Mele Carroll, who's unable to join us today, and we all wish her the best.

"I also want to extend our appreciation to our many partners in the executive branch. Governor Ige knows our operations well from his decades of service at the Legislature, and we share his commitment to making government more efficient. We're excited to work with him, Lieutenant Governor Tsutsui, and their outstanding new team in the years ahead.

"The mission of the judiciary is to deliver justice for all. We do that in many different ways, both in the courtroom and in the community. We ensure that people are treated fairly, whatever their background. We uphold the rights and protections of the constitution, even when doing so may be unpopular. We provide a place where people can peacefully resolve their disputes as well as opportunities for them to move forward from the circumstances that brought them before the courts. And we are often called upon to help address deep-rooted social problems, from substance abuse to domestic violence.

"There is nothing more fundamental to our democratic system of government than our citizens' trust in our courts. As chief justice, I see the power of that trust every day, and I'll share two examples with you. Just over two years ago, thousands of people gathered in the courtyard just outside this chamber to bid aloha to the late Senator Daniel K. Inouye. Several months later, Mrs. Irene Inouye visited my office and presented the judiciary with a very precious gift: the senator's original 1953 law license, which is now on display at the

Judiciary History Center. Like many of his fellow soldiers in the 442nd Regimental Combat Team, the 100th Infantry Battalion, and the Military Intelligence Service, the senator returned from war with a passionate commitment to building a more equal and just society. Many of those soldiers chose a career in the law as a path to that end. Of course, the great irony is that the very legal system that they chose to join as officers of the court had just failed them by sanctioning the internment of Japanese Americans. But rather than despair or disengage, they chose to commit themselves to making the legal system live up to its promise of fair treatment and equal justice.

"Now, Senator Inouye received his Hawai'i law license on July 24, 1953. There was another person admitted to the Hawai'i bar that same day who used her law license to fight unequal and unfair treatment in our society: Representative Patsy Takemoto Mink. She recently received our nation's highest civilian honor, the Presidential Medal of Freedom. She, too, had been subjected to discrimination – both because of her race and because of her gender. And she, too, chose to put her faith in the system rather than turn her back to it.

"The passion for equality and justice that inspired Senator Inouye and Representative Mink is shared by everyone at the judiciary, and I'd like to thank them for their dedication and service. This passion is also shared by the many people throughout our community who help us achieve our mission every day. In 2014, more than 1,300 people volunteered their time at the judiciary; that's an extraordinary outpouring of support. Many others assist us by serving on our commissions or through organizations such as the American Judicature Society. Quite simply, we cannot do what we do without them.

"Today, I will highlight four of our most significant efforts to provide justice for all in our community. I will discuss our initiatives to ensure that people's voices are heard in our courtrooms, even if they cannot afford a lawyer; how we are working to find more cost-effective ways to keep our communities safe; how we are protecting our children and families when they are in crisis; and our plans to meet the challenges of the future.

"I will begin with access to justice. Our judicial system exists to provide equal justice for all, but that ideal is compromised if people can't meaningfully participate. When that happens, some of the most serious legal problems that a person can face – whether they can stay in their homes or face eviction, whether they can see their children after a divorce, or whether they can be protected from domestic violence – are decided without their voices being fully heard. And that's an outcome that we simply cannot accept.

"In Hawai'i, there are thousands of people who must represent themselves in civil cases in our court each year because they cannot afford an attorney. Here on O'ahu, we had almost 4,000 divorce cases filed in 2014; in nearly 65 percent of them, neither party had an attorney. Of the landlord-tenant claims filed in 2014 throughout the state, at least one of the parties did not have an attorney in 96 percent of the cases.

"A key milestone in our efforts to address these challenges has been the establishment of the Access to Justice Commission. The commission has achieved amazing results with extremely limited resources. The commission's web of support and stakeholders continues to grow and build momentum as more people have come to understand the need and how they can help meet it.

"One great example of the commission's work is the opening of self-help centers in our courthouses. Volunteer attorneys provide information at the centers to individuals who are representing themselves in civil legal cases. For a lay person, civil litigation can be daunting, with requirements that are not

always intuitive. The information that people receive at the centers enables them to more effectively tell their side of the story. We opened the first such center on Kaua'i in 2011, and now have six centers operating in every circuit of the state. More than 7,600 people have been assisted at almost no cost to the public.

"We're also using technology to reach people who might not be able to visit these brick-and-mortar centers. The judiciary partnered with the Legal Aid Society to develop interactive software that asks the user plain-language questions about their case and then utilizes the responses to prepare the most commonly used legal forms. The software is now available at workstations in six courthouses and on our website.

"And we are also extending our outreach into the community and, in particular, to the public libraries, where so many of our citizens go when they need information. The software is now available in 50 libraries statewide on almost 1,000 computers. We're very excited about this new partnership, and we're already seeing a significant spike in the usage of the software: In just a few months, more than 2,500 people have used it.

"With the help of the Legislature, we have also made great strides in addressing other challenges, from increasing support for our legal services providers, whose attorneys and volunteers help thousands of people each year, to meeting the needs of court users who do not speak English as a first language. We now offer interpretation services to all court users at no cost in every type of case.

"What we're doing is important, and it's being noticed across the country. The National Center for Access to Justice recently completed an independent study of each state justice system across the country. Hawai'i was ranked among the top five for expanding access to justice. We were ranked number one for providing services to litigants who represent themselves and tied for first in providing support for people with disabilities. These are results that we can all be proud of.

"I extend my heartfelt appreciation to everyone who's worked toward the mission of providing justice for all in Hawai'i. We have with us here today many people and organizations who've been instrumental in that effort, including members of the Access to Justice Commission, led by Chair Judge Daniel Foley and his predecessor, Justice Simeon Acoba; the Hawai'i State Bar Association and the county bar associations; the William S. Richardson School of Law; the Legal Aid Society of Hawai'i and other legal services providers; and the Hawai'i State Public Library. We also have many individual attorneys who generously volunteered their time at our self-help centers and elsewhere in our community. There is much work left to be done, but we've come a long way thanks to all of these individuals and organizations. Can you please join me in acknowledging them?

"The second issue I'd like to discuss is enhancing public safety by making our criminal justice system work more effectively. This is another area where Hawai'i has been leading nationally, through programs such as HOPE Probation, which was founded by Judge Steven Alm. HOPE is based on a simple premise: When defendants who are on probation violate the rules that the court sets for them, they must face swift and certain consequences. The results have been dramatic; after 10 years of experience with HOPE, research has shown that individuals who participated are 20 percent less likely to be arrested for new crimes. This is a huge impact in terms of lives rebuilt for the participants, suffering avoided by the potential victims of crime, and money saved by the taxpayers.

"We're looking for new ways to apply the principles developed in HOPE. A pilot project is underway to apply the same HOPE strategies to defendants who've been charged with

crimes and released on conditions prior to their trials. By having defendants confront their drug use or other challenges earlier in the process, we can increase their chances of success and protect the community.

"As important as it is to have the structure that a program like HOPE provides, we cannot lose sight of the fact that each defendant is an individual. And to help them move in a new direction, we have to be able to reach out to them as individuals. Nowhere is this more evident than in our Veterans Treatment Court. The court is designed to meet the challenges faced by those who have defended our freedoms but have had difficulty readjusting to civilian life and then find themselves in the criminal justice system. The court was started on O'ahu two years ago by Judge Edward Kubo and has recently expanded to the Big Island thanks to the leadership of Judges Ronald Ibarra and Greg Nakamura. A key element of the court is mentoring by fellow veterans, who can help lead them through this one additional battle.

"With us today is retired U.S. Navy Petty Officer Dustin Hernandez and his wife, Lauren. He has volunteered with the program since it started and is currently mentoring two veterans. The team of volunteer mentors works with the veterans on a daily basis to listen, provide guidance, and support them, from driving them to their next appointment to getting them housing or the VA benefits that they've earned. Petty Officer Hernandez says he volunteers because he was taught in the military to never leave anyone behind. Petty Officer Hernandez, would you please stand so that we can thank you for your service to this country and your continued service to your fellow veterans?

"Programs such as Veterans Treatment Court and HOPE are important initiatives, but we also need to take a step back and take a critical look at the system as a whole. We must ask one fundamental question: Are we as safe as we can be given the limited resources at our disposal, or can we do better?

"Here in Hawai'i, the executive, legislative, and judicial branches came together to form the Justice Reinvestment Initiative to consider this important question. Governor Abercrombie's administration strongly supported that effort, and the Legislature passed a comprehensive package of reforms in 2012. Those reforms put more resources into drug treatment and other rehabilitation programs, gave judges more discretion in sentencing, and required prisoners to pay increased restitution to their victims. We are working with the executive branch to implement these reforms, and we'll continue to look for other ways to make our community as safe as possible.

"We also recently partnered with the legislative and executive branches to take a hard look at the results we've achieved in the juvenile justice system. This is another area where Hawai'i has been innovating by developing alternatives to detention for our young people who violate the law. Reform legislation was passed last session that enables us to continue those efforts by investing more resources in rehabilitation and prevention.

"Another example of innovation is the Girls Court Program. Girls Court was started here on O'ahu by Judge Karen Radius and will be expanding to Kaua'i next month thanks to the leadership of Judges Trudy Senda and Randal Valenciano. The purpose of Girls Court is to reach young women who are at a crossroads in their lives to help them break the cycle of destructive behavior.

"I attended a Girls Court graduation ceremony and learned of one young woman's remarkable turnaround. She was bright and full of potential but had run away from home repeatedly and gotten involved with drugs. After months of intensive rehabilitation, mentoring from strong female role models, and

family counseling, she got her GED, a full-time job, and stopped violating the law. Her mother wept that day in Girls Court. She said she thought her daughter was going to die on the streets and thanked the court for bringing her back.

“Juvenile justice is part of our family court, which is the third area I’d like to focus on today. Family court has a profound impact on our community. In the last year, our family courts handled more than 10,000 divorce cases, more than 2,000 cases involving alleged abuse or neglect of children, more than 7,500 cases involving juvenile offenders, and almost 6,000 cases involving domestic violence.

“Those are staggering numbers, but they only tell part of the story. For example, we literally have children who come to the court’s attention at birth because their mothers were abusing drugs or alcohol while they were pregnant. Our Zero-to-Three Court, as the name suggests, is designed to meet the unique needs of infants and toddlers whose parents are suspected of abuse or neglect. Research has shown that time is of the essence in these cases because the children are developing so quickly. Our Zero-to-Three Court was established several years ago with funding from grants, but those funds are coming to an end, and we will be respectfully asking the Legislature to consider funding it on a permanent basis.

“At the other end of the spectrum, we’re also focusing on the needs of kids who are aging out of foster care at age 18 without ever having received a permanent placement with a new family. We have established a permanency court in the First Circuit to provide special assistance to these children and are also participating in the Imua Kākou program, which was developed in collaboration with the Department of Human Services with the support of the Legislature. The program makes extended foster care services available to many former foster youth beyond their eighteenth birthday.

“Another area where family court can make a huge difference is when families go through the trauma of divorce. Our family courts seek to minimize the impact in many ways. Our Kids First program provides group support and counseling to kids who are going through divorce, and in 2014 alone, reached more than 6,000 people.

“In sum, we’re continuing to find meaningful ways to take care of Hawai‘i’s children and families when they’re at their most vulnerable. We have many partners who help us in that effort. We thank those agencies who we work with on issues such as preventing domestic violence and child abuse, as well as the Legislature, which has provided additional funding for those vital programs.

“Finally, I’d like to focus on the challenges of the future and how we can evolve to meet them while remaining true to the values that make Hawai‘i unique. In partnership with the Hawai‘i State Bar Association, we’ve been working to find ways to make litigation more efficient. Over the past three years, the HSBA has sponsored bench bar conferences that brought hundreds of lawyers from across the state to meet with our chief judges and court administrators. These conferences have led to some significant innovations, such as making it easier for attorneys to appear by telephone or videoconference in lieu of traveling to court.

“We’re also encouraging litigants to use mediation so they can resolve their conflicts on their own terms at less cost. In the past year, over 7,500 individuals utilized our mediation services, and in one survey, more than 90 percent said they would recommend mediation to others. One great benefit of mediation is speed: From the time the parties agreed to mediate, it was an average of only 10 days before they were sitting down to resolve their dispute. We have new mediation programs underway, including a divorce mediation program on Kaua‘i

and a paternity mediation pilot project on O‘ahu. And we’re also seeking to augment our appellate mediation program.

“In addition, we’re implementing our strategic plan, which provides us with a roadmap for the next five years. The plan’s objectives range from improving our services through the use of technology to increasing staff training and improving our infrastructure.

“And we are establishing the new environmental court. This will be only the second statewide environmental court in the United States. It’s a complex undertaking since it involves both civil and criminal cases in both our circuit and district courts. My colleague, Justice Michael Wilson, has been working with the community and other government agencies to ensure that this undertaking is truly collaborative, and we’ll have the court up and running as scheduled on July 1.

“Improving infrastructure is a key component to building for the future. Currently in West Hawai‘i, court proceedings are being held in three different locations in buildings that were not designed as courthouses, which in turn has led to severe security, logistical, and operational problems. To address these concerns, we have proposed building a centralized courthouse in Kona. We thank the Legislature for committing \$35 million thus far for construction, and this session, we will be respectfully seeking the remaining \$55 million needed to build that courthouse. We believe the time has come to provide the residents of West Hawai‘i with a safe and secure courthouse that can meet the needs of this growing community.

“Lastly, we’ve been investing in our future generations through civics education. We launched the Courts in the Community outreach program in 2012, which gives high school students the opportunity to go beyond textbooks and experience an actual Supreme Court oral argument in person. Volunteer attorneys help to teach the students about the judicial system and the case and conduct a practice oral argument with the students acting as justices and counsel. By the time the Supreme Court arrives on campus, the students know the facts and the law, and they are engaged listeners. And after the argument, they have the opportunity to participate in question-and-answer sessions, first with the attorneys, and then with members of the court.

“These exchanges are exciting, both for the court and for the students. When we visited Baldwin High School on Maui, my colleague, Justice Sabrina McKenna, passionately spoke to the students about how Representative Mink, who was born and raised on Maui, had opened doors for her and countless other women through the passage of Title IX, and the students broke into cheers.

“We have many people who assist us with this program: the attorneys from the Hawai‘i State Bar Association and county bar associations who visit the classrooms; the Hawai‘i State Bar Foundation, which provides lunch and buses for the students; and law students at the William S. Richardson School of Law, who work with our Judiciary History Center to develop the curriculum.

“In total, nearly 1,500 students from 28 schools have participated in this unique opportunity to see the Hawai‘i Supreme Court in action. And we’re looking forward to holding two oral arguments each school year going forward. To date, we’ve convened the court at Farrington and Mililani High Schools on O‘ahu, at Baldwin on Maui, and at UH Hilo and Kealahou on the Big Island, and we’re headed to Kaua‘i this year. We have with us today, from Waiākea High School, which hosted us in Hilo, Ms. Donna Tanabe and Student Body President Katelyn Shirai, and from Mililani High School, our most recent host, Principal Fred Murphy, Lieutenant Colonel Timothy Schiller, Dr. Amy Perruso, and students from two of

Dr. Perruso's classes. If these outstanding students, teachers, and administrators would please stand, I'd like us all to thank them for their commitment to real-life education; they're down here and up in the audience as well.

"We have received enthusiastic comments from the students who attend these arguments, many of whom have suggested they would consider careers as attorneys as a result. Some have noted that the same questions that they raised during their practice oral arguments were asked by the justices during the actual argument. Others have observed how rigorous and fair the process is, and one expressed surprise to me that the justices asked tough questions to the government attorney in a criminal case.

"To me, that last comment sums up the rule of law better than any textbook could: It doesn't matter who you are or whom you represent; when you come before the courts of this state, you will get a fair shake. And that is the foundation of everything we do at the judiciary.

"I'd like to thank the more than 1,800 justices, judges, and judiciary staff who put their hearts and souls into making equal justice for all a reality each and every day, as well as to all of our volunteers and partners in the community and the other branches of government who assist us in that undertaking. And once again, I extend my deep appreciation to the Senate and House for giving me this opportunity today. Aloha and mahalo."

Speaker Souki then rose and stated:

"First, I want to thank you all for being here, and I want to thank Chief Justice Recktenwald for making his very fine speech. Thank you for sharing your thoughts and your vision with us today.

"The judiciary, along with the executive and the Legislature, serves all the people of the State of Hawai'i. The judiciary, under your leadership, has upheld justice and protected the rights of individuals while still showing compassion and providing opportunities for people to repay their debt to society and turn their lives around. I thank you and I thank the justices and women of the judiciary for all the good work you do. And I'm sure that you all give us a fair shake, a good shake.

"Thank you very much, and this concludes the session, and thank you. Aloha."

At 10:38 a.m., Speaker Souki declared the Joint Session adjourned.

ADJOURNMENT

At 10:38 a.m., the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Thursday, January 29, 2015.

SIXTH DAY

Thursday, January 29, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:33 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present.

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

Senator Espero congratulated Suzanne Marinelli on the occasion of her retirement from service in Hawai'i's Public Access Room, and presented the following remarks:

"Madam President, colleagues, guests: Today we celebrate the retirement of a very special member of our legislative 'ohana: Ms. Suzanne Marinelli. But before detailing her work and the impact she has had at the Capitol, I want to talk a little about the Public Access Room, which she managed and provided leadership.

"In 1990, the State Legislature established the Public Access Room as a way to assist the public in the legislative process. It has become a one-stop shop for visitors, advocates, citizens, and even legislators who are looking for ways to better engage in the public policy process. The PAR office is more than just a place to receive expert help to navigate the often-complicated process in this building. It offers free resources for a variety of legislative-related tasks. Some of those resources include the use of general office supplies; comfortable workplace; complete hard copy version of the HRS, Hawai'i Revised Statutes, and other documents; and computers with Internet access.

"PAR, as Suzanne would say, is about people and process. PAR goes beyond just an in-house resource; PAR is committed to the continual education and outreach of the government process to our citizens. They hold in-house workshops and community-based workshops to bring awareness of government to our citizens.

"Much of the hard work and success of PAR can be attributed to our honoree this morning. Suzanne spent 14 years working to promote the relationship between everyday citizens and the Legislature by – to name a few – developing workshops, neighbor island outreach programs, coordinating the Legislature's broadcast project, coordinating the National Conference of State Legislatures Back to School Program, and speaking at many NCSL annual conferences to share Hawai'i's public access program with other states. And we were the first state in the nation to adopt this Public Access Room.

"I, along with my staff, will fondly remember working with her to schedule 'Ōlelo broadcasts, assisting with constituent requests, and her love for the legislative process. I wish her the very best as she starts her new and exciting chapter in life away from the pressures of the Capitol, but I hope and I know she will come to visit us often.

"In having a short conversation with her just this morning, she made it clear: Now, she will be able to state her opinion and, when necessary, scold the House of Representatives and the senators for something that we should not be doing.

"So with that, colleagues, if you could please welcome Suzanne Marinelli. With Suzanne is Virginia Beck, who has been at the office for seven years and who will be taking over for Suzanne. Thank you, Madam President."

Senator Ihara rose to present the following remarks:

"Madam President, I join our Vice President and colleagues in congratulating our 17-year veteran of the Public Access

Room on a job well done and to relay our best wishes on a well-deserved retirement to Suzanne Marinelli.

"As one of the initiators of the Public Access Room 25 years ago, I've seen it grow and provide excellent service to our visitors to the Capitol. We've all seen the results in much more useful testimonies before our committees, because it wasn't always that way.

"Under Suzanne's leadership, the Public Access Room greatly expanded its public outreach, including to the neighbor islands. When she became PAR coordinator in 2000, Suzanne started accepting the nation's first public testimonies by email. I recall her staff printing out those emails and delivering them to the committees. The email testimonies expanded over time, and in 2005, over 4,000 email testimonies were received at the Public Access Room. By the time the House and Senate took over the program in 2007, the number tripled to 12,500 testimonies received by email. And I believe we're one of the nation's legislatures that receive the most testimonies by email.

"Suzanne has been successful in expanding public access by making new initiatives – like email testimonies – workable for the Legislature. Some might say she used technology to carve a path for the Legislature to increase public access to the legislative process, and indeed, she has.

"Thank you, Suzanne, for your innovative spirit, hard work, and dedication to our democracy. We wish you all the best as you spread your creativity beyond the Capitol. Thank you."

Senator Slom rose to present the following remarks:

"Thank you, Madam President. On behalf of the Senate Minority, I want to thank Suzanne as well. She's been helpful to everyone on a nonpartisan basis. I think that the Public Access Room is one of the best things that the Legislature has done. It has worked well; it has helped many people. Behind the statistics are living, breathing men and women and children who have been helped; and I think a large part of this has been Suzanne herself and her personality and her willingness to go beyond the call. I know I've been involved in organizations that invited her to make community presentations on the weekends and the evenings, and it was never an issue or a question; she was always there, she and her staff. It reflects upon her leadership and her abilities over these many years. I wish her well in her retirement, and I, too, am looking forward to those comments on how we could do better. Aloha. Thank you."

Senator Tokuda rose to present the following remarks:

"I actually just wanted to add some comments and well-wishes. Thank you. I was very, very fortunate to be one of the very first people to meet Suzanne when she came to the Public Access Room. I was working there during my senior year in 1994, and along with fellow students Lana Yoshimura, Blayne Higa, and Roy Bumgarner, the Public Access Room was kind of our afterschool education, our very own YMCA, if you will. And while Suzanne will often say that we helped educate her on the ins and outs of the legislative process and on advocacy, she really was the one who taught all of us so very much.

"Over the years, she's transformed what was a simple room filled with a few computers – and boy, they were really old back then, by the way – it was just tables and message boxes. If you can recall, members, we were not paperless by any means, so we had boxes for advocates and for lobbyists alike, where we stuffed every version of every bill and every hearing notice into the cubby holes. All of those things, in a very simple room, and she transformed it into a beautiful, beautiful room that it is today and into an open, transparent space filled with both her art

and the knowledge that she's acquired over the years. It really is something that we all have treasured and something that we all believe has become a part of this building.

"So, thank you so much for what you have done to make sure that this is a really open place; this is the people's home and that they feel welcome and comfortable coming here. You're so deserving that you can now retire and enjoy your years, but please feel free to come back at any time and be a part of this home that you've helped to create for so many of us. Mahalo for all that you've done."

Senator Ruderman rose to present the following remarks:

"Yes, I just want to briefly add my congratulations and mahalo, too. The first time I met Suzanne was shortly after my first election and before I started serving here. I went to one of her community outreach meetings, which are so important on the neighbor islands where people don't have the same access to the Legislature. I thought I was attending in support of her coming to my community, but it turned out I was attending to educate myself. I actually learned more at that one two-hour meeting about the legislative process than I had learned in my entire life up to that point. She really engaged people with humor and lively stories, and everybody in the room was attentive and appreciative. I know she's been out to the community many times since, but I can't overemphasize the importance of the community outreach aspect of the work that she's done. Thank you very much."

At 11:45 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 11:55 a.m.

INTRODUCTION OF SENATE BILLS

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the following bills passed First Reading by title and were referred to committee:

S.B. No. 1229 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PAIN MANAGEMENT."

Introduced by: Senator Green.

Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 1230 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTY ETHICS COMMISSIONS."

Introduced by: Senator Ihara.

Referred to: Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 1231 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES."

Introduced by: Senator Thielen.

Referred to: Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 1232 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF WATER, COUNTY OF KAUAI."

Introduced by: Senator Kouchi, by request.

Referred to: Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 1233 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A FEDERAL INSPECTION STATION AT KONA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT."

Introduced by: Senator Nishihara.

Referred to: Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 1234 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE SEVENTEENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Senator Nishihara.

Referred to: Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 1235 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ALTERNATIVE SCHOOLS FOR JUVENILES IN THE JUSTICE SYSTEM."

Introduced by: Senators Nishihara, Chun Oakland, Espero, Harimoto, Keith-Agaran, Kidani.

Referred to: Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 1236 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC PROCUREMENT CODE."

Introduced by: Senator Nishihara.

Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 1237 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS."

Introduced by: Senators Kim, Baker, Kahele.

Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then jointly to the Committee on Ways and Means and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 1238 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE."

Introduced by: Senators Kim, Harimoto, Kouchi, Wakai.

Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 1239 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOARD OF REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."

Introduced by: Senators Kim, Taniguchi.

	Referred to:	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then jointly to the Committee on Ways and Means and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor			then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1240		"A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE X, SECTION 6, OF THE HAWAII STATE CONSTITUTION TO MODIFY THE APPOINTMENT PROCESS FOR THE BOARD OF REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."	S.B. No. 1247		"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DISPOSITION OF PUBLIC LANDS."
	Introduced by:	Senators Kim, Taniguchi.		Introduced by:	Senator Kahele, by request.
	Referred to:	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor		Referred to:	Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
			S.B. No. 1248		"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE."
	Introduced by:	Senators Kim, Taniguchi.		Introduced by:	Senators Kahele, Galuteria, Inouye, Nishihara, Ruderman, Shimabukuro.
S.B. No. 1241		"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERDEPARTMENTAL REPORTING ON DIABETES."		Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
	Introduced by:	Senator Kim.	S.B. No. 1249		"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ASSISTANCE."
	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means		Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Harimoto, Kidani.
				Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1242		"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LITERACY."			
	Introduced by:	Senator Kouchi, by request.	S.B. No. 1250		"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT."
	Referred to:	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means		Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Baker, Espero, Nishihara.
S.B. No. 1243		"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STANDARDIZED TESTING."		Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
	Introduced by:	Senators Harimoto, Chun Oakland, Keith-Agaran, Kidani.	S.B. No. 1251		"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSIT ORIENTED DEVELOPMENT."
	Referred to:	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means		Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Harimoto, Nishihara, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro, Wakai.
S.B. No. 1244		"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PHARMACY AUDITS."		Referred to:	Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
	Introduced by:	Senators Green, Chun Oakland, Ruderman, Wakai.	S.B. No. 1252		"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS TAX."
	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means		Introduced by:	Senator Chun Oakland.
S.B. No. 1245		"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."		Referred to:	Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
	Introduced by:	Senators Green, Chun Oakland, Baker, Riviere, Ruderman, Wakai.	S.B. No. 1253		"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means		Introduced by:	Senator Chun Oakland.
S.B. No. 1246		"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."		Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
	Introduced by:	Senator Kahele, by request.			
	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection,			

S.B. No. 1254	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION.”	Referred to:	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senators English, Baker, Keith-Agaran, Espero, Gabbard, Riviere, Shimabukuro.	S.B. No. 1262	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SECURE AND FAIR ENFORCEMENT FOR MORTGAGE LICENSING ACT.”
Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Chun Oakland, Keith-Agaran, Espero, Ihara, Riviere, Taniguchi.
S.B. No. 1255	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE TWENTY-THIRD SENATORIAL DISTRICT.”	Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senator Riviere.	S.B. No. 1263	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTISTRY.”
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Keith-Agaran, Espero, Ihara, Riviere, Wakai.
S.B. No. 1256	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OBESITY PREVENTION.”	Referred to:	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
Introduced by:	Senator Taniguchi, by request.	S.B. No. 1264	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTISTRY.”
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Espero, Kidani, Wakai.
S.B. No. 1257	“A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF AN AIRPORT IN PUNA.”	Referred to:	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Espero, Keith-Agaran, Riviere, Wakai.	S.B. No. 1265	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE INSURANCE HOLDING COMPANY SYSTEM.”
Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Chun Oakland, Espero, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Riviere, Taniguchi, Wakai.
S.B. No. 1258	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT.”	Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Espero, Harimoto, Keith-Agaran, Wakai.	S.B. No. 1266	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ACCOUNTANCY MOBILITY.”
Referred to:	Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senator Baker.
S.B. No. 1259	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARIJUANA.”	Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Introduced by:	Senator Ruderman.	S.B. No. 1267	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII CENTER FOR ASTRONAUTICS RESEARCH.”
Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Baker, Kahele, Keith-Agaran.
S.B. No. 1260	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RECYCLING.”	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senators Ruderman, Espero, Harimoto, Keith-Agaran, Riviere, Wakai.	S.B. No. 1268	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY.”
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Baker.
S.B. No. 1261	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION.”	Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senators Kidani, Harimoto, Slom.		

S.B. No. 1269	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOCIAL MEDIA.”		AND UNIVERSITIES SERVING THE GENERAL PUBLIC.”
Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Gabbard, Nishihara, Shimabukuro, Slom.	Introduced by:	Senator Shimabukuro.
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1270	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BEVERAGES.”	S.B. No. 1277	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR ASSISTING NOT-FOR-PROFIT CORPORATIONS THAT PROVIDE HEALTH CARE FACILITIES TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC.”
Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Inouye.	Introduced by:	Senator Shimabukuro.
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1271	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MERGER, ACQUISITION, AND CONSOLIDATION OF ELECTRIC UTILITIES.”	S.B. No. 1278	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIBRARIES.”
Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Baker, Chun Oakland, Harimoto, Ihara, Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Inouye, Nishihara, Riviere, Shimabukuro, Taniguchi, Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senators Wakai, Chun Oakland, Espero, Galuteria, Inouye, Nishihara, Ruderman, Slom, Taniguchi.
Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	Referred to:	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1272	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CESSPOOLS.”	S.B. No. 1279	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENTS.”
Introduced by:	Senator Gabbard.	Introduced by:	Senators Wakai, Chun Oakland, Inouye, Nishihara, Espero, Galuteria, Harimoto, Slom.
Referred to:	Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 1273	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOATING SPECIAL FUND.”	S.B. No. 1280	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION NETWORK COMPANIES.”
Introduced by:	Senator Shimabukuro.	Introduced by:	Senators Wakai, Espero, Galuteria, Inouye.
Referred to:	Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
S.B. No. 1274	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM.”	S.B. No. 1281	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MEDICAL CARE.”
Introduced by:	Senator Shimabukuro.	Introduced by:	Senators Wakai, Chun Oakland, Espero, Galuteria, Inouye, Nishihara, Slom.
Referred to:	Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1275	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR ASSISTING AN INDUSTRIAL ENTERPRISE.”	S.B. No. 1282	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT.”
Introduced by:	Senator Shimabukuro.	Introduced by:	Senators Wakai, Espero, Harimoto, Inouye, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Nishihara, Ruderman, Slom.
Referred to:	Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1276	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST NOT-FOR-PROFIT PRIVATE NONSECTARIAN AND SECTARIAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS, SECONDARY SCHOOLS, COLLEGES,		

S.B. No. 1283	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX INCREMENT BONDS.”	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senators Thielen, Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Harimoto.		
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means		
S.B. No. 1284	“A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AMENDMENTS TO ARTICLE VII, SECTIONS 12 AND 13, OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII RELATING TO TAX INCREMENT BONDS.”	S.B. No. 1290	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION SERVICES.”
Introduced by:	Senators Thielen, Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Harimoto.	Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran.
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 1285	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC TRUST USES OF WATER.”	S.B. No. 1291	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL MARIJUANA.”
Introduced by:	Senators Galuteria, Inouye.	Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, English, Espero, Ruderman, Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Kahele, Shimabukuro.
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 1286	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE NATURAL RESOURCE OF NATIVE HAWAIIAN SANDALWOOD, ILIAHI.”	S.B. No. 1292	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT.”
Introduced by:	Senators Galuteria, Dela Cruz, Inouye, Kahele, Chun Oakland, Nishihara, Shimabukuro.	Introduced by:	Senators Dela Cruz, Chun Oakland, Inouye, Nishihara.
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1287	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COPYRIGHTS.”	S.B. No. 1293	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE.”
Introduced by:	Senators Galuteria, Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, English, Inouye, Kahele, Kidani, Nishihara, Shimabukuro.	Introduced by:	Senators Dela Cruz, Chun Oakland, Inouye, Nishihara.
Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1288	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESS.”	S.B. No. 1294	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LABELING REQUIREMENTS.”
Introduced by:	Senators Galuteria, Dela Cruz, English, Inouye, Kahele, Nishihara.	Introduced by:	Senators Dela Cruz, Chun Oakland, Inouye, Nishihara.
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1289	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IMPORTANT AGRICULTURAL LANDS.”	S.B. No. 1295	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE NATURAL ENERGY LABORATORY OF HAWAII AUTHORITY.”
Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Dela Cruz, English, Inouye, Kidani, Nishihara, Riviere, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Tokuda, Wakai.	Introduced by:	Senators Dela Cruz, Inouye.
		Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Government Operations and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology and the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
		S.B. No. 1296	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISPOSITION OF TAX REVENUES.”
		Introduced by:	Senator Tokuda.
		Referred to:	Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 1297	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISPOSITION OF TAX REVENUES.”	S.B. No. 170	Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senator Tokuda.		
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 171	Committee on Agriculture, then jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1298	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.”		
Introduced by:	Senators Tokuda, Keith-Agaran.	S.B. No. 187	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 213	Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1299	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISPOSITION OF TAX REVENUES.”		
Introduced by:	Senator Tokuda.	S.B. No. 230	Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means		
S.B. No. 1300	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE TWENTY-FOURTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT.”	S.B. No. 315	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senator Tokuda.		
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 316	Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1) recommending that S.B. No. 100, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 100, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO APPROPRIATIONS,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2) recommending that S.B. No. 133, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 133, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES’ RETIREMENT SYSTEM,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

ORDER OF THE DAY

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. 150	Committee on Transportation, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 673	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs
		S.B. No. 735	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
S.B. No. 167	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Government Operations, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 758	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 765	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Introduced by:	Senator Riviere.
S.B. No. 829	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	S.B. No. 1309	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY."
S.B. No. 856	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senators Inouye, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Kidani, Espero, Gabbard, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara, Slom.
S.B. No. 904	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1310	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STORMWATER MANAGEMENT."
S.B. No. 978	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senator Thielen.
The Chair then made the following announcement:		S.B. No. 1311	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
"Today is the last day for bill introduction. The limit is five bills per member and the deadline is 6:00 p.m. tonight."		Introduced by:	Senators Tokuda, Chun Oakland.
INTRODUCTION OF SENATE BILLS		S.B. No. 1312	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE FUNDS."
On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried unanimously, the Clerk was authorized to receive Senate bills for introduction prior to 6:00 p.m. In consequence thereof, and subsequent to its recessing at 11:57 a.m., the following bills were introduced and placed on the calendar for further action on Monday, February 2, 2015:		Introduced by:	Senators Tokuda, Chun Oakland.
S.B. No. 1301	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMALS."	S.B. No. 1313	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."
Introduced by:	Senator Harimoto.	Introduced by:	Senator Taniguchi.
S.B. No. 1302	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL MARIJUANA DISPENSARIES."	S.B. No. 1314	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE ELEVENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT."
Introduced by:	Senators Green, Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, English, Espero, Gabbard, Galuteria, Ihara, Nishihara, Ruderman, Slom, Baker, Kaele, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Kim, Riviere, Shimabukuro, Taniguchi, Tokuda.	Introduced by:	Senator Taniguchi.
S.B. No. 1303	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO APPROPRIATIONS."	S.B. No. 1315	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LABELING."
Introduced by:	Senators Dela Cruz, Kidani, Inouye, Nishihara, Wakai.	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Green, Ihara, Riviere, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Thielen.
S.B. No. 1304	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIRE SPRINKLERS."	S.B. No. 1316	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRIC VEHICLES."
Introduced by:	Senator Kouchi, by request.	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Espero, Green, Inouye, English, Nishihara.
S.B. No. 1305	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO THE COUNTY OF KAUAI OFFICE OF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY."	S.B. No. 1317	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
Introduced by:	Senator Kouchi, by request.	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Kidani.
S.B. No. 1306	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL PROPERTY."	S.B. No. 1318	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES."
Introduced by:	Senator Kouchi, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Chun Oakland.
S.B. No. 1307	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KALO PRODUCTION."	S.B. No. 1319	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE THIRTEENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT."
Introduced by:	Senator Riviere, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Chun Oakland.
S.B. No. 1308	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TURTLE BAY."	S.B. No. 1320	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
		Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Harimoto, Kidani.
		S.B. No. 1321	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD LABELING."
		Introduced by:	Senator Ihara, by request.

S.B. No. 1322	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ACCESS.”	Introduced by:	Senator Espero.
Introduced by:	Sensors Ihara, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Slom.	S.B. No. 1336	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH.”
S.B. No. 1323	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY.”	Introduced by:	Sensors Ruderman, Harimoto, Keith-Agaran, Riviere, Shimabukuro.
Introduced by:	Senator Shimabukuro, by request.	S.B. No. 1337	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY LITERACY.”
S.B. No. 1324	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DIVORCE.”	Introduced by:	Senator Ruderman.
Introduced by:	Senator Shimabukuro.	S.B. No. 1338	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH CONNECTOR.”
S.B. No. 1325	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WASTE MANAGEMENT.”	Introduced by:	Sensors Baker, Chun Oakland, Espero, Keith-Agaran, Ruderman, Galuteria, Green, Kidani, Riviere, Taniguchi, Wakai.
Introduced by:	Sensors Shimabukuro, Green, Ruderman, Dela Cruz, Espero, Riviere, Thielen.	S.B. No. 1339	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE INTERISLAND HIGH-VOLTAGE ELECTRIC TRANSMISSION CABLE SYSTEM.”
S.B. No. 1326	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY.”	Introduced by:	Sensors Baker, Green, Inouye, Keith-Agaran.
Introduced by:	Senator Shimabukuro.	S.B. No. 1340	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AQUARIUM FISH.”
S.B. No. 1327	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH CARE.”	Introduced by:	Sensors Baker, Espero, Ruderman, Kahele, Kidani, Wakai.
Introduced by:	Sensors Shimabukuro, English, Ruderman, Dela Cruz, Espero, Green.	S.B. No. 1341	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE AFFORDABLE CARE ACT INNOVATION WAIVER.”
S.B. No. 1328	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUSTAINABLE LIVING.”	Introduced by:	Sensors Baker, Keith-Agaran, Kidani.
Introduced by:	Senator Kouchi, by request.	S.B. No. 1342	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMOKING.”
S.B. No. 1329	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRIVACY.”	Introduced by:	Senator Baker, by request.
Introduced by:	Sensors Slom, Galuteria, Riviere.	S.B. No. 1343	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO METHAMPHETAMINE TRAFFICKING.”
S.B. No. 1330	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE FINANCES”	Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran.
Introduced by:	Sensors Slom, Nishihara, Gabbard, Galuteria, Riviere, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Wakai.	S.B. No. 1344	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING.”
S.B. No. 1331	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY.”	Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran.
Introduced by:	Sensors Espero, Baker, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro.	S.B. No. 1345	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS.”
S.B. No. 1332	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY.”	Introduced by:	Sensors Kidani, Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Espero, Galuteria, Inouye, Kahele, Nishihara, Shimabukuro, Wakai.
Introduced by:	Sensors Espero, Baker, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro.	S.B. No. 1346	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHERS.”
S.B. No. 1333	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEXUAL VIOLENCE PREVENTION EDUCATION.”	Introduced by:	Sensors Kidani, Dela Cruz, Harimoto, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara.
Introduced by:	Sensors Espero, Chun Oakland, Inouye, Harimoto, Riviere.	S.B. No. 1347	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.”
S.B. No. 1334	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OPERATING A VEHICLE WHILE INTOXICATED.”	Introduced by:	Sensors Kidani, Baker, Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Harimoto, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara, Wakai, Espero, Galuteria, Kouchi, Shimabukuro, Slom.
Introduced by:	Sensors Espero, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro.		
S.B. No. 1335	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT.”		

S.B. No. 1348	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION.”	Introduced by:	Senators Wakai, Green, Inouye, Kidani, Baker, Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara.
Introduced by:	Senator Kidani.		
S.B. No. 1349	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION.”	S.B. No. 1363	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE INSTRUMENT.”
Introduced by:	Senator Nishihara.	Introduced by:	Senators Wakai, Chun Oakland, Inouye, Kidani, Ruderman, Dela Cruz, Gabbard, Green, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara, Riviere, Slom, Taniguchi.
S.B. No. 1350	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION.”	S.B. No. 1364	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.”
Introduced by:	Senator Nishihara.	Introduced by:	Senators Wakai, Dela Cruz, Inouye, Kidani, Baker, Nishihara, Slom.
S.B. No. 1351	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION.”	S.B. No. 1365	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION.”
Introduced by:	Senator Nishihara.	Introduced by:	Senator Wakai.
S.B. No. 1352	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESEARCH ACTIVITIES.”	S.B. No. 1366	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMUNITY PLANNING.”
Introduced by:	Senators Nishihara, Espero.	Introduced by:	Senators Wakai, Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Nishihara.
S.B. No. 1353	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE TELEVISION.”	S.B. No. 1367	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROJECT KEALAHOU.”
Introduced by:	Senators English, Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara, Shimabukuro.	Introduced by:	Senators Thielen, Baker.
S.B. No. 1354	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII STATE BUILDING CODES.”	S.B. No. 1368	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUOR.”
Introduced by:	Senator English, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Chun Oakland.
S.B. No. 1355	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION.”	S.B. No. 1369	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSIT-ORIENTED DEVELOPMENT.”
Introduced by:	Senators Taniguchi, Green.	Introduced by:	Senators Harimoto, Dela Cruz, Kidani, Galuteria, Nishihara.
S.B. No. 1356	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS TAX.”	S.B. No. 1370	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY.”
Introduced by:	Senator Kim.	Introduced by:	Senators Harimoto, Espero.
S.B. No. 1357	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT.”	S.B. No. 1371	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BICYCLE AND MOPED REVENUE ENHANCEMENT.”
Introduced by:	Senator Kim.	Introduced by:	Senator Harimoto, by request.
S.B. No. 1358	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT.”	S.B. No. 1372	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION.”
Introduced by:	Senator Kim.	Introduced by:	Senators Nishihara, Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Harimoto, Wakai.
S.B. No. 1359	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE-COUNTY FUNCTIONS WORKING GROUP.”	S.B. No. 1373	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A PARIMUTUEL WAGERING PILOT PROJECT.”
Introduced by:	Senator Kim.	Introduced by:	Senators Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran, Kahele, Kidani, Nishihara, Shimabukuro.
S.B. No. 1360	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII CORRECTIONAL INDUSTRIES.”	S.B. No. 1374	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND EXCHANGE.”
Introduced by:	Senator Kim, by request.	Introduced by:	Senators Dela Cruz, Chun Oakland, Espero, Gabbard, Galuteria, Harimoto, Inouye, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Nishihara, English, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Taniguchi, Thielen, Tokuda, Wakai.
S.B. No. 1361	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUDGETING.”		
Introduced by:	Senator Tokuda.		
S.B. No. 1362	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RENTAL ASSISTANCE REVOLVING FUND.”		

S.B. No. 1375 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT."

Introduced by: Senators Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Nishihara.

S.B. No. 1376 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION"

Introduced by: Senators Dela Cruz, Kidani.

S.B. No. 1377 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WAIKIKI-DIAMOND HEAD SHORELINE FISHERIES MANAGEMENT AREA."

Introduced by: Senators Kahele, Inouye, Riviere, Galuteria, Ihara, Kidani, Nishihara, Ruderman, Shimabukuro.

S.B. No. 1378 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE."

Introduced by: Senators Kahele, Inouye, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Galuteria, Kidani, Nishihara.

S.B. No. 1379 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE."

Introduced by: Senators Kahele, Inouye, Galuteria, Kidani, Nishihara, Ruderman, Shimabukuro.

ADJOURNMENT

At 6:00 p.m., the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Monday, February 2, 2015.

SEVENTH DAY

Monday, February 2, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:36 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present with the exception of Senator Ihara who was excused.

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

Senator Shimabukuro introduced student shadows and Junior Achievement Scholars from Wai'anae Intermediate School: eighth grade student Ke'ala Judd and seventh grade student Nanea Meyer.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 128 to 162) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 128, dated January 26, 2015, transmitting the Teacher Education Coordinating Committee Report, prepared by the Department of Education, in collaboration with the University of Hawai'i's College of Education, pursuant to Section 304A-1202(c), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 129, dated January 26, 2015, transmitting the All Means of Finance Expenditures and Enrollment Report, prepared by the Department of Education pursuant to Act 134, SLH 2013.

Gov. Msg. No. 130, dated January 26, 2015, transmitting the Carryover of Funds Report, prepared by the Department of Education pursuant to Section 37-41.5, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 131, dated January 26, 2015, transmitting the Transfer of Appropriated Funds and Positions Report, prepared by the Department of Education pursuant to Section 37-74(d)(3), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 132, dated January 26, 2015, transmitting the School Impact Fees Report, prepared by the Department of Education pursuant to Act 245, SLH 2007.

Gov. Msg. No. 133, dated January 26, 2015, transmitting the Federal Impact Aid, United States Department of Defense Funds, and Indirect Overhead Reimbursement Report, prepared by the Department of Education pursuant to Section 29-25(d), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 134, dated January 26, 2015, transmitting the Operating Budget Expenditures for Fiscal Year 2013-2014, prepared by the Department of Education pursuant to Act 134, SLH 2013.

Gov. Msg. No. 135, dated January 26, 2015, transmitting the School-Level Minor Repairs and Maintenance Special Fund Report, prepared by the Department of Education pursuant to Section 302A-1504.5(b), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 136, dated January 26, 2015, transmitting the report, "Relating to Mandatory Expulsion for Possession of a Firearm for School Year 2013-2014," prepared by the Department of Education pursuant to Section 302A-1134(b), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 137, dated January 26, 2015, transmitting the report, "Relating to Restraint and Seclusion," prepared by the Department of Education pursuant to Act 206, SLH 2014.

Gov. Msg. No. 138, dated January 26, 2015, transmitting the Goals and Objectives Report, prepared by the Department of Taxation pursuant to Act 100, SLH 1999.

Gov. Msg. No. 139, dated January 26, 2015, transmitting the Electronic Funds Transfer Report, prepared by the Department of Taxation pursuant to Section 231-9.9(d), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 140, dated January 26, 2015, transmitting the Cash Economy Enforcement Act Report, prepared by the Department of Taxation pursuant to Act 134, SLH 2009.

Gov. Msg. No. 141, dated January 26, 2015, transmitting the Findings and Recommendations of Effectiveness of the West Hawaii Regional Fishery Management Area Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 188F-5, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 142, dated January 26, 2015, transmitting the Annual Financial Report for the Newborn Metabolic Screening Special Fund, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to Section 321-291, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 143, dated January 26, 2015, transmitting the Evaluation of the Unemployment Compensation Trust Fund Annual Report, prepared by the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations pursuant to Section 383-126.5, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 144, dated January 26, 2015, transmitting the 2014 Annual Report of the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations pursuant to Act 100, SLH 1999.

Gov. Msg. No. 145, dated January 26, 2015, transmitting the Special Unemployment Insurance Administration Fund Report for the Fiscal Year ending June 30, 2014, prepared by the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations pursuant to Section 383-127, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 146, dated January 26, 2015, transmitting the Trust Fund for Disability Benefits Report for the Fiscal Year ending June 30, 2014, prepared by the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations pursuant to Section 392-61, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 147, dated January 26, 2015, transmitting the Trust Fund for Premium Supplementation Report for the Fiscal Year ending June 30, 2014, prepared by the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations pursuant to Section 393-41, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 148, dated January 26, 2015, transmitting the Unemployment Compensation Trust Fund Annual Report for the Fiscal Year ending June 30, 2014, prepared by the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations pursuant to Section 383-121, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 149, dated January 26, 2015, transmitting the Special Compensation Fund Report for the Fiscal Year ending June 30, 2014, prepared by the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations pursuant to Section 386-151, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 150, dated January 26, 2015, transmitting the State Fire Council Report on the Status of the Reduced Ignition Propensity Cigarette Program, prepared by the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations pursuant to Section 132C-3(e), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 151, dated January 26, 2015, transmitting the Hoisting Machine Operators' Certification Revolving Fund Report for the Fiscal Year ending June 30, 2014, prepared by the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations pursuant to Section 37-47, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 152, dated January 26, 2015, transmitting the Employment and Training Fund Program Report for the Fiscal Year ending June 30, 2014, prepared by the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations pursuant to Section 383-128(h), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 153, dated January 26, 2015, transmitting the Employment and Training Special Fund Report for the Fiscal Year ending June 30, 2014, prepared by the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations pursuant to Section 37-47, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 154, dated January 26, 2015, transmitting the Hawai'i Civil Rights Commission Annual Report, prepared by the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations pursuant to Sections 368-3(7), 368-4(g), and 515-9(a)(6), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 155, dated January 26, 2015, transmitting the Hawaii Occupational Safety and Health Annual Report on Contested Cases for the Fiscal Year ending June 30, 2014, prepared by the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations pursuant to Section 396-11(k), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 156, dated January 26, 2015, transmitting the Hoisting Machine Operators' Advisory Board Program Annual Report for the Fiscal Year ending June 30, 2014, prepared by the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations pursuant to Section 396-20(c), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 157, dated January 26, 2015, transmitting the Reduced Ignition Propensity Cigarette Program Special Fund Report for the Fiscal Year ending June 30, 2014, prepared by the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations pursuant to Section 37-47, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 158, dated January 26, 2015, transmitting the Boiler and Elevator Special Fund Report for the Fiscal Year ending June 30, 2014, prepared by the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations pursuant to Section 397-13(c), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 159, dated January 27, 2015, transmitting the Aloha+ Challenge Recommendations for Taking Action and Tracking Progress Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to S.C.R. No. 69, S.D. 1 (2014).

Gov. Msg. No. 160, dated January 27, 2015, transmitting the Fiscal Year General Fund Appropriation for the Conservation and Resources Enforcement Program Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Act 134, SLH 2013, as amended by Act 122, SLH 2014.

Gov. Msg. No. 161, dated January 27, 2015, transmitting the Land Dispositions Made of Public Lands for Calendar Year 2014 Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 171-29, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 162, dated January 27, 2015, transmitting the Identification of Rivers and Streams Worthy of Protection Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 174C-31(c)(4), HRS.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3) recommending that S.B. No. 16, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 16, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOWING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

ORDER OF THE DAY

FIRST READING

On motion by Senator Green seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the following bills passed First Reading by title and were referred to committee:

S.B. No. 1301 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMALS."

Referred to: Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 1302 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL MARIJUANA DISPENSARIES."

Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 1303 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO APPROPRIATIONS."

Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Education and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 1304 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIRE SPRINKLERS."

Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 1305 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO THE COUNTY OF KAUAI OFFICE OF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY."

Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 1306 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL PROPERTY."

Referred to: Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 1307 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KALO PRODUCTION."

Referred to: Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 1308 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TURTLE BAY."

Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 1309	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY.”	S.B. No. 1319	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE THIRTEENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT.”
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means		
S.B. No. 1310	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STORMWATER MANAGEMENT.”	Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1320	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION.”
		Referred to:	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1311	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION.”	S.B. No. 1321	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD LABELING.”
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Health and the Committee on Agriculture, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1312	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE FUNDS.”		
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1322	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ACCESS.”
S.B. No. 1313	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.”	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1323	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY.”
		Referred to:	Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
S.B. No. 1314	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE ELEVENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT.”	S.B. No. 1324	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DIVORCE.”
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1315	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LABELING.”	S.B. No. 1325	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WASTE MANAGEMENT.”
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Health and the Committee on Agriculture, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Government Operations and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1316	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRIC VEHICLES.”	S.B. No. 1326	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY.”
Referred to:	Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1317	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION.”		
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1327	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH CARE.”
		Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health and the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1318	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES.”		
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 1328	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUSTAINABLE LIVING.”
		Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Health,

	then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1338	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH CONNECTOR."
S.B. No. 1329	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRIVACY."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1339	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE INTERISLAND HIGH-VOLTAGE ELECTRIC TRANSMISSION CABLE SYSTEM."
S.B. No. 1330	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE FINANCES"	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1340	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AQUARIUM FISH."
S.B. No. 1331	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 1341	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE AFFORDABLE CARE ACT INNOVATION WAIVER."
S.B. No. 1332	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY."	Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 1342	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMOKING."
S.B. No. 1333	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEXUAL VIOLENCE PREVENTION EDUCATION."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1343	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO METHAMPHETAMINE TRAFFICKING."
S.B. No. 1334	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OPERATING A VEHICLE WHILE INTOXICATED."	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 1344	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING."
S.B. No. 1335	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT."	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 1345	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS."
S.B. No. 1336	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."	Referred to:	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1346	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHERS."
S.B. No. 1337	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY LITERACY."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1347	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION."
		Referred to:	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 1348	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."	S.B. No. 1358	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1349	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."	S.B. No. 1359	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE-COUNTY FUNCTIONS WORKING GROUP."
Referred to:	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1350	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION."	S.B. No. 1360	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII CORRECTIONAL INDUSTRIES."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1351	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION."	S.B. No. 1361	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUDGETING."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1352	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESEARCH ACTIVITIES."	S.B. No. 1362	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RENTAL ASSISTANCE REVOLVING FUND."
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1353	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE TELEVISION."	S.B. No. 1363	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE INSTRUMENT."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Government Operations
S.B. No. 1354	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII STATE BUILDING CODES."	S.B. No. 1364	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT."
Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1355	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION."	S.B. No. 1365	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1356	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS TAX."	S.B. No. 1366	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMUNITY PLANNING."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1357	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT."	S.B. No. 1367	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROJECT KEALAHOU."
Referred to:	Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 1368	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUOR."
Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
S.B. No. 1369	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSIT-ORIENTED DEVELOPMENT."
Referred to:	Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1370	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1371	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BICYCLE AND MOPED REVENUE ENHANCEMENT."
Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1372	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1373	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A PARIMUTUEL WAGERING PILOT PROJECT."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1374	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND EXCHANGE."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1375	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1376	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION"
Referred to:	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 1377	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WAIKIKI-DIAMOND HEAD SHORELINE FISHERIES MANAGEMENT AREA."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Energy and Environment
S.B. No. 1378	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1379	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

REFERRAL OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The President made the following committee assignments of Senate concurrent resolutions offered on Wednesday, January 28, 2015:

S.C.R. No.:	Referred to:
S.C.R. No. 8	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 9	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 10	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 11	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 12	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 13	Committee on Human Services and Housing
S.C.R. No. 14	Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 15	Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 16	Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 17	Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

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. 166	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then jointly to the Committee on

	Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 748	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
S.B. No. 290	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means		
S.B. No. 322	Committee on Water and Land, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 772	Jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 341	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 797	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Energy and Environment
S.B. No. 375	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 799	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Energy and Environment
S.B. No. 384	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 801	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Energy and Environment
S.B. No. 390	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 988	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 407	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 999	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 540	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1014	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 541	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1031	Jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 549	Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1037	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Energy and Environment
S.B. No. 592	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Agriculture, then jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1178	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 594	Committee on Agriculture, then jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1201	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 597	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1217	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 610	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1220	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 648	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 1256	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 674	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment 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. 1271	Jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Energy and Environment

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:39 a.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Tuesday, February 3, 2015.

EIGHTH DAY**Tuesday, February 3, 2015**

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:34 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present.

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

Senator Baker introduced former Maui Police Department Captain Chuck Harada, who was present in the gallery.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following message from the Governor (Gov. Msg. No. 163) was read by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 163, dated January 30, 2015, transmitting, "The Budget in Brief—Amendments to the FB 2015-17 Executive Biennium Budget by the Ige Administration," (amends Budget in Brief previously transmitted under Gov. Msg. No. 70) prepared by the Department of Budget and Finance pursuant to Article VII, Section 8, of the Hawai'i Constitution.

DEPARTMENTAL COMMUNICATION

The following communication (Dept. Com. No. 59) was read by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Dept. Com. No. 59, from the University of Hawai'i dated January 30, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on University of Hawai'i Non-General Funds for FYE2014 pursuant to Sections 304A-106, 304A-2007, and 304A-2273, HRS, and Act 134, SLH 2013.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 4) recommending that S.B. No. 98 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 98, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 5) recommending that S.B. No. 150, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 150, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOTING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

ORDER OF THE DAY**RE-REFERRAL OF SENATE BILLS**

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

S.B. No.:

S.B. No. 192

S.B. No. 1015

S.B. No. 1018

S.B. No. 1044

S.B. No. 1186

S.B. No. 1194

S.B. No. 1271

S.B. No. 1287

S.B. No. 1292

Re-referred to:

Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

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

Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

Jointly to the Committee on Government Operations and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means

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

Jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection

Jointly to the Committee on Government Operations and the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:37 a.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Wednesday, February 4, 2015.

NINTH DAY

Wednesday, February 4, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:37 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present with the exception of Senator Galuteria who was excused.

The President announced that she had read and approved the Journal of the Eighth Day.

Senator Kahele introduced visitors from Hilo Medical Center including Interim Chief Executive Officer Dan Brinkman, Dr. Kristine McCoy, Dr. Kehau Kong, Dr. Ka'ohimanu Akiona, and Elena Cabatu; and Executive Director Lisa Rantz and President Julie Tulang from Hilo Medical Foundation.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 169 to 173) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 169, letter dated January 30, 2015, as provided in Section 9, Article VII, of the Constitution of the State of Hawai'i, requesting the immediate consideration and passage of S.B. No. 1072, which makes an emergency appropriation for the Department of the Attorney General.

Gov. Msg. No. 170, letter dated January 30, 2015, as provided in Section 9, Article VII, of the Constitution of the State of Hawai'i, requesting the immediate consideration and passage of S.B. No. 1099, which makes an emergency appropriation for the Office of the Governor.

Gov. Msg. No. 171, letter dated January 30, 2015, as provided in Section 9, Article VII, of the Constitution of the State of Hawai'i, requesting the immediate consideration and passage of S.B. No. 1107, which makes an emergency appropriation for general assistance.

Gov. Msg. No. 172, letter dated January 30, 2015, as provided in Section 9, Article VII, of the Constitution of the State of Hawai'i, requesting the immediate consideration and passage of S.B. No. 1117, which makes an emergency appropriation to the Hawai'i Health Systems Corporation.

Gov. Msg. No. 173, letter dated January 30, 2015, as provided in Section 9, Article VII, of the Constitution of the State of Hawai'i, requesting the immediate consideration and passage of S.B. No. 1118, which makes an emergency appropriation to the Department of Health for hazard evaluation and emergency response preparedness.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 6) recommending that S.B. No. 249, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 249, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYER-UNION HEALTH BENEFITS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 7) recommending that S.B. No. 158, as amended in S.D. 1, pass

Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 158, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET DOCUMENTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 8) recommending that S.B. No. 139, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 139, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL SERVICE EXEMPTIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

ORDER OF THE DAY

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. 386	Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 797	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Health and the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 799	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 800	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 801	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 895	Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1033	Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1037	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1168	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on

	Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1256	Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1280	Jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Transportation
S.B. No. 1351	Jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 1377	Committee on Water and Land

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:40 a.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Thursday, February 5, 2015.

TENTH DAY

Thursday, February 5, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:31 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present.

The President announced that she had read and approved the Journal of the Ninth Day.

Senator Espero introduced the Honorable Hilario G. Davide, Jr., former Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Philippines and former Ambassador of the Permanent Mission of the Republic of the Philippines to the United Nations. Accompanying him in the gallery were his wife, Virginia (Gigi) Davide, and his granddaughter, Patricia Davide.

Senator Kahele introduced Dr. Todd Belt, professor of political science at the University of Hawai'i at Hilo and head of the Political and Legislative Internship Program. Professor Belt was accompanied in the gallery by Senator Kahele's session intern, Lilinoe Heaukulani.

Senator Ihara welcomed students from Kaimuki Christian School who were present in the gallery with teachers Chau Sachs and Jane McClair, and chaperones Pauline Awakuni and Nancy Miller.

Senator Slom recognized Jacob Ly for his outstanding accomplishments, and presented the following remarks:

"Thank you and good morning, Madam President, colleagues. Hawai'i always takes a great deal of pride and pleasure when one of our own is recognized for their achievements in athletics or scholarship or the arts, and we're particularly proud when they get national recognition. We've been very blessed recently to have several of our young people so recognized.

"But today, it's my honor and privilege to recognize someone who embodies so many of these different traits, and we're so proud of him that we're very happy to have him and his parents and the folks from his school present today. I'd like to introduce, on the floor, Mr. Jacob Ly – good morning.

"We throw around the term 'overachiever' quite a bit; Jacob is that overachiever. He's an amazing young man. He's a senior at Kalani High School – go Falcons – and he has distinguished himself in a number of areas. Some of you probably know him without having known him before, but you're going to meet him today.

"First of all, he plays the viola in the Kalani orchestra. And he competes on the Kalani math team. And he competes on the Kalani mock trial debate team. And he serves as vice president of the senior class and has been involved in student government for three years, so we'll have to make a seat for him over here pretty soon.

"But he also obtained the only perfect public school score for the ACT exam in the State of Hawai'i. Many of you, of course, are familiar with the ACT as well as the SAT. Both the SAT and ACT test math, reasoning, verbal, and writing skills, but the main difference is that the ACT generates a general test on science as well. He had the only perfect score, as I say, in public schools. Yes, that deserves your applause. He also had a perfect score on the SAT. He also maintains a 4.0 GPA.

"Some of you may know him from his community performances for Ballet Hawaii. He's been in *The Nutcracker* for a number of years, having various roles. I told him he has distinguished himself as the Nutcracker Prince, but that is a title

that I've been fighting for here in the Legislature for quite some time. But he's also played the mouse, or the rat, and other people as well. Most recently, he's been in performances as Peter Pan.

"But this young man is outstanding for so many different pursuits, and when asked, 'How would you describe Jacob?' the word that always comes back is his humility and his humbleness. He's an outstanding young man, and he makes the school proud, our community proud, and our state proud. So once again, Mr. Jacob Ly.

"With Jacob today, let me introduce – and please have them stand and be recognized – Mitchell Otani, the principal of Kalani High School; Jacob's counselor, Sistan Harano; and the Ballet Hawaii artistic director, Pamela Taylor-Tongg. And of course Ballet Hawaii is outstanding, not only for the performance arts, but also for the outreach in our community, and they'll be celebrating their fortieth anniversary next year.

"I also wanted to note that Counselor Susan Arashiro at Kalani was the person – some of you may have seen a brief news clip about that – and my own staff member, Elise Anderson, who has known our honoree for many years, particularly in the arts. So we're very pleased and very proud to have Jacob and the Kalani representatives today. And up in the gallery, I'd like you to meet and greet Jacob's parents, Don and Megan Ly, if they could please stand.

"So again, it's wonderful that we have so many people, so many young people, within our community who are making us proud, and so we wish them the very best. Thank you."

At 11:41 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 11:49 a.m.

At this time, Senator Espero introduced Kaua'i County Councilmember Gary Hooser, who was present in the gallery.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 174 to 196) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 174, dated January 30, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on Goals and Objectives, prepared by the Department of the Attorney General pursuant to Act 100, SLH 1999.

Gov. Msg. No. 175, dated January 30, 2015, transmitting the final report detailing efforts to improve and restructure the Adult Protective Services to provide a comprehensive delivery of services to vulnerable adults who are, or are in danger of being, abused, neglected, or financially exploited, prepared by the Department of Human Services, Social Services Division, pursuant to H.C.R. No. 118, H.D. 1 (2013).

Gov. Msg. No. 176, dated January 30, 2015, transmitting the Report on Direct Holdings in Sudan Scrutinized Companies, prepared by the Employees' Retirement System pursuant to Act 192, SLH 2007.

Gov. Msg. No. 177, dated January 30, 2015, transmitting the Report on the ERS Hawai'i Venture Capital Investment Program, prepared by the Employees' Retirement System pursuant to Act 260, SLH 2007.

Gov. Msg. No. 178, dated January 30, 2015, transmitting the Spouse and Child Abuse Special Account Report, prepared by

the Department of Human Services pursuant to Section 346-7.5, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 179, dated January 30, 2015, transmitting the Crime Victim Compensation Commission Annual Report for Fiscal Year 2013-2014, prepared by the Department of Public Safety pursuant to Section 351-70, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 180, dated January 30, 2015, transmitting the Office of Language Access Annual Report, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to Section 321C-6, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 181, dated January 30, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on Solid Waste Management, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to Section 342G-15, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 182, dated January 30, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report Relating to MH-1s and Hospitalizations of Persons who are under an Order to Treat, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to Section 334-123, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 183, dated January 30, 2015, transmitting a report on the State Water Pollution Control Revolving Fund, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to Section 342D-82, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 184, dated January 30, 2015, transmitting the Developmental Disability Division Task Force's Review of Hawai'i's Statutory Definitions of Developmental Disabilities, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to H.C.R. No. 17 (2014).

Gov. Msg. No. 185, dated January 30, 2015, transmitting the Statewide Mobility Management Report, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to Chapter 349, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 186, dated January 30, 2015, transmitting the Initiatives and Improvements in the Kalaupapa Settlement and Patient and Non-Patient Costs Report, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to Section 326-25.5, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 187, dated January 30, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on Dental Activities, Expenditures, and Recommendations, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to Section 321-63, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 188, dated January 30, 2015, transmitting the Annual Evaluation Report on Elder Programs, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to Section 349-5(b)(2), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 189, dated January 30, 2015, transmitting the State Council on Mental Health Annual Report on Implementation of the State Plan, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to Section 334-10(e), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 190, dated January 30, 2015, transmitting the Annual Data Report on Forensic Patients at the Hawai'i State Hospital, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to Section 334-16, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 191, dated January 30, 2015, transmitting the Mental Health and Substance Abuse Special Fund Annual Report, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to Section 334-15, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 192, dated January 30, 2015, transmitting the Administratively Established Appropriations Annual Report, prepared by the Department of Agriculture pursuant to Act 178, SLH 2002.

Gov. Msg. No. 193, dated January 30, 2015, transmitting the Ways to Reduce Incidents of Sepsis and Sepsis Death in the State Report, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to H.C.R. No. 202, S.D. 1 (2014).

Gov. Msg. No. 194, dated January 30, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report of the Department of Agriculture pursuant to Act 100, SLH 1999.

Gov. Msg. No. 195, dated January 30, 2015, transmitting the 2012 Tax Credits Report, prepared by the Department of Taxation pursuant to Section 231-3.4(a), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 196, dated January 30, 2015, transmitting the 2012 Hawai'i Individual Income Tax Statistics Report, prepared by the Department of Taxation pursuant to Section 231-3.4(a), HRS.

DEPARTMENTAL COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications (Dept. Com. Nos. 60 to 64) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Dept. Com. No. 60, from the Office of the Auditor dated January 30, 2015, transmitting the Fiscal Year 2014 Financial Statement Audit Reports for the Department of Transportation – Administrative Division, Department of Transportation – Harbors Division, and Hawai'i Tourism Authority pursuant to Article VII, Section 10, Hawai'i State Constitution, and as authorized by Chapter 23, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 61, from the City and County of Honolulu Police Department dated January 29, 2015, transmitting the 2014 Annual Misconduct Report pursuant to Section 52D-3.5, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 62, from the City and County of Honolulu Police Department dated January 29, 2015, transmitting the report concerning electric guns and their use from December 1, 2013, through December 31, 2014, pursuant to Section 134-16(d), HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 63, from the University of Hawai'i dated January 30, 2015, transmitting the Report on the University of Hawai'i at Mānoa John A. Burns School of Medicine Detailed Financial Plan to Fund the Operating Expenses pursuant to Act 2, SLH 2012.

Dept. Com. No. 64, from the Office of the Auditor dated February 3, 2015, transmitting the Fiscal Year 2014 Financial Statement Audit Reports for the Hawai'i Employer-Union Health Benefits Trust Fund, Hawai'i Housing Finance and Development Corporation, and Stadium Authority pursuant to Article VII, Section 10, Hawai'i State Constitution, and as authorized by Chapter 23, HRS.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 9) recommending that S.B. No. 857 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 857, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PREAUDITS OF PROPOSED PAYMENTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 10) recommending that S.B. No. 970 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 970, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENTAL HOUSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 11) recommending that S.B. No. 971, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 971, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 12) recommending that S.B. No. 975 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 975, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RENTAL HOUSING TRUST FUND," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 13) recommending that S.B. No. 1014 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Green moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 13 be adopted, seconded by Senator Slom.

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

"I reluctantly rise in opposition to Stand. Com. Rep. No. 13 on S.B. No. 1014. I fully support the intent behind this measure. I often hear about compassionate disruption for homeless or houseless people, and unfortunately, the resulting actions often focus on the disruption and not so much the compassion. But I believe the rights enumerated in this bill apply to everybody, and so I reluctantly can't support a measure that provides a special category. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1014, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOUSELESS BILL OF RIGHTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means, with Senator Thielen voting "No."

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 14) recommending that S.B. No. 120, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 120, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 15) recommending that S.B. No. 121 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 121, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 16) recommending that S.B. No. 155 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 155, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 17) recommending that S.B. No. 156 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 156, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 18) recommending that S.B. No. 267 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 267, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 19) recommending that S.B. No. 392 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 392, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 20) recommending that S.B. No. 1060, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1060, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LOANS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 21) recommending that S.B. No. 521, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 521, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO WAIMEA NUI COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

ORDER OF THE DAY

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. 231	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
S.B. No. 612	Committee on Transportation, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1280	Jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1295	Jointly to the Committee on Government Operations and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology and the Committee on Energy and Environment, then jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1323	Committee on Energy and Environment, then jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1337	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1338	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:51 a.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Friday, February 6, 2015.

ELEVENTH DAY

Friday, February 6, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:40 a.m. with the Vice President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

The following concurrent resolution (S.C.R. No. 18) was read by the Clerk and was deferred:

S.C.R. No. 18 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE JUDICIARY TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO EXAMINE HAWAII'S ENHANCED SENTENCING AND EXTENDED SENTENCING LAWS."

Offered by: Senators Keith-Agaran, Espero, Ihara, Shimabukuro, Tokuda, English, Wakai.

SENATE RESOLUTION

The following resolution (S.R. No. 4) was read by the Clerk and was disposed of as follows:

S.R. No. 4 "SENATE RESOLUTION AMENDING RULE 16 OF THE RULES OF THE SENATE OF THE TWENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII."

Offered by: Senators English, Slom.

Senator English moved that S.R. No. 4 be adopted, seconded by Senator Slom.

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

"Mr. President, the purpose of this resolution today is to adopt the correct version of the Rules. Unfortunately, an error was made. On November 7th, I did, in fact, send out to all of the members the correct version of the purviews for each committee. Unfortunately, as we got closer to session and we were going to adopt the Rules, a wrong version was sent out to the members and we were under the impression that that's what we were adopting.

"Subsequently, the correct version did get printed in our Rules, and that's what we're here for: to make that correction formally. Thank you."

The motion to adopt S.R. No. 4 was put by the Chair and carried.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 22) recommending that S.B. No. 980 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 980, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 23) recommending that S.B. No. 478, as amended in S.D. 1,

pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 478, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 24) recommending that S.B. No. 477, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 477, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC HOUSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 25) recommending that S.B. No. 269, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 269, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ORDER," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 26) recommending that S.B. No. 973, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 973, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 27) recommending that S.B. No. 1209 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1209, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RETIREMENT OF JUDGES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 28) recommending that S.B. No. 696, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 696, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAX CREDITS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep.

No. 29) recommending that S.B. No. 1011, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1011, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 30) recommending that S.B. No. 225, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 225, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 31) recommending that S.B. No. 321 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 321, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OPERATING A VEHICLE WHILE UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF AN INTOXICANT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 32) recommending that S.B. No. 611 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 611, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO USE OF INTOXICANTS WHILE OPERATING A VEHICLE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 33) recommending that S.B. No. 613 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 613, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PENALTIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 34) recommending that S.B. No. 142 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 142, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WAILUKU STATE OFFICE MASTER PLAN," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 35) recommending that S.B. No. 1027, as amended in S.D. 1, pass

Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1027, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY COURT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

ORDER OF THE DAY

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. 113	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 197	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 308	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 709	Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1251	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1303	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1369	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

Senator Slom rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

"Several of us have been aware for the last several weeks that there is a major problem that has been fast developing on the West Coast involving shipping – involving the agents for the shippers, the PMA, and the union, ILWU. The contract has expired; the problems have started to escalate, and without a contract, there needs to be some action taken.

"I'm going to be offering a Senate resolution and a concurrent resolution urging the President of the United States to use his powers under the Taft-Hartley Act to make sure that negotiations will continue and that we will be spared a shipping strike. Already, American Samoa has not received any cargo from the West Coast ports – there are 29 of them – in the past month.

"This action actually is necessary and should be proactive rather than reactive because of all of the states, of course, we would be the one that would suffer most. Some of us remember the last disruption 13 years ago; it did produce hardships. In my opinion, this disruption would be even more severe.

"PMA has indicated that if nothing happens in the next week or two, they will declare a lockout. So it has grave circumstances for Hawai'i, and I will urge my colleagues to sign on to this resolution. Thank you, Mr. President."

Senator Baker rose and stated:

“Just an additional note for the members: When there was a strike the last time, Hawai‘i got an exemption from that particular situation. I know that our governor is aware of that and following it very closely because the request, as I understand it, needs to come from the governor. So hopefully, all things will be settled and we won’t be further impacted, but I appreciate the fact that we all need to be aware of this situation. Mahalo.”

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:46 a.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Monday, February 9, 2015.

TWELFTH DAY

Monday, February 9, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:32 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present.

The President announced that she had read and approved the Journal of the Eleventh Day.

Senator Chun Oakland introduced students and teachers from Shenzhen International Foundation College in China who were visiting the Hawai'i State Capitol to learn about the legislative process and to intern with legislators. The students were being hosted by Education Advancement Fund International, and were accompanied in the gallery by the organization's director, former State Representative Karen Awana; the participants introduced included: Tang Dai, Xie Yunhui, Xie Yimin, Luo Jie, Zhang Ningning, Yang Boyu, Li Xiang, Liao Cuini, Mei Linsong, Gao Ziming, Luo Huijia, Zeng Qingran, Ma Bincheng, Guo Zijian, Kong Queer, Huang He, Jiang Yihang, and Luo Dejun.

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the House (Hse. Com. Nos. 7 and 8) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Hse. Com. No. 7, transmitting H.B. No. 930, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on February 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 930, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 8, transmitting H.B. No. 1465, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on February 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1465, 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.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

The following concurrent resolution (S.C.R. No. 19) was read by the Clerk and was deferred:

S.C.R. No. 19 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING A PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT WAIMANALO, KOOLAUPOKO, OAHU, FOR THE USE, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR OF THE EXISTING SEAWALL AND STEPS."

Offered by: Senator Thielen.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Gabbard, for the majority of the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 36) recommending that S.B. No. 715, as amended in S.D. 1,

pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 715, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE STANDARDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 37) recommending that S.B. No. 598 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 598, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 38) recommending that S.B. No. 1149 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1149, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 39) recommending that S.B. No. 1093, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1093, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MORTGAGE SERVICERS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, with Senator Riviere voting "Aye with Reservations."

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 40) recommending that S.B. No. 530 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 530, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS TO THE KAMUELA VACUUM COOLING PLANT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 41) recommending that S.B. No. 705, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 705, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAX," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep.

No. 42) recommending that S.B. No. 758, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 758, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SERVICE BY PUBLICATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 43) recommending that S.B. No. 698, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 698, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 44) recommending that S.B. No. 890 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 890, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 45) recommending that S.B. No. 184 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 184, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the majority of the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 46) recommending that S.B. No. 566, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 566, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 47) recommending that S.B. No. 572 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 572, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SERVICE OF LEGAL PROCESS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 48) recommending that S.B. No. 955, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 955, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SHOOTING RANGE PROTECTION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 49) recommending that S.B. No. 665, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 665, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRISONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 50) recommending that S.B. No. 664 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 664, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 51) recommending that S.B. No. 562 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 562, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 52) recommending that S.B. No. 7, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 7, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCESS SERVERS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 53) recommending that S.B. No. 1096, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1096, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ON-BILL PROGRAMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kahele, for the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 54) recommending that S.B. No. 283 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and

S.B. No. 283, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Kahele, for the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 55) recommending that S.B. No. 536, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 536, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOURISM STIMULUS INITIATIVES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kahele, for the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 56) recommending that S.B. No. 1009, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1009, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SERVICE CHARGES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Kahele, for the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 57) recommending that S.B. No. 754, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 754, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TIME SHARING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

ORDER OF THE DAY

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. 481	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1266	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. 1357	Committee on Government Operations, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1377	Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:36 a.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Tuesday, February 10, 2015.

THIRTEENTH DAY

Tuesday, February 10, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:37 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present.

The President announced that she had read and approved the Journal of the Twelfth Day.

Senator Kidani welcomed third through fifth grade students and visitors from Mililani Uka Elementary School, including advisors Neal Sakaue and Dana Derego; chaperones Dale Kanoë, Bao Nguyen, Christy Deguzman, and Debbie Flores; and Student Council officers Gianna Van Blyenburg, president; Kaylen Landry, vice president; Rozelyn Dizon, secretary; Kira Tobita, treasurer; and Tytus Tanaka, historian.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 525 to 536) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Gov. Msg. No. 525, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawaii Community Development Authority, the nomination of JOHN WHALEN, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Gov. Msg. No. 526, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawaii Community Development Authority, the nomination of TOM MCLAUGHLIN, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Gov. Msg. No. 527, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawaii Community Development Authority, the nomination of AMY S. LUERSEN, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Gov. Msg. No. 528, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawaii Community Development Authority, the nomination of DONNA CAMVEL, term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Gov. Msg. No. 529, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawaii Community Development Authority, the nomination of BRETT N. PREJEAN, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Gov. Msg. No. 530, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawaii Community Development Authority, the nomination of MICHAEL J. GOLOJUCH, SR., term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Gov. Msg. No. 531, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawaii Community Development Authority, the nomination of SHIRLEY S. SWINNEY, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Gov. Msg. No. 532, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawaii Community Development Authority, the nomination of DEAN K. CAPELOUTO, term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Gov. Msg. No. 533, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawaii Community Development Authority, the nomination of JASON T. OKUHAMA, term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Gov. Msg. No. 534, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawaii Community Development Authority, the nomination of WILLIAM OH, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Gov. Msg. No. 535, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawaii Community Development Authority, the nomination of STEVEN J. SCOTT, term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Gov. Msg. No. 536, submitting for consideration and confirmation as Deputy Director of the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations, the nomination of LEONARD HOSHIO, term to expire December 3, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 58) recommending that S.B. No. 1150 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1150, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Gabbard, for the majority of the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 59) recommending that S.B. No. 646, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 646, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 60) recommending that S.B. No. 488, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 488, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senators Green and Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 61) recommending that S.B. No. 806, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 806, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING

TO THE HOSPITAL SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAM,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green and Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 62) recommending that S.B. No. 925 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 925, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 63) recommending that S.B. No. 134, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 134, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARTITION OF HEIRS PROPERTY,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 64) recommending that S.B. No. 528 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 528, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Green, for the majority of the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 65) recommending that S.B. No. 926 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 926, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF LANGUAGE ACCESS,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 66) recommending that S.B. No. 805 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 805, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 67) recommending that S.B. No. 792 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 792, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTAL HEALTH,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 68) recommending that S.B. No. 298 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 298, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 69) recommending that S.B. No. 717, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 717, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHANOL,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 70) recommending that S.B. No. 349, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 349, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Nishihara, for the majority of the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 71) recommending that S.B. No. 683, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 683, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE DRIVER LICENSING,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Chun Oakland and Green, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 72) recommending that S.B. No. 981 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 981, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 73) recommending that S.B. No. 559, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 559, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MILITARY,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 74) recommending that S.B. No. 533, as

amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 533, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 75) recommending that S.B. No. 686 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 686, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A WAR MEMORIAL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 76) recommending that S.B. No. 73, as amended in S.D. 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 73, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY," was recommitted to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs.

ORDER OF THE DAY

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. 586	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1270	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:41 a.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Thursday, February 12, 2015.

FOURTEENTH DAY

Thursday, February 12, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:38 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present with the exception of Senator Slom who was excused.

The President announced that she had read and approved the Journal of the Thirteenth Day.

Senator Gabbard introduced Yang "Misty" Rui, a junior at Renmin University of China in Beijing and participant in the Explore and Discover Program who was interning in his office. Ms. Rui was accompanied in the gallery by Pastor Rick Lazor of OlaNui! Church and local coordinator for the Central University for Finance and Management in Beijing.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 197 to 207) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 197, dated February 2, 2015, transmitting the Lead by Example State of Hawai'i Agencies' Energy Initiatives for Fiscal Year 2013-2014, prepared by the Hawai'i State Energy Office pursuant to Act 96, SLH 2006.

Gov. Msg. No. 198, dated February 2, 2015, transmitting the Green Infrastructure Authority's Activities Report, prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism pursuant to Act 211, SLH 2013.

Gov. Msg. No. 199, dated February 2, 2015, transmitting the Motion Picture, Digital Media, and Film Production Income Tax Credit for Fiscal Year 2014 Report, prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism pursuant to Act 89, SLH 2013.

Gov. Msg. No. 200, dated February 2, 2015, transmitting the State of Hawai'i Comprehensive Annual Financial Report for the Fiscal Year ending June 30, 2014, prepared by the Department of Accounting and General Services pursuant to Section 40-5, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 201, dated February 2, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on the Number of Due Process Hearings Related to Reimbursement of Private School Tuition, prepared by the Department of Education pursuant to Section 302A-443(e), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 202, dated February 2, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report for Fiscal Year 2013-2014 of the State Foundation on Culture and the Arts pursuant to Section 9-3(8), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 203, dated February 2, 2015, transmitting the Utility Expenditures Report, prepared by the Department of Education pursuant to Act 122, SLH 2014.

Gov. Msg. No. 204, dated February 5, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report of the Activities of the Board of Certification of Operating Personnel in Wastewater Treatment Facilities, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to Section 340B-12, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 205, dated February 5, 2015, transmitting the Report on the TANF and TAONF Programs, prepared by the Department of Human Services pursuant to Act 134, SLH 2013.

Gov. Msg. No. 206, dated February 2, 2015, transmitting the Pilot Project for the Lease of Public School Lands Report,

prepared by the Department of Education pursuant to Act 155, SLH 2013.

Gov. Msg. No. 207, letter dated February 10, 2015, transmitting proposed changes to the General Appropriations Act (House Bill No. 500).

DEPARTMENTAL COMMUNICATION

The following communication (Dept. Com. No. 65) was read by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Dept. Com. No. 65, from the University of Hawai'i dated February 3, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on the Hawai'i Medical Education Council pursuant to Section 304A-1704, HRS.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

The following concurrent resolution (S.C.R. No. 20) was read by the Clerk and was deferred:

S.C.R. No. 20 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES USE HIS POWER UNDER THE TAFT-HARTLEY ACT TO PUT THE PARTIES BACK TO WORK FOR A COOLING OFF PERIOD IN THE WEST COAST PORTS PMA AND ILWU LABOR DISPUTE."

Offered by: Senators Slom, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Inouye, Kouchi, Nishihara, Riviere, Wakai.

SENATE RESOLUTION

The following resolution (S.R. No. 5) was read by the Clerk and was deferred:

S.R. No. 5 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES USE HIS POWER UNDER THE TAFT-HARTLEY ACT TO PUT THE PARTIES BACK TO WORK FOR A COOLING OFF PERIOD IN THE WEST COAST PORTS PMA AND ILWU LABOR DISPUTE."

Offered by: Senators Slom, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Inouye, Kouchi, Nishihara, Riviere, Wakai.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 77) recommending that S.B. No. 612, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 612, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROBATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 78) recommending that S.B. No. 1106, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1106, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MEDICAID MANAGED CARE

PROGRAM,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 79) recommending that S.B. No. 1107 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1107, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR GENERAL ASSISTANCE,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Baker, for the majority of the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 80) recommending that S.B. No. 1220, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1220, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHAPTER 245, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 81) recommending that S.B. No. 752 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 752, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Baker, for the majority of the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 82) recommending that S.B. No. 1032, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1032, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHAPTER 245, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 83) recommending that S.B. No. 710 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 710, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE INTEGRATED SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Gabbard and Thielen, for the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Water and Land, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 84) recommending that S.B. No. 591 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 591, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 85) recommending that S.B. No. 353 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 353, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RECYCLING,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 86) recommending that S.B. No. 350, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 350, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Kidani and Green, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 87) recommending that S.B. No. 977, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 977, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Kidani and Green, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 88) recommending that S.B. No. 841, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 841, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL HEALTH,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Kidani and Green, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 89) recommending that S.B. No. 1221, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1221, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Kidani and Green, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 90) recommending that S.B. No. 846 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 846, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Kidani and Green, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 91) recommending that S.B. No. 394, as

amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 394, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 92) recommending that S.B. No. 1211 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1211, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MAJOR DISASTER FUND," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 93) recommending that S.B. No. 889, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 889, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JOINT EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT CENTER," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 94) recommending that S.B. No. 669 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 669, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VIETNAM WAR COMMEMORATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the majority of the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 95) recommending that S.B. No. 663 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 663, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Espero and Baker, for the majority of the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the majority of the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 96) recommending that S.B. No. 193, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the joint report of the majority of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 193, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENHANCED 911 SURCHARGES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Kidani and Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 97) recommending that S.B. No. 865, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 865, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BULLYING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Kidani and Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 98) recommending that S.B. No. 858 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 858, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAMS FOR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL STUDENTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 99) recommending that S.B. No. 1016 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1016, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 100) recommending that S.B. No. 576, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 576, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 101) recommending that S.B. No. 1151, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1151, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 102) recommending that S.B. No. 1178, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1178, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 103) recommending that S.B. No. 1006 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1006, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 104) recommending that S.B. No. 266 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 266, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF LANGUAGE ACCESS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 105) recommending that S.B. No. 385 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 385, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CANCER," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 106) recommending that S.B. No. 300, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 300, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VIOLENCE AGAINST HEALTH CARE PERSONNEL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 107) recommending that S.B. No. 790, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 790, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROVIDER ORDERS FOR LIFE-SUSTAINING TREATMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senator Green, for the majority of the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 108) recommending that S.B. No. 1117, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1117, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 109) recommending that

S.B. No. 406 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 406, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION PRIMARY CARE TRAINING PROGRAM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 110) recommending that S.B. No. 850 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 850, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FACILITIES FUNDING FOR CHARTER SCHOOLS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 111) recommending that S.B. No. 252, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 252, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 112) recommending that S.B. No. 833 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 833, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, with Senator Thielen voting "Aye with Reservations."

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 113) recommending that S.B. No. 832 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 832, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 114) recommending that S.B. No. 831, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 831, 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 Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 115) recommending that S.B. No. 1347 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1347, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO

THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 116) recommending that S.B. No. 820 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 820, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOARD OF EDUCATION,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 117) recommending that S.B. No. 1345 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1345, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 118) recommending that S.B. No. 1376 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1376, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 119) recommending that S.B. No. 600 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 600, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR KUA O KA LA PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL AND THE HAWAII ACADEMY OF ARTS AND SCIENCE PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 120) recommending that S.B. No. 126, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 126, 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 Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 121) recommending that S.B. No. 749 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 749, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COLORECTAL CANCER SCREENING AND AWARENESS PILOT PROGRAM,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep.

No. 122) recommending that S.B. No. 915 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 915, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 123) recommending that S.B. No. 276, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 276, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELDER AND VULNERABLE ADULTS,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 124) recommending that S.B. No. 1023, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1023, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII CHILD WELFARE EDUCATION COLLABORATION,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 125) recommending that S.B. No. 979, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 979, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO YOUTH,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 126) recommending that S.B. No. 584, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 584, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IRRIGATION,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 127) recommending that S.B. No. 1040, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1040, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FARMERS’ MARKETS,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 128) recommending

that S.B. No. 1307, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1307, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KALO PRODUCTION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 129) recommending that S.B. No. 380 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 380, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Government Operations, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 130) recommending that S.B. No. 830, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 830, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Government Operations, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 131) recommending that S.B. No. 360 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 360, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEASUREMENTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Government Operations, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 132) recommending that S.B. No. 435, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 435, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN PLANTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Gabbard, Thielen, and Ruderman, for the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Agriculture, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 133) recommending that S.B. No. 1046, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1046, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 134) recommending that S.B. No. 1227, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1227, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD WASTE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 135) recommending that S.B. No. 1272, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1272, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CESSPOOLS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Gabbard and Ruderman, for the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Agriculture, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 136) recommending that S.B. No. 359 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 359, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENTAL RESPONSE, ENERGY, AND FOOD SECURITY TAX," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Gabbard and Ruderman, for the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Agriculture, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 137) recommending that S.B. No. 583 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 583, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 138) recommending that S.B. No. 1169, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1169, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GLASS ADVANCE DISPOSAL FEE PROGRAM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 139) recommending that S.B. No. 40, as amended in S.D. 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 40, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LICENSING," was recommitted to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 140) recommending that S.B. No. 849, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 849, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 141) recommending that S.B. No. 1056, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1056, 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 Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 142) recommending that S.B. No. 1278 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1278, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIBRARIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 143) recommending that S.B. No. 821, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 821, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Thielen, Ruderman, and Shimabukuro, for the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 144) recommending that S.B. No. 774 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 774, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PROTECTION OF TARO," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 145) recommending that S.B. No. 545 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 545, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NATURAL RESOURCES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 146) recommending that S.B. No. 629 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 629, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO URBAN WATER CONSERVATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Gabbard and Ruderman, for the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Agriculture,

presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 147) recommending that S.B. No. 358, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 358, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 148) recommending that S.B. No. 1098, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1098, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIBRARIES," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, February 17, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 149) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of CATHERINE AWAKUNI COLON as Director of the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 506.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 149 and Gov. Msg. No. 506 was deferred until Friday, February 13, 2015.

ORDER OF THE DAY

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. 871	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 899	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

Senator Thielen rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

"Thank you. Colleagues, our colleague to my right – my far, far, far right – is out but will be back with us next week, and we are circulating a card. So for those of you who haven't had an opportunity to sign it, if you could please come over at the end of session to sign it, I would greatly appreciate it. Mahalo."

Senator Kouchi rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

"Well, the senator from Maui is in the courageous chair; not I. Madam President, I did want to extend belated happy birthday wishes to the Majority Floor Leader. Thank you."

Senator Chun Oakland rose to extend additional happy birthday wishes to Senator Green; and Senator Green rose to thank the members for their kind remarks.

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:38 a.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Friday, February 13, 2015.

FIFTEENTH DAY

Friday, February 13, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:33 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present with the exception of Senator Slom who was excused.

The President announced that she had read and approved the Journal of the Fourteenth Day.

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the House (Hse. Com. Nos. 9 and 10) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Hse. Com. No. 9, transmitting H.B. No. 179, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on February 12, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, H.B. No. 179, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERMANENT ABSENTEE BALLOTS," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 10, transmitting H.B. No. 604, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on February 12, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, H.B. No. 604, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SAKADA DAY," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions (S.C.R. Nos. 21 to 23) were read by the Clerk and were deferred:

S.C.R. No. 21 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA TO HONOR ITS PROMISE AND COMMITMENT TO NO LONGER HARVEST ORGANS FROM EXECUTED PRISONERS FOR ORGAN TRANSPLANTS."

Offered by: Senators Shimabukuro, Baker, Kidani, Espero, Riviere, Ruderman.

S.C.R. No. 22 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO ADOPT ADMINISTRATIVE RULES REQUIRING A RESTAURANT WITH TWENTY OR MORE LOCATIONS IN THE STATE TO POST CALORIE AND CARBOHYDRATE INFORMATION FOR STANDARD MENU ITEMS ON THE MENU OR MENU BOARD AND TO PROVIDE ALL OTHER NUTRITION INFORMATION TO CUSTOMERS IN THE RESTAURANT, UPON REQUEST."

Offered by: Senators Shimabukuro, Baker, English, Kidani, Espero, Gabbard, Ruderman, Thielen.

S.C.R. No. 23 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII ACCESS TO JUSTICE COMMISSION TO ASSEMBLE VARIOUS STATE AND COMMUNITY ENTITIES TO DETERMINE WHICH AGENCY OR ORGANIZATION SHOULD ADMINISTER FUNDING FOR CIVIL LEGAL SERVICES TO LOW- AND MODERATE-INCOME INDIVIDUALS."

Offered by: Senators Keith-Agaran, Baker, English, Kidani, Shimabukuro, Espero, Gabbard, Riviere, Ruderman.

SENATE RESOLUTION

The following resolution (S.R. No. 6) was read by the Clerk and was deferred:

S.R. No. 6 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII ACCESS TO JUSTICE COMMISSION TO ASSEMBLE VARIOUS STATE AND COMMUNITY ENTITIES TO DETERMINE WHICH AGENCY OR ORGANIZATION SHOULD ADMINISTER FUNDING FOR CIVIL LEGAL SERVICES TO LOW- AND MODERATE-INCOME INDIVIDUALS."

Offered by: Senators Keith-Agaran, Baker, English, Kidani, Shimabukuro, Espero, Riviere.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Green, for the majority of the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 150) recommending that S.B. No. 1036, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1036, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUBSTANCE ABUSE TREATMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Thielen and Gabbard, for the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 151) recommending that S.B. No. 544 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 544, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NATURAL RESOURCES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Thielen and Gabbard, for the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 152) recommending that S.B. No. 1165, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1165, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MANAGEMENT OF OCEAN RESOURCES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Dela Cruz and Keith-Agaran, for the majority of the Committee on Government Operations and the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 153) recommending that S.B. No. 728, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the joint report of the majority of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 728, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT CONTRACTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 154) recommending that S.B. No. 984, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 984, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 155) recommending that S.B. No. 1215, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1215, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Chun Oakland and Green, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 156) recommending that S.B. No. 964, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 964, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 157) recommending that S.B. No. 472, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 472, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF INFORMATION PRACTICES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 158) recommending that S.B. No. 364, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 364, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 159) recommending that S.B. No. 243, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 243, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 160) recommending that S.B. No. 248, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 248, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRUST FUNDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 161) recommending that S.B. No. 147, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 147, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 162) recommending that S.B. No. 1072 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1072, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

ORDER OF THE DAY

ADVISE AND CONSENT

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 149 (Gov. Msg. No. 506):

Senator Baker moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 149 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried.

Senator Baker then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of CATHERINE AWAKUNI COLON as Director of the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs, term to expire December 3, 2018, seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Baker rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

"Thank you, Madam President. Colleagues, it is with great pleasure that I rise in support of Governor's Message 506 to advise and consent to the nomination of Catherine Awakuni Colón as the director of the State of Hawaii's Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs.

"Ms. Awakuni Colón comes to the position with considerable knowledge and experience of consumer affairs as a former Consumer Advocate and more recently, as the Administrator of the Cable Television Division as well as her experience as the chief attorney for the PUC, which is now transitioning to become an attached agency to the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs. She has spent the last 13 years in government service for the people of Hawai'i in roles that affect consumer affairs and commerce as well as having an intimate understanding of the department she is going to now lead.

"Some may argue that equally as important as her commendable experience, Ms. Awakuni Colón also brings to

this position the passion to serve our community, a perceptive and thoughtful intelligence, and an exceedingly calm demeanor.

"Ms. Awakuni Colón was described by her supporters as 'a dedicated public servant,' as 'always diligent, quick to give a response, grasp complex issues and problems, thoughtful, and fair.' Also, these words described her abilities: 'transparent,' 'open to input,' and 'effective in developing solutions to complex issues.'

"She was lauded by those she had the responsibility to regulate when she was the Consumer Advocate as 'particularly well-qualified and -suited to lead the DCCA in fulfilling the Department's responsibilities for protecting the interests of consumers, depositors, and investors throughout the state.' Each piece of testimony we received could not have been more supportive of her appointment as director. Cat, as she is known, received high praise from her former boss, the outgoing director of DCCA, Keali'i Lopez.

"Indeed, during the committee hearing, our committee members were a little bit at a loss for words as to what her weaknesses might be. In fact, one of our colleagues who's not here today asked if she had one. After some thought, she responded that often, a person's strengths are also their weaknesses. She went on to elaborate that she trusts people and sometimes that can give her some pause. She said she knows the department well but can always learn more. I thought that was a very important statement to make to us.

"Admitting fault is something many people are hesitant to do, but Ms. Awakuni Colón's reflective response shows thoughtfulness and self-awareness. It shows a level of integrity we expect and need from those we entrust to administer our executive departments.

"The State of Hawai'i is truly fortunate to have a person of Ms. Awakuni Colón's background and caliber to offer herself for public service. Colleagues, I ask you to join me in voting aye on Governor's Message 506 to confirm Ms. Catherine Awakuni Colón as the next director of the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs. Mahalo."

Senator Kahele rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

"Thank you, Madam President. I rise in support of the measure and request that the previous speaker's remarks be entered into the Journal as if they were my own." (The Chair so ordered, by reference only.)

"I would also like to add that with the appointment of Catherine to be the director of DCCA, Governor Ige has made an excellent choice. I would also add, colleagues, that Catherine comes from good stock, both from her mother and her dad. Her father and I served in the United States Marine Corps in our younger days. Colleagues, I ask for your support in the appointment of Catherine Awakuni Colón to be the director of DCCA. Thank you very much."

Senator Shimabukuro rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

"Thank you very much, Madam President. I just want to also echo what was being said and that she definitely does come from good stock. My direct boss at Legal Aid Society is her brother, Russ, who I think is up in the gallery; I tell everyone he's the best boss I ever had, and it's true. But the Awakunis definitely are great leaders and they come from many lines of great leaders, so we're very lucky. Cat is also my classmate from UH law school, so I'm very, very happy with this appointment."

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Slom).

At this time, Senator Baker introduced newly confirmed Director Catherine Awakuni Colón, who was accompanied in the gallery by her husband, Michael; her son, Sage; her parents, Edwin and Judith Awakuni; her brother, Russ; her sister-in-law, Tina; Uncle Roy and Aunt Judy; and Aunt Sandy Miyasato.

The Chair acknowledged the presence of Governor David Y. Ige in the gallery.

At 11:43 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 11:54 a.m.

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. 128	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 661	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

Senator Green rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

"A very special person in our midst was born on Valentine's Day not so many years ago. We love her very much: Carol Taniguchi, would you stand up, please? We just wanted to say happy birthday, Madam President."

Senator Ruderman rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

"In a longstanding tradition by the Local Food Caucus, which started in 2014, the members of our Senate of the female persuasion will find on their desks a chocolate bar that is 100 percent grown and manufactured on the Big Island. This is a token, with pride and appreciation, for the growing 'Made In Hawai'i' industry; and perhaps one day, we'll achieve true gender equality and the male members will receive a chocolate bar, too."

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:56 a.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Tuesday, February 17, 2015.

SIXTEENTH DAY

Tuesday, February 17, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:38 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present.

The President announced that she had read and approved the Journal of the Fifteenth Day.

Senator Kouchi acknowledged Senate President Kim and Senator Gabbard's moment of contemplation as a potential act for a "Capitol Follies" show.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 208 and 537) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Gov. Msg. No. 208, dated February 2, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report of the Public Utilities Commission for the Fiscal Year ending June 30, 2014, pursuant to Section 269-5, HRS, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 537, submitting for consideration and confirmation as Deputy Director of the Department of Taxation, the nomination of JOSEPH KIM, term to expire December 3, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senators Kahele and Wakai, for the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 163) recommending that S.B. No. 1288, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1288, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Kahele and Wakai, for the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 164) recommending that S.B. No. 721, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 721, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INNOVATIVE BUSINESS INTERACTION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 165) recommending that S.B. No. 935, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 935, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE LICENSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 166) recommending

that S.B. No. 769, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 769, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 167) recommending that S.B. No. 1041, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1041, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HALEAKALĀ NATIONAL PARK," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 168) recommending that S.B. No. 1254 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1254, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 169) recommending that S.B. No. 1233 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1233, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A FEDERAL INSPECTION STATION AT KONA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 170) recommending that S.B. No. 345, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 345, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PASSENGERS RIDING IN BED OF PICKUP TRUCKS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Ruderman and Gabbard, for the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 171) recommending that S.B. No. 312, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 312, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BIOSECURITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 172) recommending that S.B. No. 1047, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1047, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST PELATRON Q, LLC," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 173) recommending that S.B. No. 1042 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1042, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR SUNSTRONG LLC, A RENEWABLE ENERGY DEVELOPER SERVING THE GENERAL PUBLIC IN PROVIDING ELECTRIC ENERGY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 174) recommending that S.B. No. 619 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 619, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST SEAWATER AIR CONDITIONING PROJECTS ON OAHU," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 175) recommending that S.B. No. 750 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 750, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST ANAERGIA INCORPORATED," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 176) recommending that S.B. No. 618 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 618, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEAWATER AIR CONDITIONING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Gabbard and Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Government Operations, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 177) recommending that S.B. No. 711, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and

S.B. No. 711, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 178) recommending that S.B. No. 1094, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1094, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 179) recommending that S.B. No. 1338, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1338, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH CONNECTOR," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 180) recommending that S.B. No. 1341, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1341, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE AFFORDABLE CARE ACT INNOVATION WAIVER," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Wakai, for the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 181) recommending that S.B. No. 1157, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1157, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STARLIGHT RESERVE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Wakai, for the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 182) recommending that S.B. No. 12 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 12, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SMALL BUSINESS REGULATORY FLEXIBILITY ACT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Wakai, for the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 183) recommending that S.B. No. 634, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and

S.B. No. 634, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Wakai, for the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 184) recommending that S.B. No. 1003 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1003, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 185) recommending that S.B. No. 1200, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1200, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A SMALL BOAT HARBOR IN SOUTH PUNA," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 186) recommending that S.B. No. 313 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 313, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII ASSOCIATION OF CONSERVATION DISTRICTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Thielen and Taniguchi, for the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 187) recommending that S.B. No. 204, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 204, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BEACH MANAGEMENT FOR THE NORTH SHORE OF OAHU," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Nishihara and Gabbard, for the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 188) recommending that S.B. No. 704, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 704, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRIC VEHICLES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Shimabukuro and Ruderman, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Agriculture, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 189) recommending that S.B. No. 434, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Water and Land.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and

S.B. No. 434, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATED TO AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Water and Land.

Senator Shimabukuro, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 190) recommending that S.B. No. 44, as amended in S.D. 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 44, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS," was recommitted to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 191) recommending that S.B. No. 722, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 722, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE INSURANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 192) recommending that S.B. No. 920, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 920, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAID," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 193) recommending that S.B. No. 912, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 912, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE FACILITIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 194) recommending that S.B. No. 866 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 866, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO SUPPORT THE AFTER-SCHOOL PLUS PROGRAM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Gabbard, Nishihara, and Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Government Operations, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 195) recommending that S.B. No. 1051, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and

S.B. No. 1051, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FUEL CELL ELECTRIC VEHICLES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 196) recommending that H.B. No. 1465 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1465, 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 Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Wednesday, February 18, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 197) recommending that H.B. No. 930 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 930, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Wednesday, February 18, 2015.

ORDER OF THE DAY

THIRD READING

S.B. No. 1098, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Kidani, seconded by Senator Harimoto and carried, S.B. No. 1098, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIBRARIES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

REFERRAL OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The President made the following committee assignments of Senate concurrent resolutions offered on Friday, February 6, 2015; and Monday, February 9, 2015:

S.C.R. No.:	Referred to:
S.C.R. No. 18	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.C.R. No. 19	Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

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. 44, S.D. 1	Jointly to the Committee on Government Operations and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1377	Committee on Water and Land

Senator Shimabukuro invited the members to an event the following day at 1:45 p.m. in Conference Room 224 to meet the Play Rugby USA team, comprised of professional athletes from

New Zealand, whose mission is to reach out to indigenous children and at-risk youth through rugby.

Senator Slom rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

"Thank you. I just wanted to, again, thank my colleagues for their generosity and their well-wishes. I was at a resort over the last week – the Kaiser Moanalua resort – and I had kind of a foot problem. But they had me tied down there, and I'm happy to confirm to my colleagues that they did do heart research, and I have a heart. And then they did look for my brain and they did find my brain and did an MRI, and despite some early diagnoses of Opening Day, there was no evidence of anything in my brain that was a thing. And my foot was kind of a problem because they had to take it from out of my mouth to work on it, but they did that.

"So I'm back here, but I do appreciate everything you did. I didn't want anybody to send flowers or cards or anything like that, and when I saw a wreath with a black band coming, I knew that was from the Senate.

"And thank you for designating Senator Nishihara to find out if I were dead. He came over, and we had a good debate for all of the staff over there on rail transit and taxation and things like that.

"You know, in the past 18 years, I had only missed one regular and special floor session in all that time, for a funeral for my then-father-in-law. So my streak is broken now; now I've gone three out of 19 years. But I hope to stay here and do that because I know that when I'm away, Madam President, that there seems to be an even greater rush to have the bad bills pass without any objection. And so I have to make sure that I'm back here to just give you a little bit of balance and a little bit of that.

"But the main thing is, I have said it before, I really enjoy being in the Senate. I enjoy all of you, and I appreciate all of your genuine support. Thank you very much."

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:44 a.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Wednesday, February 18, 2015.

SEVENTEENTH DAY

Wednesday, February 18, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:36 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present.

The President announced that she had read and approved the Journal of the Sixteenth Day.

Senator Dela Cruz welcomed Robert Kaiwai, Consul General of New Zealand; Holly Warren, Deputy Consul General of New Zealand; Jacob Hamstra, policy advisor, Consulate General of New Zealand; former New Zealand All Blacks players Walter Little, Frank Bunce, and Charles Riechelmann; and Dallen Stanford, program director for Play Rugby USA. The delegation was working with the Department of Education and other state agencies to discuss the vision of adding rugby to afterschool programs to teach children the concepts of leadership, communication, positive motivation, sportsmanship, and teamwork.

Senator Shimabukuro extended additional thanks to the Play Rugby USA delegation for their outreach efforts at Wai'anae Intermediate School, then introduced the following community members from the E Alu Pū and Maui Nui Makai Networks, a grassroots network of over 32 communities across the state involved in caring for their cultural and natural resources: Presley Wann and Keli'i Alapai of Hui Maka'āinana o Makana in Hā'ena, Kaua'i; Mac Poepoe of Hui Mālama o Mo'omomi in Mo'omomi, Moloka'i; former State Representative Sol Kaho'ohalahala of Maunalei Ahupua'a in Maunalei, Lāna'i; Greg Lind and Scott Crawford of Kīpahulu 'Ohana in Kīpahulu, Maui; Jay Carpio of Wailuku Community Marine Managed Area in Wailuku, Maui; Ekalu Lindsey of Polanui Community Marine Managed Area in Polanui, Maui; Charlie Young of Kama'āina United to Protect the 'Āina (KUPA) in Ho'okena, Hawai'i; Reggie Lee and Kekaulike Tomich of Ka'ūpūlehu Marine Life Advisory Committee (KMLAC) in Ka'ūpūlehu; Ted Blake of Mālama Kōloa in Kōloa, Kaua'i; Frazer McGilvray of Mālama Maunalua in Maunalua, O'ahu; and Kukana Kama-Toth of Na Kua'āina O Waimānalo in Waimānalo, O'ahu.

Senator Galuteria extended an additional welcome to former State Representative Sol Kaho'ohalahala, with whom he sailed as a crew member of the *Hōkūlea* during its voyage through the Society Islands and Cook Islands in 1994.

Senator Galuteria then congratulated the Christian community in Hawai'i on their recognition of February 17, 2015, as Henry Opukaha'ia Day, celebrating the legacy of the first Hawaiian Christian whose advocacy led to the pivotal first Christian mission to Hawai'i from Boston, Massachusetts in 1819. Recognized in the gallery were family members and supporters including Deborah Lee, a relative of Henry Opukaha'ia; Ahahui O Opukaha'ia, the group responsible for returning the remains of Henry Opukaha'ia to Hawai'i in 1993; and Leon Siu, director of Christian Voice of Hawai'i.

Senator Thielen extended an additional welcome to the guests from the community-based marine fisheries management areas, recognized their hard work over the past few decades, and invited the members to meet with the community advocates the following morning to discuss their initiatives.

Senator Kouchi extended additional recognition to Ted Blake, and praised the many puakenikeni lei he has strung for various members of the Senate.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions (S.C.R. Nos. 24 and 25) were read by the Clerk and were deferred:

S.C.R. No. 24 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM LEASE AND NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT FOR PIER PILINGS ENCROACHMENT PURPOSES AT PULAWAI, ON THE ISLAND OF LANAI."

Offered by: Senator English.

S.C.R. No. 25 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM LEASE AND NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT FOR THE TIDE POOL STAIRS ENCROACHMENT PURPOSES IN THE MANELE-HULOPOE MARINE LIFE CONSERVATION DISTRICT ON THE ISLAND OF LANAI."

Offered by: Senator English.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 198) recommending that S.B. No. 103, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 103, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Friday, February 20, 2015.

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 199) recommending that S.B. No. 1008, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1008, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII FOOD RESILIENCY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green and Baker, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 200) recommending that S.B. No. 725, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 725, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTISTRY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Green and Baker, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 201) recommending that S.B. No. 117, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 117, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING

TO HEALTH,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green and Baker, for the majority of the Committee on Health and the majority of the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 202) recommending that S.B. No. 337, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the majority of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 337, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green and Baker, for the majority of the Committee on Health and the majority of the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 203) recommending that S.B. No. 768, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the majority of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 768, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IN VITRO FERTILIZATION INSURANCE COVERAGE,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green and Baker, for the majority of the Committee on Health and the majority of the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 204) recommending that S.B. No. 791 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the majority of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 791, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDERS,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green and Baker, for the majority of the Committee on Health and the majority of the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 205) recommending that S.B. No. 306 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the majority of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 306, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 206) recommending that S.B. No. 1174, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1174, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS’ COMPENSATION,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 207) recommending that S.B. No. 116, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 116, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII RULES OF EVIDENCE,” passed Second

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

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 208) recommending that S.B. No. 50, as amended in S.D. 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Health.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 50, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH,” was recommitted to the Committee on Health.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 209) recommending that S.B. No. 51, as amended in S.D. 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Health.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 51, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH,” was recommitted to the Committee on Health.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 210) recommending that S.B. No. 1281 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1281, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MEDICAL CARE,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 211) recommending that S.B. No. 114 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 114, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTISTRY,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 212) recommending that S.B. No. 1277, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1277, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR ASSISTING NOT-FOR-PROFIT CORPORATIONS THAT PROVIDE HEALTH CARE FACILITIES TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 213) recommending that S.B. No. 735, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 735, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NURSES,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 214) recommending that S.B. No. 904 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 904, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE CERTIFICATION OF HEALTH CARE INTERPRETERS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 215) recommending that S.B. No. 766 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 766, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Gabbard and Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Government Operations, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 216) recommending that S.B. No. 1225, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1225, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER RECLAMATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Ruderman and Thielen, for the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Water and Land, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 217) recommending that S.B. No. 512, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 512, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 218) recommending that S.B. No. 109, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 109, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POLICE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 219) recommending that S.B. No. 389, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 389, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POLICE COMMISSIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 220) recommending that S.B. No. 396, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 396, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POLICE DEPARTMENTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 221) recommending that S.B. No. 497, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 497, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POLICE DEPARTMENTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Espero and Green, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 222) recommending that S.B. No. 563 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 563, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 223) recommending that S.B. No. 234, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 234, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RETAIL EMPLOYMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 224) recommending that S.B. No. 736, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 736, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 225) recommending that S.B. No. 1262, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1262, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SECURE AND FAIR ENFORCEMENT FOR MORTGAGE LICENSING ACT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 226) recommending that S.B. No. 745, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 745, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH CONNECTOR," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 227) recommending that S.B. No. 1028, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1028, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH CONNECTOR," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Shimabukuro, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 228) recommending that S.B. No. 897, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 897, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE KAHOLAWE ISLAND RESERVE COMMISSION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Shimabukuro and Thielen, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 229) recommending that S.B. No. 483, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 483, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FORESTRY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Shimabukuro and Thielen, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 230) recommending that S.B. No. 786, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 786, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AHA MOKU ADVISORY COMMITTEE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 231) recommending that S.B. No. 64, as amended in S.D. 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 64, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES," was recommitted to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Senators Kidani and Taniguchi, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 232)

recommending that S.B. No. 1348 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1348, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Kidani and Taniguchi, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 233) recommending that S.B. No. 374, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 374, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DUAL CREDIT PROGRAMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Kidani and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 234) recommending that S.B. No. 1346 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1346, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHERS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Kidani and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 235) recommending that S.B. No. 822, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 822, 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.

Senators Kidani and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 236) recommending that S.B. No. 819, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 819, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 237) recommending that S.B. No. 1320, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1320, 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 Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 238) recommending that S.B. No. 900, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 900, 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 Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 239) recommending that S.B. No. 843 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 843, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 240) recommending that S.B. No. 847, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 847, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHERS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Dela Cruz, Wakai, and Gabbard, for the Committee on Government Operations and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology and the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 241) recommending that S.B. No. 1295 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1295, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE NATURAL ENERGY LABORATORY OF HAWAII AUTHORITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Dela Cruz and Wakai, for the Committee on Government Operations and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 242) recommending that S.B. No. 523, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 523, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAIR PUBLIC ACCESS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Government Operations, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 243) recommending that S.B. No. 165, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 165, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE FACILITIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Dela Cruz and Baker, for the Committee on Government Operations and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com.

Rep. No. 244) recommending that S.B. No. 1186, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1186, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERSONAL INFORMATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 245) recommending that S.B. No. 677, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 677, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 246) recommending that S.B. No. 771, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 771, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Espero and Green, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 247) recommending that S.B. No. 1130 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1130, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COURT ORDERS TO PROVIDE MEDICAL TREATMENT FOR INMATES AND DETAINEES IN CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 248) recommending that S.B. No. 1335, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1335, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

ORDER OF THE DAY

THIRD READING

H.B. No. 1465:

Senator Tokuda moved that H.B. No. 1465, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

Senator Slom rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations as follows:

"Every year, we talk about the costs that are facing our taxpayers, and we're one of those costs. Surely, we need

expenditures to run the Legislature, but we're talking about nearly \$39 million if we met and didn't do anything at all. Actually, that might be a good bargain for the \$39 million. But \$39 million is still substantial, and while we're talking about trying to find ways of reducing expenditures, we should do that with our own costs as well. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, H.B. No. 1465, 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," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25; Ayes with Reservations (Slom). Noes, none.

H.B. No. 930:

Senator Tokuda moved that H.B. No. 930, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

Senator Slom rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations as follows:

"This is, again, an emergency appropriation. It's for payroll shortfall, and the shortfall occurred when we had a transition from the former governor to the new governor. There are a number of things in this bill, some of which are noteworthy, but the personnel matters: We're paying for expenditures for people to move from the former administration, a politically appointed job, to a new politically appointed job, often with the city or with another government agency. Again, I think that we should be mindful that these are taxpayer funds, and we're talking about, in this case, nearly \$700,000. All of these amounts add up and only our residents can pay them. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, H.B. No. 930, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25; Ayes with Reservations (Slom). Noes, none.

REFERRAL OF HOUSE BILLS

The President made the following committee assignments of House bills received on Friday, February 13, 2015:

H.B. No.:	Referred to:
H.B. No. 179, H.D. 1	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
H.B. No. 604	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts

REFERRAL OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The President made the following committee assignments of Senate concurrent resolutions offered on Thursday, February 12, 2015; and Friday, February 13, 2015:

S.C.R. No.:	Referred to:
S.C.R. No. 20	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.C.R. No. 21	Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.C.R. No. 22	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
S.C.R. No. 23	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

REFERRAL OF SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The President made the following committee assignments of Senate resolutions offered on Thursday, February 12, 2015; and Friday, February 13, 2015:

S.R. No.:	Referred to:
S.R. No. 5	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.R. No. 6	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

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. 50, S.D. 1	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 51, S.D. 1	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 64, S.D. 1	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 73, S.D. 1	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Ways and Means

Senator Dela Cruz rose to recognize Department of Education Superintendent Kathryn Matayoshi for her efforts in partnering with the New Zealand delegation to promote the rugby program in Hawai'i's public schools.

Senator Keith-Agaran, Chair of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, rose to request a waiver of the notice requirement pursuant to Senate Rule 21 for S.B. No. 803.

Senator Keith-Agaran noted:

"This bill regarding workers' compensation was inadvertently left off some earlier hearings that I held jointly with the Committee on Health."

The Chair granted the waiver.

Senator Keith-Agaran announced that the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and Committee on Health would be holding a public hearing on S.B. No. 803 on Thursday, February 19, 2015, at 10:00 a.m. in Conference Room 016.

Senator Chun Oakland, Chair of the Committee on Human Services and Housing, rose to request a waiver of the notice requirement pursuant to Senate Rule 21 for S.B. No. 64, S.D. 1.

Senator Chun Oakland noted:

"This particular measure contains an appropriation for Preschool Open Doors. It was brought to my attention that there was no funding in this state budget for this program. Thank you."

The Chair granted the waiver.

Senator Chun Oakland announced that the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Education would be holding a public hearing on S.B. No. 64, S.D. 1 on Thursday, February 19, 2015, at 1:25 p.m. in Conference 016.

Senator English rose to present the following remarks:

"Thank you, Madam President. I would like to request that the Senate adjourn on a rising vote and observe a moment of

silence in honor and in memory of Representative Mele Carroll, who passed away this morning.” (The Chair so ordered.)

“Members, Mele was very, very dear to me. As many of you know, she worked with me for many years, coming from Maui as my chief of staff here, and then becoming a representative in her own right. I will miss her very dearly, and my aloha to her family.”

Senator Kahele rose to present the following remarks:

“Thank you, Madam President. I would like to add, before we adjourn on a moment of silence for Representative Mele Carroll, that I’ve known her family for most of her life; her dad, Wayne Soares, and I were very good friends. As a matter of fact, when I first came down here in January 2011, one of the first people I went to see was Mele Carroll. I talked to her and told her, ‘Mele, I know your dad and your mom, Maggie, and for all those years I’ve known your dad, he gave me a gift back in 1982.’ He, along with others – my friends and his friends, the ‘ohana – took a ceramic class in ‘Ewa Beach. Wayne Soares made this for me [*holds up a ceramic mug*], and I put it on my mantel in my home; and when I came down here, I took it up and showed Mele and we had a good chat about her father and the good memories.

“I can tell you, colleagues, that every day is special. Hawai‘i is a special place, and don’t forget to tell those people that you love – don’t hesitate; don’t let the moment pass without telling them, your family and those that you love, that you love them.

“This past Valentine’s Day, a whole week had gone by, and I had called a family friend to get her phone number, and they gave it to me. It took me about a week to get to Mele, to tell her and tell her family. And I guess, for me, it was meant to be; it was on Valentine’s Day that I called and left a message for her family, to tell Mele that I loved her. So when I heard today that she had passed, I was sad but I also know that she’s now with her dad. And so it’s in their honor that I brought this cup to be here with me today on the Senate floor. Thank you, Madam President.”

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:55 a.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Thursday, February 19, 2015, on a rising vote to observe a moment of silence in memory of State Representative Mele Carroll.

EIGHTEENTH DAY

Thursday, February 19, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:36 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present.

The President announced that she had read and approved the Journal of the Seventeenth Day.

Senator Keith-Agaran introduced the following participants in the Ka Ipu Kukui Fellows Program who were present in the gallery: Lehia Apana, Haynes Publishing Group; Lauren Campbell Blickley, Pacific Whale Foundation; Richard Carr, Habitat for Humanity Maui; Irina Constantinescu, Brown and Caldwell; Arianna Feinberg, Aloha Natural Brokers; Kathleen Hagan, University of Hawai'i Maui College; Amy Hodges, Maui Nui Marine Resource Council; Nikki Schroeder, Bank of Hawaii; Marc Takamori, County of Maui, Department of Transportation; Johanna Valente, Sun Edison; Sean Walsh, Horizons Academy; and Marina "Kit" Zulueta, County of Maui. The Fellows were accompanied in the gallery by program director Dr. Lori Teragawachi and steering committee member Troy Hashimoto.

Senator Galuteria recognized retired teachers and members of the Hawaii State Teachers Association who were present in the gallery.

Senator Tokuda welcomed members of the Lambda Chi Omega Chapter of the Alpha Kappa Alpha sorority, the first Greek letter organization established by African American college women in 1908 at Howard University in Washington, D.C. The members were present in the gallery to support their sorority sister Bettye Jo Harris; among them were Vice President Michelle Dewberry, Patricia Pope, Linda Mitchell, Barbara Mitchell, LaJohnne White, Sandi Sumbry, Erica Williams, and Carolyn Williams.

Senator Tokuda then recognized and commended Bettye Jo Harris for receiving the NAACP Lifetime Achievement Award for Distinguished Service, and presented the following remarks:

"Thank you, Madam President. It is my honor and pleasure to introduce a very dear friend; a matriarch of Kaneohe; a civil rights trailblazer; a model community organizer; and a loving wife, mother, and grandmother – Mrs. Bettye Jo Harris.

"While there have been countless opportunities over the years when we could have brought her to the Senate floor to be honored, I am glad we could recognize her today as a recipient of the NAACP's Lifetime Achievement Award for Distinguished Service. Bettye Jo has led the fight for equality and civil rights here in Hawai'i since 1962, working tirelessly on behalf of minorities, the underserved, and the needy. Alphonso Braggs, president of the Honolulu branch of the NAACP, has said, 'Bettye Jo has spearheaded every monumental civil rights advance in the state, and Hawai'i and the world is a much better place because of the work she has done.' She has advised governors, served on state and county commissions, and stood side by side some of Hawai'i's most recognized civil rights leaders, such as the late Congresswoman Patsy Mink, with whom she worked on a particular measure you all might be familiar with called Title IX.

"From serving as director of Hina Mauka to working as the director of the Kalihi-Palama Immigrant Service Center, to sitting as president of the Hawai'i Council of Churches and serving as a member of the YWCA and League of Women

Voters, the accolades are too many to mention. And I just consider myself so blessed to call Bettye Jo a friend.

"Colleagues, please join me once again in acknowledging Mrs. Bettye Jo Harris for all that she has done for our state and our country. She also has with her today her internationally recognized entomologist husband who did research on the fruit flies over at CTAHR, Dr. Ernest Harris."

At 11:44 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 11:51 a.m.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 249) recommending that S.B. No. 263 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 263, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KE'EHĪ LAGOON BEACH PARK," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 250) recommending that S.B. No. 886, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 886, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A SMALL BOAT HARBOR IN PUKO'O, MOLOKA'I," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 251) recommending that S.B. No. 718, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 718, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LAHAINA FLOOD CONTROL PROJECT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 252) recommending that S.B. No. 525, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 525, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COMMISSION ON WATER RESOURCE MANAGEMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 253) recommending that S.B. No. 502, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 502, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE DIVISION OF CONSERVATION AND RESOURCES ENFORCEMENT,"

passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Thielen and Espero, for the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 254) recommending that S.B. No. 1021 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1021, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Thielen and Nishihara, for the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Transportation, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 255) recommending that S.B. No. 1251 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1251, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSIT ORIENTED DEVELOPMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 256) recommending that S.B. No. 224, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 224, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FARMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Ruderman and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 257) recommending that S.B. No. 375, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 375, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INDUSTRIAL HEMP," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 258) recommending that S.B. No. 1144, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1144, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 259) recommending that S.B. No. 194, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 194, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING

TO THE CULTURAL EXCHANGES BETWEEN HAWAII AND AFRICAN AMERICANS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 260) recommending that S.B. No. 160, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 160, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII NON-GENERAL FUNDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 261) recommending that S.B. No. 1177, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1177, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE FOUNDATION ON CULTURE AND THE ARTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Taniguchi and Keith-Agaran, for the majority of the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 262) recommending that S.B. No. 638 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the majority of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 638, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Taniguchi and Ruderman, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Agriculture, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 263) recommending that S.B. No. 377, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 377, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 264) recommending that S.B. No. 369, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 369, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII RULEMAKING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Taniguchi and Ruderman, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Agriculture, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 265) recommending that S.B. No. 314 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 314, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION SERVICE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Gabbard and Baker, for the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 266) recommending that S.B. No. 1214 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1214, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST HAWAIIAN ELECTRIC COMPANY, INC., MAUI ELECTRIC COMPANY, LIMITED, AND HAWAII ELECTRIC LIGHT COMPANY, INC.," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Gabbard and Baker, for the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 267) recommending that S.B. No. 1050, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1050, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Gabbard, Thielen, and Espero, for the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 268) recommending that S.B. No. 500, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 500, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 269) recommending that S.B. No. 473, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 473, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 270) recommending that S.B. No. 1018 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1018, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IDENTIFICATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 271) recommending that S.B. No. 1268 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1268, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 272) recommending that S.B. No. 1332, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1332, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 273) recommending that S.B. No. 1298, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1298, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 274) recommending that S.B. No. 1129, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1129, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMISSIONERS OF DEEDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 275) recommending that S.B. No. 577, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 577, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN FINANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 276) recommending that S.B. No. 363, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 363, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARTIAL PUBLIC FINANCING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 277) recommending that S.B. No. 290, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 290, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHICS TRAINING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 278) recommending that S.B. No. 287, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 287, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 279) recommending that S.B. No. 286, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 286, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF THE STATE INSPECTOR GENERAL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Keith-Agaran and Baker, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 280) recommending that S.B. No. 1067, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1067, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARITABLE SOLICITATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Keith-Agaran and Espero, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 281) recommending that S.B. No. 213, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 213, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PENAL CODE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Keith-Agaran and Espero, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 282) recommending that S.B. No. 230 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 230, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESTITUTION FOR VICTIMS OF CRIME," passed Second

Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 283) recommending that S.B. No. 368, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 368, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 284) recommending that S.B. No. 1077, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1077, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 285) recommending that S.B. No. 1078, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1078, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Espero and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 286) recommending that S.B. No. 560 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 560, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY LEAVE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Espero and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 287) recommending that S.B. No. 1020 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1020, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRONIC MONITORING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Espero and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 288) recommending that S.B. No. 1305 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1305, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO THE COUNTY OF KAUAI OFFICE OF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 289) recommending that S.B. No. 1331, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1331, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 290) recommending that S.B. No. 1159, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1159, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERANS DISABILITY BENEFITS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Espero and Nishihara, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Transportation, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 291) recommending that S.B. No. 662 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 662, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senators Espero and Nishihara, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Transportation, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 292) recommending that S.B. No. 343 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 343, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERANS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 293) recommending that S.B. No. 226, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 226, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABUSE OF FAMILY OR HOUSEHOLD MEMBER," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 294) recommending that S.B. No. 197,

as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 197, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Espero and Nishihara, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Transportation, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 295) recommending that S.B. No. 186, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 186, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESISTING AN ORDER TO STOP A VEHICLE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 296) recommending that S.B. No. 1079, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1079, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 297) recommending that S.B. No. 1080, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1080, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 298) recommending that S.B. No. 1081, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1081, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 299) recommending that S.B. No. 1082, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1082, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 300) recommending that S.B. No. 1083, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1083, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 301) recommending that S.B. No. 1084, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1084, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 302) recommending that S.B. No. 1152, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1152, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Espero and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 303) recommending that S.B. No. 198, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 198, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIME REDUCTION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Espero and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 304) recommending that S.B. No. 199 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 199, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Espero and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 305) recommending that S.B. No. 227 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 227, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING

APPROPRIATIONS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY OF THE COUNTY OF MAUI," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Espero and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 306) recommending that S.B. No. 423 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 423, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO APPROPRIATIONS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Espero and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 307) recommending that S.B. No. 424 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 424, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE HONOLULU FAMILY JUSTICE CENTER," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Espero and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 308) recommending that S.B. No. 524, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 524, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING A GRANT TO THE HAWAII COUNTY OFFICE OF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Gabbard, Thielen, and Espero, for the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 309) recommending that S.B. No. 499, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 499, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 310) recommending that S.B. No. 262, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 262, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE NURSING FACILITY SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 311) recommending that S.B. No. 916 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 916, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 312) recommending that S.B. No. 192, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 192, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IDENTIFICATION CARDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 313) recommending that S.B. No. 273, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Transportation.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 273, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IDENTIFICATION CARDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Senators Chun Oakland and Green, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 314) recommending that S.B. No. 908, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 908, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 315) recommending that S.B. No. 962 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 962, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERPRETER REFERRAL SERVICES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Chun Oakland and Baker, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 316) recommending that S.B. No. 963, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 963, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEARING AIDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Chun Oakland and Baker, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 317) recommending that S.B. No. 1318, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1318, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Chun Oakland and Baker, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 318) recommending that S.B. No. 727, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 727, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, with Senators Dela Cruz, Inouye, Riviere, Shimabukuro, and Wakai voting "Aye with Reservations" and Senator Slom voting "No."

Senators Chun Oakland and Gabbard, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 319) recommending that S.B. No. 179 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 179, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOLID WASTE REDUCTION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Chun Oakland and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 320) recommending that S.B. No. 1101, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1101, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Kidani and Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Government Operations, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 321) recommending that S.B. No. 854, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 854, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SCHOOL LANDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Kidani and Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Government Operations, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 322) recommending that S.B. No. 836, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 836, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 323) recommending that S.B. No. 4 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 4, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR CHAMINADE UNIVERSITY OF HONOLULU," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 324) recommending that S.B. No. 327 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 327, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Taniguchi and Wakai, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 325) recommending that S.B. No. 627 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 627, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGH TECHNOLOGY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 326) recommending that S.B. No. 707 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 707, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 327) recommending that S.B. No. 987 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 987, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 328) recommending that S.B. No. 1147 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1147, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 329) recommending that S.B. No. 1239 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1239, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOARD OF REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 330) recommending that S.B. No. 1240 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1240, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE X, SECTION 6, OF THE HAWAII STATE CONSTITUTION TO MODIFY THE APPOINTMENT PROCESS FOR THE BOARD OF REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 331) recommending that S.B. No. 1146 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1146, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII ACCOUNTING AND FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT SYSTEM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Shimabukuro and Kidani, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Education, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 332) recommending that S.B. No. 778, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 778, 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.

Senators Shimabukuro and Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 333) recommending that S.B. No. 992, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 992, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NATIVE HAWAIIAN CHILDREN," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Shimabukuro, Espero, and Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 334) recommending that

S.B. No. 785, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 785, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING ON HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Shimabukuro, Chun Oakland, and Espero, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 335) recommending that S.B. No. 1100, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1100, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING ON HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Kahele and Thielen, for the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 336) recommending that S.B. No. 617, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 617, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BEACH PROTECTION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Kahele and Thielen, for the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 337) recommending that S.B. No. 284, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 284, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS TAX," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Kahele and Taniguchi, for the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 338) recommending that S.B. No. 825, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 825, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CULTURAL EXCHANGES BETWEEN HAWAII AND PUERTO RICO," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Shimabukuro, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 339) recommending that S.B. No. 1166, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1166, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Shimabukuro, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 340) recommending that S.B. No. 438 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 438, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET OF THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Nishihara and Espero, for the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 341) recommending that S.B. No. 1334, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1334, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OPERATING A VEHICLE WHILE INTOXICATED," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Nishihara and Espero, for the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 342) recommending that S.B. No. 233 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 233, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senators Nishihara and Espero, for the majority of the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 343) recommending that S.B. No. 1160, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the majority of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1160, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Nishihara and Espero, for the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 344) recommending that S.B. No. 551 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 551, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HELMETS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Nishihara and Espero, for the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 345) recommending that S.B. No. 19, as

amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Green moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 345 be adopted, seconded by Senator Slom.

Senator Slom rose and stated:

“Please note the strongest of ‘no’ votes on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 345, S.B. No. 19, the ‘train to nowhere’ surcharge.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 19, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, with Senators Riviere, Slom, and Thielen voting “No.”

Senators Thielen and Kahele, for the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 346) recommending that S.B. No. 1173, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1173, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ACQUISITION OF SCENIC LANDS AT KAPUA IN MILOLI’I ON THE ISLAND OF HAWAII,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 347) recommending that S.B. No. 1126, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1126, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOREST STEWARDSHIP,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Thielen and Shimabukuro, for the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 348) recommending that S.B. No. 470, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 470, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KAHOLA’O LAKE ISLAND RESERVE,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Thielen and Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 349) recommending that S.B. No. 763, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 763, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ALTERNATIVE HOUSING,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Government Operations, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 350) recommending that S.B. No. 1358, as amended in S.D. 1, pass

Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1358, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Government Operations, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 351) recommending that S.B. No. 1115, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1115, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUILDING DESIGN FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Chun Oakland and Thielen, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Water and Land, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 352) recommending that S.B. No. 976 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 976, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MIXED-USE RESIDENTIAL PROJECTS,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Chun Oakland and Thielen, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Water and Land, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 353) recommending that S.B. No. 974 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 974, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RENTAL HOUSING TRUST FUND,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Chun Oakland and Thielen, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Water and Land, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 354) recommending that S.B. No. 741, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 741, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Kahele and Ruderman, for the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Agriculture, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 355) recommending that S.B. No. 1073, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Water and Land.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1073, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Water and Land, with Senator Riviere voting “Aye with Reservations.”

ORDER OF THE DAY**RE-REFERRAL OF A SENATE BILL**

The Chair re-referred the following Senate bill that was introduced:

S.B. No.: Re-referred to:

S.B. No. 1026 Committee on Ways and Means

Senator Ruderman rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

"I'd like to just share with the members the sad news of the passing of the most iconic and influential member of my community: Robert Keli'ihō'omalū, widely known as Uncle Robert, passed away a few days ago. He was from Kalapana and really, it's hard to picture Kalapana without thinking of Uncle Robert.

"In the 1990s, when lava threatened the community, lava flowed along the border of his property after having claimed over 200 other homes and flowed to the sea, a half-mile out to sea, creating a large chunk of new land right next to his property, and then flowed to the ocean about a quarter-mile on the other side. But Uncle Robert's family never evacuated, and in fact, they made the best of it. They created a place unlike any other that's locally known as 'Uncle's Lava Bar' or just simply 'Uncle Robert's.' Literally at the end of the road, they made use of the lava fields and of the incredible amount of new land that was given. They claimed sovereignty over it and practiced sovereignty.

"Contained in his name, 'ho'omalū' is the phrase 'peacemaker,' and really, Uncle Robert made peace with so many people in the community. He made peace with the American government; he made peace with our Hawai'i County government and with Pele herself. For example, no police ever go onto their property; there are no hassles, there are no problems there, because they enforce their own sense of law there. And they – 'they' being his family – are so highly respected that they have never been challenged in that regard.

"Learning to live with Pele – or lava, if you prefer – is a lesson we're also learning in Puna. And Uncle Robert did so with respect, with aloha, resiliency and faith, a sense of community, and a great sense of fun; and in that sense, we had a wonderful teacher in Uncle Robert. He was an arbiter of disputes throughout the community, kind of like a king. He was revered and respected and his decisions were not challenged, not because of an iron fist, but rather because of a golden heart. Everyone who met him describes him as 'regal,' 'exuding strength,' and 'remarkably humble.'

"Kalapana's famous for its musical heritage, and he was no exception. Along with his wife, G-Girl, they played music for decades, and his sons carried on the tradition in what was known as the Kalapana 'Awa Band. It's great music: They had great energy, wonderful harmonies – not 'had,' they still have. And the family accepted all; they accepted everyone who wanted to be part of their scene. I was honored to share the stage with them many times and played at the 'Awa Bar myself and am happy to call Uncle Robert a mentor.

"They created something called a Wednesday Night Market, which is an evening farmers' market. It's an absolutely unique situation that attracts 500 to 1,000 people every week to a place literally at the end of the road that seemed forgotten about at one point. Uncle made a sign that, I'm paraphrasing here, said, 'Everyone is welcome. Please share our home. Have fun. But intolerance, hatred, or violence are not welcome.' And he enforced that with great love and aloha. It's a place where Hawaiians, local kids, visitors, hippies, gays and lesbians, old and young all mix every week in peace and genuine harmony,

having fun and growing community. I invite any of you who are interested to come and visit, and I almost guarantee you'll agree that there's no place like it on earth.

"Why I'm telling you this: I just feel it was important to share his story of aloha and there's few people of which anyone can say that the community would not be the same without them, but that something could be said of Uncle Robert. I'm not calling for a moment of silence; I'd rather we celebrate his life than mourn his death. But he was really the best example of aloha that I've ever seen, in spirit and in action, and he changed the world for the better. Uncle Robert's legacy, and more important, the influence of his aloha, will outlive any of us here today. Thank you, Madam President."

Senator Dela Cruz rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

"I just want to congratulate Dane Wicker from my office and his wife, Rosella, on becoming parents last night to their newly born son, Pierce Kenneth Leonhardt-Wicker. So congratulations to Dane and Rosella."

Senator Thielen rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

"Many of you may know that Al Lewis has passed away, if you've seen the announcements. I was at his wake this morning, but I wanted to notify folks that there will be a scattering of his ashes Saturday off of Waimānalo, at the Kaiona boat ramp. We will be inviting his family here on April 1st to celebrate his life, and so I'll leave some remarks about what a wonderful man he was for then, but for those of you who want to say a final farewell to Al: Saturday, 10:00, Kaiona boat ramp at Waimānalo."

The Chair then made the following announcement:

"The deadline to file standing committee reports on Senate bills that need to pass Second Reading and move laterally to the final Senate committee is 9:00 p.m. this evening."

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:00 p.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Friday, February 20, 2015.

NINETEENTH DAY

Friday, February 20, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:47 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present with the exception of Senators Galuteria and Kouchi who were excused.

The President announced that she had read and approved the Journal of the Eighteenth Day.

Senator Kahele introduced Kumu Daniel Caluya, principal of Na Wai Ola Public Charter School and president of the Hawaii Public Charter Schools Network.

Senator Shimabukuro welcomed Kapiolani Barber, executive director of Nanakuli Housing Corporation.

Senator Keith-Agaran recognized the Henry Perrine Baldwin High School varsity girls softball team who were present in the gallery and would be competing in the 15th Annual Trojan Classic; and noted that among the athletes was Mikayla Tsutsui, daughter of Lieutenant Governor Shan S. Tsutsui. The coaches and chaperones included Steven Morton, Bernard "Napa" Kaupe, Eric Rivera, Reid Kawabata, Miles Sakamura, Al Ricardo, and Daniel Pagaduan.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions (S.C.R. Nos. 26 to 28) were read by the Clerk and were deferred:

S.C.R. No. 26 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE TO ESTABLISH AND FUND A VETERAN WOMEN SERVICES COORDINATOR POSITION WITHIN THE OFFICE OF VETERANS' SERVICES."

Offered by: Senators Thielen, Baker, Chun Oakland, Inouye, Kidani, Kim, Shimabukuro, Tokuda.

S.C.R. No. 27 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO AFFIRM ITS COMMITMENT TO ENDING ALL FORMS OF SEXUAL VIOLENCE, SEXUAL HARASSMENT, DATING VIOLENCE, DOMESTIC VIOLENCE, AND STALKING ON HAWAII CAMPUSES."

Offered by: Senators Inouye, Baker, Chun Oakland, Kidani, Tokuda, Kim, Shimabukuro, Thielen.

S.C.R. No. 28 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HONOLULU POLICE DEPARTMENT TO ESTABLISH A FAMILY VIOLENCE UNIT STAFFED WITH OFFICERS SPECIFICALLY TRAINED TO HANDLE ALL COMPLAINTS OF FAMILY VIOLENCE."

Offered by: Senators Thielen, Baker, Chun Oakland, Inouye, Kidani, Kim, Shimabukuro, Tokuda.

SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions (S.R. Nos. 7 to 9) were read by the Clerk and were deferred:

S.R. No. 7 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE TO ESTABLISH AND FUND A VETERAN WOMEN

SERVICES COORDINATOR POSITION WITHIN THE OFFICE OF VETERANS' SERVICES."

Offered by: Senators Baker, Chun Oakland, Inouye, Kidani, Kim, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Tokuda.

S.R. No. 8 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO AFFIRM ITS COMMITMENT TO ENDING ALL FORMS OF SEXUAL VIOLENCE, SEXUAL HARASSMENT, DATING VIOLENCE, DOMESTIC VIOLENCE, AND STALKING ON HAWAII CAMPUSES."

Offered by: Senators Inouye, Baker, Chun Oakland, Kidani, Tokuda, Kim, Shimabukuro, Thielen.

S.R. No. 9 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HONOLULU POLICE DEPARTMENT TO ESTABLISH A FAMILY VIOLENCE UNIT STAFFED WITH OFFICERS SPECIFICALLY TRAINED TO HANDLE ALL COMPLAINTS OF FAMILY VIOLENCE."

Offered by: Senators Thielen, Baker, Chun Oakland, Inouye, Kidani, Kim, Shimabukuro, Tokuda.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senators Shimabukuro and Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Government Operations, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 356) recommending that S.B. No. 1236, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1236, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC PROCUREMENT CODE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Shimabukuro and Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Government Operations, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 357) recommending that S.B. No. 436 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 436, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAINING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Shimabukuro and Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Government Operations, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 358) recommending that S.B. No. 895, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 895, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Ruderman, for the majority of the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 359) recommending that S.B. No. 594, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on

Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 594, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COFFEE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Ruderman and Thielen, for the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Water and Land, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 360) recommending that S.B. No. 1162, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1162, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senators Baker and Nishihara, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Transportation, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 361) recommending that S.B. No. 1280, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1280, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION NETWORK COMPANIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Chun Oakland, Green, and Kahele, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health and the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 362) recommending that S.B. No. 1327, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1327, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH CARE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Taniguchi and Thielen, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Water and Land, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 363) recommending that S.B. No. 504, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 504, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 364) recommending that S.B. No. 352, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 352, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING

TO ADOPTION RECORDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 365) recommending that S.B. No. 899, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 899, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE KIDS' SAVINGS PROJECT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 366) recommending that S.B. No. 938, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 938, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAILURE TO REPORT A MISSING CHILD," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 367) recommending that S.B. No. 1362, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1362, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RENTAL ASSISTANCE REVOLVING FUND," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green, Keith-Agaran, and Espero, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 368) recommending that S.B. No. 675, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 675, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREFIGHTERS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green and Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 369) recommending that S.B. No. 1113, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1113, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BACKGROUND CHECKS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Green and Ruderman, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Agriculture, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 370) recommending that S.B. No. 379, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 379, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senators Green and Gabbard, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 371) recommending that S.B. No. 801, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 801, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HEALTH IMPACT OF PESTICIDES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green and Kidani, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Education, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 372) recommending that S.B. No. 115 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 115, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green and Baker, for the majority of the Committee on Health and the majority of the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 373) recommending that S.B. No. 1030, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the majority of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1030, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Green and Baker, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 374) recommending that S.B. No. 924, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 924, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH COVERAGE FOR BRAIN INJURIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green and Baker, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 375) recommending that S.B. No. 911, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 911, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LATEX," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green and Baker, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 376)

recommending that S.B. No. 729 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 729, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADVANCED PRACTICE REGISTERED NURSES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Green and Baker, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 377) recommending that S.B. No. 391 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 391, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PSYCHOLOGISTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green and Baker, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 378) recommending that S.B. No. 307, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 307, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green and Baker, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 379) recommending that S.B. No. 301, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 301, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 380) recommending that S.B. No. 812, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 812, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BEHAVIOR SUPPORT REVIEW COMMITTEE FOR PERSONS WITH DEVELOPMENTAL OR INTELLECTUAL DISABILITIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 381) recommending that S.B. No. 302, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 302, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRUG OVERDOSE PREVENTION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 382) recommending that S.B. No. 809, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 809, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION TREATMENT PLANS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 383) recommending that S.B. No. 1175, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1175, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII STATE HOSPITAL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green, Espero, and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 384) recommending that S.B. No. 275, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 275, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEXUAL ASSAULT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 385) recommending that S.B. No. 1316, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1316, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRIC VEHICLES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senators Ruderman, Gabbard, and Nishihara, for the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Transportation, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 386) recommending that S.B. No. 1062, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1062, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BIOSECURITY PROGRAM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Ruderman and Green, for the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 387) recommending that S.B. No. 588, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 588, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senators Ruderman and Thielen, for the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Water and Land, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 388) recommending that S.B. No. 593, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 593, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 389) recommending that S.B. No. 206 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 206, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 390) recommending that S.B. No. 309, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 309, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH EXAMINATIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green and Espero, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 391) recommending that S.B. No. 982 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 982, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL AMNESTY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Green and Espero, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 392) recommending that S.B. No. 807, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 807, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green and Espero, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 393) recommending that S.B. No. 798, as amended in

S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 798, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senators Green and Espero, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 394) recommending that S.B. No. 303, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 303, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green and Ruderman, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Agriculture, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 395) recommending that S.B. No. 692, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 692, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PESTICIDES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Green and Ruderman, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Agriculture, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 396) recommending that S.B. No. 592, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 592, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green and Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 397) recommending that S.B. No. 1245 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1245, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green and Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 398) recommending that S.B. No. 961, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 961, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH TREATMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green and Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 399) recommending that S.B. No. 1367 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1367, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROJECT KEALAHOU," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 400) recommending that S.B. No. 757, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 757, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REGULATION OF ELECTRONIC SMOKING DEVICES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 401) recommending that S.B. No. 113, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 113, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII STATE LOAN REPAYMENT PROGRAM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 402) recommending that S.B. No. 802, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 802, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMOKING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 403) recommending that S.B. No. 304, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 304, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 404) recommending that S.B. No. 311, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 311, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 405) recommending that S.B. No. 1033, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be

referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1033, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 406) recommending that S.B. No. 419, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 419, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NEIGHBORHOOD BOARDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 407) recommending that S.B. No. 433 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 433, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCARCERATED PARENTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 408) recommending that S.B. No. 441 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 441, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATED TO ABSENTEE VOTING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Espero, Nishihara, and Thielen, for the majority of the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Water and Land, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 409) recommending that S.B. No. 568, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the majority of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 568, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A LAW ENFORCEMENT STANDARDS BOARD," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Espero and Nishihara, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Transportation, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 410) recommending that S.B. No. 579, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 579, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNMANNED AIRCRAFTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 411) recommending that S.B. No. 723, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 723, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMUNITY MEETINGS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Espero and Green, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 412) recommending that S.B. No. 878, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 878, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WASTEWATER," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 413) recommending that S.B. No. 1131, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1131, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Espero, for the majority of the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 414) recommending that S.B. No. 1158 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1158, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL SPACE CENTER FOR EXPLORATION SYSTEMS SPECIAL FUND," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Espero and Green, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 415) recommending that S.B. No. 1190, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1190, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the majority of the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 416) recommending that S.B. No. 1310, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1310, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN

ACT RELATING TO STORMWATER MANAGEMENT,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 417) recommending that S.B. No. 1354, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1354, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII STATE BUILDING CODES,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 418) recommending that S.B. No. 128, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 128, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 419) recommending that S.B. No. 1044, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1044, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Nishihara and Baker, for the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 420) recommending that S.B. No. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PILOTAGE,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Nishihara and Espero, for the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 421) recommending that S.B. No. 1180, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1180, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATIONS,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Shimabukuro and Taniguchi, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 422) recommending that S.B. No. 1248, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1248, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Shimabukuro, Green, and Thielen, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Health and the Committee on Water and Land, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 423) recommending that S.B. No. 537, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 537, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN FISHPONDS,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Taniguchi and Keith-Agaran, for the majority of the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 424) recommending that S.B. No. 637 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the majority of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 637, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION TO DIVEST EXCLUSIVE JURISDICTION OF THE BOARD OF REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII OVER THE INTERNAL STRUCTURE, MANAGEMENT, AND OPERATION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Taniguchi and Keith-Agaran, for the majority of the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 425) recommending that S.B. No. 387, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the majority of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 387, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFIRMATIVE CONSENT,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 426) recommending that S.B. No. 457, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 457, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 427) recommending that S.B. No. 384, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 384, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN

ACT RELATING TO ADDRESS CONFIDENTIALITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 428) recommending that S.B. No. 144, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 144, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JURY TRIAL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 429) recommending that S.B. No. 129, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 129, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Gabbard and Green, for the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 430) recommending that S.B. No. 1118 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1118, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR HAZARD EVALUATION AND EMERGENCY RESPONSE PREPAREDNESS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Gabbard and Green, for the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 431) recommending that S.B. No. 1260 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1260, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RECYCLING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Gabbard, Ruderman, and Nishihara, for the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Transportation, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 432) recommending that S.B. No. 1059, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1059, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Gabbard and Green, for the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 433) recommending that S.B. No. 1170, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and

be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1170, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PLASTIC PRODUCTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Gabbard and Green, for the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 434) recommending that S.B. No. 1111, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1111, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER INFRASTRUCTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Gabbard and Green, for the Committee on Energy and Environment and the majority of the Committee on Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 435) recommending that S.B. No. 689, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the majority of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 689, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 436) recommending that S.B. No. 682, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 682, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL MARIJUANA," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Green, Ruderman, and Gabbard, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 437) recommending that S.B. No. 793, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 793, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HEALTH IMPACT OF PESTICIDES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green, Ruderman, and Gabbard, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 438) recommending that S.B. No. 1037, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1037, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE HEALTH IMPACTS OF PESTICIDES,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 439) recommending that S.B. No. 271, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 271, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CHILD PROTECTIVE ACT,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 440) recommending that S.B. No. 1202, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1202, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 441) recommending that S.B. No. 382, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 382, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Ruderman and Kidani, for the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Education, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 442) recommending that S.B. No. 376, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 376, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A FARM TO SCHOOL PROGRAM,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 443) recommending that S.B. No. 325 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 325, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 444) recommending that S.B. No. 893, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 893, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER AND SEWER DISTRIBUTION SYSTEMS,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Thielen and Wakai, for the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 445) recommending that S.B. No. 1074 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1074, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE PLANNING,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Thielen, Nishihara, and Espero, for the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 446) recommending that S.B. No. 1127, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1127, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENFORCEMENT ACTIONS BY THE BOARD OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Thielen and Keith-Agaran, for the majority of the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 447) recommending that S.B. No. 761, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the majority of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 761, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 448) recommending that S.B. No. 481, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 481, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 449) recommending that S.B. No. 922 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 922, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEXUAL ASSAULT,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Espero and Wakai, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 450) recommending that S.B. No. 746, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 746, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CYBERSECURITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Espero and Wakai, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 451) recommending that S.B. No. 672 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 672, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL SPACE CENTER FOR EXPLORATION SYSTEMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Espero and Taniguchi, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 452) recommending that S.B. No. 661, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 661, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNMANNED AERIAL SYSTEMS TEST SITES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Espero and Wakai, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 453) recommending that S.B. No. 628 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 628, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY FACILITIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Espero and Wakai, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 454) recommending that S.B. No. 257, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 257, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENTERPRISE ZONES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green and Espero, for the majority of the Committee on Health and the majority of the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 455) recommending that S.B. No. 550, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the majority of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 550, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 456) recommending that S.B. No. 589, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 589, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 457) recommending that S.B. No. 1217, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1217, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 458) recommending that S.B. No. 326 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 326, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Taniguchi and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 459) recommending that S.B. No. 397, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 397, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Espero and Kidani, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Education, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 460) recommending that S.B. No. 181, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 181, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERANS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 461) recommending that S.B. No. 1361, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1361, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUDGETING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 462)

recommending that S.B. No. 1324, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1324, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DIVORCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 463) recommending that S.B. No. 1076, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1076, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 464) recommending that S.B. No. 760, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 760, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SERVICE ANIMALS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 465) recommending that S.B. No. 461, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 461, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 466) recommending that S.B. No. 460, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 460, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 467) recommending that S.B. No. 459, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 459, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 468) recommending that S.B. No. 458, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 458, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 469) recommending that S.B. No. 1089, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1089, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 470) recommending that S.B. No. 1088, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1088, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RETIREMENT CREDIT FOR UNUSED SICK LEAVE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 471) recommending that S.B. No. 1087, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1087, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 472) recommending that S.B. No. 996, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 996, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHICS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 473) recommending that S.B. No. 163, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 163, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 474) recommending that S.B. No. 1219, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1219, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 475) recommending that S.B. No. 1194, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1194, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOBBYISTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 476) recommending that S.B. No. 1122 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1122, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WAGE AND HOUR LAW," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 477) recommending that S.B. No. 1090, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1090, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Kahele, Baker, and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 478) recommending that S.B. No. 201, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 201, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Kahele, Baker, and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 479) recommending that S.B. No. 519, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and

S.B. No. 519, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kahele, for the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 480) recommending that S.B. No. 1306, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1306, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL PROPERTY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Thielen and Ruderman, for the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Agriculture, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 481) recommending that S.B. No. 511, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 511, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LAND USE COMMISSION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 482) recommending that S.B. No. 324 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 324, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AN ART EDUCATION FACILITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 483) recommending that S.B. No. 494, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 494, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD VISITATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 484) recommending that S.B. No. 492, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 492, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILDREN," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Kidani and Gabbard, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 485) recommending that S.B. No. 258, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 258, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Kidani and Ruderman, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Agriculture, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 486) recommending that S.B. No. 1303 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1303, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO APPROPRIATIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 487) recommending that S.B. No. 1196 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1196, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 488) recommending that S.B. No. 844, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 844, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Keith-Agaran and Green, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 489) recommending that S.B. No. 803, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 803, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Gabbard and Baker, for the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 490) recommending that S.B. No. 1172, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1172, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY STORAGE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Gabbard and Wakai, for the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 491) recommending that S.B. No. 706, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 706, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE HYDROGEN," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Government Operations, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 492) recommending that S.B. No. 1228, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1228, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Government Operations, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 493) recommending that S.B. No. 1357, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1357, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Dela Cruz and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Government Operations and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 494) recommending that S.B. No. 235, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 235, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC HEARINGS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Dela Cruz and Keith-Agaran, for the majority of the Committee on Government Operations and the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 495) recommending that S.B. No. 216, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the majority of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 216, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WAGES AND HOURS ON PUBLIC WORKS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Chun Oakland and Ruderman, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Agriculture, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 496) recommending that S.B. No. 969, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 969, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FARM WORKER HOUSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Chun Oakland and Kidani, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Education, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 497) recommending that S.B. No. 64, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 64, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING

TO HUMAN SERVICES,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 498) recommending that S.B. No. 906, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 906, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 499) recommending that S.B. No. 1201, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1201, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 500) recommending that S.B. No. 968, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 968, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE ADULT PROTECTIVE AND COMMUNITY SERVICES BRANCH,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Wakai, for the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 501) recommending that S.B. No. 676, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 676, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CAPITAL INFRASTRUCTURE TAX CREDIT,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Wakai, for the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 502) recommending that S.B. No. 887, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 887, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGH TECHNOLOGY,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Wakai, Espero, and Gabbard, for the Committee on Economic Development and Technology and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 503) recommending that S.B. No. 892, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 892, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OMNIBUS HAWAII RESILIENCE AND SUSTAINABILITY STRATEGY,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Wakai, for the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 504) recommending that S.B. No. 1001, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1001, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MANUFACTURING,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Wakai and Kahele, for the majority of the Committee on Economic Development and Technology and the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 505) recommending that S.B. No. 1155, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the majority of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1155, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CREATIVE MEDIA INDUSTRY,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Wakai and Baker, for the Committee on Economic Development and Technology and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 506) recommending that S.B. No. 1279, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1279, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENTS,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Wakai and Gabbard, for the Committee on Economic Development and Technology and the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 507) recommending that S.B. No. 891, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 891, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BROADBAND,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Wakai, for the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 508) recommending that S.B. No. 1189, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1189, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green and Espero, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 509) recommending that S.B. No. 189, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 189, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SCHEDULING OF MARIJUANA," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Green, Espero, and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 510) recommending that S.B. No. 1302, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1302, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL MARIJUANA DISPENSARIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 511) recommending that S.B. No. 596, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 596, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARIJUANA," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Green and Baker, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 512) recommending that S.B. No. 810, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 810, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE ACT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Green and Ruderman, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Agriculture, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 513) recommending that S.B. No. 131 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 131, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD LABELING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green and Baker, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 514) recommending that S.B. No. 1244, as amended in S.D. 1, pass

Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1244, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PHARMACY AUDITS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 515) recommending that S.B. No. 695 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 695, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICINE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Green, for the majority of the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 516) recommending that S.B. No. 1291, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1291, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL MARIJUANA," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Thielen and Espero, for the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 517) recommending that S.B. No. 501, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 501, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Thielen, Espero, and Ruderman, for the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Agriculture, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 518) recommending that S.B. No. 1374, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1374, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND EXCHANGE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Gabbard and Espero, for the majority of the Committee on Energy and Environment and the majority of the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 519) recommending that S.B. No. 703, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the majority of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 703, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOLID WASTE," passed Second

Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Gabbard, Dela Cruz, and Espero, for the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Government Operations and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 520) recommending that S.B. No. 498, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 498, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WASTE MANAGEMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Kahele and Espero, for the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 521) recommending that S.B. No. 1071 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1071, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ACQUISITION OF FIREARMS BY LAWFUL PERMANENT RESIDENT ALIENS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 522) recommending that S.B. No. 1368, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1368, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUOR," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 523) recommending that S.B. No. 877, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 877, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 524) recommending that S.B. No. 40, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Senator Baker moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 524 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Baker noted:

"Thank you, Madam President. Colleagues, this was a short-form measure that we posted, sent out an S.D. 1, had a hearing on the S.D. 1, and when it came back, the comments noted that it really needed also to go to Ways and Means because we needed to put an appropriations measure in it for DCCA. This measure will provide licensure for behavioral analysts, which

goes hand in hand with Senate Bill 791, which is our autism bill.

"So in order to do that, since the bill had a single referral as a short-form to Consumer Protection, we need to separate the committee report, which asks that we send it on the calendar for Third Reading, so that we can get it re-referred and send it to Ways and Means. Thank you."

The motion was then put by the Chair and carried, and Stand. Com. Rep. No. 524 was received and placed on file.

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, S.B. No. 40, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LICENSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 525) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Hawaii Community Development Authority of the following:

JOHN WHALEN, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 525;

TOM MCLAUGHLIN, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 526;

AMY S. LUERSEN, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 527;

DONNA CAMVEL, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 528;

BRETT N. PREJEAN, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 529;

MICHAEL J. GOLOJUCH, SR., in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 530;

SHIRLEY S. SWINNEY, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 531;

DEAN K. CAPELOUTO, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 532;

JASON T. OKUHAMA, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 533;

WILLIAM OH, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 534; and

STEVEN J. SCOTT, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 535.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 525 and Gov. Msg. No. 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534 and 535 was deferred until Monday, February 23, 2015.

ORDER OF THE DAY

THIRD READING

S.B. No. 103, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Chun Oakland and carried, S.B. No. 103, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23. Noes, none. Excused, 2 (Galuteria, Kouchi).

RE-REFERRAL OF A SENATE BILL

The Chair re-referred the following Senate bill that was introduced:

S.B. No.: Re-referred to:

S.B. No. 51, S.D. 1 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Ways and Means

At 11:54 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 11:56 a.m.

Senator Nishihara rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

“I’d like to insert some remarks into the Journal regarding Senate Bill 19 and about the committee report. Thank you.”

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Nishihara’s remarks read as follows:

“Madam President, colleagues, I rise in support of SB 19 SD 1, SCR 345, the County Surcharge on the State General Excise and Use Tax, which allows the Honolulu Authority for Rapid Transportation to complete the entire rail transit to Ala Moana Center, the University of Hawai‘i at Mānoa, and downtown Kapolei.

“The measure calls for diverting 10 percent of administrative fees collected by the State to TOD projects, extends the ability of other counties to adopt a county surcharge on the state tax, and proposes a sunset date of December 2047. It additionally requires the Auditor to conduct a financial and management audit of HART on its rail transit project.

“The Transportation Committee agrees that this bill will provide for sufficient funding to complete a noteworthy and essential improvement to our islands infrastructure. It will support our increasingly congested freeway and adjunct highways. It is a forward looking addition to our highway system that will bring improvement to our citizens in transportation commutes, housing availability and other societal benefits.

“So in summation I ask for your support by voting in favor of this bill. Mahalo”

Senator Dela Cruz rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

“I’d also like to submit written comments in regards to Senate Bill 19 and its committee report. Thank you.”

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Dela Cruz’s remarks read as follows:

“On Thursday, February 12, 2015, the Committees on Transportation and Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs scheduled for hearing Senate Bill 19, relating to taxation.

“The committee discussed amending the bill with the following amendments:

- Specifying that monies from the surcharge can only be used for construction costs for a mass transit project – not operating and maintenance;
- Adding language that one-half of the State’s portion of the surcharge shall be deposited into the ‘dwelling unit revolving fund’ specifically for development of infrastructure and housing related to TOD projects within a ½-mile radius of a rail transit station; and
- Require HART to phase the construction of the extensions which results in monies only being released for the specific phase of the project.”

Senator Kidani invited the members and staff to a joint informational briefing to be held that afternoon by the Senate and House Committees on Education to receive an overview of the Access Learning pilot project, and noted that several public elementary schools would be participating via videoconference to demonstrate an interactive classroom activity.

Senator Kahele rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

“I know that today is Aloha Friday, and I’d like to, on behalf of the Hilo High School Vikings, congratulate the Farrington Governors, who last night won the OIA Basketball Championship. Thank you.”

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:59 a.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Monday, February 23, 2015.

TWENTIETH DAY

Monday, February 23, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:34 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present with the exception of Senator Taniguchi who was excused.

The President announced that she had read and approved the Journal of the Nineteenth Day.

Senator Dela Cruz introduced Miki Wakai, wife of Senator Glenn Wakai, who was accompanied in the gallery by Takashige Ishii of the Hiroshima Tourism Board and East-West Center.

DEPARTMENTAL COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications (Dept. Com. Nos. 66 to 73) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Dept. Com. No. 66, from the Department of Budget and Finance dated January 26, 2015, transmitting a compact disc of the FYs 12-18 Non-General Fund Information Report for the Department of Defense.

Dept. Com. No. 67, from the Office of the Auditor dated January 28, 2015, transmitting the report, "Audit of the Hawai'i Health Connector" (Report No. 15-01) pursuant to Section 23-9, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 68, from the University of Hawai'i dated February 13, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on Transfer of Appropriated Funds and Positions pursuant to Section 37-74, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 69, from the Public Utilities Commission dated February 10, 2015, transmitting its Annual Report for Fiscal Year 2014 pursuant to Section 269-5, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 70, from the Office of the Auditor dated February 13, 2015, transmitting 15 analyses on special and revolving funds proposed in the current legislative session pursuant to Section 23-11, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 71, from the County of Kaua'i Police Department dated January 30, 2015, transmitting a report relating to the possession and use of electric guns pursuant to Section 134-16, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 72, from the Hawaii Community Development Authority dated January 27, 2015, transmitting the Report of the Public Hearing on Development Permit Application KAK 14-101: Artspace Projects, Inc. pursuant to Act 251, SLH 2006.

Dept. Com. No. 73, from the City Clerk, City and County of Honolulu, dated January 28, 2015, transmitting Resolution 15-15, which was adopted by the Council of the City and County of Honolulu on Wednesday, January 28, 2015.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions (S.C.R. Nos. 29 to 34) were read by the Clerk and were deferred:

S.C.R. No. 29 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO AMEND ITS POLICIES TO REQUIRE HEALTH EDUCATION IN PUBLIC MIDDLE SCHOOLS AND CLARIFY SEXUAL HEALTH EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS AND ENCOURAGING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION AND DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO

RESCIND A BAN ON CONDOM DISTRIBUTION FOR ALL PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS."

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Baker, Kidani, Riviere, Ruderman, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro.

S.C.R. No. 30 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO SUPPORT THE KIDS' SAVINGS PROJECT."

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Ruderman, Kim.

S.C.R. No. 31 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO INCLUDE FINANCIAL LITERACY AS PART OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL CURRICULUM AT ALL LEVELS AND TO INCLUDE A FINANCIAL LITERACY CLASS AMONG HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS."

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Ruderman, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Kim.

S.C.R. No. 32 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO INCLUDE EDUCATION IN MORE SUBJECT AREAS IN ALL PUBLIC SCHOOLS."

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Baker, Harimoto, Ruderman, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Riviere, Shimabukuro.

S.C.R. No. 33 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CONVENING OF A TASK FORCE TO ASSESS THE SCOPE AND FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING A CENTRALIZED FILING SYSTEM FOR ADVANCE CARE PLANNING FORMS THAT CAN BE ACCESSED BY ALL HEALTH FACILITIES."

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Baker, Galuteria, Harimoto, Ihara, Inouye, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Riviere, Thielen.

S.C.R. No. 34 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING CONGRESS TO EXEMPT HAWAII (JOINED BY PUERTO RICO, ALASKA AND GUAM) FROM THE U.S. BUILD REQUIREMENT OF THE JONES ACT FOR LARGE OCEANGOING SHIPS."

Offered by: Senators Slom, Espero, Galuteria, Harimoto, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara, Riviere, Ruderman.

SENATE RESOLUTION

The following resolution (S.R. No. 10) was read by the Clerk and was deferred:

S.R. No. 10 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING CONGRESS TO EXEMPT HAWAII (JOINED BY PUERTO RICO, ALASKA AND GUAM) FROM THE U.S. BUILD REQUIREMENT OF THE JONES ACT FOR LARGE OCEANGOING SHIPS."

Offered by: Senators Slom, Galuteria, Harimoto, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara, Riviere, Ruderman.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 526) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of RANDALL IWASE as Chairperson of the Public Utilities Commission, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 524.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 526 and Gov. Msg. No. 524 was deferred until Tuesday, February 24, 2015.

ORDER OF THE DAY**ADVISE AND CONSENT**

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 525 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534 and 535):

Senator Chun Oakland moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 525 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Green and carried.

Senator Chun Oakland then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Hawaii Community Development Authority of the following:

JOHN WHALEN, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 525);

TOM MCLAUGHLIN, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 526);

AMY S. LUERSEN, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 527);

DONNA CAMVEL, term to expire June 30, 2017 (Gov. Msg. No. 528);

BRETT N. PREJEAN, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 529);

MICHAEL J. GOLOJUCH, SR., term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 530);

SHIRLEY S. SWINNEY, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 531);

DEAN K. CAPELOUTO, term to expire June 30, 2017 (Gov. Msg. No. 532);

JASON T. OKUHAMA, term to expire June 30, 2017 (Gov. Msg. No. 533);

WILLIAM OH, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 534); and

STEVEN J. SCOTT, term to expire June 30, 2017 (Gov. Msg. No. 535),

seconded by Senator Green.

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

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (Baker, Shimabukuro, Taniguchi).

At this time, Senator Chun Oakland rose to introduce John Whalen and Jason Okuhama, newly confirmed members of the Hawaii Community Development Authority who were present in the gallery.

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:38 a.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Tuesday, February 24, 2015.

TWENTY-FIRST DAY

Tuesday, February 24, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:34 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present.

The President announced that she had read and approved the Journal of the Twentieth Day.

Senator Baker introduced the following representatives from the National Conference of State Legislatures in Colorado: William Pound, executive director; Corina Eckl, director of state services and liaison to Hawai'i; and Irene Kawanabe, program director and liaison to the National Asian Pacific American Caucus of State Legislators.

Senator Keith-Agaran recognized former State Senator Joe Tanaka, and noted that his wife, Barbara Tanaka, was one of his favorite high school teachers.

Senator Inouye introduced her cousin, Lori Dellaverson, who was visiting from Virginia with her husband, Louis, and their daughter, Kalia; and noted that she had recently discovered through online research that they were related. Senator Inouye also recognized her session staff Matt Kennedy who was present in the gallery.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 209, 1101 and 1102) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 209, letter dated February 19, 2015, transmitting additional proposed changes to the General Appropriations Act (House Bill No. 500) to include the Department of Transportation's additional operating and CIP requests.

Gov. Msg. No. 1101, informing the Senate that on February 20, 2015, the Lieutenant Governor, in his capacity as Acting Governor, signed into law House Bill No. 1465 as Act 1, entitled: "MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO PROVIDE FOR THE EXPENSES OF THE LEGISLATURE, THE AUDITOR, THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU, THE OMBUDSMAN, AND THE ETHICS COMMISSION."

Gov. Msg. No. 1102, informing the Senate that on February 20, 2015, the Lieutenant Governor, in his capacity as Acting Governor, signed into law House Bill No. 930 as Act 2, entitled: "MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR."

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions (S.C.R. Nos. 35 to 37) were read by the Clerk and were deferred:

S.C.R. No. 35 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII HOUSING FINANCE AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION AND THE HONOLULU AUTHORITY FOR RAPID TRANSPORTATION TO CONDUCT A JOINT STUDY ADDRESSING THE DEMAND FOR WORKFORCE HOUSING AND TRANSIT-ORIENTED DEVELOPMENT; AND TO CREATE A DEVELOPMENT PLAN FOR WORKFORCE HOUSING EXPANSION."

Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Chun Oakland, English, Espero, Gabbard, Galuteria, Harimoto, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Kidani,

Nishihara, Wakai, Baker, Ihara, Kahele, Kouchi, Riviere, Ruderman, Shimabukuro.

S.C.R. No. 36 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HIGH TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION TO ESTABLISH A WORKING GROUP TO EXAMINE THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A FIRST RESPONDERS TECHNOLOGY CAMPUS AND COMMAND CENTER IN CENTRAL OAHU."

Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Chun Oakland, Inouye, Nishihara, Baker, English, Galuteria, Harimoto, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Kouchi, Riviere, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 37 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM TO TAKE CERTAIN ACTIONS TO IMPROVE JOB CREATION AND BUSINESS CLIMATE."

Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Inouye, Kidani, Wakai, Ihara, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Kouchi, Nishihara, Riviere, Ruderman, Shimabukuro.

SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions (S.R. Nos. 11 to 13) were read by the Clerk and were deferred:

S.R. No. 11 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII HOUSING FINANCE AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION AND THE HONOLULU AUTHORITY FOR RAPID TRANSPORTATION TO CONDUCT A JOINT STUDY ADDRESSING THE DEMAND FOR WORKFORCE HOUSING AND TRANSIT-ORIENTED DEVELOPMENT; AND TO CREATE A DEVELOPMENT PLAN FOR WORKFORCE HOUSING EXPANSION."

Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Chun Oakland, English, Espero, Gabbard, Galuteria, Harimoto, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Nishihara, Wakai, Baker, Ihara, Kahele, Kouchi, Riviere, Ruderman, Shimabukuro.

S.R. No. 12 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HIGH TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION TO ESTABLISH A WORKING GROUP TO EXAMINE THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A FIRST RESPONDERS TECHNOLOGY CAMPUS AND COMMAND CENTER IN CENTRAL OAHU."

Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Chun Oakland, Inouye, Kidani, Nishihara, Baker, English, Galuteria, Harimoto, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Kouchi, Riviere, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Wakai.

S.R. No. 13 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM TO TAKE CERTAIN ACTIONS TO IMPROVE JOB CREATION AND BUSINESS CLIMATE."

Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Inouye, Wakai, Ihara, Kahele,

Keith-Agaran, Kouchi, Nishihara,
Riviere, Ruderman, Shimabukuro.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 527) recommending that S.B. No. 564, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 564, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Thursday, March 5, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 528) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of WESLEY MACHIDA as Director of the Department of Budget and Finance, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 519.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 528 and Gov. Msg. No. 519 was deferred until Wednesday, February 25, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 529) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of RODERICK BECKER as Deputy Director of the Department of Budget and Finance, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 520.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 529 and Gov. Msg. No. 520 was deferred until Wednesday, February 25, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 530) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of MARIA ZIELINSKI as Director of the Department of Taxation, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 521.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 530 and Gov. Msg. No. 521 was deferred until Wednesday, February 25, 2015.

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ADVISE AND CONSENT

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 526 (Gov. Msg. No. 524):

Senator Baker moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 526 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried.

Senator Baker then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of RANDALL IWASE as Chairperson of the Public Utilities Commission, term to expire June 30, 2020, seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Baker rose to speak in strong support of the nominee as follows:

"Thank you, Madam President. I rise in strong support of Governor's Message 524 nominating Randall Iwase to serve as chair of the Public Utilities Commission.

"Mr. Iwase, as many of us know, has a strong and distinguished career in public service and began his testimony to your Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection by expressing his gratitude to Governor Ige for giving 'this senior citizen' the 'final opportunity to serve the people of our state.'

"Randy chose to accept this opportunity for further public service because he believes it's our duty to give our children

and grandchildren the means to build a better future. The decisions that the PUC makes will undoubtedly shape Hawaii's energy future, and that will definitely impact the future landscape of all of Hawai'i. Your committee believes that Mr. Iwase has the experience and vision to lead the Public Utilities Commission toward a Hawai'i we can proudly pass on to future generations.

"Randy's government service began as a deputy attorney general; he served as a member of the Honolulu City Council, executive director of Aloha Tower Development Corporation, a State Senator representing Mililani – and I did have the opportunity to serve with him during some of his days in the Senate. He chaired the Hawai'i Labor and Industrial Relations Appeals Board, and most recently, served as chair of the Tax Review Commission. Much of the testimony the committee received came from people who had actually worked with him over his long career. All noted Mr. Iwase has the capacity to grasp, assess, and manage complex issues and organizational challenges. All expressed confidence that Randy is more than capable of meeting the challenges of being the next PUC chair.

"One of Mr. Iwase's colleagues noted: 'It is his social conscience indelibly imprinted by the words and lives of President John F. Kennedy and Robert F. Kennedy that weigh upon his actions every day. Randy believes in Hawai'i. He believes in doing the best for Hawai'i's people. He believes in doing the right thing, for the right reasons, in the right way.' Sounds like another colleague of ours.

"Another colleague said of Mr. Iwase: 'He always gave straight, direct answers on the issues of common concern, and he delivered on his word. And that has never changed. Randy Iwase is the consummate public servant. He has one of the broadest, best, most comprehensive understandings of how government and Hawai'i social and political life work.'

"After hearing these glowing responses to the question of why people support Mr. Iwase for chair, your committee concluded that Randall Iwase is exceedingly well-qualified to lead the Public Utilities Commission toward continuing to build an energy future for Hawai'i that is consumer-conscious and renewable. He has integrity and a collaborative and diligent work ethic. His nature, his personality, is even-keeled, and he has a sense of duty that will serve him well, we believe, as PUC chair.

"Colleagues, I ask you to join me in voting to advise and consent to the nomination of Randall Iwase to be the next chair of the Public Utilities Commission. Mahalo."

Senator Slom rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

"First, let me say, I've checked very carefully my DNA, and I'm not related to Randy. Oftentimes, we are mistaken in a crowd, but I'm the one with hair and no cap.

"I've had the pleasure and privilege of knowing Randy Iwase for nearly 20 years. I've served with him in this Senate body, and watched him on the council, with the Tax Review Commission, the attorney general's office, the labor relations board, and a number of activities. Whenever there was a problem, whenever there was a need to do something, Randy Iwase was the man who was called upon to do it.

"The Public Utilities Commission has suffered for the last several years for an abysmal lack of leadership and non-direction. And Randy Iwase, again, is the right person to make those changes. He's no-nonsense, yet he has a sense of humor. He has to have a sense of humor because he prefers the Beatles over Elvis Presley; that's been a continuous contention point for us for many years.

“But he is a man of integrity; he’s a man who can transcend partisan issues to get the job done. He’s the right man right now, and I’m very proud to support him. Thank you.”

Senator Kidani rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

“I have known Randy Iwase for many, many years, since he started his service to the public in 1974 – his illustrious, almost-40-year career. As my senator, as my councilmember, I’ve had the opportunity to work with him many times, but I can think of no one who is further qualified than Mr. Iwase to lead the PUC through what will be some contentious times with the sale of Hawaiian Electric Industries being put forward to us today.

“I would like to let people know that Randy was actually the leader in putting forth what we now know as the Central Oahu Regional Park, a legacy that many people will not know – Randy has left us that. When he was there at the city council, he had the vision to put money aside for the planning and purchase of this park.

“And although we are related through my daughter-in-law, the Awaya family, it’s not a conflict of interest because his public service precedes him. So Madam President, thank you very much, and thank you, Randy, for being willing to serve us.”

The Chair then stated:

“Members, I feel compelled to add to the discussion, having been elected with Randy Iwase in the special election on the Honolulu City Council and served with him for many years together. Also, I can attest that if you will throw out any song to him, he will tell you who the singer, the composer, and what year it was done in, and with that kind of knowledge, certainly, he will sing his way through the PUC.”

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Ihara).

Senator Baker then introduced newly confirmed Chairperson of the Public Utilities Commission Randy Iwase, who was accompanied in the gallery by his son Jarand, former State Senator Joe Tanaka, PUC Commissioners Lorraine Akiba and Michael Champley, Governor David Y. Ige’s Chief of Staff Mike McCartney, and PUC staff members.

At 11:48 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 11:54 a.m.

RE-REFERRAL OF A SENATE BILL

The Chair re-referred the following Senate bill that was introduced:

S.B. No.:	Re-referred to:
S.B. No. 273, S.D. 1	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:54 a.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Wednesday, February 25, 2015.

TWENTY-SECOND DAY

Wednesday, February 25, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:34 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present.

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

Senator Galuteria recognized front-line workers representing the Local 5 UNITE HERE hospitality and healthcare union, including James Bartolome, Gloria Salinas, and Evelyn Tubay from the Hyatt; Audrey Gecain and Victor Gonazales from The Modern; Evelyn Peralta and Divina Sabado from Marriott; Arnold Tabuso and Cynthia Uy from the Kahala; Junior Bosey and Ima Afituk from Honolulu Community College; Lydia Agustin and Nerissa Diego from the Moana Surfrider; Nathaniel Felicitas and Manuel Sagun from the Sheraton Waikiki; Gemma Conn from the Princess Kaiulani; Milegros Dollopac and Mike McGurn from the Hilton; and Faustino Sabro, Lorena Elpedio, and Berna Rivera from the Aston.

Senator Ruderman commended and congratulated the Pāhoa High School varsity boys basketball team, and presented the following remarks:

"Thank you, Madam President. Today it's my honor to introduce some members of the Pāhoa boys basketball team, who are here for a tournament this week, and their first game is tomorrow night.

"A couple years ago, I introduced some of the members of this team and their coaches. But this year, it's actually an even bigger deal; this year, they just won the Big Island Division II tournament. We can see them on the front page of the sports section here – it's a really big deal in our community.

"It's a bigger deal than it would be for an average small town because this year, the Pāhoa High School student body got divided in half when the lava flow was threatening. They actually forced half the kids to move to our rival school, Kea'au, nearby. So we lost some of our team, and some of our team had to make special arrangements to stay in Pāhoa; it required a lot of inconvenience and they faced a lot of adversity, and I cannot explain to you the stress of what the lava flow did. You can imagine having your school body torn in half quite suddenly and quite unexpectedly.

"I was honored to watch a couple of games last week – they played with such heart. And we're all so proud of them; not just myself and the school, but the entire community. They constantly face taller opponents with a deeper bench. You know, for some of the members, this is their first time here in Honolulu, and I do want to invite any of you who want to join to watch them play tomorrow night at 5:00 p.m. at Farrington High; they'll be playing Kalani High School. And by the way, on Saturday, they did beat the number one ranked team, which was Kohala High School – my apologies to Senator Inouye, but we won. We're very proud of them.

"In the gallery, we have freshmen Kallen Cardines, Noa Kaleiwahea, Joseph Ramos, and Kobe Anguay. We have sophomores Keali'i Luis and William Stinnett. We have juniors Keinan Agonias, Joel Rosario Jr., Kili Oliveira, and Angelo Williams. And here on the floor for our presentation, we have seniors Tolby Tad Saito and Torrell Thomas along with Coach Marc Saito and Assistant Coach John Byrd, Jr. At the appropriate time, Madam President, I hope we can have a recess

to greet our guests, and I hope you'll give them all a warm welcome here."

Senator Gabbard, on behalf of Senate President Kim, honored Kiniokahokulua "Kini" Zamora, and presented the following remarks:

"Madam President, colleagues: On behalf of you, Madam President, it's a pleasure to welcome to the Senate chambers Mr. Kiniokahokulua 'Kini' Zamora, one of Hawai'i's most promising designers and fashion entrepreneurs. Also with Kini are his parents, Duke and Valerie Zamora.

"Kini is a local boy who grew up in Liliha. He recalls learning the fashion ropes as a child when his aunt Delilah Patoc gave sewing lessons to the children. Kini was the only one who maintained a keen interest in clothing and the only one to decide that fashion might be a career goal worth pursuing. Following graduation from McKinley High School, he earned a degree from Honolulu Community College – their fashion technology program – and then furthered his studies at the Fashion Institute of Technology in New York City. Following his schooling, he returned to Honolulu and was a sales manager for fashion retailers in town.

"Eyeing the popular television series *Project Runway* as an opportunity to spread his wings and showcase his talents, Kini auditioned for several years before being selected as a contestant from among thousands of candidates on his sixth try. He spent six weeks of his summer in New York City, where the show was taping season 13, and he soon became a viewer favorite. And one of those viewers was our very own Senate President Kim. He finished the series in third place, a very strong showing.

"Kini has since been capitalizing on that recognition and success. He and design partner Dean 'Dinko' Satta have opened a fashion company named KINIandDINKO, with their spring collection expected to be unveiled soon. He's also created his own clothing lines: the first called KZ Hawaii that features casual aloha wear, and the second named Kini Zamora that will highlight his ready-to-wear and couture collection for women.

"From very humble beginnings, Kini has dared to dream big. Supported by his parents, Duke and Valerie, he honed his skills and pursued his goals with a can-do spirit and a desire to make the most of every opportunity given him. Kini Zamora stands as an example and an inspiration to those who will follow in his footsteps.

"We commend and congratulate you, Kiniokahokulua 'Kini' Zamora, on your exceptional achievements, and we extend our very best wishes for continued fulfillment and success in your personal and professional endeavors. Please give him a warm hand.

"Also in the gallery, we have some family members, some guests, starting with – these are all for the Patoc family – Delilah, Brandy, Kristina, Sabrina, Anuhea, Kahealani, Leilani, and Sonny Patoc. Also Bernadette James, Desiree Zamora, Malae Liua, and Tiare Awong. Please give them a warm welcome. Mahalo."

Senator English welcomed students from Pōmare IV High School in Tahiti who were present in the gallery with Principal Rodney Livine, physical education instructor and former Olympian Gordon Barff, and trip organizer Hironui Johnston. Senator English noted that the private school, founded in 1948, is part of the Protestant educational system that was brought to Tahiti from Hawai'i 150 years ago by Reverend James Kekelaokalani.

Senator Kidani recognized former State Senator Pohai Ryan, who was present in the gallery.

At 11:46 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 11:55 a.m.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 531) recommending that S.B. No. 92, as amended in S.D. 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 92, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," was recommitted to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 532) recommending that S.B. No. 13 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 13, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PSYCHOLOGY," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Thursday, March 5, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 533) recommending that S.B. No. 143, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 143, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION TO CHANGE THE THRESHOLD VALUE IN CONTROVERSY REQUIREMENT FOR JURY TRIALS IN CIVIL CASES AT COMMON LAW FROM \$5,000 TO \$10,000," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Thursday, March 5, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 534) recommending that S.B. No. 209, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 209, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRUGS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Thursday, March 5, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 535) recommending that S.B. No. 214, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 214, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SMALL CLAIMS DIVISION OF THE DISTRICT COURT," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Thursday, March 5, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 536) recommending that S.B. No. 218, as amended in

S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 218, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ORDER OF SUCCESSION," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Thursday, March 5, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 537) recommending that S.B. No. 223, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 223, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC GUARDIAN," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Thursday, March 5, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 538) recommending that S.B. No. 442, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 442, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERMANENT ABSENTEE BALLOTS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Thursday, March 5, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 539) recommending that S.B. No. 452, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 452, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Thursday, March 5, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 540) recommending that S.B. No. 622, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 622, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ELECTIONS COMMISSION," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Thursday, March 5, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 541) recommending that S.B. No. 643, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 643, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD VISITATION," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Thursday, March 5, 2015.

Senators Gabbard and Green, for the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 542) recommending that S.B. No. 1049, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1049, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRONIC WASTE RECYCLING," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Thursday, March 5, 2015.

Senators Ruderman and Gabbard, for the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 543) recommending that S.B. No. 320, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 320, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL DISTRICTS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Thursday, March 5, 2015.

Senators Espero and Kahele, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 544) recommending that S.B. No. 409, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 409, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ZONING," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Thursday, March 5, 2015.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 545) recommending that S.B. No. 673 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 673, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL SPACE CENTER FOR EXPLORATION SYSTEMS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Thursday, March 5, 2015.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 546) recommending that S.B. No. 388 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 388, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POLICE DEPARTMENTS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Thursday, March 5, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 547) recommending that S.B. No. 17 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 17, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO

REAL ESTATE SELLER DISCLOSURE," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Thursday, March 5, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 548) recommending that S.B. No. 1106, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 548 and S.B. No. 1106, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MEDICAID MANAGED CARE PROGRAM," was deferred until Thursday, March 5, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 549) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of JAMES NISHIMOTO as Director of the Department of Human Resources Development, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 512.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 549 and Gov. Msg. No. 512 was deferred until Thursday, March 5, 2015.

ORDER OF THE DAY

ADVISE AND CONSENT

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 528 (Gov. Msg. No. 519):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 528 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried.

Senator Tokuda then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of WESLEY MACHIDA as Director of the Department of Budget and Finance, term to expire December 3, 2018, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

Senator Tokuda rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

"Thank you, Madam President. I rise to speak in support of Governor's Messages 519, 520, and 521. Colleagues, these three individuals represent the financial backbone and fiscal conscience of the Ige administration. And while they are all familiar faces to us, these roles represent new opportunities for them to apply their skills in service to the people of our state.

"Director Machida was previously the executive director of the ERS, serving during some of our most turbulent years, and ending his tenure by leading efforts that have put our state on a path to restrain pension costs and liability and resulted in the Legislature and administration making solid and continued commitments to our annual required contributions. With over 30 years of financial experience in both the public and private sectors and having been a CPA, Director Machida has the confidence and trust of both his colleagues and the public employees who have been the ERS's beneficiaries, and it is clear that he is approaching this new position with the same humility, perseverance, and – dare I say – grace that he has his previous roles.

"Colleagues, I ask for your support in confirming all three of these outstanding nominees and thank them for their continued service to the State of Hawai'i. Thank you, Madam President."

At 12:00 p.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 12:01 p.m.

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 529 (Gov. Msg. No. 520):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 529 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried.

Senator Tokuda then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of RODERICK BECKER as Deputy Director of the Department of Budget and Finance, term to expire December 3, 2018, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

Senator Tokuda rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

“Thank you, Madam President. I rise to speak in support of Governor’s Messages 519, 520, and 521. Colleagues, these three individuals represent the financial backbone and fiscal conscience of the Ige administration. And while they are all familiar faces to us, these roles represent new opportunities for them to apply their skills in service to the people of our state.

“Now, I know that when you see Deputy Director Becker up there, you’re going to assume that we’re decking the budget. But he may look a little different to you: For one thing, he’s wearing a suit. I think that’s the only one he owns right now, and as our WAM chief mentioned, now he can get married, since he owns one. But we’re actually all here on a very auspicious occasion: voting in one of our own and advising and consenting on the very first deputy director in State of Hawai‘i history.

“Deputy Director Becker has served as the Ways and Means budget chief from 2008 to 2014, and for many years prior to that as a budget analyst. He has been a professional and diligent worker and was an invaluable asset to the Legislature as past chairs – such as our President – were forced to navigate their way through the Great Recession and utilized his skills and knowledge and experience to craft budgets that were both fiscally prudent and socially responsible. We are confident that Deputy Director Becker will represent the Senate well in his new capacity, wielding the lessons he learned in WAM masterfully.

“Colleagues, I ask for your support in confirming all three of these outstanding nominees and thank them for their continued service to the State of Hawai‘i. Thank you, Madam President.”

Senator Taniguchi rose to request that remarks in support of the nominee be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Taniguchi’s remarks read as follows:

“I rise to strongly support Roderick Becker as the Deputy Director of Budget and Finance.

“I have known Rod for a number of years. He served on my staff for the six years that I chaired the Ways and Means Committee.

“I have always found him to be diligent and hard working. I am confident he will take his talents to the Budget and Finance Department and make many contributions there.

“I ask my colleagues to support this appointment.”

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 530 (Gov. Msg. No. 521):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 530 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried.

Senator Tokuda then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of MARIA ZIELINSKI as Director of the Department of Taxation, term to expire December 3, 2018, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

Senator Tokuda rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

“Thank you, Madam President. I rise to speak in support of Governor’s Messages 519, 520, and 521. Colleagues, these three individuals represent the financial backbone and fiscal conscience of the Ige administration. And while they are all familiar faces to us, these roles represent new opportunities for them to apply their skills in service to the people of our state.

“Director Zielinski is a certified public accountant with over 25 years in senior financial management positions in both the public and private sectors. In leading the Department of Taxation, you want someone who will get things done and get them done well and right. She proved she could do that in spades when most recently, as deputy comptroller of the state, she led the effort to produce the CAFR on time, something that had not been done in over 10 years. On Maui, as the accounting systems administrator, she did this as well, a feat that had not been accomplished in over 30 years.

“Director Zielinski has also assured your committee that she is committed to implementing the tax modernization system with fidelity while motivating her team and creating a department that is responsive to the needs of those they serve. If anyone can do all of this, it’s her.

“Colleagues, I ask for your support in confirming all three of these outstanding nominees and thank them for their continued service to the State of Hawai‘i. Thank you, Madam President.”

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

At this time, Senator Tokuda introduced supporters of the newly confirmed directors and deputy director who were present in the gallery, including: Karen Machida, wife of Wesley Machida; June, mother of Roderick Becker; Department of Taxation staff members; and Governor David Y. Ige’s Chief of Staff Mike McCartney.

At 12:04 p.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 12:12 p.m.

REFERRAL OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The President made the following committee assignments of Senate concurrent resolutions offered on Wednesday, February 18, 2015; Friday, February 20, 2015; Monday, February 23, 2015; and Tuesday, February 24, 2015:

S.C.R. No.:	Referred to:
S.C.R. No. 24	Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 25	Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 26	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 27	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.C.R. No. 28	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.C.R. No. 29	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 31	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 34	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.C.R. No. 35	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 37	Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

REFERRAL OF SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The President made the following committee assignments of Senate resolutions offered on Friday, February 20, 2015; Monday, February 23, 2015; and Tuesday, February 24, 2015:

S.R. No.:	Referred to:
S.R. No. 7	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.R. No. 8	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.R. No. 9	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.R. No. 10	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.R. No. 11	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

At this time, Senator Chun Oakland introduced her committee manager, Tyrell Ma'ae, who was present in the gallery with his cousins who were visiting from Germany, Markus Quast and Annamaria De Feo.

Senator Ruderman invited the members to a lunch reception for the Pāhoa High School varsity boys basketball team that afternoon in Conference Room 224.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:13 p.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Thursday, March 5, 2015.

TWENTY-THIRD DAY

Thursday, March 5, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:37 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present.

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

Senator Kouchi introduced Kalei Kagawa, a student at Kapiolani Community college and daughter of Cathy Kagawa and Kaua'i County Councilmember Ross Kagawa, and thanked her for her hard work as an intern in his office.

Senator Baker introduced Joanna Smith, a student at the University of Hawai'i at Hilo pursuing a Doctor of Nursing Practice doctoral degree who had been interning in her office. Ms. Smith was accompanied in the gallery by her 9-year-old daughter, Nikyla Kahiwa Shin, a student at Ke Kula 'O Nāwahīkalanī'ōpu'u Public Charter School in Kea'au.

Senator Wakai honored the Hawaii Venture Capital Association, and presented the following remarks:

"Thank you, Madam President. Those joining us on the floor today are leading Hawai'i's efforts in developing a true innovative economy. Brilliant ideas can only become profitable ideas when geniuses are merged with money, and that's where the Hawaii Venture Capital Association comes in, in bringing those two parties together. It was established in 1988, and HVCA is now led by its president, Meli James.

"Meli was born and raised in Honolulu; graduated from Cornell University; worked in Silicon Valley for 10 years, where she co-founded and contributed to numerous startup companies, many of which were focused on developing apps. She is also the program manager at Blue Startups, a Honolulu-based venture accelerator that nurtures innovative entrepreneurs. Colleagues, please help me in welcoming Meli James to our chamber.

"This year's Hawaii Venture Capital Association Deal of the Year goes to TruTag. The company is owned by Hank Wuh, who is represented today by Vice President of Materials Manufacturing Craig Leidholm.

"TruTag Technologies is inserting integrity into our lives by placing nanotechnology into pharmaceutical products. The company combats fraud and counterfeiting by embedding millions of optical patterns the size of a dust particle as small as the width of your hair into a pill. These tags can be read by wholesalers and retailers to determine the authenticity of the products that consumers are buying. TruTag is inserting indelible micro-tags that can also be incorporated into the actual fabrics of products without the need for labeling or packaging. As you can imagine, the possibilities are immense. TruTag could leave its mark, literally, on foods, beverages, electronics, consumer products, and industrial components.

"Last year, the company made global headlines when it was awarded the 2014 Technology Pioneer by the World Economic Forum. That's an award that recognizes the world's most innovative and influential technology corporations with the promise of significantly impacting the way we live.

"TruTag was founded in Honolulu in 2011 by entrepreneur Hank Wuh and incubated by SKAI Ventures. The company maintains its headquarters in Hawai'i, and in December of 2014, opened a manufacturing plant in Kapolei. TruTag is a true local success story.

"For another success story, I'd like to hand it over to – and tag, actually – my partner in Economic Development, Senator Sam Slom."

Senator Slom rose to present the following remarks:

"Thank you, Senator Wakai. You know, everybody comes to the Legislature looking for money, and of course, we don't have any money unless we take it from the taxpayers. They should be going to the Hawaii Venture Capital Association because they have money, and they've used it wisely. We're very honored today – this is the 15th annual awards ceremony for the Hawaii Venture Capital Association – and I'm very honored to be able to present the award for Entrepreneur of the Year to recognize CEO Steven Baker of Micronesia Registration Advisors.

"Steven has a long history of entrepreneurial success. He was a former Citibank executive and telecom entrepreneur and spent 20 years of professional experiences in Asia, but in 2006, it was his idea to present and found MRA, the Micronesia Registration Advisors. MRA has an exclusive 40-year contract with the government of the Federated States of Micronesia and the ability to promote FSM's captive insurance domicile programs, corporate registry, and also to relate corporate income tax information to corporations and individual residents of Japan.

"But in addition to that, Steven is very active: He's a longstanding member of the Hawai'i Angels, which is another Honolulu-based group of investors. He has been personally involved in the funding of a large number of other Hawai'i startup companies, and he serves as a trustee of Hawai'i Pacific University. Entrepreneur of the Year Steven Baker."

Senator Wakai continued:

"Thank you, Senator Slom. There's extra brainpower in our chambers today – I hope you can feel it. That's due to the many techies who are joining us today in the gallery. Social Impact Entrepreneur of the Year: Shanah Trevenna from ProtoHUB Honolulu. Investor of the Year: Omar and Tarik Sultan from the Sultan Ventures. Student Entrepreneur of the Year: Kevin Shin. Tech Entrepreneurs of the Year: Alex Bergo and Viil Liid from LifeSift. Life Science Entrepreneur of the Year: David Watumull from Cardax. Clean Tech/Agricultural Entrepreneur of the Year: Michael Pfeffer, who is represented today by Ian Kitajima from Oceanit. Thank you for all you do."

At 11:47 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 11:51 a.m.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 210 to 218) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 210, dated February 26, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report Outlining the Status of the Office of Health Care Assurance Dietitian License Special Fund, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to Section 448B-10, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 211, dated February 26, 2015, transmitting the Office of Health Care Assurance Special Fund Annual Report, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to Section 321-1.4, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 212, dated February 26, 2015, transmitting the Environmental Council Annual Report for 2014, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to Section 341-6, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 213, dated February 26, 2015, transmitting the Hawaii Community Development Authority Annual Report for 2014, prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism pursuant to Section 206E-19, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 214, dated February 26, 2015, transmitting the 2015 Report on School Year Instructional Time, prepared by the Department of Education pursuant to Section 302A-251(g), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 215, dated February 26, 2015, transmitting the Hawaii State Public Library System's Strategic Plan, 2014-2018: Creating the Future, Progress Report for Fiscal Year 2014, pursuant to Act 100, SLH 1999.

Gov. Msg. No. 216, dated February 26, 2015, transmitting the Status of the Federal Grants Revolving Fund Annual Report, prepared by the Department of Education pursuant to Section 302A-1405, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 217, letter dated February 26, 2015, indicating the Governor's receipt of the Department of Human Services Annual Report for Fiscal Year 2014, pursuant to Section 346-5, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 218, letter dated February 27, 2015, indicating the Governor's receipt of the Rehabilitation Council Annual Report, prepared by the Department of Human Services, pursuant to Section 348-8(c), HRS.

HOUSE COMMUNICATION

The following communication from the House (Hse. Com. No. 11) was read by the Clerk and was disposed of as follows:

Hse. Com. No. 11, transmitting H.B. No. 696, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on February 25, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 696, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions (S.C.R. Nos. 38 to 50) were read by the Clerk and were referred to committee or deferred:

S.C.R. No. 38 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A LONG-TERM, RISK-BASED STRATEGY AND IMPLEMENTATION PLAN TO MITIGATE THE POTENTIAL HARM FROM COASTAL HAZARDS IN URBAN HONOLULU."

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Baker, Galuteria, Ihara, Riviere, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Thielen.

Referred to: Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Energy and Environment

S.C.R. No. 39 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO ORDER THE EXCLUSIVE DISPLAY OF THE FLAG OF HAWAII OVER STATE BUILDINGS ON JANUARY 17 OF EACH YEAR."

Offered by: Senator Shimabukuro, by request.

Referred to: Committee on Government Operations

S.C.R. No. 40 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CAMPAIGN SPENDING COMMISSION TO STUDY AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS REGARDING A \$250 CAP ON CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS AND ON ESTABLISHING A PROCESS FOR THE REFUNDING OF CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS."

Offered by: Senator Shimabukuro, by request.

Referred to: Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.C.R. No. 41 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO OFFER COURSES IN AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE."

Offered by: Senators Kidani, Espero, Galuteria, Dela Cruz, Harimoto, Nishihara, Shimabukuro, Wakai.

Referred to: Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.C.R. No. 42 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO REVIEW ITS ORDINANCES REGARDING THE MINIMUM DISTANCE WITHIN WHICH VEHICLES CAN PARK FROM INTERSECTIONS AND DRIVEWAYS."

Offered by: Senators Kidani, Dela Cruz, Espero, Galuteria, Inouye, Nishihara, Wakai.

Referred to: Committee on Transportation

S.C.R. No. 43 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO REESTABLISH COUNTY LIBRARY ADVISORY COMMISSIONS."

Offered by: Senators Kidani, Dela Cruz, Espero, Galuteria, Shimabukuro, Wakai.

Referred to: Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.C.R. No. 44 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CHAIRPERSON OF THE BOARD OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO ESTABLISH A LIPOA POINT MANAGEMENT COUNCIL."

Offered by: Senators Baker, Chun Oakland, English, Keith-Agaran, Ruderman, Dela Cruz, Espero, Gabbard, Galuteria, Green, Ihara, Inouye, Kahele, Kidani, Kim, Kouchi, Nishihara, Riviere, Shimabukuro, Slom, Thielen, Tokuda, Wakai.

Referred to: Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.C.R. No. 45 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DRUG ENFORCEMENT ADMINISTRATION TO INITIATE RESCHEDULING PROCEEDINGS TO REMOVE MARIJUANA FROM SCHEDULE I OF THE FEDERAL CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT BECAUSE MARIJUANA DOES NOT MEET THE CRITERIA OF A FEDERAL SCHEDULE I CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE."

Offered by: Senators Baker, Kidani, Chun Oakland, Green, Kim, Taniguchi.

Referred to: Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.C.R. No. 46 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS TO CONSIDER ALTERNATIVE PROGRAM STRUCTURES FOR THE LICENSING OF PRIVATE TRADE, VOCATIONAL, AND TECHNICAL SCHOOLS."

Offered by: Senators Baker, Chun Oakland, Kidani, Tokuda, Green, Kouchi, Nishihara, Taniguchi.

Referred to: Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection

S.C.R. No. 47 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO PROMOTE AWARENESS AND SAFETY OF BLIND AND VISUALLY IMPAIRED PEDESTRIANS."

Offered by: Senators Nishihara, Chun Oakland, Espero, Harimoto, Dela Cruz, Inouye, Kidani, Kouchi, Slom.

S.C.R. No. 48 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DIVISION OF AQUATIC RESOURCES AND DIVISION OF CONSERVATION AND RESOURCES ENFORCEMENT TO COLLABORATE WITH FEDERAL PARTNER AGENCIES TO PROTECT IMPORTANT STATE MARINE RESOURCES."

Offered by: Senators Baker, Inouye, English, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran, Kim, Shimabukuro, Taniguchi, Thielen, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 49 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CLEAN UP AND INVESTIGATION OF ILLEGAL DUMPING AND ILLEGAL STRUCTURES AT LAUMAILE STREET IN KALIHI AND THE DEVELOPMENT AND IMPLEMENTATION OF MEASURES TO PREVENT ILLEGAL DUMPING AND ILLEGAL STRUCTURES IN THE AREA."

Offered by: Senators Kim, Chun Oakland, Gabbard, Green, Kahele, Espero, Galuteria, Harimoto, Ihara, Riviere, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 50 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT AN ANALYSIS OF THE NEED FOR THE LICENSING AND REGULATION OF TRANSIENT VACATION RENTALS."

Offered by: Senator Kim.

SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions (S.R. Nos. 14 to 22) were read by the Clerk and were referred to committee or deferred:

S.R. No. 14 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO ORDER THE EXCLUSIVE DISPLAY OF THE FLAG OF HAWAII OVER STATE BUILDINGS ON JANUARY 17 OF EACH YEAR."

Offered by: Senator Shimabukuro, by request.

Referred to: Committee on Government Operations

S.R. No. 15 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CAMPAIGN SPENDING COMMISSION TO STUDY AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS REGARDING A \$250 CAP ON

CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS AND ON ESTABLISHING A PROCESS FOR THE REFUNDING OF CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS."

Offered by: Senator Shimabukuro, by request.

Referred to: Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.R. No. 16 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO OFFER COURSES IN AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE."

Offered by: Senators Kidani, Espero, Galuteria, Dela Cruz, Harimoto, Nishihara, Shimabukuro, Wakai.

Referred to: Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.R. No. 17 "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO REVIEW ITS ORDINANCES REGARDING THE MINIMUM DISTANCE WITHIN WHICH VEHICLES CAN PARK FROM INTERSECTIONS AND DRIVEWAYS."

Offered by: Senators Kidani, Dela Cruz, Espero, Galuteria, Inouye, Nishihara, Wakai.

Referred to: Committee on Transportation

S.R. No. 18 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO REESTABLISH COUNTY LIBRARY ADVISORY COMMISSIONS."

Offered by: Senators Kidani, Dela Cruz, Espero, Galuteria, Shimabukuro, Wakai.

Referred to: Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.R. No. 19 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DRUG ENFORCEMENT ADMINISTRATION TO INITIATE RESCHEDULING PROCEEDINGS TO REMOVE MARIJUANA FROM SCHEDULE I OF THE FEDERAL CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT BECAUSE MARIJUANA DOES NOT MEET THE CRITERIA OF A FEDERAL SCHEDULE I CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE."

Offered by: Senators Baker, Kidani, Chun Oakland, Green, Kim.

Referred to: Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.R. No. 20 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS TO CONSIDER ALTERNATIVE PROGRAM STRUCTURES FOR THE LICENSING OF PRIVATE TRADE, VOCATIONAL, AND TECHNICAL SCHOOLS."

Offered by: Senators Baker, Chun Oakland, Kidani, Tokuda, Green, Kouchi, Nishihara, Taniguchi.

Referred to: Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection

S.R. No. 21 "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO PROMOTE AWARENESS AND SAFETY OF BLIND AND VISUALLY IMPAIRED PEDESTRIANS."

Offered by: Senators Nishihara, Chun Oakland, Espero, Harimoto, Dela Cruz, Inouye, Kidani, Kouchi, Slom.

S.R. No. 22 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT AN ANALYSIS OF THE NEED FOR THE LICENSING AND REGULATION OF TRANSIENT VACATION RENTALS."

Offered by: Senator Kim.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senators Shimabukuro and Thielen, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 550) recommending that S.C.R. No. 7 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.C.R. No. 7, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE EXECUTIVE BRANCH PROVIDE ACCURATE AND COMPLETE ACCOUNTING OF PUBLIC LAND TRUST REVENUES UNDER SECTION 5 OF ACT 178, SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII 2006," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 551) recommending that S.C.R. No. 2 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 2, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT TO KAHALUU POND, INC., FOR THE USE, REPAIR, AND MAINTENANCE OF THE SEAWALL LOCATED AT KAHALUU, KOOLAUPOKO, OAHU, TMK: (1) 4-7-011: SEAWARD OF 001," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 552) recommending that S.C.R. No. 14 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 14, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT KAHALUU, KOOLAUPOKO, OAHU, FOR THE USE, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR OF THE EXISTING SEAWALL CONSTRUCTED THEREON," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 553) recommending that S.C.R. No. 15 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 15, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT KAHUKU, KOOLAULOA, OAHU, FOR THE USE, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR OF THE EXISTING DRAINAGE STRUCTURE CONSTRUCTED THEREON," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 554) recommending

that S.C.R. No. 16 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 16, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT HAUULA, KOOLAULOA, OAHU, FOR THE USE, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR OF PORTION OF THE EXISTING RESIDENCE, FOUNDATION, AND LANAI CONSTRUCTED THEREON," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 555) recommending that S.C.R. No. 17 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 17, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT KANEOHE, KOOLAUPOKO, OAHU, FOR THE USE, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR OF THE EXISTING CRM WALL, LANDSCAPING AREA, FLOATING DOCK, AND CONCRETE PIER PURPOSES CONSTRUCTED THEREON," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 556) recommending that S.B. No. 1377, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1377, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WAIKIKI-DIAMOND HEAD SHORELINE FISHERIES MANAGEMENT AREA," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 557) recommending that S.B. No. 105, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 105, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 558) recommending that S.B. No. 253, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 253, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE DEBT," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 559) recommending that S.B. No. 101, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and

S.B. No. 101, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 560) recommending that S.B. No. 1312, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1312, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE FUNDS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 561) recommending that S.B. No. 1136 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1136, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SECTION 235-55.91, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Friday, March 6, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 562) recommending that S.B. No. 1134 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1134, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ESTATE AND GENERATION-SKIPPING TRANSFER TAXES," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Friday, March 6, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 563) recommending that S.B. No. 1133, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1133, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONFORMITY OF THE HAWAII INCOME TAX LAW TO THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 564) recommending that S.B. No. 159, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 159, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REPEAL OF NON-GENERAL FUNDS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 565) recommending that S.B. No. 543, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 543, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING

TO PUBLIC ACCOUNTANCY," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 566) recommending that S.B. No. 1095, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1095, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH INSURANCE," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 567) recommending that S.B. No. 1265 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1265, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE INSURANCE HOLDING COMPANY SYSTEM," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Friday, March 6, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 568) recommending that S.B. No. 1097 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1097, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONSUMER ADVOCATE," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Friday, March 6, 2015.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 569) recommending that S.B. No. 332 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 332, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOHANDAS KARAMCHAND GANDHI DAY," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Friday, March 6, 2015.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 570) recommending that S.B. No. 1154 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1154, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LIQUOR COMMISSION," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Friday, March 6, 2015.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 571) recommending that S.B. No. 868, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 868, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING

TO LIQUOR COMMISSIONS,” passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 572) recommending that S.B. No. 1151, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 572 and S.B. No. 1151, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 573) recommending that S.B. No. 1316, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 573 and S.B. No. 1316, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRIC VEHICLES,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 574) recommending that S.B. No. 717, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 574 and S.B. No. 717, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHANOL,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 575) recommending that S.B. No. 1162, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 575 and S.B. No. 1162, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 576) recommending that S.B. No. 646, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 576 and S.B. No. 646, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 577) recommending that S.B. No. 488, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 577 and S.B. No. 488, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 578) recommending that S.B. No. 464, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 464, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION,” passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the majority of the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 579) recommending that S.B. No. 737, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 737, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHECK CASHING,” passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 580) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of FORD FUCHIGAMI as Director of the Department of Transportation, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 522.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 580 and Gov. Msg. No. 522 was deferred until Friday, March 6, 2015.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 581) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of JADE BUTAY as Deputy Director of the Department of Transportation, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 523.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 581 and Gov. Msg. No. 523 was deferred until Friday, March 6, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 582) recommending that S.B. No. 805 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 582 and S.B. No. 805, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH,” was deferred until Friday, March 6, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 583) recommending that S.B. No. 225, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 583 and S.B. No. 225, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE,” was deferred until Friday, March 6, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 584) recommending that S.B. No. 722, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 584 and S.B. No. 722, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE INSURANCE,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 585) recommending that S.B. No. 1040, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 585 and S.B. No. 1040, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FARMERS’ MARKETS,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 586) recommending that S.B. No. 802, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 586 and S.B. No. 802, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMOKING," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 587) recommending that S.B. No. 226, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 587 and S.B. No. 226, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABUSE OF FAMILY OR HOUSEHOLD MEMBER," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 588) recommending that S.B. No. 269, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 588 and S.B. No. 269, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ORDER," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 589) recommending that S.B. No. 283, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 589 and S.B. No. 283, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 590) recommending that S.B. No. 473, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 590 and S.B. No. 473, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 591) recommending that S.B. No. 434, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 591 and S.B. No. 434, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATED TO AGRICULTURE," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 592) recommending that S.B. No. 533, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 592 and S.B. No. 533, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT," was deferred until Friday, March 6, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 593) recommending that S.B. No. 1009, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 593 and S.B. No. 1009, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SERVICE CHARGES," was deferred until Friday, March 6, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 594) recommending that S.B. No. 743, as amended in

S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 743, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ACTIVITY DESKS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senators Chun Oakland and Espero, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 595) recommending that S.B. No. 913, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 913, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 596) recommending that S.B. No. 148, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 148, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NUISANCE ABATEMENT," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 597) recommending that S.B. No. 202, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 202, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 598) recommending that S.B. No. 440, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 440, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VACANCIES," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 599) recommending that S.B. No. 465, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 465, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT RECORDS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 600) recommending that S.B. No. 475, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 475, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OPEN GOVERNMENT," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Government Operations, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 601) recommending that S.B. No. 1183, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1183, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE LAND MAMMAL," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Government Operations, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 602) recommending that S.B. No. 1064, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1064, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT OF PROFESSIONAL SERVICES," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 603) recommending that S.B. No. 652, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 652, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC AGENCY MEETINGS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 604) recommending that S.B. No. 654, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 654, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGNS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 605) recommending that S.B. No. 1116, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1116, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RECORDS OF FORENSIC

EXAMINATIONS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 606) recommending that S.B. No. 508, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 508, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN FINANCE," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 607) recommending that S.B. No. 509, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 509, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 608) recommending that S.B. No. 514, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 514, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THEFT OF PERSONAL ELECTRONIC DEVICES," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 609) recommending that S.B. No. 569, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 569, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THEFT," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 610) recommending that S.B. No. 779 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 779, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Friday, March 6, 2015.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Government Operations, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 611) recommending that S.B. No. 1363 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1363, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE INSTRUMENT," passed Second Reading and

was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Friday, March 6, 2015.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 612) recommending that S.C.R. No. 19, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 19, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING A PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT WAIMANALO, KOOLAPOKO, OAHU, FOR THE USE, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR OF THE EXISTING SEAWALL AND STEPS," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 613) recommending that S.B. No. 1124 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1124, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO USE PERMITS FOR SMALL BOAT HARBORS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Friday, March 6, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 614) recommending that S.B. No. 826, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 826, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 615) recommending that S.B. No. 14, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 14, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RESIDENTIAL LANDLORD-TENANT CODE," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 616) recommending that S.B. No. 662, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 616 and S.B. No. 662, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 617) recommending that S.B. No. 757, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 617 and S.B. No. 757, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REGULATION OF ELECTRONIC

SMOKING DEVICES," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 618) recommending that S.B. No. 233, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 618 and S.B. No. 233, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 619) recommending that S.B. No. 16, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 619 and S.B. No. 16, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOWING," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 620) recommending that S.B. No. 1368, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 620 and S.B. No. 1368, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUOR," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 621) recommending that S.B. No. 735, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 621 and S.B. No. 735, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NURSES," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 622) recommending that S.B. No. 114, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 622 and S.B. No. 114, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTISTRY," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 623) recommending that S.B. No. 511, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 623 and S.B. No. 511, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LAND USE COMMISSION," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 624) recommending that S.B. No. 375, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 624 and S.B. No. 375, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INDUSTRIAL HEMP," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 625)

recommending that S.B. No. 758, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 625 and S.B. No. 758, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SERVICE BY PUBLICATION," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 626) recommending that S.B. No. 134, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 626 and S.B. No. 134, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARTITION OF HEIRS PROPERTY," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senators Baker and Tokuda, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 627) recommending that S.B. No. 1295, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 627 and S.B. No. 1295, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE NATURAL ENERGY LABORATORY OF HAWAII AUTHORITY," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 628) recommending that S.B. No. 1177, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 628 and S.B. No. 1177, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE FOUNDATION ON CULTURE AND THE ARTS," was deferred until Friday, March 6, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 629) recommending that S.B. No. 1115, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 629 and S.B. No. 1115, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUILDING DESIGN FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES," was deferred until Friday, March 6, 2015.

Senator Shimabukuro, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 630) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of JOBIE MASAGATANI as Chairperson of the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 509.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 630 and Gov. Msg. No. 509 was deferred until Friday, March 6, 2015.

Senator Shimabukuro, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 631) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of WILLIAM AILA JR. as Deputy to the Chairperson of the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 510.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 631 and Gov. Msg. No. 510 was deferred until Friday, March 6, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 632) recommending that S.B. No. 140 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 140, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT RECORDS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Friday, March 6, 2015.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 633) recommending that S.B. No. 415 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 415, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BICYCLE SIGNALS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Friday, March 6, 2015.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 634) recommending that S.B. No. 1141, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1141, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 635) recommending that S.B. No. 305, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 305, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO USE OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS AND E-CIGARETTES ON HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION PREMISES," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 636) recommending that S.B. No. 818, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 818, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TUBERCULOSIS TESTING," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senators Green and Baker, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 637) recommending that S.B. No. 356, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 356, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 638) recommending that S.B. No. 756, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 756, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SECURE AND FAIR ENFORCEMENT FOR MORTGAGE LICENSING ACT," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 639) recommending that S.B. No. 1066, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1066, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM INTERSTATE FAMILY SUPPORT ACT," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 640) recommending that S.B. No. 657, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 657, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN FINANCE," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 641) recommending that S.B. No. 104, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 104, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUDGETING," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 642) recommending that S.B. No. 106, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 106, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURE CEILING," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 643) recommending that S.B. No. 250, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 250, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FEDERAL FUNDS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 644) recommending that S.B. No. 118, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 118, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT TRUSTS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 645) recommending that S.B. No. 555, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 555, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX CREDITS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 646) recommending that S.B. No. 1212, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1212, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AMENDING OR REPEALING VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF HAWAII TAX LAWS FOR THE PURPOSE OF DELETING OBSOLETE OR UNNECESSARY PROVISIONS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 647) recommending that S.B. No. 1297, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1297, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISPOSITION OF TAX REVENUES," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 648) recommending that S.B. No. 325, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 648 and S.B. No. 325, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 649) recommending that S.B. No. 435, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 649 and S.B. No. 435, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN PLANTS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 650) recommending that S.B. No. 1341, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 650 and S.B. No. 1341, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE AFFORDABLE CARE ACT INNOVATION WAIVER," was deferred until Friday, March 6, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 651) recommending that S.B. No. 1262, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 651 and S.B. No. 1262, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SECURE AND FAIR ENFORCEMENT FOR MORTGAGE LICENSING ACT," was deferred until Friday, March 6, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 652) recommending that S.B. No. 1157, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 652 and S.B. No. 1157, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STARLIGHT RESERVE," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 653) recommending that S.B. No. 416, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 416, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CYCLE TRACKS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

ORDER OF THE DAY

ADVISE AND CONSENT

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 549 (Gov. Msg. No. 512):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 549 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried.

Senator Keith-Agaran then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of JAMES NISHIMOTO as Director of the Department of Human Resources Development, term to expire December 3, 2018, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro.

Senator Keith-Agaran rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

"The nominee for the position of director of Human Resources Development brings over 30 years of human resources work experience with the state, including responsible positions at the agencies employing the largest number of public workers – the Department of Education and the University of Hawai'i – and prior service as deputy director of this department during some of the most challenging times for human resources issues in the state. He's certified in numerous fields including mediation, conflict resolution, discrimination investigations, and internal investigations.

"Testifiers at the confirmation hearing in support of the nominee indicate that Mr. Nishimoto's years of service to the state are an indication of his dedication to public service. Known as 'Nish' among his colleagues and friends, he is described by them as someone who has developed a deep understanding of public employment laws in Hawai'i and built a strong network of relationships with public agencies and employee unions. Testimony called him '... a quiet problem-solver, adept at bringing people together to find common ground and resolve challenging issues.' He 'understands the nuances and dynamics of civil service as well as the need to evolve our human resources issues around a changing [global] environment.'

"Further testimony indicated that he uses a collaborative approach when working with parties with varying viewpoints to resolve issues in a timely and respectful manner and has a keen understanding of each situation before him to anticipate and address multiple factors.

"As your committee chair, I received testimony from many Department of Human Resources Development employees, who testified that since starting his new position, they have observed him as an energetic, passionate, and fully committed department head who strives to ensure that the department provides quality service to state employees and the public. Employees and others testified that as a result of implementing a collaborative, team-oriented approach, the department under Mr. Nishimoto is moving forward with efforts to simplify and streamline the recruitment and classification processes and expanding training opportunities to assist state employees to perform more efficiently.

"At the confirmation hearing, Mr. Nishimoto certainly displayed greater enthusiasm and passion for human resources development issues than any average person might. In short, I came away convinced that Mr. Nishimoto believes and understands that a better state workforce is good for our community.

"If Mr. Nishimoto can pass on to his staff the same passion, I feel confident that he can lead change efforts that enhance service support at other state agencies. And while change is never accomplished overnight, it appears that Mr. Nishimoto is the kind of leader who can turn the rhetorical promise of change into a concrete reality.

"Your committee found that Mr. Nishimoto is exceptionally qualified to serve as the Director of Human Resources Development. He possesses the intelligence, knowledge, experience, and personality to be an outstanding director. So I urge my colleagues to vote in favor of his nomination as Director of Human Resources Development."

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

At 11:57 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 12:01 p.m.

THIRD READING

S.B. No. 564, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Baker and carried, S.B. No. 564, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

S.B. No. 13:

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, S.B. No. 13, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PSYCHOLOGY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

S.B. No. 143, S.D. 1:

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that S.B. No. 143, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro.

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

"I don't know why this bill is necessary. According to the Hawaii Bar Association, 95 percent of all civil cases have been settled; there have been less than 20 jury trials since 2008. And what this does is deny more people, particularly in the lower end scale, their right to justice. So I'll be voting 'no.' Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, S.B. No. 143, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION TO CHANGE THE THRESHOLD VALUE IN CONTROVERSY REQUIREMENT FOR JURY TRIALS IN CIVIL CASES AT COMMON LAW FROM \$5,000 TO \$10,000," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

S.B. No. 209, S.D. 1:

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that S.B. No. 209, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro.

Senator Slom rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations as follows:

"I think the intent of the bill is good; much of the bill is good. However, the definition that's put in the bill, 'a dangerous drug,' I think is too broad and subject to discussion. When we have schedules for drugs, it could easily be inserted. Also, the number 50, relating to number of pills or other substances, might be thought to be too low. So I'll vote for it but with reservations. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, S.B. No. 209, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRUGS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25; Ayes with Reservations (Slom). Noes, none.

S.B. No. 214, S.D. 1:

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that S.B. No. 214, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro.

Senator Slom rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations as follows:

"I think that there are some good points in the bill, but also, again, we seem to be picking on people at the lowest end of the judicial scale and the right to be involved. In this case, we're taking the small claims court, which has a dollar value of \$5,000, and we're saying that for those items of \$1,000 or less, there'll be no appeal process. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, S.B. No. 214, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SMALL CLAIMS DIVISION OF THE DISTRICT COURT," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25; Ayes with Reservations (Slom). Noes, none.

S.B. No. 218, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, S.B. No. 218, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ORDER OF SUCCESSION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24; Ayes with Reservations (Ihara). Noes, 1 (Slom).

S.B. No. 223, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, S.B. No. 223, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC GUARDIAN," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

S.B. No. 442, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, S.B. No. 442, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERMANENT ABSENTEE BALLOTS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

S.B. No. 452, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, S.B. No. 452, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

S.B. No. 622, S.D. 1:

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that S.B. No. 622, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro.

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

"We certainly need reforms to the Election Commission and to the chief elections officer. What we need is an independent review. What we've seen in the past and what we're seeing presently is that the current panel is poised to reward the chief elections officer for bad behavior. They wanted to increase his salary before; they're currently in negotiations to do that again. We need someone outside of that commission to actually review the work of the commission, to make sure that they're doing things as required by law – which they have not done – and to hold the chief elections officer accountable, and to make sure that the public is aware that complaints, in fact, have been filed but not acted upon by the commission."

"So again, I think that there should be an evaluation of that position, but it should come from someone outside of the commission itself. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, S.B. No. 622, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ELECTIONS COMMISSION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

S.B. No. 643, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, S.B. No. 643, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD VISITATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

S.B. No. 1049, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Gabbard, seconded by Senator Green and carried, S.B. No. 1049, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRONIC WASTE RECYCLING," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

S.B. No. 320, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Ruderman, seconded by Senator Gabbard and carried, S.B. No. 320, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL DISTRICTS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

S.B. No. 409, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Kahele and carried, S.B. No. 409, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ZONING," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25; Ayes with Reservations (Slom). Noes, none.

S.B. No. 673:

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Baker and carried, S.B. No. 673, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL SPACE CENTER FOR EXPLORATION SYSTEMS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

S.B. No. 388:

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Baker and carried, S.B. No. 388, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POLICE DEPARTMENTS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

S.B. No. 17:

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, S.B. No. 17, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL ESTATE SELLER DISCLOSURE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 548 (S.B. No. 1106, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 548 was adopted and S.B. No. 1106, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MEDICAID MANAGED CARE PROGRAM," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

REFERRAL OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The President made the following committee assignments of Senate concurrent resolutions offered on Monday, February 23, 2015, and Tuesday, February 24, 2015:

S.C.R. No.:

Referred to:

S.C.R. No. 30

Committee on Education

S.C.R. No. 32

Committee on Education

S.C.R. No. 33

Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology

S.C.R. No. 36

Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

REFERRAL OF SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The President made the following committee assignments of Senate resolutions offered on Tuesday, February 24, 2015:

S.R. No.:

Referred to:

S.R. No. 12

Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.R. No. 13

Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

Senator Keith-Agaran, Chair of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, rose to request a waiver of the notice requirement pursuant to Senate Rule 21 for S.B. No. 752.

Senator Keith-Agaran noted:

"I request a waiver of the notice requirement pursuant to Senate Rule 21 in order to hold a decision making meeting to reconsider the previous action taken by the Committee on Judiciary and Labor on Senate Bill 752. I wanted to make sure that the recommendation that we approved is restated so that it's clearer."

The Chair granted the waiver.

Senator Keith-Agaran announced that the Committee on Judiciary and Labor would be holding a decision-making meeting on S.B. No. 752 the following day at 9:30 a.m. in Conference Room 016.

Senator Baker rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

"Colleagues, recently a significant milestone in health and aviation history passed, and I didn't want it to go unnoticed. Last week, February 25 marked 25 years of smoke-free domestic flights in the United States. Today, most U.S. airports are also smoke-free indoors. The effort to create smoke-free flights was initiated in the 1960s by flight attendant Patty Young. I'm sure some of us remember what it was like to be on smoke-filled flights, having to breathe in somebody else's secondhand smoke. To commemorate her efforts, I wanted to highlight some of the milestones you may not be familiar with since the U.S. Surgeon General's report in 1964 identified smoking as a cause of increased mortality and a contributing factor in a host of diseases including cancer.

"In 1971, United became the first carrier to offer separate smoking and non-smoking sections.

"In 1973, the Civil Aeronautics Board required separate smoking and non-smoking sections on all airplanes.

"In 1982, a Texas intrastate airline called Muse Air opened for business as a smoke-free airline.

"In 1986, the United States Surgeon General identified secondhand smoke as a cause of death and disease and declared: 'The simple separation of smokers and nonsmokers within the

same airspace may reduce but cannot eliminate nonsmoker exposure to environmental tobacco smoke.’

“On January 1, 1988, a California law took effect making all in-state commercial travel smoke-free.

“April 23, 1988: President Ronald Reagan signed the law making all domestic flights of two hours or less smoke-free. That same year, the Association of Flight Attendants stepped up their congressional lobbying efforts and Northwest Airlines adopted a company policy making all of its domestic flights smoke-free. Shortly thereafter, RJR launched a smear campaign against Northwest Airlines.

“In 1989, a poll showed that 93 percent of nonsmokers and 58 percent of smokers approved of smoke-free flights of two hours or less.

“In 1990, George H.W. Bush signed a law making all domestic flights of six hours or less smoke-free.

“In 1995, Delta Airlines went smoke-free worldwide.

“In 2000, Bill Clinton signed a law making all flights between U.S. and foreign destinations 100 percent smoke-free. The Transportation secretary at that time said: ‘Protecting the health of Americans includes ensuring their right to breathe smoke-free air.’

“In 2011, USDOT proposed a rule to prohibit e-cigarette use on any United States airlines. And while it hasn’t been adopted, many major airlines include e-cigarettes on their list of prohibited items.

“This session, colleagues, we have an opportunity to continue the effort to ensure smoke-free and vape-free workplaces, schools, hospitals, and the like, as well as to continue to support research and smoking cessation efforts. The efforts over the past 25 years can be honored not by going back but forward with the good work we continue this session. Mahalo.”

Senator Slom rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follow:

“Yesterday, your Senate Minority – in conjunction with the House Minority and also with the assistance of the Senate Ways and Means Committee, the former state budget director, the present state budget director, and others, and under the guidance of my staff led by Paul Harleman, our budget director – launched the Hawaii Open Budget Initiative.

“Now, the Hawaii Open Budget Initiative is a tool to get people – the general public, particularly – to be more involved with the budget process. It is totally nonpartisan. It is non-judgmental. It presents facts in such a way, using software that has not been used before, that provides an interactive basis for people to look at the state budget, to get information, to manipulate the budget to see what would happen if you added expenditures here or cut costs there.

“It is available to everyone; it is not proprietary to us – we just wanted to launch it. You can go to the hawaiiopenbudget.com website to utilize it. But we hope that this will get more people involved in the budgetary process and involve all of us in terms of making for better budgets. I want to stress that this is separate from the Senate Minority’s alternative budget, which will be put up right after we receive the House budget. So I encourage you and welcome you to go to hawaiiopenbudget.com. Thank you, Madam President.”

The Chair noted that the Chair of the Committee on Ways and Means had also made the budget documents available to the public on the Hawai‘i State Legislature’s website.

The Chair then made the following announcement:

“The deadline to file standing committee reports on Senate bills for Second Reading is 6:00 p.m. tonight.”

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:16 p.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Friday, March 6, 2015.

TWENTY-FOURTH DAY

Friday, March 6, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:40 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present.

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

Senator Taniguchi introduced guests from Nagoya, Japan: Akihiko Onizuka, who was training to become a church minister; and Takuya Sugiyama, a student at Nihon Fukushi University who was studying to become a teacher.

Senator Slom introduced Mr. Hideo Higa of Wahiawā, a member of the 442nd Regimental Combat Team who earned a Purple Heart in 1944 for serving in France during the famed rescue of the "Lost Battalion." Senator Slom also recognized Mr. Higa's entrepreneurial spirit and noted that he served as president of his family's Pepsi-Cola franchise bottling operation, Yonagusuku Beverage Company, in Okinawa.

Senator Gabbard honored and commended American Heritage Girls, and presented the following remarks:

"Madam President and colleagues, I'd like to introduce you to the American Heritage Girls Troop 1 and Troop 50.

"Representing the first troop established in Hawai'i, Troop 1, which has about 40 girls total and is chartered by the Calvary Chapel West Oahu: First up is Danielle Long. Danielle will receive the certificate on behalf of Troop 1. She's 16 years old; she's been in AHG since the beginning – over four years – and one of the last two girl members referred to as a founding daughter. Danielle and her family were part of the grassroots campaign to start AHG in Hawai'i. Please greet her warmly. Next we have Maria Victoria 'Marivic' Lopez Benson. She has been in AHG three years, and she's 10 years old. Next up is Ella Bartholomew, and she's been in AHG for three years, and she's eight years old. In the gallery we have the troop leader for Troop HI0001, Regina Ortega Leonardi.

"Next, representing Troop 50, which has about 35 girls total and is chartered by Waipio Grace Brethren Church: First is Taylor Berge. Taylor will receive the certificate on behalf of Troop 50. She is 14 years old; it's her third year in AHG. She's excited to receive an invitation to the Senate, and her involvement in AHG and TeenPact has piqued her interest to understand the political process and to be involved in it. Please greet her warmly. Next is Savannah Lindsey, who is 15. She's been in AHG for two years. She really enjoys giving back to the community and ministering to others one on one. She's also very excited to be with us here in the Senate. Finally, Summer Lindsey. Summer is 13; she's been in AHG for two years. Summer is currently working toward her Stars and Stripes Award, which is the highest award for American Heritage Girls. She's very excited to be here in the Hawai'i State Senate and learning more about the political process. Welcome. In the gallery, we have the Troop HI0050 leader, Jamie Wood.

"Colleagues, American Heritage Girls was founded in 1995 in Westchester, Ohio by a group of parents wanting a wholesome program for their daughters. Their vision statement is: 'American Heritage Girls is the premier national character development organization for young women that embraces Christian values and encourages family involvement.' Currently, there are more than 35,000 AHG members who meet across the United States. The organization offers badge programs, service projects, girls' leadership opportunities, and

outdoor experiences to its members. AHG broadens the members' social development through extracurricular activities. This character-building program has successfully served thousands of girls since its inception and will continue to do so long into the 21st century. The first Hawai'i chapter started in 2010.

"In AHG, girls ages 5 to 18 meet together to enjoy learning new skills, giving service, growing in their faith, practicing leadership, experiencing teamwork, building friendships, and strengthening character. AHG has a multi-level structure, which means that the girls from all levels comprise one troop and meet together. The girls are able to mentor one another in a large group setting and then break into age-appropriate units to achieve the units' goals. These troops are led by dedicated adult volunteers who facilitate the AHG program while recognizing girls' valuable input. The girls are actively learning to love God, cherish their families, honor our country, and serve in our communities with true aloha. So the Senate of the State of Hawai'i hereby honors and congratulates American Heritage Girls for their important work of shaping our young wāhine into women of integrity.

"Madam President and colleagues, please recognize the American Heritage Girls troops, as well as all the AHG girls and their families in the gallery. Mahalo."

Senator Galuteria acknowledged the presence of Governor David Y. Ige in the gallery.

At 11:48 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 11:54 a.m.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following message from the Governor (Gov. Msg. No. 539) was read by the Clerk and was disposed of as follows:

Gov. Msg. No. 539, submitting for consideration and confirmation as Deputy Director of the Department of Accounting and General Services, the nomination of AUDREY HIDANO, term to expire December 3, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the House (Hse. Com. Nos. 12 to 19) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Hse. Com. No. 12, transmitting H.B. No. 385, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 5, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 385, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 13, transmitting H.B. No. 448, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 5, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 448, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 14, transmitting H.B. No. 525, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 5, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 525, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE PARKS," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 15, transmitting H.B. No. 538, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 5, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 538, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 16, transmitting H.B. No. 561, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 5, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 561, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOCIAL MEDIA," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 17, transmitting H.B. No. 621, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 5, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 621, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 18, transmitting H.B. No. 832, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 5, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 832, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 19, transmitting H.B. No. 1219, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 5, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1219, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions (S.C.R. Nos. 51 to 54) were read by the Clerk and were deferred:

S.C.R. No. 51 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AN INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE TO INVESTIGATE CONTESTED CHILD CUSTODY PROCEEDINGS INVOLVING THE COMMISSION OF FAMILY VIOLENCE BY A PARENT, AND TO ASSESS THE USE AND APPLICATION OF SECTION 571-46, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES."

Offered by: Senators Gabbard, Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Inouye, Kidani, Ruderman, Thielen.

S.C.R. No. 52 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION PETITIONING CONGRESS FOR A LIMITED AMENDMENTS CONVENTION TO RESTORE FREE AND FAIR ELECTIONS BY OVERTURNING THE DECISION OF THE UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT IN *CITIZENS UNITED V. FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION*, 558 U.S. 310 (2010) AND RELATED CASES."

Offered by: Senators Gabbard, Chun Oakland, Ruderman, Dela Cruz, Espero, Inouye, Kahele, Kidani, Nishihara, Thielen.

S.C.R. No. 53 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING EACH COUNTY TO REEVALUATE AND, IF NECESSARY, UPDATE ITS BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICES FOR CONSTRUCTION TO MINIMIZE SOIL EROSION AND SEDIMENT RUN-OFF."

Offered by: Senators Gabbard, Chun Oakland, Ruderman, Baker, Dela Cruz, Espero, Inouye, Kahele, Kidani, Nishihara, Thielen.

S.C.R. No. 54 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY REGARDING THE NEED TO INCREASE THE DOLLAR THRESHOLD THAT DETERMINES WHETHER A SMALL PURCHASE IS EXEMPT FROM SMALL PURCHASE PROCUREMENT PROCEDURES."

Offered by: Senator Kouchi.

SENATE RESOLUTION

The following resolution (S.R. No. 23) was read by the Clerk and was deferred:

S.R. No. 23 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY REGARDING THE NEED TO INCREASE THE DOLLAR THRESHOLD THAT DETERMINES WHETHER A SMALL PURCHASE IS EXEMPT FROM SMALL PURCHASE PROCUREMENT PROCEDURES."

Offered by: Senator Kouchi.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 654) recommending that S.B. No. 92, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 92, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 655) recommending that S.B. No. 401, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 401, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 656) recommending that S.B. No. 1092, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1092, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REPEAL OF NON-GENERAL FUNDS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 657) recommending that S.B. No. 119 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 119, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT COST ITEMS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on March 10, 2015.

Senators Tokuda and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Ways and Means and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 658) recommending that S.B. No. 254, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 254, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senators Keith-Agaran and Baker, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 659) recommending that S.B. No. 1287, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1287, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COPYRIGHTS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 660) recommending that S.B. No. 871, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 871, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 661) recommending that S.B. No. 879, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 879, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARIJUANA," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 662) recommending that S.B. No. 211, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 211, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FORENSIC IDENTIFICATION," passed Second Reading

and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 663) recommending that S.B. No. 1208, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1208, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 664) recommending that S.B. No. 1121, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1121, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WAGES AND HOURS ON PUBLIC WORKS LAW," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 665) recommending that S.B. No. 1120 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1120, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NOTICE OF HEARING BY THE LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS APPEALS BOARD," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 666) recommending that S.B. No. 1022, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1022, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII TO REPEAL THE ONE-YEAR MINIMUM HAWAII RESIDENCY REQUIREMENT TO QUALIFY FOR APPOINTMENT PURSUANT TO ARTICLE V, SECTION 6, OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 667) recommending that S.B. No. 1299 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1299, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISPOSITION OF TAX REVENUES," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 668) recommending that S.B. No. 1213, as amended in S.D. 1, pass

Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1213, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 669) recommending that S.B. No. 1156, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1156, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATUTORY REVISION: AMENDING OR REPEALING VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE HAWAII REVISED STATUTES AND THE SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII FOR THE PURPOSES OF CORRECTING ERRORS AND REFERENCES, CLARIFYING LANGUAGE, AND DELETING OBSOLETE OR UNNECESSARY PROVISIONS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 670) recommending that S.B. No. 937, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 937, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHICS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 671) recommending that S.B. No. 476, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 476, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISCLOSURES," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 672) recommending that S.B. No. 152, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 152, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RETENTION OF BIOLOGICAL EVIDENCE," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senators Keith-Agaran and Baker, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 673) recommending that S.B. No. 1010, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 1010, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE UNAUTHORIZED PRACTICE OF LAW," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 674) recommending that S.B. No. 615, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 615, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE VI, SECTION 3, OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 675) recommending that S.B. No. 1012, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1012, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 676) recommending that S.B. No. 451, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 451, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONFLICTS OF INTEREST," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 677) recommending that S.B. No. 265, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 265, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEX TRAFFICKING," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 678) recommending that S.B. No. 1344, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1344, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 679) recommending that S.B. No. 877, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 679 and S.B. No. 877, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 680) recommending that S.B. No. 40, S.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 3, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 680 and S.B. No. 40, S.D. 3, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LICENSING," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 681) recommending that S.B. No. 1032, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 681 and S.B. No. 1032, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHAPTER 245, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 682) recommending that S.B. No. 470, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 682 and S.B. No. 470, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KAHOLA'OWE ISLAND RESERVE," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 683) recommending that S.B. No. 1144, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 683 and S.B. No. 1144, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 684) recommending that S.B. No. 2, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 684 and S.B. No. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PILOTAGE," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 685) recommending that S.B. No. 419, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 685 and S.B. No. 419, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NEIGHBORHOOD BOARDS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 686) recommending that S.B. No. 682, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 686 and S.B. No. 682, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL MARIJUANA," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 687) recommending that S.B. No. 1113, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 687 and S.B. No. 1113, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BACKGROUND CHECKS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 688) recommending that S.B. No. 1291, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 688 and S.B. No. 1291, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL MARIJUANA," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 689) recommending that S.B. No. 1331, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 689 and S.B. No. 1331, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 690) recommending that S.B. No. 1335, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 690 and S.B. No. 1335, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 691) recommending that S.B. No. 1159, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 691 and S.B. No. 1159, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERANS DISABILITY BENEFITS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 692) recommending that S.B. No. 810, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 692 and S.B. No. 810, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE ACT," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 693) recommending that S.B. No. 611, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 693 and S.B. No. 611, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO USE OF INTOXICANTS WHILE OPERATING A VEHICLE," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 694) recommending that S.B. No. 379, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 694 and S.B. No. 379, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 695) recommending that S.B. No. 798, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 695 and S.B. No. 798, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 696) recommending that S.B. No. 1219, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 696 and S.B. No. 1219, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 697) recommending that S.B. No. 1209, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 697 and S.B. No. 1209, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RETIREMENT OF JUDGES," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senators Keith-Agaran and Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 698) recommending that S.B. No. 1338, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 698 and S.B. No. 1338, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH CONNECTOR," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senators Keith-Agaran and Tokuda, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 699) recommending that S.B. No. 1059, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 699 and S.B. No. 1059, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senators Keith-Agaran and Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 700) recommending that S.B. No. 1014, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 700 and S.B. No. 1014, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOUSELESS BILL OF RIGHTS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senators Keith-Agaran and Tokuda, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 701) recommending that S.B. No. 961, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 701 and S.B. No. 961, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH TREATMENT," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senators Keith-Agaran and Tokuda, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 702) recommending that S.B. No. 150, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 702 and S.B. No. 150, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOTING," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 703) recommending that S.B. No. 728, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 703 and S.B. No. 728, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT CONTRACTS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 704) recommending that S.B. No. 1158, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 704 and S.B. No. 1158, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL SPACE CENTER FOR EXPLORATION SYSTEMS SPECIAL FUND," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 705) recommending that S.B. No. 749, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 705 and S.B. No. 749, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COLORECTAL CANCER SCREENING AND AWARENESS PILOT PROGRAM," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 706) recommending that S.B. No. 287, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 706 and S.B. No. 287, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 707) recommending that S.B. No. 825, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 707 and S.B. No. 825, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CULTURAL EXCHANGES BETWEEN HAWAII AND PUERTO RICO," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 708) recommending that S.B. No. 382, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 708 and S.B. No. 382, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 709) recommending that S.B. No. 661, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 709 and S.B. No. 661, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNMANNED AERIAL SYSTEMS TEST SITES," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 710) recommending that S.B. No. 213, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 710 and S.B. No. 213, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PENAL CODE," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 711) recommending that S.B. No. 286, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 711 and S.B. No. 286, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF THE STATE INSPECTOR GENERAL," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 712) recommending that S.B. No. 163, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 712 and S.B. No. 163, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 713) recommending that S.B. No. 1001, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 713 and S.B. No. 1001, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MANUFACTURING," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 714) recommending that S.B. No. 133, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 714 and S.B. No. 133, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 715) recommending that S.B. No. 849, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 715 and S.B. No. 849, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 716) recommending that S.B. No. 343 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 716 and S.B. No. 343, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO VETERANS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 717) recommending that S.B. No. 243, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 717 and S.B. No. 243, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 718) recommending that S.B. No. 230 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 718 and S.B. No. 230, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESTITUTION FOR VICTIMS OF CRIME," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 719) recommending that S.B. No. 181, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 719 and S.B. No. 181, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERANS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 720) recommending that S.B. No. 878, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 720 and S.B. No. 878, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WASTEWATER," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 721) recommending that S.B. No. 1089, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 721 and S.B. No. 1089, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 722) recommending that S.B. No. 1122 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 722 and S.B. No. 1122, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WAGE AND HOUR LAW," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 723) recommending that S.B. No. 1129, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 723 and S.B. No. 1129, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMISSIONERS OF DEEDS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 724) recommending that S.B. No. 1107 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 724 and S.B. No. 1107, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR GENERAL ASSISTANCE," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 725) recommending that S.B. No. 618 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 725 and S.B. No. 618, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEAWATER AIR CONDITIONING," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 726) recommending that S.B. No. 619 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 726 and S.B. No. 619, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST SEAWATER AIR CONDITIONING PROJECTS ON OAHU," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 727) recommending that S.B. No. 729 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 727 and S.B. No. 729, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADVANCED PRACTICE REGISTERED NURSES," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 728) recommending that S.B. No. 1217, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 728 and S.B. No. 1217, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 729) recommending that S.B. No. 1087, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 729 and S.B. No. 1087, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 730) recommending that S.B. No. 100, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 730 and S.B. No. 100, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO APPROPRIATIONS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 731) recommending that S.B. No. 550, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 731 and S.B. No. 550, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senators Keith-Agaran and Tokuda, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 732) recommending that S.B. No. 612, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 732 and S.B. No. 612, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROBATION," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

ORDER OF THE DAY

ADVISE AND CONSENT

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 580 (Gov. Msg. No. 522):

Senator Nishihara moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 580 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Harimoto and carried.

Senator Nishihara then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of FORD FUCHIGAMI as Director of the Department of Transportation, term to expire December 3, 2018, seconded by Senator Harimoto.

Senator Nishihara rose to speak in strong support of the nominee as follows:

"Ford Fuchigami is a highly motivated and seasoned professional with excellent communication skills, proven leadership abilities, and extensive experience in business development operations. He was the interim director of the Department of Transportation, with an operating and maintenance budget of \$900 million and a staff of 3,750. Before that, he was the deputy director of the Airports Division and managed an O&M budget of \$488 million with a staff of 1,200.

"While at the Airports Division, Ford initiated the advancement of the \$2.7 billion airport modernization plan. He implemented the largest energy savings performance contract in the United States at \$150 million, which is projected to save \$518 million over 18 years. He restructured loans to provide increased debt capacity for future CIP and program opportunities. He also lobbied and changed state statutes to create a more palatable business model to maximize leasehold land opportunities. He successively negotiated rates and charges for concessionaires and vendors and was responsible for developing and maintaining excellent relationships with the Airlines Committee of Hawaii, the concessions group, Hawai'i Tourism Authority, and the Hawai'i Lodging and Tourism Association.

"So accordingly, Madam President, I strongly believe that Ford will be a definite asset as the director of the Department of Transportation, and I ask my fellow colleagues for their support in recommending and confirming Ford Fuchigami as Director of the Department of Transportation. Thank you, Madam President."

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Kouchi).

Senator Nishihara introduced newly confirmed Director Ford Fuchigami, who was accompanied in the gallery by staff members from the Department of Transportation.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 581 (Gov. Msg. No. 523):

Senator Nishihara moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 581 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Harimoto and carried.

Senator Nishihara then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of JADE BUTAY as Deputy Director of the Department of Transportation, term to expire December 3, 2018, seconded by Senator Harimoto.

Senator Nishihara rose to speak in strong support of the nominee as follows:

"Jade Butay is experienced at formulating and executing plans and strategy, is an energetic self-starter and not afraid to tackle the difficult tasks, and is a hands-on individual with an exceptional ability to get things done.

"Jade was the deputy director for the administration of the State Department of Transportation. He planned, directed, and coordinated activities for the Airports, Harbors, and Highways divisions within state laws and established policies and regulations under the general direction of the director. Jade maintained effective relationships between the DOT, the governor, the Legislature, other government officials, and the public. He exercised leadership, guidance, and control of the efforts of the employees toward achieving departmental objectives. Jade developed and implemented plans to improve the quality and productivity of the department and acted as appointing authority and approved contracts in the absence of the director.

"So, Madam President, I also strongly support the confirmation of Jade Butay as Deputy Director of the DOT, and I ask my fellow colleagues also for their support in confirming Jade Butay as Deputy Director, Department of Transportation. Thank you, Madam President."

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Kouchi).

Senator Nishihara introduced newly confirmed Deputy Director Jade Butay, who was present in the gallery.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 630 (Gov. Msg. No. 509):

Senator Shimabukuro moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 630 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Galuteria and carried.

Senator Shimabukuro then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of JOBIE MASAGATANI as Chairperson of the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands, term to expire December 31, 2018, seconded by Senator Galuteria.

Senator Shimabukuro rose to speak in strong support of the nominee as follows:

"Through working with Chair Jobie Masagatani during the last two years, I've learned that she has the drive to lead the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands to achieve its mission and fulfill Prince Kūhiō's vision and intent.

"Chair Masagatani is committed to stabilizing the department's financial future, addressing homestead affordability, revitalizing the agricultural homestead program, maximizing management of the department's water and energy resources, and supporting community-based projects.

"Members of the department staff testified that she is vigilant about protecting the trust and unequivocally, there is no one more caring or more sensitive to the needs of the beneficiaries on the waitlist than she.

"Chair Masagatani has impressive educational credentials. After graduating from Kamehameha Schools, she earned her Bachelor of Science from Northwestern University and then completed her graduate studies in economics, public policy, and urban and regional planning from Princeton University.

"In addition to her successes and achievements of the last two years at the department, Chair Masagatani brings years of experience of service to Native Hawaiians, having held positions at Office of Hawaiian Affairs, The Queen's Health Systems, and Kamehameha Schools, and eight years as deputy to the chairman at Hawaiian Home Lands under the Cayetano administration.

"Your committee has found that Chair Masagatani is clearly qualified to serve in this position. We agree that the continuity in her leadership will help stabilize our agency. Finally, we are confident we will see great things happen under her leadership

that will directly and positively impact the lives of Hawaiian home land beneficiaries through Hawai'i nei. Mahalo."

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Kouchi).

Senator Shimabukuro introduced Jobie Masagatani, newly confirmed Chairperson of the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands, who was accompanied in the gallery by her parents, Frank and Ernesta Masagatani.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 631 (Gov. Msg. No. 510):

Senator Shimabukuro moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 631 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Galuteria and carried.

Senator Shimabukuro then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of WILLIAM AILA JR. as Deputy to the Chairperson of the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands, term to expire December 3, 2018, seconded by Senator Galuteria.

Senator Galuteria rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

"Mahalo, and first I'd like to thank the chair of our Hawaiian Affairs Committee for providing me the opportunity to provide strong testimony in support of Governor's Message 510.

"Firstly, William Aila, Jr. has been an environmentalist, a community activist, and a Native Hawaiian cultural practitioner, but as the recent State Department of Land and Natural Resources director, he's quickly moved from being an outsider – or maybe an out-of-towner, if you will – to an insider bound by certain restrictions. He quickly acclimated himself and became a hands-on director, making it known far and wide that he was comfortable in both a blue collar and a white collar.

"Mr. Aila was born on March 6 – hey, happy birthday! – was raised in Wai'anae, and is a proud graduate of Wai'anae High School. He's dedicated much of his life to advocating on behalf of his community and the greater Hawaiian community. It's evidenced in his service, colleagues, including membership in the National Marine Protected Areas Advisory Council, the Ka'ena Point Advisory Group, the Advisory Group to U.S. Army Garrison – I believe that's Mākua Valley – the Wai'anae Campus Advisory Board, HCDA, and numerous other groups.

"Service is a recurring theme in Mr. Aila's professional background. He was for over 23 years the harbormaster for Wai'anae, and of course, the past chair of the Board of Land and Natural Resources.

"Madam President, your Committee on Hawaiian Affairs received testimony overwhelmingly in support for Mr. Aila and in particular, from the interim director of DLNR that noted the Department of Land and Natural Resources' loss is the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands' gain. He brings a wealth of skills and expertise, and the fact that he is himself a homesteader will be of great value.

"There's no question that Mr. Aila's work ethic and professional background, community service, and professional and personal experience make him qualified to serve as the deputy to the chair of the Hawaiian Homes Commission. And with that, colleagues, we ask for your consent to this appointment."

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Kouchi).

Senator Galuteria introduced William Aila, Jr., newly confirmed Deputy to the Chairperson of the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands, who was present in the gallery.

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

The Senate reconvened at 12:16 p.m.

THIRD READING

S.B. No. 1136:

Senator Tokuda moved that S.B. No. 1136, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Chun Oakland.

Senator Slom rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations as follows:

“My legal staff has found that the language in the bill, quote, ‘dependent, as described in section 152,’ is actually broader than the language in the IRS, so it’s not really a conformity measure.

“In addition to that, the tax code specifically exempts married dependents who filed a joint tax return and citizens and nationals of the countries being dependent under the tax code. What the impact of this would be is it would not allow taxpayers to claim wages paid to vocational rehabilitation referrals for credit, so I think we need to do more work on this. I support the intent. Thank you.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, S.B. No. 1136, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SECTION 235-55.91, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24; Ayes with Reservations (Slom). Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Kouchi).

S.B. No. 1134:

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Chun Oakland and carried, S.B. No. 1134, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ESTATE AND GENERATION-SKIPPING TRANSFER TAXES,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Kouchi).

S.B. No. 1265:

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, S.B. No. 1265, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE INSURANCE HOLDING COMPANY SYSTEM,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Kouchi).

S.B. No. 1097:

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, S.B. No. 1097, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONSUMER ADVOCATE,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Kouchi).

S.B. No. 332:

On motion by Senator Taniguchi, seconded by Senator Inouye and carried, S.B. No. 332, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOHANDAS KARAMCHAND

GANDHI DAY,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Kouchi).

S.B. No. 1154:

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Baker and carried, S.B. No. 1154, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LIQUOR COMMISSION,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Kouchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 582 (S.B. No. 805):

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 582 was adopted and S.B. No. 805, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Kouchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 583 (S.B. No. 225, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 583 was adopted and S.B. No. 225, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Kouchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 592 (S.B. No. 533, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 592 was adopted and S.B. No. 533, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24; Ayes with Reservations (Ihara). Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Kouchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 593 (S.B. No. 1009, S.D. 1):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 593 be adopted and S.B. No. 1009, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro.

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

“In addition to being coercive of business practices, the bill actually has no language specifying when hotels or how hotels are to clearly disclose to guests. In addition to this, it probably would be detrimental to the hotel baggage and portage handlers, since they would not get tips since the fee would already be required. Thank you.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 593 was adopted and S.B. No. 1009, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SERVICE CHARGES,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23. Noes, 1 (Slom). Excused, 1 (Kouchi).

S.B. No. 779:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, S.B. No. 779, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS,” having been read

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Kouchi).

S.B. No. 1363:

On motion by Senator Dela Cruz, seconded by Senator Nishihara and carried, S.B. No. 1363, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE INSTRUMENT," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24; Ayes with Reservations (Baker). Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Kouchi).

S.B. No. 1124:

On motion by Senator Thielen, seconded by Senator Galuteria and carried, S.B. No. 1124, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO USE PERMITS FOR SMALL BOAT HARBORS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Kouchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 628 (S.B. No. 1177, S.D. 1):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 628 be adopted and S.B. No. 1177, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Chun Oakland.

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

"The recent legislative auditor's report about the State Foundation cited need for sufficient planning and accountability for their expenditures and budgeting. It did not say that they needed more employees, and in fact, they do not need four more employees. But they're sitting on the Works of Art Special Fund, which currently has a balance of \$6.8 million. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 628 was adopted and S.B. No. 1177, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE FOUNDATION ON CULTURE AND THE ARTS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23; Ayes with Reservations (Espero, Ihara, Riviere). Noes, 1 (Slom). Excused, 1 (Kouchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 629 (S.B. No. 1115, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 629 was adopted and S.B. No. 1115, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUILDING DESIGN FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Kouchi).

S.B. No. 140:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, S.B. No. 140, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT RECORDS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Kouchi).

S.B. No. 415:

On motion by Senator Nishihara, seconded by Senator Harimoto and carried, S.B. No. 415, entitled: "A BILL FOR

AN ACT RELATING TO BICYCLE SIGNALS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Kouchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 650 (S.B. No. 1341, S.D. 1):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 650 be adopted and S.B. No. 1341, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Chun Oakland.

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

"First of all, we should've had the waiver a long time ago, should've had the Prepaid Health Care Act. The fact that we're now just thinking about it and are going to form a task force after we had the Prepaid Health Care Act working fine and not tapping or taxing the taxpayers' money – I think this is a misuse of funds. The task force also is seeking funds; usually our task forces do not. So, I strongly oppose this. Thank you."

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

"The previous speaker fails to understand that a waiver was not possible to submit until 2017, and the purpose of this measure is to try to come up with the best plan to utilize some additional federal funds to ensure that, not only Prepaid continues to work, but we do it in a way that helps to further decrease the number of uninsured we have in our state. It's a good bill, and I ask the rest of my colleagues to vote in support. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 650 was adopted and S.B. No. 1341, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE AFFORDABLE CARE ACT INNOVATION WAIVER," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23. Noes, 1 (Slom). Excused, 1 (Kouchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 651 (S.B. No. 1262, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Chun Oakland and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 651 was adopted and S.B. No. 1262, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SECURE AND FAIR ENFORCEMENT FOR MORTGAGE LICENSING ACT," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Kouchi).

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried unanimously, the Senate authorized the Clerk to receive standing committee reports recommending that Senate bills be placed on the calendar for Third Reading. In consequence thereof, and subsequent to its recessing at 12:26 p.m., the Senate took the following actions on the following Senate bills and standing committee reports:

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 733) recommending that S.B. No. 715, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 733 and S.B. No. 715, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE STANDARDS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 734) recommending that S.B. No. 502, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 734 and S.B. No. 502, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE DIVISION OF CONSERVATION AND RESOURCES ENFORCEMENT," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 735) recommending that S.B. No. 512, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 735 and S.B. No. 512, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 736) recommending that S.B. No. 521, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 736 and S.B. No. 521, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO WAIMEA NUI COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 737) recommending that S.B. No. 524, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 737 and S.B. No. 524, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING A GRANT TO THE HAWAII COUNTY OFFICE OF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 738) recommending that S.B. No. 544, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 738 and S.B. No. 544, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NATURAL RESOURCES," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 739) recommending that S.B. No. 559, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 739 and S.B. No. 559, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MILITARY," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 740) recommending that S.B. No. 577, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 740 and S.B. No. 577, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN FINANCE," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 741) recommending that S.B. No. 423, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 741 and S.B. No. 423, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO APPROPRIATIONS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 742) recommending that S.B. No. 436 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 742 and S.B. No. 436, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAINING," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 743) recommending that S.B. No. 477, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 743 and S.B. No. 477, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC HOUSING," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 744) recommending that S.B. No. 1062, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 744 and S.B. No. 1062, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BIOSECURITY PROGRAM," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 745) recommending that S.B. No. 1067, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 745 and S.B. No. 1067, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARITABLE SOLICITATION," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 746) recommending that S.B. No. 1072 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 746 and S.B. No. 1072, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 747) recommending that S.B. No. 1074, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 747 and S.B. No. 1074, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE PLANNING," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 748) recommending that S.B. No. 1076, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 748 and S.B. No. 1076, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 749) recommending that S.B. No. 204, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 749 and S.B. No. 204, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BEACH MANAGEMENT FOR THE NORTH SHORE OF OAHU," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 750) recommending that S.B. No. 216, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 750 and S.B. No. 216, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WAGES AND HOURS ON PUBLIC WORKS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 751) recommending that S.B. No. 262, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 751 and S.B. No. 262, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE NURSING FACILITY SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAM," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 752) recommending that S.B. No. 276, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 752 and S.B. No. 276, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELDER AND VULNERABLE ADULTS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 753) recommending that S.B. No. 298, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 753 and S.B. No. 298, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 754) recommending that S.B. No. 1211, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 754 and S.B. No. 1211, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MAJOR DISASTER FUND," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 755) recommending that S.B. No. 1214 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 755 and S.B. No. 1214, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST HAWAIIAN ELECTRIC COMPANY, INC., MAUI ELECTRIC COMPANY, LIMITED, AND HAWAII ELECTRIC LIGHT COMPANY, INC.," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 756) recommending that S.B. No. 1220, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 756 and S.B. No. 1220, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHAPTER 245, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 757) recommending that S.B. No. 1228, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 757 and S.B. No. 1228, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 758) recommending that S.B. No. 1248, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 758 and S.B. No. 1248, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 759) recommending that S.B. No. 1260 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 759 and S.B. No. 1260, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RECYCLING," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 760) recommending that S.B. No. 1281, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 760 and S.B. No. 1281, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MEDICAL CARE," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 761) recommending that S.B. No. 754, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 761 and S.B. No. 754, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TIME SHARING," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 762) recommending that S.B. No. 1071 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 762 and S.B. No. 1071, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ACQUISITION OF FIREARMS BY LAWFUL PERMANENT RESIDENT ALIENS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 763) recommending that S.B. No. 1131, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 763 and S.B. No. 1131, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 764)

recommending that S.B. No. 1166, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 764 and S.B. No. 1166, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 765) recommending that S.B. No. 1174, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 765 and S.B. No. 1174, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 766) recommending that S.B. No. 1279, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 766 and S.B. No. 1279, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENTS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 767) recommending that S.B. No. 1030, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 767 and S.B. No. 1030, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 768) recommending that S.B. No. 987, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 768 and S.B. No. 987, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 769) recommending that S.B. No. 982, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 769 and S.B. No. 982, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL AMNESTY," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 770) recommending that S.B. No. 736, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 770 and S.B. No. 736, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 771) recommending that S.B. No. 725, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 771 and S.B. No. 725, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTISTRY," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 772) recommending that S.B. No. 683, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 772 and S.B. No. 683, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE DRIVER LICENSING," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 773) recommending that S.B. No. 273, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 773 and S.B. No. 273, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IDENTIFICATION CARDS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 774) recommending that S.B. No. 589, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 774 and S.B. No. 589, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 775) recommending that S.B. No. 752, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 775 and S.B. No. 752, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 776) recommending that S.B. No. 895, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 776 and S.B. No. 895, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 777) recommending that S.B. No. 843 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 777 and S.B. No. 843, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 778) recommending that S.B. No. 892, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 778 and S.B. No. 892, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OMNIBUS HAWAII RESILIENCE AND SUSTAINABILITY STRATEGY," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 779) recommending that S.B. No. 866, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 779 and S.B. No. 866, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO SUPPORT THE

AFTER-SCHOOL PLUS PROGRAM,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 780) recommending that S.B. No. 857, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 780 and S.B. No. 857, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PREAUDITS OF PROPOSED PAYMENTS,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 781) recommending that S.B. No. 854, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 781 and S.B. No. 854, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SCHOOL LANDS,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 782) recommending that S.B. No. 847, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 782 and S.B. No. 847, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHERS,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 783) recommending that S.B. No. 836, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 783 and S.B. No. 836, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 784) recommending that S.B. No. 64, S.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 3, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 784 and S.B. No. 64, S.D. 3, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 785) recommending that S.B. No. 519, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 785 and S.B. No. 519, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 786) recommending that S.B. No. 1367, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 786 and S.B. No. 1367, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROJECT KEALAHOU,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 787) recommending that S.B. No. 1305, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 787 and S.B. No. 1305, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT

MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO THE COUNTY OF KAUAI OFFICE OF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 788) recommending that S.B. No. 1346 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 788 and S.B. No. 1346, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHERS,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 789) recommending that S.B. No. 1345 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 789 and S.B. No. 1345, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 790) recommending that S.B. No. 1310, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 790 and S.B. No. 1310, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STORMWATER MANAGEMENT,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 791) recommending that S.B. No. 304, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 791 and S.B. No. 304, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 792) recommending that S.B. No. 303, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 792 and S.B. No. 303, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 793) recommending that S.B. No. 301, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 793 and S.B. No. 301, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 794) recommending that S.B. No. 980, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 794 and S.B. No. 980, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAMS,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 795) recommending that S.B. No. 979, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 795 and S.B. No. 979, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO YOUTH,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 796) recommending that S.B. No. 975 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 796 and S.B. No. 975, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RENTAL HOUSING TRUST FUND,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 797) recommending that S.B. No. 974, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 797 and S.B. No. 974, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RENTAL HOUSING TRUST FUND,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 798) recommending that S.B. No. 964, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 798 and S.B. No. 964, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGING,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 799) recommending that S.B. No. 925, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 799 and S.B. No. 925, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 800) recommending that S.B. No. 912, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 800 and S.B. No. 912, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE FACILITIES,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 801) recommending that S.B. No. 387, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 801 and S.B. No. 387, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFIRMATIVE CONSENT,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 802) recommending that S.B. No. 385, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 802 and S.B. No. 385, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CANCER,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 803) recommending that S.B. No. 376, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 803 and S.B. No. 376, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A FARM TO SCHOOL PROGRAM,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 804) recommending that S.B. No. 364, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 804 and S.B. No. 364, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 805) recommending that S.B. No. 359, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 805 and S.B. No. 359, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENTAL RESPONSE, ENERGY, AND FOOD SECURITY TAX,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 806) recommending that S.B. No. 349, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 806 and S.B. No. 349, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 807) recommending that S.B. No. 337, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 807 and S.B. No. 337, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 808) recommending that S.B. No. 314, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 808 and S.B. No. 314, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION SERVICE,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 809) recommending that S.B. No. 307, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 809 and S.B. No. 307, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 810) recommending that S.B. No. 1127, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 810 and S.B. No. 1127, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENFORCEMENT ACTIONS BY THE BOARD OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 811) recommending that S.B. No. 1126, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 811 and S.B. No. 1126, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOREST STEWARDSHIP," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 812) recommending that S.B. No. 1118, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 812 and S.B. No. 1118, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR HAZARD EVALUATION AND EMERGENCY RESPONSE PREPAREDNESS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 813) recommending that S.B. No. 1042, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 813 and S.B. No. 1042, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR SUNSTRONG LLC, A RENEWABLE ENERGY DEVELOPER SERVING THE GENERAL PUBLIC IN PROVIDING ELECTRIC ENERGY," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 814) recommending that S.B. No. 1060, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 814 and S.B. No. 1060, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LOANS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 815) recommending that S.B. No. 1006, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 815 and S.B. No. 1006, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 816) recommending that S.B. No. 1003, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 816 and S.B. No. 1003, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 817) recommending that S.B. No. 1111, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 817 and S.B. No. 1111, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER INFRASTRUCTURE," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 818) recommending that S.B. No. 1101, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 818 and S.B. No. 1101, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 819) recommending that S.B. No. 1050, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 819 and S.B. No. 1050, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 820) recommending that S.B. No. 1051, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 820 and S.B. No. 1051, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FUEL CELL ELECTRIC VEHICLES," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 821) recommending that S.B. No. 1036, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 821 and S.B. No. 1036, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUBSTANCE ABUSE TREATMENT," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 822) recommending that S.B. No. 1047, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 822 and S.B. No. 1047, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST PELATRON Q, LLC," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 823) recommending that S.B. No. 833, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 823 and S.B. No. 833, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 824) recommending that S.B. No. 831, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 824 and S.B. No. 831, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 825) recommending that S.B. No. 822, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 825 and S.B. No. 822, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 826) recommending that S.B. No. 819, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 826 and S.B. No. 819, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 827) recommending that S.B. No. 812, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 827 and S.B. No. 812, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BEHAVIOR SUPPORT REVIEW COMMITTEE FOR PERSONS WITH DEVELOPMENTAL OR INTELLECTUAL DISABILITIES," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 828) recommending that S.B. No. 911, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 828 and S.B. No. 911, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LATEX," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 829) recommending that S.B. No. 807, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 829 and S.B. No. 807, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 830) recommending that S.B. No. 806, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 830 and S.B. No. 806, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOSPITAL SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAM," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 831) recommending that S.B. No. 786, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 831 and S.B. No. 786, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AHA MOKU ADVISORY COMMITTEE," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 832) recommending that S.B. No. 785, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 832 and S.B. No. 785, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING ON HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 833) recommending that S.B. No. 774, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 833 and S.B. No. 774, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PROTECTION OF TARO," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 834) recommending that S.B. No. 768, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 834 and S.B. No. 768, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IN VITRO FERTILIZATION INSURANCE COVERAGE," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 835) recommending that S.B. No. 710, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 835 and S.B. No. 710, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE INTEGRATED SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 836) recommending that S.B. No. 703, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 836 and S.B. No. 703, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOLID WASTE," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 837) recommending that S.B. No. 115, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 837 and S.B. No. 115, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 838) recommending that S.B. No. 120, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 838 and S.B. No. 120, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 839) recommending that S.B. No. 139, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 839 and S.B. No. 139, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL SERVICE EXEMPTIONS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 840) recommending that S.B. No. 144, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 840 and S.B. No. 144, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JURY TRIAL," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 841) recommending that S.B. No. 160, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 841 and S.B. No. 160, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII NON-GENERAL FUNDS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 842) recommending that S.B. No. 193, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 842 and S.B. No. 193, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENHANCED 911 SURCHARGES," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 843) recommending that S.B. No. 194, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 843 and S.B. No. 194, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CULTURAL EXCHANGES BETWEEN HAWAII AND AFRICAN AMERICANS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 844) recommending that S.B. No. 676, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 844 and S.B. No. 676, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CAPITAL INFRASTRUCTURE TAX CREDIT," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 845) recommending that S.B. No. 663 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 845 and S.B. No. 663, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 846) recommending that S.B. No. 1194, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 846 and S.B. No. 1194, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOBBYISTS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 847) recommending that S.B. No. 1178, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 847 and S.B. No. 1178, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 848) recommending that S.B. No. 1175, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 848 and S.B. No. 1175, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII STATE HOSPITAL," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 849) recommending that S.B. No. 1150, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 849 and S.B. No. 1150, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 850) recommending that S.B. No. 1146, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 850 and S.B. No. 1146, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII ACCOUNTING AND FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT SYSTEM," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 851) recommending that S.B. No. 1077, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 851 and S.B. No. 1077, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 852) recommending that S.B. No. 1078, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 852 and S.B. No. 1078, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 853) recommending that S.B. No. 1079, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 853 and S.B. No. 1079, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 854) recommending that S.B. No. 1081, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 854 and S.B. No. 1081, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 855) recommending that S.B. No. 1082, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 855 and S.B. No. 1082, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 856) recommending that S.B. No. 1083, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 856 and S.B. No. 1083, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 857) recommending that S.B. No. 1084, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 857 and S.B. No. 1084, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT

MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 858) recommending that S.B. No. 1093, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 858 and S.B. No. 1093, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MORTGAGE SERVICERS,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 859) recommending that S.B. No. 1096, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 859 and S.B. No. 1096, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ON-BILL PROGRAMS,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 860) recommending that S.B. No. 1361, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 860 and S.B. No. 1361, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUDGETING,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 861) recommending that S.B. No. 1324, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 861 and S.B. No. 1324, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DIVORCE,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 862) recommending that S.B. No. 1180, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 862 and S.B. No. 1180, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATIONS,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 863) recommending that S.B. No. 778, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 863 and S.B. No. 778, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 864) recommending that S.B. No. 750 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 864 and S.B. No. 750, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST ANAERGIA INCORPORATED,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 865) recommending that S.B. No. 504, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 865 and S.B. No. 504, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 866) recommending that S.B. No. 384, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 866 and S.B. No. 384, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADDRESS CONFIDENTIALITY,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 867) recommending that S.B. No. 129, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 867 and S.B. No. 129, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 868) recommending that S.B. No. 128, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 868 and S.B. No. 128, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 869) recommending that S.B. No. 1080, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 869 and S.B. No. 1080, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 870) recommending that S.B. No. 1348 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 870 and S.B. No. 1348, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 871) recommending that S.B. No. 971, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 871 and S.B. No. 971, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 872) recommending that S.B. No. 1011, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 872 and S.B. No. 1011, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING,” was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 873) recommending that S.B. No. 1016, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 873 and S.B. No. 1016, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 874) recommending that S.B. No. 472, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 874 and S.B. No. 472, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF INFORMATION PRACTICES," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 875) recommending that S.B. No. 275, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 875 and S.B. No. 275, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEXUAL ASSAULT," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 876) recommending that S.B. No. 284, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 876 and S.B. No. 284, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS TAX," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 877) recommending that S.B. No. 374, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 877 and S.B. No. 374, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DUAL CREDIT PROGRAMS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 878) recommending that S.B. No. 1280, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 878 and S.B. No. 1280, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION NETWORK COMPANIES," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 879) recommending that S.B. No. 675, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 879 and S.B. No. 675, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREFIGHTERS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 880) recommending that S.B. No. 996, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 880 and S.B. No. 996, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO ETHICS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 881) recommending that S.B. No. 984, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 881 and S.B. No. 984, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 882) recommending that S.B. No. 844, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 882 and S.B. No. 844, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 883) recommending that S.B. No. 704, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 883 and S.B. No. 704, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRIC VEHICLES," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 884) recommending that S.B. No. 1155, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 884 and S.B. No. 1155, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CREATIVE MEDIA INDUSTRY," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 885) recommending that S.B. No. 158, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 885 and S.B. No. 158, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET DOCUMENTS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 886) recommending that S.B. No. 841, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 886 and S.B. No. 841, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL HEALTH," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 887) recommending that S.B. No. 1374, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 887 and S.B. No. 1374, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND EXCHANGE," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 888) recommending that S.B. No. 791, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 888 and S.B. No. 791, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDERS," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 889) recommending that S.B. No. 1028, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 889 and S.B. No. 1028, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH CONNECTOR," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 890) recommending that S.B. No. 113, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 890 and S.B. No. 113, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII STATE LOAN REPAYMENT PROGRAM," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 891) recommending that S.B. No. 1117, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 891 and S.B. No. 1117, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 892) recommending that S.B. No. 638, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 892 and S.B. No. 638, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 893) recommending that S.B. No. 1037, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 893 and S.B. No. 1037, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HEALTH IMPACTS OF PESTICIDES," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 894) recommending that S.B. No. 1221, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 894 and S.B. No. 1221, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 895) recommending that S.B. No. 846, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 895 and S.B. No. 846, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 896) recommending that S.B. No. 897, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 896 and S.B. No. 897, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE KAHOLAWE ISLAND RESERVE COMMISSION," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 897) recommending that S.B. No. 1090, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 897 and S.B. No. 1090, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 898) recommending that S.B. No. 19, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 898 and S.B. No. 19, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 899) recommending that S.B. No. 887, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 899 and S.B. No. 887, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGH TECHNOLOGY," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 900) recommending that S.B. No. 1094, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 900 and S.B. No. 1094, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 901) recommending that S.B. No. 165, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 901 and S.B. No. 165, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE FACILITIES," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 902) recommending that S.B. No. 1008, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 902 and S.B. No. 1008, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII FOOD RESILIENCY," was deferred until Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

ADJOURNMENT

At 10:00 p.m., the Senate adjourned until 9:30 a.m., Tuesday, March 10, 2015.

TWENTY-FIFTH DAY

Tuesday, March 10, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 9:32 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present.

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions (S.C.R. Nos. 55 to 74) were read by the Clerk and were deferred:

S.C.R. No. 55 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AHA MOKU ADVISORY COMMITTEE TO ENGAGE STAKEHOLDERS IN ORDER TO DEVELOP AND ADOPT RULES FOR ITS OPERATION AND ADMINISTRATION."

Offered by: Senators Shimabukuro, Chun Oakland, English, Green, Inouye, Tokuda, Dela Cruz, Espero, Galuteria, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara, Thielen.

S.C.R. No. 56 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO ASSESS THE SOCIAL AND FINANCIAL EFFECTS OF REQUIRING HEALTH INSURERS TO PROVIDE INFERTILITY PROCEDURE COVERAGE."

Offered by: Senators Shimabukuro, Green, Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Espero, Galuteria, Harimoto, Inouye, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Kouchi, Nishihara, Riviere, Taniguchi, Thielen, Tokuda.

S.C.R. No. 57 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION EXPANDING THE TASK FORCE STUDY OF THE EFFECTS OF THE JANUARY 2014 FUEL TANK LEAK AT THE RED HILL UNDERGROUND FUEL STORAGE FACILITY, ESTABLISHED UNDER SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 73, H.D. 1, REGULAR SESSION OF 2014, TO INCLUDE AN ADDITIONAL TWENTY-SIX UNDERGROUND FUEL STORAGE TANKS IN THE STATE OWNED BY THE UNITED STATES MILITARY."

Offered by: Senators Gabbard, Chun Oakland, Baker, Dela Cruz, Espero, Inouye, Kahele, Kidani, Nishihara, Ruderman, Thielen.

S.C.R. No. 58 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING HAWAII'S CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION TO SUPPORT AND ENACT FEDERAL LEGISLATION TO ADDRESS THE UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT DECISION IN *QUILL CORP. V. NORTH DAKOTA*, 504 U.S. 298 (1992), TO ALLOW THE STATE TO COLLECT GENERAL EXCISE TAX REVENUES FROM E-COMMERCE SALES."

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Baker, Dela Cruz, Espero, Galuteria, Ihara, Inouye, Riviere, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Taniguchi.

S.C.R. No. 59 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING JUNETEENTH NATIONAL FREEDOM DAY ON JUNE 19 OF EACH YEAR."

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Baker, Ihara, Inouye, Riviere, Ruderman.

S.C.R. No. 60 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES, AFTER CONSULTATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, TO DETERMINE THE COST OF PLACING AN OVERPASS OVER THE H-1 FREEWAY TO EXTEND BETWEEN NUUANU STREAM AND QUEEN EMMA STREET THAT WOULD REDUCE TRAFFIC NOISE POLLUTION AND BE USED AS A PARK OR OTHER COMMUNITY USE PURPOSE."

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Gabbard, Ihara, Inouye, Riviere.

S.C.R. No. 61 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO ESTABLISH A LIFE SKILLS EDUCATION PROGRAM AT EACH PUBLIC SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS IN KINDERGARTEN THROUGH TWELFTH GRADE."

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Baker, Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Harimoto, Ihara, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Ruderman, Taniguchi.

S.C.R. No. 62 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNITED STATES SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE TO INCREASE THE FEDERAL BREAKFAST, LUNCH, AND AFTERSCHOOL SNACK REIMBURSEMENT RATES FOR HAWAII."

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Harimoto, Kidani, Ruderman, Baker, Espero, Galuteria, Ihara, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Thielen.

S.C.R. No. 63 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE HONOLULU AUTHORITY FOR RAPID TRANSPORTATION TO IDENTIFY AND IMPLEMENT COST CUTTING PRACTICES."

Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Chun Oakland, Espero, Gabbard, Inouye, Kahele, Kidani, Wakai, Galuteria, Nishihara, Shimabukuro.

S.C.R. No. 64 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO MODIFY ITS MEDICATION ADMINISTRATION POLICY SO THAT ALL STUDENTS AFFECTED BY ANAPHYLAXIS WILL HAVE MORE EFFICIENT ACCESS TO AUTO-INJECTABLE EPINEPHRINE."

Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Chun Oakland, Gabbard, Kidani, Galuteria, Harimoto, Inouye, Kahele, Kouchi, Nishihara, Shimabukuro, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 65 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE HONOLULU AUTHORITY FOR RAPID TRANSPORTATION TO INCORPORATE A BUS RAPID TRANSIT SYSTEM INTO ITS RAIL TRANSIT PLANNING TO CONNECT CERTAIN PARTS OF OAHU WITH THE RAIL TRANSIT SYSTEM."

Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Chun Oakland, Espero, Inouye, Kahele, Kidani,

Nishihara, Wakai, Galuteria, Kouchi, Shimabukuro.

S.C.R. No. 66 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO EXPLORE THE FEASIBILITY OF EXPANDING THE EARLY HEAD START PROGRAM TO INCLUDE A BROADER RANGE OF INCOMES."

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Harimoto, Kidani, Baker, Galuteria, Ihara, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Thielen.

S.C.R. No. 67 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE MAYORS AND THE GOVERNOR TO COLLABORATE ON A PILOT PROGRAM TO GIVE PROPERTY AND OTHER TAX RELIEF TO SENIOR CITIZENS WHO VOLUNTEER THEIR TIME AND TALENTS TO ASSIST GOVERNMENT OFFICES IN THE STATE OF HAWAII."

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Ihara, Shimabukuro.

S.C.R. No. 68 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO PROMOTE MENTAL HEALTH FIRST AID TRAINING THROUGHOUT THE STATE."

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Harimoto, Baker, Gabbard, Green, Ihara, Nishihara, Ruderman, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 69 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO IMPLEMENT A RADIATION MONITORING PILOT PROJECT."

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Gabbard, Galuteria, Green.

S.C.R. No. 70 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO RAISE PUBLIC AWARENESS REGARDING THE ADVERSE EFFECTS AND DANGERS CAUSED BY THE USE OF MICROBEADS IN PERSONAL-CARE PRODUCTS."

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Gabbard, Baker, Green, Ihara, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Riviere, Ruderman.

S.C.R. No. 71 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE COUNTIES TO PROTECT THE PUBLIC INTEREST BY ENGAGING PRIVATE PROPERTY OWNERS IN SHARING IN THE COST OF MITIGATING THE POTENTIAL RISKS AND HAZARDS POSED BY TREES ON THEIR PROPERTY."

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Baker, Gabbard, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Ruderman, Thielen.

S.C.R. No. 72 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CHAIRPERSON OF THE BOARD OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES AND THE MAYOR OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO FORM A WORKING GROUP TO ADDRESS ABANDONED VEHICLES AND BOATS ON PUBLIC ROADWAYS AND STREETS."

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Gabbard, Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Shimabukuro, Thielen.

S.C.R. No. 73 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION DECLARING APRIL 24 AS A DAY OF REMEMBRANCE IN RECOGNITION AND

COMMEMORATION OF THE ARMENIAN GENOCIDE OF 1915."

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Harimoto, Ihara, Inouye, Ruderman.

S.C.R. No. 74 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY TO COORDINATE WITH THE HOSPITALITY INDUSTRY TO CREATE A MORE WELCOMING ENVIRONMENT FOR CHINESE VISITORS."

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Espero, Harimoto, Shimabukuro.

SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions (S.R. Nos. 24 to 35) were read by the Clerk and were deferred:

S.R. No. 24 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AHA MOKU ADVISORY COMMITTEE TO ENGAGE STAKEHOLDERS IN ORDER TO DEVELOP AND ADOPT RULES FOR ITS OPERATION AND ADMINISTRATION."

Offered by: Senators Shimabukuro, Chun Oakland, English, Green, Inouye, Tokuda, Dela Cruz, Espero, Galuteria, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara, Riviere, Thielen.

S.R. No. 25 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO ASSESS THE SOCIAL AND FINANCIAL EFFECTS OF REQUIRING HEALTH INSURERS TO PROVIDE INFERTILITY PROCEDURE COVERAGE."

Offered by: Senators Shimabukuro, Green, Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Espero, Galuteria, Harimoto, Inouye, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Kouchi, Nishihara, Taniguchi, Thielen, Tokuda.

S.R. No. 26 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNITED STATES SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE TO INCREASE THE FEDERAL BREAKFAST, LUNCH, AND AFTERSCHOOL SNACK REIMBURSEMENT RATES FOR HAWAII."

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Harimoto, Kidani, Ruderman, Baker, Galuteria, Ihara, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Thielen.

S.R. No. 27 "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE HONOLULU AUTHORITY FOR RAPID TRANSPORTATION TO IDENTIFY AND IMPLEMENT COST CUTTING PRACTICES."

Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Chun Oakland, Espero, Gabbard, Inouye, Kahele, Kidani, Wakai, Galuteria, Nishihara, Shimabukuro.

S.R. No. 28 "SENATE RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO MODIFY ITS MEDICATION ADMINISTRATION POLICY SO THAT ALL STUDENTS AFFECTED BY ANAPHYLAXIS WILL HAVE MORE EFFICIENT ACCESS TO AUTO-INJECTABLE EPINEPHRINE."

Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Chun Oakland, Espero, Gabbard, Kidani, Galuteria, Harimoto, Inouye, Kahele, Kouchi, Nishihara, Shimabukuro, Wakai.

S.R. No. 29 "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE HONOLULU AUTHORITY FOR RAPID TRANSPORTATION TO INCORPORATE A BUS RAPID TRANSIT SYSTEM INTO ITS RAIL TRANSIT PLANNING TO CONNECT CERTAIN PARTS OF OAHU WITH THE RAIL TRANSIT SYSTEM."

Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Chun Oakland, Espero, Inouye, Kahele, Kidani, Nishihara, Wakai, Galuteria, Kouchi, Shimabukuro.

S.R. No. 30 "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE MAYORS AND THE GOVERNOR TO COLLABORATE ON A PILOT PROGRAM TO GIVE PROPERTY AND OTHER TAX RELIEF TO SENIOR CITIZENS WHO VOLUNTEER THEIR TIME AND TALENTS TO ASSIST GOVERNMENT OFFICES IN THE STATE OF HAWAII."

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Ihara, Shimabukuro.

S.R. No. 31 "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO RAISE PUBLIC AWARENESS REGARDING THE ADVERSE EFFECTS AND DANGERS CAUSED BY THE USE OF MICROBEADS IN PERSONAL-CARE PRODUCTS."

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Gabbard, Baker, Green, Ihara, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Riviere, Ruderman.

S.R. No. 32 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CHAIRPERSON OF THE BOARD OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES AND THE MAYOR OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO FORM A WORKING GROUP TO ADDRESS ABANDONED VEHICLES AND BOATS ON PUBLIC ROADWAYS AND STREETS."

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Gabbard, Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Shimabukuro, Thielen.

S.R. No. 33 "SENATE RESOLUTION DECLARING APRIL 24 AS A DAY OF REMEMBRANCE IN RECOGNITION AND COMMEMORATION OF THE ARMENIAN GENOCIDE OF 1915."

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Harimoto, Ihara, Inouye, Ruderman.

S.R. No. 34 "SENATE RESOLUTION COMMEMORATING THE THIRTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF HAWAII'S SISTER-STATE RELATIONSHIP WITH THE GUANGDONG PROVINCE."

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Kahele, Espero, Harimoto, Shimabukuro, Taniguchi.

S.R. No. 35 "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY TO COORDINATE WITH THE HOSPITALITY INDUSTRY TO CREATE A MORE WELCOMING ENVIRONMENT FOR CHINESE VISITORS."

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Espero, Harimoto, Shimabukuro.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 903) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of DOUGLAS CHIN as Attorney General of the

Department of the Attorney General, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 513.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 903 and Gov. Msg. No. 513 was deferred until Thursday, March 12, 2015.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 904) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of NOLAN ESPINDA as Director of the Department of Public Safety, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 516.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 904 and Gov. Msg. No. 516 was deferred until Thursday, March 12, 2015.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 905) recommending that S.C.R. No. 13, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 905 and S.C.R. No. 13, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE INTERAGENCY COUNCIL ON HOMELESSNESS TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO DETERMINE THE BEST PRACTICES FOR COLLECTING, STORING, AND SHARING DATA ON HOMELESS YOUTH," was deferred until Thursday, March 12, 2015.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 906) recommending that S.C.R. No. 4 be referred to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 4, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF THE OLDER AMERICANS ACT AND DESIGNATING MAY AS "OLDER AMERICANS MONTH" IN HAWAII," was referred to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 907) recommending that S.C.R. No. 8, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 8, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SALE OF THE LEASED FEE INTEREST IN 41-665 INOA STREET, WAIMANALO, HAWAII," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 908) recommending that S.C.R. No. 10 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 10, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SALE OF THE LEASED FEE INTEREST IN 41-543 INOA STREET, WAIMANALO, HAWAII," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 909) recommending that S.C.R. No. 11, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 11, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SALE OF THE LEASED FEE INTEREST IN 94-944 MEHEULA PARKWAY, NO. 153, MILILANI, HAWAII," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 910) recommending that S.C.R. No. 12 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 12, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SALE OF THE LEASED FEE INTEREST IN 95-015 KUAHELANI AVENUE, NO. 319, MILILANI, HAWAII," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 911) recommending that S.C.R. No. 9 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 9, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SALE OF THE LEASED FEE INTEREST IN 41-575 INOAOLE STREET, WAIMANALO, HAWAII," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

ORDER OF THE DAY

THIRD READING

S.B. No. 105, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, S.B. No. 105, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 101, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, S.B. No. 101, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 1312, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, S.B. No. 1312, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE FUNDS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 1095, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, S.B. No. 1095, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH INSURANCE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 868, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Baker and carried, S.B. No. 868, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUOR COMMISSIONS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 573 (S.B. No. 1316, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 573 was adopted and S.B. No. 1316, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRIC VEHICLES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 574 (S.B. No. 717, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 574 was adopted and S.B. No. 717, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHANOL," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 464, S.D. 1:

Senator Baker moved that S.B. No. 464, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Keith-Agaran requested that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Keith-Agaran's remarks read as follows:

"I stand in strong support of this measure.

"This bill addresses a situation that many of us face in ordering new products, services, or access to websites whose content is not free for viewing by all. Although we might think we are signing up only for a free-trial period, in fact we may be unwittingly consenting to a subscription system for which we will continue to be charged fees. This measure seeks to curtail unscrupulous or unclear practices with respect to 'free trial' periods by requiring explicit and affirmative consent from a consumer to consciously agree to any obligation to pay for goods or services beyond the initial trial period. In other words, this bill requires sellers pushing a product or service to get a consumer to clearly 'opt in' rather than the current practice of 'opting out' in these types of deals. Mahalo to the Office of Consumer Protection of the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs for working with your Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection in fashioning an amendment that brings this 'opt in' process into the existing statutory framework with respect to automatic renewal clauses.

"I urge my colleagues to vote in favor."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, S.B. No. 464, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 584 (S.B. No. 722, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 584 was adopted and S.B. No. 722, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE INSURANCE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 585 (S.B. No. 1040, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 585 was adopted and S.B. No. 1040, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FARMERS' MARKETS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24; Ayes with Reservations (Nishihara). Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 587 (S.B. No. 226, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 587 was adopted and S.B. No. 226, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABUSE OF FAMILY OR HOUSEHOLD MEMBER," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 589 (S.B. No. 283, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 589 was adopted and S.B. No. 283, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 743, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, S.B. No. 743, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ACTIVITY DESKS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 913, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Chun Oakland, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, S.B. No. 913, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 148, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, S.B. No. 148, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NUISANCE ABATEMENT," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 440, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, S.B. No. 440, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL

FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VACANCIES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 475, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, S.B. No. 475, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OPEN GOVERNMENT," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 652, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, S.B. No. 652, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC AGENCY MEETINGS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 1116, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, S.B. No. 1116, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RECORDS OF FORENSIC EXAMINATIONS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 508, S.D. 1:

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that S.B. No. 508, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Espero.

Senator Keith-Agaran requested that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Keith-Agaran's remarks read as follows:

"I stand in support of this measure.

"This bill adds a new preliminary reporting requirement for noncandidate committees on October 1 in each general election year. This additional report will provide voters and potential voters with earlier information on the spending activities of noncandidate committees. With more people voting early – either by mail or by walking in – more election communications are sent out earlier in the campaign period. I hope that adding this new reporting date during the general election period, in addition to the current reporting dates, will enhance transparency into the activities of noncandidate committees by sweeping in contributions and expenditures made in a particular race or for or against a ballot issue before the week immediately prior to election day."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, S.B. No. 508, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN FINANCE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 509, S.D. 1:

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that S.B. No. 509, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Espero.

Senator Keith-Agaran requested that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Keith-Agaran's remarks read as follows:

"I rise in support of this measure.

"This measure requires that the Department of the Attorney General prepare and provide an explanatory statement for the benefit of the public concerning any proposed state constitutional amendment. While it is not immediately apparent what type of 'plain English' might result from the work of our state's most experienced government lawyers in describing any particular proposed amendment, to the extent that amending the constitution is a very serious matter and the public should have as much educational material as possible, I hope that this measure will result in a more informed and engaged electorate. I note with some concern that an explanation of all the 'limitations and effects' of a proposed constitutional amendment could result in a lengthy document containing numerous hypotheticals and assumptions, which in turn might unfortunately lead the Department of the Attorney General to stray from what many voters might consider 'plain English.' However, providing the public with a more understandable statement of changes that they are being asked to approve fosters a more robust democracy.

"I urge my colleagues to support this measure."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, S.B. No. 509, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 514, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, S.B. No. 514, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THEFT OF PERSONAL ELECTRONIC DEVICES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 14, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, S.B. No. 14, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RESIDENTIAL LANDLORD-TENANT CODE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 616 (S.B. No. 662, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 616 was adopted and S.B. No. 662, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 618 (S.B. No. 233, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 618 was adopted and S.B. No. 233, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION," having been read

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 621 (S.B. No. 735, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 621 was adopted and S.B. No. 735, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NURSES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 622 (S.B. No. 114, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 622 was adopted and S.B. No. 114, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTISTRY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 623 (S.B. No. 511, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 623 was adopted and S.B. No. 511, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LAND USE COMMISSION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 624 (S.B. No. 375, S.D. 2):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 624 be adopted and S.B. No. 375, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

Senator Gabbard requested that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Gabbard's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President, I rise in support of SB 375, SD 2.

"Last session, a bill I introduced was signed into law as Act 56. This law authorizes the Dean of the UH College of Tropical Agriculture and Human Resources to establish a two year hemp remediation and biofuel research project. The pilot project will soon begin on a parcel of land at the UH Research Station at Waimanalo. Dr. Harry Ako is heading up the pilot and recently received approval from the Drug Enforcement Agency (DEA) to import the hemp seed. Talk about a bureaucratic nightmare dealing with the DEA! This has started us on the path of growing our own hemp, an incredible crop that is used in over 25,000 products.

"SB 375, SD2 will continue that process authorizing registered growers of industrial hemp under the Farm Bill for research purposes and pilot programs. This would apply to the Department of Agriculture, institutions of higher education, and private growers.

"Hawai'i is now 1 of 19 states that permits hemp research and pilot programs under the Farm Bill. Colorado, Kentucky, and Vermont are three states that have planted the seeds and are actually growing hemp. The Hemp Industries Association reports that in 2014, the hemp industry accounted for \$620 million in product sales. However, our state and nation is losing out because all the hemp for these products is being imported, mostly from China. Hawai'i has the perfect opportunity to tap into this market. How about a new cottage

industry with the Hawai'i brand: Hawaiian Hemp Shampoo, Hawaiian Hemp Granola, Hawai'i Hemp Seeds, and many other products?

"So please join me in supporting this bill to continue the progress we're making in allowing for hemp production in Hawai'i. Mahalo."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 624 was adopted and S.B. No. 375, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INDUSTRIAL HEMP," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 626 (S.B. No. 134, S.D. 2):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 626 be adopted and S.B. No. 134, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Espero.

Senator Keith-Agaran requested that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Keith-Agaran's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President, I rise in support of this bill, which enacts the Uniform Partition of Heirs Property Act.

"Historically, many families in Hawai'i share real property without resort to the formalities of recordation of title at the Bureau of Conveyances or the Land Court, or the formal probate proceedings after the death of the owners or the owners' heirs. Generations of long-time residents raise their families or branches of their families on the same land with the various forms of houses and living arrangements. Eventually, members of a family feel a need to divide the property among the heirs and persons having equity interests in the real property. These may arise as actions for probate, following the death of the actual owner, have long passed and only equitable claims remain.

"In 2010, the Uniform Law Commission proposed this Uniform Act to provide a fair solution to the risks posed to those who own 'heirs property', or real property held in tenancy in common. This uniform law, in part, is intended to provide families, who may not be able to afford the costs and expenses of formal circuit court proceedings and legal representation in a quiet title or partition actions, a less expensive option. It also is meant to allow families to address ownership issues potentially without the need for every family member to retain legal counsel. This measure adopts this act and establishes a hierarchy of remedies designed to protect a family's property holdings and interests for partition actions involving 'heirs property'.

"I urge my colleagues to support this bill."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 626 was adopted and S.B. No. 134, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARTITION OF HEIRS PROPERTY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 1141, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Nishihara, seconded by Senator Harimoto and carried, S.B. No. 1141, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 818, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Wakai and carried, S.B. No. 818, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TUBERCULOSIS TESTING," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 356, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Baker and carried, S.B. No. 356, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 756, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, S.B. No. 756, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SECURE AND FAIR ENFORCEMENT FOR MORTGAGE LICENSING ACT," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 1066, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, S.B. No. 1066, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM INTERSTATE FAMILY SUPPORT ACT," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 657, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, S.B. No. 657, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN FINANCE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 104, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, S.B. No. 104, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUDGETING," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 250, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, S.B. No. 250, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FEDERAL FUNDS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 555, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, S.B. No. 555, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX CREDITS," having been read

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 1212, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, S.B. No. 1212, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AMENDING OR REPEALING VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF HAWAII TAX LAWS FOR THE PURPOSE OF DELETING OBSOLETE OR UNNECESSARY PROVISIONS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 648 (S.B. No. 325, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 648 was adopted and S.B. No. 325, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 649 (S.B. No. 435, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 649 was adopted and S.B. No. 435, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN PLANTS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 652 (S.B. No. 1157, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 652 was adopted and S.B. No. 1157, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STARLIGHT RESERVE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 1092, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, S.B. No. 1092, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REPEAL OF NON-GENERAL FUNDS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 119:

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, S.B. No. 119, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT COST ITEMS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 254, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran and carried, S.B. No. 254, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 871, S.D. 1:

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that S.B. No. 871, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Espero.

Senator Keith-Agaran requested that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Keith-Agaran's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President, I rise in support of this bill, which addresses drivers' license reciprocity.

"Hawai'i remains an international gathering place where peoples from all over the world migrate to live, work, attend school, and, of course, vacation. The ability to drive is critical to the quality of life in Hawai'i and also often the visitor experience in our state. Currently, in order for foreign visitors to rent vehicles and drive in Hawai'i, they face a cumbersome evaluation process by a state-wide committee of their foreign nation's driver's license testing procedures before any individual visitor's driver's license can enjoy reciprocity.

"This measure adopts the Department of Transportation's recommendation to eliminate its Driver's License Reciprocity Committee, which has never been used, and instead replaces it with a requirement for the driver to submit a current and valid license in their country, and an international driver's permit.

"I urge my colleagues to support this measure."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, S.B. No. 871, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 1121, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, S.B. No. 1121, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WAGES AND HOURS ON PUBLIC WORKS LAW," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 1120:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, S.B. No. 1120, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NOTICE OF HEARING BY THE LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS APPEALS BOARD," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 1213, S.D. 1:

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that S.B. No. 1213, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Espero.

Senator Keith-Agaran requested that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Keith-Agaran's remarks read as follows:

"I rise in support of this measure.

"This measure provides an important new tool to employers that will help maintain order and productivity in the workplace by allowing the employer to petition for a temporary restraining order or injunction against a person who has harassed, or will likely harass in the future, an employee at the employer's job premises or worksite. The measure does require the employer to discuss the situation with the employee in advance to the extent feasible, and one hopes that the protection afforded by a restraining order or injunction by this measure will provide the employee with comfort and safety. This measure includes details to ensure that liability will not attach for inaction by an employer absent malicious intent, or for participation by an employee in an employer's investigation.

"I urge my colleagues to support this measure."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, S.B. No. 1213, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 1156, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, S.B. No. 1156, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATUTORY REVISION: AMENDING OR REPEALING VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE HAWAII REVISED STATUTES AND THE SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII FOR THE PURPOSES OF CORRECTING ERRORS AND REFERENCES, CLARIFYING LANGUAGE, AND DELETING OBSOLETE OR UNNECESSARY PROVISIONS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 476, S.D. 1:

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that S.B. No. 476, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Espero.

Senator Keith-Agaran requested that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Keith-Agaran's remarks read as follows:

"I rise in support of this measure.

"This bill requires the ethics commission to provide confidential copies of board and commission members' financial disclosure statements to other members of the same board or commission, to the executive director of the applicable agency for the board or commission, and to the governor. As a practical matter, members of boards and commissions need to be aware of each other's potential conflicts of interest in order to function effectively. Although I realize that this measure may pose a certain burden on the ethics commission, I believe the benefits of this measure to government as a whole are important. I also note that persons who receive confidential copies of other persons' financial disclosure statements will be subject to investigation and sanctions in the event that the confidentiality is compromised.

"I urge my colleagues to support this measure."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, S.B. No. 476, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISCLOSURES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 1010, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Baker and carried, S.B. No. 1010, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNAUTHORIZED PRACTICE OF LAW," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 451, S.D. 1:

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that S.B. No. 451, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Espero.

Senator Keith-Agaran requested that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Keith-Agaran's remarks read as follows:

"I rise in support of this measure.

"This measure further widens the law on conflicts of interest of public employees under Chapter 84, by including for the first time parents, siblings or adult children of those employees who maintain a substantial financial interest in a business or undertaking that might be affected by the official actions of the employee. While most public employees scrupulously avoid any specter of nepotism – sometimes beyond the current scope of the ethics code – this measure expands what is acceptable for decision makers in transactions that involve more than their own financial interest or those of their spouses or dependent children. I believe this measure will serve our state well in providing an additional new dimension to preventing conflicts of interest by public employees. I note that the Hawai'i State Ethics Commission was in strong support of this measure, and that the Committee on Judiciary and Labor incorporated the Commission's suggested language in Senate Draft 1 to not further include the additional spouses or minor children of those persons newly brought into the scope of the law on conflicts of interest.

"I urge my colleagues to support this bill."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, S.B. No. 451, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONFLICTS OF INTEREST," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 265, S.D. 1:

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that S.B. No. 265, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Espero.

Senator Keith-Agaran requested that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Keith-Agaran's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President, I rise in support of this measure.

"This measure acknowledges that there may be certain circumstances where the inability to consent, or coercive circumstances, may be so present in a sex-for-hire situation that the use of the words 'prostitution' and 'prostitute' may not be appropriate, and that a person being caused to engage in such

activities should not be characterized as a criminal offender. Although the measure as introduced merely substituted the words 'sex trafficking' for the words 'promoting prostitution' in existing statutes, the Committee on Judiciary and Labor chose to propose a new and specific section in the penal code to address these circumstances. The new crime is in a single degree and is a Class A felony. In the case of someone less than 18 years old, the Committee also proposed to repeal the existing statute on promoting prostitution of a minor, as the minor does not have the legal capacity to consent to participate in a scheme to sell sexual services. We have also brought in language very similar to that used in the labor trafficking section of Hawai'i Revised Statutes to be applied to persons 18 years old or older under certain coercive conditions. We have been careful to specify that anyone who is later shown to have been subjected to sex trafficking, but who was initially charged or convicted of prostitution, would have the charges dismissed or the conviction vacated.

"I realize that this is a complex and difficult problem, and that the language used to describe the sex-for-hire industry is fraught with historical weight and social nuance. I hope that this new approach will, at least in some circumstances, provide some additional clarity and encourage law enforcement officials to consider the issue in a new light.

"I urge my colleagues to support this measure."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, S.B. No. 265, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEX TRAFFICKING," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 1344, S.D. 1:

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that S.B. No. 1344, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Espero.

Senator Keith-Agaran requested that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Keith-Agaran's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President, I rise in support of this bill which makes contributions to independent expenditure non-candidate campaign committees more transparent.

"In the 2014 election cycle, independent expenditure committees were very active in Hawai'i elections – both in support of or opposing candidates as well as in support of or opposing certain ballot issues. The Campaign Spending Commission reported that 25 contributors provided to independent expenditure committees in Hawai'i's election, a total of \$7,825,793.45 with the smallest contribution being \$10,000 and the largest being \$2,244,000. In turn, these independent expenditure committees used these funds in the following ways: 14 percent on advertising and 15 percent on postage, mailing and printing. The largest share, 38 percent, or \$2,690,000 was spent on a catch-all category of 'Other', which, when reviewed in the actual reports, included large media buys for attack ads, production of ads, including videography and payments to filmmakers, commissions for media purchases, creative commissions, and professional and creative media services.

"This measure enhances the power of the campaign spending commission by (1) requiring additional disclosure reports of those groups making contributions of \$10,000 or more, or a late contribution of \$5,000, and (2) requiring these groups to identify the legal source of their funding. These efforts will peel

back more layers of the skin of the SuperPACs so that voters can see their true core.

"I respectfully urge my colleagues to support this measure."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, S.B. No. 1344, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 680 (S.B. No. 40, S.D. 3):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 680 was adopted and S.B. No. 40, S.D. 3, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LICENSING," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 683 (S.B. No. 1144, S.D. 2):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 683 be adopted and S.B. No. 1144, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Espero.

Senator Keith-Agaran requested that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Keith-Agaran's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President, I stand in support of this measure.

"This measure provides an important incentive for the University of Hawai'i to engage in public-private research and development activities, even though Chapter 84 on standards of conduct by public employees would normally not allow activities from which private enterprises might profit. This measure proposes language similar to that used in other states to create a carefully defined 'safe harbor'. Technology transfer activities by certain University of Hawai'i employees would be allowed only if they were conducted according to a regulatory framework and research compliance program that has been approved and regularly updated by the Board of Regents.

"I encourage my colleagues to lend their support to the University of Hawai'i by supporting this measure."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 683 was adopted and S.B. No. 1144, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 684 (S.B. No. 2, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 684 was adopted and S.B. No. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PILOTAGE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 687 (S.B. No. 1113, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 687 was adopted and S.B. No. 1113, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO BACKGROUND CHECKS,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 689 (S.B. No. 1331, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 689 was adopted and S.B. No. 1331, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 690 (S.B. No. 1335, S.D. 2):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 690 be adopted and S.B. No. 1335, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Espero.

Senator Keith-Agaran requested that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Keith-Agaran’s remarks read as follows:

“Madam President, I rise in support of this measure.

“This measure arose from highly unfortunate circumstances. An indictment against a police officer who allegedly committed third degree sexual assault against a young woman was dismissed, on the grounds that the young woman was not ‘in custody’ merely by being part of a traffic stop. This measure therefore clearly references the circumstances of a traffic stop in the statutory definition of ‘person in custody’ in both second and third degree sexual assault, including anyone who is in the process of providing identification, license, or registration during the traffic stop.

“I sincerely hope that this clear directive to law enforcement and the courts will preclude similar incidents to the one described above from happening again in the future.

“I urge my colleagues to support this measure.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 690 was adopted and S.B. No. 1335, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 691 (S.B. No. 1159, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 691 was adopted and S.B. No. 1159, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERANS DISABILITY BENEFITS,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 692 (S.B. No. 810, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 692 was adopted and S.B. No. 810, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE ACT,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 693 (S.B. No. 611, S.D. 1):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 693 be adopted and S.B. No. 611, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Espero.

Senator Keith-Agaran requested that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Keith-Agaran’s remarks read as follows:

“Thank you, Madam President. I rise in support of this bill, which fills a gap in how our ignition interlock restrictions work when the revocation period ends.

“Currently, a driver whose license is revoked for operating a vehicle under the influence of an intoxicant cannot begin the relicensing process until the end of the revocation period. In order to be relicensed, however, drivers must take the written examination, obtain an instructional permit, and schedule a road test, all of which may take several weeks if not several months. As such, a person may have to wait a significant amount of time before being fully licensed. During the revocation period, however, a person could have continued to drive to work with a provisional license. But the law does not provide for that provisional driving to continue until the person is relicensed.

“Allowing drivers with a valid ignition interlock permit the opportunity to complete their written and road test prior to the end of their revocation period would create an additional incentive to install an ignition interlock device, leading to safer roadways. In addition, allowing now responsible drivers to be fully relicensed immediately following their revocation period provides them with the opportunity to continue driving legally.

“This is a practical bill. All of the testimony received was in support of this measure, including from the Department of Transportation, the Honolulu Police Department, the Office of the Prosecuting Attorney, and the Mothers Against Drunk Driving.

“Therefore, I respectfully urge passage of this bill.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 693 was adopted and S.B. No. 611, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO USE OF INTOXICANTS WHILE OPERATING A VEHICLE,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 695 (S.B. No. 798, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 695 was adopted and S.B. No. 798, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 697 (S.B. No. 1209, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 697 was adopted and S.B. No. 1209, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RETIREMENT OF JUDGES,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 699 (S.B. No. 1059, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 699 was adopted and S.B. No. 1059, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 701 (S.B. No. 961, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 701 was adopted and S.B. No. 961, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH TREATMENT," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 702 (S.B. No. 150, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 702 was adopted and S.B. No. 150, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOTING," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 705 (S.B. No. 749, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 705 was adopted and S.B. No. 749, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COLORECTAL CANCER SCREENING AND AWARENESS PILOT PROGRAM," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 707 (S.B. No. 825, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 707 was adopted and S.B. No. 825, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CULTURAL EXCHANGES BETWEEN HAWAII AND PUERTO RICO," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 709 (S.B. No. 661, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 709 was adopted and S.B. No. 661, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNMANNED AERIAL SYSTEMS TEST SITES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 710 (S.B. No. 213, S.D. 2):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 710 be adopted and S.B. No. 213, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

Senator Keith-Agaran requested that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Keith-Agaran's remarks read as follows:

"Thank you, Madam President. I support this bill, which provides an opportunity to further correct unjust administrative actions that occurred at the Department of Public Safety.

"Hawaii's criminal justice system balances enforcement of public safety while following due process as required in our State and Federal constitutions. A person convicted of criminal offenses of a certain seriousness should expect that they will lose their freedom, and certain period of incarceration for their crime is the punishment the Legislature has set out in our Penal Code. However, consecutive sentencing has historically been limited to those convicted for the most serious offenses, and has been carefully considered by our judges in their sentencing orders.

"Whatever the language of our penal sentencing statute, the recognized practice was that sentences ran concurrently the normal punishment unless the order specified that they ran consecutively. However, apparently in recent decades, the Department of Public Safety administratively extended sentences by recalculating concurrent sentences into consecutive ones based on the language of the statute that had not been followed in actual practice. The Legislature has since amended the statute to require that consecutive sentences must be specified in the order.

"Under this draft of the bill, we create an opportunity for prisoners currently serving a term of imprisonment imposed prior to June 18, 2008, to pursue remedies available to address possible improper sentencing.

"I urge support of this bill."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 710 was adopted and S.B. No. 213, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PENAL CODE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 712 (S.B. No. 163, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 712 was adopted and S.B. No. 163, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 713 (S.B. No. 1001, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 713 was adopted and S.B. No. 1001, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MANUFACTURING," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 714 (S.B. No. 133, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 714 was adopted and S.B. No. 133, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 716 (S.B. No. 343):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 716 was adopted and S.B. No. 343, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERANS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 717 (S.B. No. 243, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 717 was adopted and S.B. No. 243, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 718 (S.B. No. 230):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 718 was adopted and S.B. No. 230, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESTITUTION FOR VICTIMS OF CRIME," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 719 (S.B. No. 181, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 719 was adopted and S.B. No. 181, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERANS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 720 (S.B. No. 878, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 720 was adopted and S.B. No. 878, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WASTEWATER," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 721 (S.B. No. 1089, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 721 was adopted and S.B. No. 1089, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 723 (S.B. No. 1129, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 723 was adopted and S.B. No. 1129, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMISSIONERS OF DEEDS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 725 (S.B. No. 618):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 725 was adopted and S.B. No. 618, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEAWATER AIR CONDITIONING," having been read

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 726 (S.B. No. 619):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 726 was adopted and S.B. No. 619, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST SEAWATER AIR CONDITIONING PROJECTS ON OAHU," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 727 (S.B. No. 729):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 727 was adopted and S.B. No. 729, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADVANCED PRACTICE REGISTERED NURSES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 728 (S.B. No. 1217, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 728 was adopted and S.B. No. 1217, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 729 (S.B. No. 1087, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 729 was adopted and S.B. No. 1087, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 730 (S.B. No. 100, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 730 was adopted and S.B. No. 100, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO APPROPRIATIONS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 732 (S.B. No. 612, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 732 was adopted and S.B. No. 612, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROBATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 733 (S.B. No. 715, S.D. 2):

Senator Baker moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 733 be adopted and S.B. No. 715, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Gabbard requested that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Gabbard's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President, I rise in strong support of SB 715, SD 2.

"Colleagues, this is a key bill to keep our state on the cutting edge of clean energy. If we're able to pass this bill into law, we will be the first state in the country with a 100 percent Renewable Portfolio Standards goal. But we shouldn't dilly-dally because the Governor of Vermont, Peter Shumlin, has proposed reaching 90 percent in his state.

"In 2009, Act 155 was enacted to set our RPS goal of reaching 40 percent renewable energy by 2030. We're currently at 21.3 percent, so we're well on our way to achieving that goal. However, at the present, our RPS stops in 2030. By moving our target to 100 percent by 2050 we'll be setting the bar higher. We know it's possible to go past 40 percent because HECO has stated for the record that they would have no problem hitting 65 percent by 2030. And they have even laid out a scenario of how we could reach 100 percent by 2030.

"Currently, we are spending \$3 billion to \$5 billion annually on importing dirty fossil fuels, which is not good for the environment, our future sustainability, or our pocketbooks. Our constituents continue to pay electricity bills that are three times the national average. And although oil prices are lower now at \$50 a barrel, we all know these lower prices won't last very long.

"Our islands are blessed with abundant, renewable energy provided to us by ke Akua. Let's use these resources for the benefit of our people and 'āina, and show the world that this can be done!!! Mahalo."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 733 was adopted and S.B. No. 715, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE STANDARDS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 734 (S.B. No. 502, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 734 was adopted and S.B. No. 502, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE DIVISION OF CONSERVATION AND RESOURCES ENFORCEMENT," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 735 (S.B. No. 512, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 735 was adopted and S.B. No. 512, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 736 (S.B. No. 521, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 736 was adopted and S.B. No. 521, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO WAIMEA NUI COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 737 (S.B. No. 524, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 737 was adopted and S.B. No. 524, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING A GRANT TO THE HAWAII COUNTY OFFICE OF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 738 (S.B. No. 544, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 738 was adopted and S.B. No. 544, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NATURAL RESOURCES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 739 (S.B. No. 559, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 739 was adopted and S.B. No. 559, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MILITARY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 741 (S.B. No. 423, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 741 was adopted and S.B. No. 423, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO APPROPRIATIONS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 742 (S.B. No. 436):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 742 was adopted and S.B. No. 436, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAINING," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 743 (S.B. No. 477, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 743 was adopted and S.B. No. 477, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC HOUSING," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 744 (S.B. No. 1062, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 744 was adopted and S.B. No. 1062, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BIOSECURITY PROGRAM," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 745 (S.B. No. 1067, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 745 was adopted and S.B. No. 1067, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARITABLE SOLICITATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 747 (S.B. No. 1074, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 747 was adopted and S.B. No. 1074, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE PLANNING," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 749 (S.B. No. 204, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 749 was adopted and S.B. No. 204, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BEACH MANAGEMENT FOR THE NORTH SHORE OF OAHU," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 751 (S.B. No. 262, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 751 was adopted and S.B. No. 262, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE NURSING FACILITY SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAM," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 753 (S.B. No. 298, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 753 was adopted and S.B. No. 298, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 754 (S.B. No. 1211, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 754 was adopted and S.B. No. 1211, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MAJOR DISASTER FUND," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 758 (S.B. No. 1248, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 758 was adopted and S.B. No. 1248, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 760 (S.B. No. 1281, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 760 was adopted and S.B. No. 1281, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MEDICAL CARE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 761 (S.B. No. 754, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 761 was adopted and S.B. No. 754, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TIME SHARING," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 762 (S.B. No. 1071):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 762 was adopted and S.B. No. 1071, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ACQUISITION OF FIREARMS BY LAWFUL PERMANENT RESIDENT ALIENS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 764 (S.B. No. 1166, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 764 was adopted and S.B. No. 1166, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 768 (S.B. No. 987, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 768 was adopted and S.B. No. 987, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 769 (S.B. No. 982, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 769 was adopted and S.B. No. 982, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL AMNESTY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 770 (S.B. No. 736, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 770 was adopted and S.B. No. 736, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 771 (S.B. No. 725, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 771 was adopted and S.B. No. 725, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTISTRY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 773 (S.B. No. 273, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 773 was adopted and S.B. No. 273, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IDENTIFICATION CARDS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 777 (S.B. No. 843):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 777 was adopted and S.B. No. 843, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 779 (S.B. No. 866, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 779 was adopted and S.B. No. 866, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO SUPPORT THE AFTER-SCHOOL PLUS PROGRAM," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 780 (S.B. No. 857, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 780 was adopted and S.B. No. 857, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PREAUDITS OF PROPOSED PAYMENTS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 781 (S.B. No. 854, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 781 was adopted and S.B. No. 854, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SCHOOL LANDS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 783 (S.B. No. 836, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 783 was adopted and S.B. No. 836, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 784 (S.B. No. 64, S.D. 3):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 784 was adopted and S.B. No. 64, S.D. 3, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 786 (S.B. No. 1367, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 786 was adopted and S.B. No. 1367, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROJECT KEALAHOU," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 787 (S.B. No. 1305, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 787 was adopted and S.B. No. 1305, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO THE COUNTY OF KAUAI OFFICE OF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 788 (S.B. No. 1346):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 788 was adopted and S.B. No. 1346, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHERS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 789 (S.B. No. 1345):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 789 was adopted and S.B. No. 1345, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 791 (S.B. No. 304, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 791 was adopted and S.B. No. 304, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 792 (S.B. No. 303, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 792 was adopted and S.B. No. 303, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 793 (S.B. No. 301, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 793 was adopted and S.B. No. 301, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING

TO HEALTH,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 796 (S.B. No. 975):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 796 was adopted and S.B. No. 975, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RENTAL HOUSING TRUST FUND,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 797 (S.B. No. 974, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 797 was adopted and S.B. No. 974, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RENTAL HOUSING TRUST FUND,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 798 (S.B. No. 964, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 798 was adopted and S.B. No. 964, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGING,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 799 (S.B. No. 925, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 799 was adopted and S.B. No. 925, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 800 (S.B. No. 912, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 800 was adopted and S.B. No. 912, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE FACILITIES,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 801 (S.B. No. 387, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 801 was adopted and S.B. No. 387, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFIRMATIVE CONSENT,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 802 (S.B. No. 385, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 802 was adopted and S.B. No. 385, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CANCER,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 803 (S.B. No. 376, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 803 was adopted and S.B. No. 376, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A FARM TO SCHOOL PROGRAM,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 804 (S.B. No. 364, S.D. 2):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 804 be adopted and S.B. No. 364, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

Senator Keith-Agaran requested that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Keith-Agaran’s remarks read as follows:

“Madam President, I rise in support of this measure.

“This bill proposes a means for a candidate to petition for a recount of votes in an extremely close election. Under current law, a candidate must file a complaint with the supreme court and allege provable fraud or miscount that would have caused a different result. This measure creates a new method whereby the affected candidate need not allege a particular provable cause to a court, but rather petition for a recount to an appropriate elections officer. A recount of all votes cast for the office in question would take place only if the apparent losing margin is one thousand votes or one-half of one percent, whichever is less. To further prevent dilatory or abusive petitions, the measure requires that the petitioning candidate deposit an estimated cost of the recount. The deposit would be refunded to the candidate in the event that the outcome of the recount results in a different successful candidate (whether the actual petitioner or otherwise). If the recount does not result in a different winner, the petitioner forfeits the deposit and must also pay any extra costs incurred.

“In my view, this measure provides a valuable and fair new tool to candidates, especially in a relatively small state such as Hawai’i where elections can turn on only a few dozen votes or less. I urge my colleagues to support this measure.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 804 was adopted and S.B. No. 364, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 807 (S.B. No. 337, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 807 was adopted and S.B. No. 337, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 808 (S.B. No. 314, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 808 was adopted and S.B. No. 314, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION SERVICE,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 810 (S.B. No. 1127, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 810 was adopted and S.B. No. 1127, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENFORCEMENT ACTIONS BY THE BOARD OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 811 (S.B. No. 1126, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 811 was adopted and S.B. No. 1126, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOREST STEWARDSHIP," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 812 (S.B. No. 1118, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 812 was adopted and S.B. No. 1118, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR HAZARD EVALUATION AND EMERGENCY RESPONSE PREPAREDNESS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 814 (S.B. No. 1060, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 814 was adopted and S.B. No. 1060, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LOANS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 815 (S.B. No. 1006, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 815 was adopted and S.B. No. 1006, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 816 (S.B. No. 1003, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 816 was adopted and S.B. No. 1003, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 817 (S.B. No. 1111, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 817 was adopted and S.B. No. 1111, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER INFRASTRUCTURE," having been

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 820 (S.B. No. 1051, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 820 was adopted and S.B. No. 1051, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FUEL CELL ELECTRIC VEHICLES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 824 (S.B. No. 831, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 824 was adopted and S.B. No. 831, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 827 (S.B. No. 812, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 827 was adopted and S.B. No. 812, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BEHAVIOR SUPPORT REVIEW COMMITTEE FOR PERSONS WITH DEVELOPMENTAL OR INTELLECTUAL DISABILITIES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 829 (S.B. No. 807, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 829 was adopted and S.B. No. 807, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 830 (S.B. No. 806, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 830 was adopted and S.B. No. 806, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOSPITAL SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAM," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 831 (S.B. No. 786, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 831 was adopted and S.B. No. 786, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AHA MOKU ADVISORY COMMITTEE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 833 (S.B. No. 774, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 833 was adopted and S.B. No. 774, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PROTECTION OF TARO," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 835 (S.B. No. 710, S.D. 1):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 835 be adopted and S.B. No. 710, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

Senator Gabbard requested that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Gabbard's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President, I rise in support of SB 710, SD 1.

"This is an important bill to reassess where we are in terms of reducing our solid waste stream. Currently, our state diverts roughly 35 percent of our solid waste stream through source reduction, recycling, and bioconversion. However, our solid waste diversion benchmarks haven't been updated since 2000. This bill will appropriate the needed resources to allow the Department of Health to work with the counties, UH, and industry to update our integrative solid waste plan.

"As you may know, last year former Governor Abercrombie and our county mayors signed off on the Aloha+ Challenge. The Aloha+ Challenge has as one of its pillars a 50 percent reduction of our solid waste stream. Updating our integrated solid waste plan is key on a number of fronts. It will help us figure out how we can avoid expanding our existing landfills and hopefully allow us to eventually close them. It will answer questions on what we should do with our food waste. Also, it will study whether it's possible for us to keep here all the glass and plastics that we now send off island to be recycled, and instead create an industry to make those recyclables into other products or find other uses for the materials. Mahalo."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 835 was adopted and S.B. No. 710, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE INTEGRATED SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 838 (S.B. No. 120, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 838 was adopted and S.B. No. 120, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 839 (S.B. No. 139, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 839 was adopted and S.B. No. 139, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL SERVICE EXEMPTIONS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 841 (S.B. No. 160, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 841 was adopted and S.B. No. 160, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII NON-GENERAL FUNDS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 843 (S.B. No. 194, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 843 was adopted and S.B. No. 194, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CULTURAL EXCHANGES BETWEEN HAWAII AND AFRICAN AMERICANS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 846 (S.B. No. 1194, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 846 was adopted and S.B. No. 1194, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOBBYISTS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 847 (S.B. No. 1178, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 847 was adopted and S.B. No. 1178, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 848 (S.B. No. 1175, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 848 was adopted and S.B. No. 1175, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII STATE HOSPITAL," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 849 (S.B. No. 1150, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 849 was adopted and S.B. No. 1150, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 850 (S.B. No. 1146, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 850 was adopted and S.B. No. 1146, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII ACCOUNTING AND FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT SYSTEM," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 858 (S.B. No. 1093, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 858 was adopted and S.B. No. 1093, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MORTGAGE SERVICERS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 859 (S.B. No. 1096, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 859 was adopted and S.B. No. 1096, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ON-BILL PROGRAMS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 860 (S.B. No. 1361, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 860 was adopted and S.B. No. 1361, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUDGETING," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 861 (S.B. No. 1324, S.D. 2):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 861 be adopted and S.B. No. 1324, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

Senator Keith-Agaran requested that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Keith-Agaran's remarks read as follows:

"Thank you, Madam President. I rise in support of this measure.

"This measure provides for an important tool in enforcing a property division settlement in a divorce, when one of the assets involved is the ERS retirement benefits accrued by a former spouse. Currently the ERS pension benefits are divisible in the divorce settlement, but are not paid directly by ERS to the person to whom they were awarded. Instead, a former spouse who has been awarded pension benefits can only hope that the other former spouse will write a regular check for the amount due. In the case of federal public employee retirement benefits, there is a mechanism called a qualified domestic relations order ('Quadro') which can be issued and will allow for direct payment by the federal government employees' system to a former spouse. Several other states have implemented state-level orders similar to Quadro, but Hawai'i has not. This measure creates a state-level Quadro-like order for Hawai'i, and requires the ERS to create and implement the systems necessary for it to be used. The measure includes numerous conditions and protections to ensure accuracy and to prevent overages and underages in awarded payments.

"The Committee on Judiciary and Labor is aware that the Employees' Retirement System will need time and resources to develop the operating software and other means to implement the intent of this measure. I hope that ERS will continue to stay actively involved in the discussion as this measure moves forward, and I urge my colleagues to support this bill."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 861 was adopted and S.B. No. 1324, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DIVORCE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 862 (S.B. No. 1180, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 862 was adopted and S.B. No. 1180, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATIONS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 863 (S.B. No. 778, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 863 was adopted and S.B. No. 778, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 864 (S.B. No. 750):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 864 was adopted and S.B. No. 750, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST ANAERGIA INCORPORATED," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 866 (S.B. No. 384, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 866 was adopted and S.B. No. 384, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADDRESS CONFIDENTIALITY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 870 (S.B. No. 1348):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 870 was adopted and S.B. No. 1348, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 871 (S.B. No. 971, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 871 was adopted and S.B. No. 971, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 873 (S.B. No. 1016, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 873 was adopted and S.B. No. 1016, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 874 (S.B. No. 472, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 874 was adopted and

S.B. No. 472, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF INFORMATION PRACTICES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 875 (S.B. No. 275, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 875 was adopted and S.B. No. 275, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEXUAL ASSAULT," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 876 (S.B. No. 284, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 876 was adopted and S.B. No. 284, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS TAX," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 879 (S.B. No. 675, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 879 was adopted and S.B. No. 675, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREFIGHTERS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 880 (S.B. No. 996, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 880 was adopted and S.B. No. 996, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHICS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 881 (S.B. No. 984, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 881 was adopted and S.B. No. 984, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 885 (S.B. No. 158, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 885 was adopted and S.B. No. 158, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET DOCUMENTS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 886 (S.B. No. 841, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 886 was adopted and S.B. No. 841, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL HEALTH," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 890 (S.B. No. 113, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 890 was adopted and S.B. No. 113, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII STATE LOAN REPAYMENT PROGRAM," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 894 (S.B. No. 1221, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 894 was adopted and S.B. No. 1221, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 895 (S.B. No. 846, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 895 was adopted and S.B. No. 846, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 896 (S.B. No. 897, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 896 was adopted and S.B. No. 897, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE KAHOLAWE ISLAND RESERVE COMMISSION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 897 (S.B. No. 1090, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 897 was adopted and S.B. No. 1090, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 901 (S.B. No. 165, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 901 was adopted and S.B. No. 165, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE FACILITIES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 902 (S.B. No. 1008, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 902 was adopted and S.B. No. 1008, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII FOOD RESILIENCY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

At 9:36 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 9:37 a.m.

S.B. No. 1287, S.D. 1:

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that S.B. No. 1287, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Baker.

Senator English then offered the following amendment (Floor Amendment No. 1) to S.B. No. 1287, S.D. 1:

SECTION 1. S.B. No. 1287, S.D. 1, is amended by amending section 2 to read as follows:

“SECTION 2. Chapter 482C, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated and to read as follows:

“§482C- Sound recordings fixed prior to February 15, 1972. (a) The author of an original work of authorship consisting of a sound recording initially fixed prior to February 15, 1972, has an exclusive ownership interest in the original work until February 15, 2067, against all persons except a person who independently makes or duplicates another sound recording that does not directly or indirectly recapture the actual sounds fixed in the original work, but consists entirely of an independent fixation of other sounds, even though the sounds imitate or simulate the sounds contained in the original work.

(b) This section shall not limit, annul, or diminish in any respect any rights, exclusive or otherwise, in sound recordings fixed prior to February 15, 1972, existing under Hawaii common law, or civil or criminal statutes. The codification of certain of these rights that give rise to statutory causes of action for violation of such rights shall not be construed to limit other causes of action under either Hawaii common law, or civil or criminal statutes.”

SECTION 2. S.B. No. 1287, S.D. 1, is amended by amending section 5 to read as follows:

“SECTION 5. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.”

Senator English moved that Floor Amendment No. 1 be adopted, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran.

Senator English rose to speak in support of the amendment as follows:

“Yes, Madam President, members: This adds a section (b), which preserves the common law in this particular issue.”

The motion to adopt Floor Amendment No. 1 was put by the Chair and carried.

By unanimous consent, S.B. No. 1287, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COPYRIGHTS,” was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Thursday, March 12, 2015.

S.B. No. 1377, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Thielen, seconded by Senator Galuteria and carried, S.B. No. 1377, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WAIKIKI-DIAMOND HEAD SHORELINE FISHERIES MANAGEMENT AREA,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24; Ayes with Reservations (Kouchi). Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 253, S.D. 1:

Senator Tokuda moved that S.B. No. 253, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

Senator Slom rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations as follows:

“I think this is definitely a step in the right direction. However, I’m not sure about the study – how effective that’s going to be – but more importantly, I think that if we’re talking about debt, that both the ERS and EUTF should be included, any unfunded liability. Thank you.”

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

“Thank you. Establishing a debt management policy is a recommended best practice by the Government Finance Officers Association as a means to improve the quality of decisions, articulate policy goals, provide guidelines for the structure of debt issuance, and demonstrate a commitment to long-term capital and financial planning.

“An added benefit to adhering to debt management policies is that it signals to rating agencies and the capital market that a government is well-managed and thus more likely to fulfill their debt obligations in a timely manner. Having regular biennial debt affordability studies is also done and very critical to both ensure compliance and adherence to the debt management policy, as well as to provide both policymakers and the general public with a better understanding of a state’s existing and projected debt obligations.

“Other states have adopted such a practice as a means of helping to guide both budgetary and policy decisions; and similarly to the debt management policy, having such studies is believed to have a positive impact on credit ratings, as it shows prudent debt management. As such, establishing such policies and studies would be in the best interest of our state’s fiscal health going forward, and I humbly would request its passage. Thank you.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, S.B. No. 253, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE DEBT,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24; Ayes with Reservations (Slom). Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 1133, S.D. 1:

Senator Tokuda moved that S.B. No. 1133, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

Senator Slom rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations as follows:

“I make these reservations every year – we don’t seem to be making any progress – and that is, it’s a conformity bill, but we’re not entirely conforming to the Internal Revenue Code. And notably, while there are a couple of tax distinctions, the number one problem for me is that the personal exemption and the standard deduction in Hawai’i are one-third of that allowed on the federal returns. Thank you.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, S.B. No. 1133, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONFORMITY OF THE HAWAII INCOME TAX LAW TO THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24; Ayes with Reservations (Slom). Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 159, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, S.B. No. 159, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REPEAL OF NON-GENERAL FUNDS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 543, S.D. 1:

Senator Baker moved that S.B. No. 543, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Baker rose to request that remarks in strong support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered:

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Baker's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President, I rise in strong support of SB 543 SD 1, Relating to Public Accountancy.

"Currently, the Board of Public Accountancy does not have clear and specific authority to regulate out-of-state accountants, nor are there clear limits in the law on the types of services that may be performed in Hawai'i without a Hawai'i license.

"This measure sets those limits and regulations. It allows out-of-state certified public accountants to practice in Hawai'i only if they gain a temporary individual practice privilege, and subjects those CPAs to the oversight of the Hawai'i State Board of Public Accountancy and to Hawai'i laws, and requires them to register with their GET numbers. This measure in no way negatively affects local jobs. In fact, the opposite is true.

"Hawai'i is the only state without CPA mobility legislation. This does not mean that out-of-state CPAs do not practice here; it means they practice here unregulated. It also means that Hawai'i-licensed CPAs have been forced to turn away work because some states require mobility reciprocity.

"By passing this measure, we would be regulating out-of-state CPAs who wish to practice temporarily in Hawai'i, something they already do – but without regulation. We would be subjecting out-of-state CPAs who wish to practice in Hawai'i to our laws and the Board's jurisdiction, thus protecting Hawai'i's consumers. We would be providing opportunities to local CPAs so that they could accept business out-of-state.

"Please join me in supporting SB 543 SD 1."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, S.B. No. 543, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ACCOUNTANCY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 22; Ayes with Reservations (Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Ihara, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Nishihara, Ruderman). Noes, 2 (Inouye, Taniguchi). Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 572 (S.B. No. 1151, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Baker and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 572 was adopted and S.B. No. 1151, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24; Ayes with Reservations (Thielen). Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 575 (S.B. No. 1162, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 575 was adopted and S.B. No. 1162, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24; Ayes with Reservations (Kouchi, Nishihara, Slom). Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 576 (S.B. No. 646, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 576 was adopted and S.B. No. 646, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23; Ayes with Reservations (Galuteria, Ihara, Kidani, Kouchi). Noes, 1 (Slom). Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 577 (S.B. No. 488, S.D. 2):

Senator Baker moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 577 be adopted and S.B. No. 488, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Riviere requested that remarks in support of the measure with reservations be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Riviere's remarks read as follows:

"I vote with reservations on this measure because it forces apartment and condominiums to install separate meters in each residential unit. While I appreciate the intent to increase accountability and personal responsibility of residents in each unit for electricity usage, I disagree with the mandate that all must comply, and comply at their own expense. In other words, associations and owners can choose to upgrade their electrical systems now. The change from 'may' to 'shall' removes discretion from property owners, some of whom may be financially challenged or whom may have other reasons to retain the existing metering. I prefer to leave this law unamended."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 577 was adopted and S.B. No. 488, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24; Ayes with Reservations (Riviere). Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 737, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, S.B. No. 737, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHECK CASHING," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23. Noes, 1 (Slom). Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 586 (S.B. No. 802, S.D. 2):

Senator Baker moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 586 be adopted and S.B. No. 802, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

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

"Thank you. Please note my opposition to the point that we're now looking at authorizing an enforcement of prohibiting smoking within someone's home. I think if you're standing on your lanai and you're blowing smoke on your neighbor and you're distracting them, that should be restrained. But if you're within your home, smoking in a condo, I think we've gone too far when we say that we can pass a law that prohibits that, or allow somebody to do so. So, thank you."

Senator Baker rose to request that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Baker's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President, I rise in strong support of SB 802 SD 2, Relating to Smoking.

"SB 802 SD 2 will allow condominiums and cooperative housing corporations to adopt rules prohibiting smoking, including the use of electronic smoking devices, in units, common elements, or limited common elements.

"This measure does not require condominiums or cooperative housing corporations to adopt rules prohibiting smoking, but simply allows them to if they so wish.

"By enabling condominiums and cooperative housing corporations to adopt smoke-free policies, we empower them to protect the health and safety of the owners and tenants in multi-unit dwellings and reduce the likelihood that a nonsmoker will be exposed to the harmful carcinogens that exist in secondhand smoke.

"Thirty-eight percent of housing in Hawai'i is represented by multi-unit structures. In these dwellings, approximately 65 percent of the air is shared. One person smoking could potentially affect all units in the building which eliminates a person's ability to choose to have a smoke-free home.

"Secondhand smoke contains 7,000 chemicals, of which 69 are known carcinogens. Exposure to secondhand smoke can lead to heart disease, lung cancer, and can trigger heart attacks. This measure will give owners a possible means by which to protect themselves, and their renters.

"I urge my colleagues to join me in supporting SB 802 SD 2. Mahalo."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 586 was adopted and S.B. No. 802, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMOKING," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 14; Ayes with Reservations (Espero, Ihara, Thielen, Wakai). Noes, 10 (Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Inouye, Kahele, Kidani, Kouchi, Nishihara, Riviere, Ruderman, Slom). Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 588 (S.B. No. 269, S.D. 2):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 588 be adopted and S.B. No. 269, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Espero.

Senator Keith-Agaran rose to request that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Keith-Agaran's remarks read as follows:

"I rise in support of this measure.

"This measure establishes a procedure by which a person may petition to have a prior conviction for obstructing certain public places under HRS section 735-1105, or under county law, vacated if the person can show that the person was homeless, as statutorily defined, or was seeking shelter or services at or soon before the time the offense was committed. The petition must be filed within three years of the date of judgment, and must support the offender's position by a preponderance of evidence. I hope that this measure, if enacted, will help previous offenders of obstruction laws clear their records and thus be more easily able to begin productive lives.

"I urge my colleagues to support this measure."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 588 was adopted and S.B. No. 269, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ORDER," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 15; Ayes with Reservations (Dela Cruz). Noes, 9 (Galuteria, Inouye, Kahele, Kidani, Kouchi, Nishihara, Riviere, Slom, Wakai). Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 590 (S.B. No. 473, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 590 was adopted and S.B. No. 473, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24; Ayes with Reservations (Baker, Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Harimoto, Inouye, Kahele, Kidani, Kouchi, Nishihara, Ruderman, Thielen, Wakai). Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 591 (S.B. No. 434, S.D. 2):

Senator Thielen moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 591 be adopted and S.B. No. 434, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Galuteria.

Senator Dela Cruz rose to speak in support of the measure as follows:

"I do support OHA's policy change; I would just like to see them walk the walk. They have 500 acres in Wahiawā. They've had it for several years; they haven't done anything. I really hope that they can implement the very changes that they're asking for by leading by example. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 591 was adopted and S.B. No. 434, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATED TO AGRICULTURE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 202, S.D. 1:

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that S.B. No. 202, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Espero.

Senator Slom rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations as follows:

"Generally, I think it's a good bill, but there is a question there: How can someone required to disclose information about a ballot issue disclose the information prior to the time that that issue may actually be on the ballot? So, it's a question of the way it's constructed. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, S.B. No. 202, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24; Ayes with Reservations (Slom). Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 465, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, S.B. No. 465, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT RECORDS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24; Ayes with Reservations (Thielen). Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 1183, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Dela Cruz, seconded by Senator Nishihara and carried, S.B. No. 1183, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE LAND MAMMAL," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24; Ayes with Reservations (Kahale). Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 1064, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Dela Cruz, seconded by Senator Nishihara and carried, S.B. No. 1064, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT OF PROFESSIONAL SERVICES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 654, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, S.B. No. 654, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGNS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 569, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, S.B. No. 569, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THEFT," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23; Ayes with Reservations (Thielen). Noes, 1 (Slom). Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 826, S.D. 1:

Senator Baker moved that S.B. No. 826, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Baker rose to request that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Baker's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President, I rise in strong support of SB 826 SD 1, Relating to Condominiums.

"This measure was drafted to create a balanced approach to enable owners, boards, and associations work more effectively together for the betterment of the whole complex.

"There are two main items of business that condominium associations must accomplish at their annual meeting: adopt, if they choose, a tax resolution for IRS treatment of their association as a non-profit and elect, as appropriate, members to serve on their boards. Typically, it takes a majority of homeowners to transact business at the annual meeting. However, some associations have had, over the years, difficulty in achieving quorum in order to pass the requisite tax resolution or fill vacancies on the board. As a result, some boards carry over members rather than making an attempt to gain a meeting quorum to hold a proper election. A consequence of not passing the requisite tax resolutions creates unnecessary tax liability for the association of apartment owners (AOAO).

"This measure provides unit owners with the protection of requiring quorum to make decisions and take actions during an annual meeting, but reduces the quorum to 25 percent after the regular quorum requirement has failed to be achieved at two duly noticed, annual meetings scheduled no more than 90 days from the initial annual meeting date. The reduced quorum requirement hopefully eliminates a roadblock some boards face that prevents those boards from conducting necessary business for the AOAO.

"This bill also provides additional transparency and access for unit owners. It requires that meetings are held at a location that is convenient and accessible to most unit owners, and requires that owners' requests for records and the associations' responses be furnished via standardized forms that are approved by the Real Estate Commission. It also requires a condominium association with 50 or more units to prepare its budget on an accrual basis in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles.

"Additionally, this bill gives owners the power to terminate a managing agent's contract by a majority vote. This is another mechanism to provide greater empowerment of unit owners.

"The requirements in this measure reflect a consensus among stakeholders in order to gain enhanced effectiveness and efficiency of self-governance in condominium living. I urge my colleagues to join me in supporting SB 826 SD 1."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, S.B. No. 826, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24; Ayes with Reservations (Ihara, Slom). Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 617 (S.B. No. 757, S.D. 2):

Senator Baker moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 617 be adopted and S.B. No. 757, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Baker rose to request that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Baker's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President, I rise in strong support of SB757 SD2, Relating to the Regulation of Electronic Smoking Devices.

"SB757 SD2 prohibits the use of electronic smoking devices in places where smoking is already prohibited and updates signage requirements, with certain exceptions. This measure would protect members of the public, including nonsmokers and vulnerable populations such as pregnant women and

children, from unwittingly inhaling the vapor and trace chemicals emitted by electronic smoking devices.

"ESDs produce an aerosol that is not merely 'water vapor.' As the Hawai'i Department of Health noted in its testimony in support of this measure, in recent months international research has increased the understanding of ESDs as harmful carcinogenic devices. The aerosol from ESDs contains several carcinogens such as formaldehyde, acetaldehyde, lead, nickel, chromium, and other hazardous substances that, according to the Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry, are associated with a range of negative health effects such as skin, eye, and respiratory irritation. These chemicals travel through the circulatory system to the brain and all organs. In November 2014, researchers at the Japanese Ministry of Health announced they found ESDs contained greater levels of cancer-causing agents than found in traditional cigarettes.

"ESD companies, and the tobacco companies that have been acquiring the ESDs businesses, market and promote their use 'anywhere' to encourage their acceptance in social settings. The use of ESDs in traditionally smoke-free areas causes confusion in the enforcement of smoke-free laws, creates distractions in work environments and renormalizes the behavior of smoking.

"The authority to regulate where the use of ESDs are allowed is in the domain of state and local governments. We currently have a patchwork of regulation for ESDs: Hawai'i State's Department of Health bans ESDs use on all DOH property; our State Department of Accounting and General Services prohibits ESD use in and around state buildings under its jurisdiction including the Capitol building; Hawai'i County prohibits the use of ESDs wherever tobacco products are prohibited. This bill will provide a needed, uniform and reasonable policy throughout the state and eliminate the confusion associated with ESD regulation. Restricting ESD use is growing trend across the United States with more than 274 municipalities and three states restricting the use of ESD in smoke-free environments. It is definitely time for Hawai'i to ensure that there is no vaping in all places where smoking is not allowed.

"I urge my colleagues to join me in voting 'yes' on this important public health measure."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 617 was adopted and S.B. No. 757, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REGULATION OF ELECTRONIC SMOKING DEVICES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23. Noes, 1 (Slom). Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 619 (S.B. No. 16, S.D. 2):

Senator Baker moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 619 be adopted and S.B. No. 16, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Baker requested that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Baker's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President, I rise in strong support of SB 16 SD2, Relating to Towing.

"This measure aims to clarify the definitions for 'hooked up,' 'scene' and 'vehicle owner;' permits a towing charge of \$30 for difficult hookups; and allows for a date and time stamped photograph of the hooked up vehicle, showing the license plate of the vehicle, when the owner appears on the scene, as evidence that the vehicle is hooked up.

"This measure adds protections to those who have the consent of the registered owner (renting or borrowing) to use the vehicle but who might not be listed on the vehicles registration – allowing those individuals to instruct the tow operator to release the vehicle. This will also allow that permissive user to retrieve the vehicle from the tow lot and will protect the owner from accruing more and more fees. This will also help to lower the number of disputes that are caused by the current language

"The point of towing a vehicle is to remove it from the scene. If the vehicle owner is present to move the vehicle then towing the vehicle creates an unnecessary burden vehicle owner.

"This measure provides better clarity to the rights of vehicle owners and the duties of tow companies, which should diminish the number of dispute related to towing practices under section 290-11, Hawai'i Revised Statutes. I urge my colleagues to support this measure, as the current law is in need of clarification. Mahalo."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 619 was adopted and S.B. No. 16, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOWING," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23. Noes, 1 (Slom). Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 620 (S.B. No. 1368, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 620 was adopted and S.B. No. 1368, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUOR," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 20; Ayes with Reservations (Galuteria, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Kouchi, Nishihara, Riviere, Slom, Wakai). Noes, 4 (Dela Cruz, Inouye, Kidani, Ruderman). Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 625 (S.B. No. 758, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 625 was adopted and S.B. No. 758, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SERVICE BY PUBLICATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23. Noes, 1 (Slom). Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 627 (S.B. No. 1295, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 627 was adopted and S.B. No. 1295, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE NATURAL ENERGY LABORATORY OF HAWAII AUTHORITY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24; Ayes with Reservations (Ruderman, Thielen). Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 305, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Wakai and carried, S.B. No. 305, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO USE OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS AND E-CIGARETTES ON HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION PREMISES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23. Noes, 1 (Slom). Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 106, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, S.B. No. 106, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURE CEILING," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24; Ayes with Reservations (Taniguchi). Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 118, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, S.B. No. 118, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT TRUSTS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23. Noes, 1 (Slom). Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

S.B. No. 1297, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, S.B. No. 1297, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISPOSITION OF TAX REVENUES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23; Ayes with Reservations (Baker, Harimoto). Noes, 2 (Riviere, Thielen).

S.B. No. 416, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Nishihara, seconded by Senator Harimoto and carried, S.B. No. 416, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CYCLE TRACKS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

S.B. No. 92, S.D. 2:

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, S.B. No. 92, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

S.B. No. 401, S.D. 1:

Senator Tokuda moved that S.B. No. 401, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

Senator Baker rose to request that remarks in strong opposition to the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Baker's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President, I rise in strong opposition to SB 401 SD 1, Relating to Taxation.

"Ostensibly, this measure is aimed to help one business on Kaua'i, but it actually provides a break to big tobacco. The proponents of the bill argue that if we lower the tax on large cigars, more Hawai'i consumers will purchase those cigars in Hawai'i rather than online. They argue this will generate tax revenue and boost business in the state.

"According to the Hawai'i Department of Health, smoking and tobacco use currently generate \$526 million annually in medical costs. Lowering the price of tobacco products encourages smoking and discourages quitting, so if we pass this measure, we can expect to see those health costs increase.

"Cigar smoking is not a safer alternative to cigarette smoking. One large cigar can contain as much tobacco and nicotine as an entire pack of cigarettes. Cigar smoke, like cigarette smoke, contains toxic and cancer-causing chemicals. Cigar smoking increases the risk of cancers of the lung, mouth, larynx, and esophagus. Cigar smokers are four to ten times more likely to die from laryngeal, oral, or esophageal cancers than nonsmokers. And second-hand smoke from cigar smoke is just as deadly as that of cigarettes.

"If we pass this measure, we can also expect to see more young people in Hawai'i using cigars, since they'll be so much more affordable. According to the American Heart Association, cigar smoking is the second most common form of tobacco use among youth. In 2013, the Hawaii Tobacco Youth Survey reported that 4.9 percent of Hawaii's public school students admitted to using cigars and 14 percent were experimenting.

"Proponents of this measure argue that Hawai'i should cap the cigar tax because 11 states and the federal government have done so and experienced increased tax revenue as a result. Let's widen that lens:

- Among high school students nationally, the most recent data shows that 13.1 percent of students currently smoke cigars – 17.8 percent among boys and 8 percent among girls. Compare this to Hawaii's 4.9 percent.
- From 2006 to 2010, cigar use among adults increased nationally by 123 percent; in Hawai'i, it increased by 3.2 percent.

"If we pass this bill, we can expect cigar use among Hawaii's adults and kids to rise, perhaps catch up with national trends. If we adopt the tunnel vision the proponents of this measure suggest, we'll focus exclusively on how much revenue this might generate for our state, and ignore how much it will increase health costs.

"According to the American Cancer Society, many people view cigar smoking as more sophisticated and less dangerous than cigarette smoking. Lowering the tax on large cigars will support this inaccurate assumption.

"Smoking claims 1,200 lives in Hawai'i each year. It costs us \$526 million each year. Lowering the tax on large cigars will increase these figures.

"I urge my colleagues to join me in voting 'no' on SB 401 SD 1. This measure will cost us far more than we would gain, and we will pay in dollars as well as lives."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, S.B. No. 401, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23; Ayes with Reservations (Dela Cruz, Harimoto, Kidani, Ruderman). Noes, 2 (Baker, Inouye).

S.B. No. 879, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, S.B. No. 879, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARIJUANA," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 22; Ayes with Reservations (Inouye, Slom). Noes, 3 (Harimoto, Kidani, Kouchi).

S.B. No. 211, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, S.B. No. 211, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FORENSIC IDENTIFICATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25; Ayes with Reservations (Ruderman). Noes, none.

S.B. No. 1208, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, S.B. No. 1208, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

S.B. No. 1022, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, S.B. No. 1022, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII TO REPEAL THE ONE-YEAR MINIMUM HAWAII RESIDENCY REQUIREMENT TO QUALIFY FOR APPOINTMENT PURSUANT TO ARTICLE V, SECTION 6, OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24; Ayes with Reservations (Chun Oakland). Noes, 1 (Slom).

S.B. No. 1299:

Senator Tokuda moved that S.B. No. 1299, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

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

"Senators, we had some discussion yesterday about how there are certain divisions within the Department of Land and Natural Resources that may be able to raise more money. But as many of us know, the departments are not allowed to take money from one division and put it into another because they're banned from doing so by the Legislature. Moreover, we tend to put ceilings on these special funds, which limit the amount of expenditures, and then turn around later on and claim that these balances in the accounts are artificially high and therefore need to be taken.

"This bill places a cap on the funds that were dedicated to support the natural area reserves. The natural area reserves are not able to generate revenue in and of themselves. They're areas that are designated to be pristine habitats, precious places for our state that we need to preserve, protect, and restore. They are also places that we have millions of tourists going and visiting, like 'Āhihi-Kīna'u on Maui, where they're degrading the resources that we're designated to protect. So, to place a cap on the funds that could be dedicated to the natural area reserves is grossly unfair. It's grossly unfair to do it and then to claim that there are other divisions within the department that can raise revenues, because they're not allowed to redirect those revenues over to the natural area reserves.

"What I would support in exchange of this approach is to take a more balanced look at the Department of Land and Natural Resources. As I've mentioned to many of you before, the general fund funding allocated to DLNR 20 years ago was a little bit over \$26 million; the general fund funding dedicated to DLNR today is a little over \$29 million – that's 20 years later.

We've not kept pace with inflation. We're pushing that department to raise special fund revenues, and then we're turning around and putting a cap on them and diverting them into the general fund, where they will not be reallocated for other DLNR purposes. I think we need to take a look at the department, take a look at all the sources of funding, and see if there's a way to be able to spread them within the department to serve the purposes that cannot raise funds for themselves.

"I understand the need of the state for the general funds, but it just seems grossly unfair to go after a department that represents less than 1 percent of the state budget of general funds and to take away the special funds that many people worked very hard to establish for a particular purpose. Thank you for your consideration."

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

"The funds that we're capping here are from the conveyance taxes. As all of government has been clamped down and cut back over the last several years, the special funding and things like this are even more important. Now that the economy has changed and things are starting to move up, and we're looking at more conveyance taxes in the future, it does seem woefully inappropriate to then cap funds that go to the natural area reserves, the rental housing assistance fund, and these other funds. An earlier vote on the cigarette tax was on the same principle, that we're taking monies that are earmarked because we're not adequately funding them in other places. So for those reasons, please note my opposition to this. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, S.B. No. 1299, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISPOSITION OF TAX REVENUES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 22; Ayes with Reservations (Baker, Chun Oakland, Gabbard, Harimoto, Ruderman). Noes, 3 (Riviere, Slom, Thielen).

S.B. No. 937, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, S.B. No. 937, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHICS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25; Ayes with Reservations (Taniguchi). Noes, none.

S.B. No. 152, S.D. 1:

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that S.B. No. 152, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro.

Senator Keith-Agaran rose to request that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Keith-Agaran's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President, I rise in support of this bill, which protects public safety while protecting due process protections of criminal defendants.

"The Innocence Project has highlighted the need to correct certain injustices grounded in the post-conviction discovery of exculpatory DNA evidence. At the same time, however, we are aware that we must balance fiscal responsibility into the obligations imposed on law enforcement to preserve evidence consistent with due process. This measure identifies the serious offenses in which DNA evidence has been most effective in

affecting post-conviction relief. This bill creates the standards and methodology for the retention and reasonable removal and destruction of certain material held in evidence, including actual and constructive notice to the defendant, and requires court review to allow the evidence custodian to dispose of evidentiary material under certain conditions. The importance and sensitivity of this issue is reflected by the concerns and objections expressed by the judiciary, the attorney general, law enforcement, the county prosecutors, the public defender, the Innocence Project, and other interested community groups.

"I urge my colleagues to support this bill."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, S.B. No. 152, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RETENTION OF BIOLOGICAL EVIDENCE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25; Ayes with Reservations (Ihara). Noes, none.

S.B. No. 615, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, S.B. No. 615, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE VI, SECTION 3, OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

S.B. No. 1012, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, S.B. No. 1012, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 679 (S.B. No. 877, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Taniguchi, seconded by Senator Inouye and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 679 was adopted and S.B. No. 877, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 681 (S.B. No. 1032, S.D. 2):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 681 be adopted and S.B. No. 1032, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

Senator Baker rose to request that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Baker's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President, I rise in support of SB 1032 SD 2, Relating to Chapter 245, Hawai'i Revised Statutes.

"Licensure and permitting fees for tobacco products have remained unchanged since 1995. Hawai'i has the lowest wholesaler and dealer license fee in the nation at \$2.50 a year, and one of the lowest permitting fees at \$20 a year. These fees do not accurately reflect the danger these products pose to individuals, nor are they at an adequate amount to support highly effective regulation. And as these permitting and

licensure fees have stagnated, tobacco industry expenditures in marketing and advertising have continued to rise.

"Tobacco licensing is an effective tool for ensuring tobacco wholesalers and retailers comply with laws and regulations for responsible sales, thereby limiting the negative public health consequences of tobacco use. This measure will adopt fees that will better support the administrative costs of implementing the regulations for tobacco sales and more accurately reflect the danger to consumers.

"In addition, the recent emergence of electronic smoking devices (ESD) presents new challenges for tobacco control. While proponents of ESDs claim they are made to deliver nicotine and are 'harmless,' the fact is that electronic smoking device companies are increasingly owned by large tobacco companies that are using the same well-established advertising techniques to promote ESDs among youth that they used to market tobacco. And the devices, as well as the nicotine they deliver, are not harmless.

"The FDA currently does not regulate ESDs, and thus the consumer has no assurances regarding ingredients. Because of their novelty, the long-term effects of using these devices are unknown. What we do know is that the vapors can deliver high concentrations of formaldehyde, a known carcinogen. There are also studies that show nicotine itself is dangerous, and likely a major culprit in heart disease because it damages vascular tissue, literally boring holes through smooth muscle walls.

"Proponents of electronic smoking devices also argue that they are smoking cessation devices and thus should not be defined among 'tobacco products.' While certain individuals may be using ESDs in place of cigarettes, the fact is that ESDs are currently not classified by the FDA as cessation devices. Even more significantly, young people are experimenting with and becoming addicted to them. Nearly half of all young adults in Hawai'i have tried electronic smoking devices. Twenty-nine percent of Hawai'i ninth and tenth graders have tried ESDs, one of the highest rates of adolescent ESD-only use in existing literature. What makes this even more frightening and dangerous is that ESDs are inaccurately perceived as 'safer.'

"It is appropriate to add nicotine to the definition of tobacco products and to categorize electronic smoking devices as 'tobacco products.' These devices and the nicotine they deliver are dangerous; they target young people and create new generations of nicotine addicts and the health problems that follow that addiction.

"I ask my colleagues to join me in supporting SB 1032 SD 2."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 681 was adopted and S.B. No. 1032, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHAPTER 245, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23; Ayes with Reservations (Espero). Noes, 2 (Inouye, Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 682 (S.B. No. 470, S.D. 2):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 682 be adopted and S.B. No. 470, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro.

Senator Ruderman rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations as follows:

"I rise to express my concerns regarding this bill. I understand rulemaking will take place, and I trust that process.

But as a former sailor and boat owner, I know that sometimes you have to approach shore, and this leaves open the possibility that someone's boat will be forfeited simply by approaching the island. I think that's grossly unfair to even allow that possibility. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 682 was adopted and S.B. No. 470, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KAHOLAWE ISLAND RESERVE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25; Ayes with Reservations (Ruderman). Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 685 (S.B. No. 419, S.D. 2):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 685 be adopted and S.B. No. 419, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro.

Senator Keith-Agaran requested that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Keith-Agaran's remarks read as follows:

"I rise in support of this measure.

"I note that this measure only applies to neighborhood boards as they exist on O'ahu, which already have their own section within the Sunshine Law establishing requirements different in certain respects from other boards or commissions. This measure makes it easier for neighborhood board members to attend presentations without regard to whether a quorum is present or not, provided that the presentation is not specifically held for their attendance.

"This measure will encourage neighborhood board members to learn more about projects and programs related to their neighborhood."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 685 was adopted and S.B. No. 419, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NEIGHBORHOOD BOARDS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25; Ayes with Reservations (Ihara). Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 686 (S.B. No. 682, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 686 was adopted and S.B. No. 682, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL MARIJUANA," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23; Ayes with Reservations (Inouye, Kidani, Kouchi). Noes, 2 (Harimoto, Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 688 (S.B. No. 1291, S.D. 2):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 688 be adopted and S.B. No. 1291, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro.

Senator Keith-Agaran requested that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Keith-Agaran's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President, I rise in support of this measure.

"This measure provides for important non-discrimination protections for qualified persons who need and use medical marijuana, as well as their caregivers, in certain circumstances, including real property transactions, other medical care, and child custody and visitation. I do note that there are protections in place in the event that a federal benefit might be jeopardized for a landlord, or that use of the medical marijuana might result in an unreasonable danger.

"I urge my colleagues to support this bill."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 688 was adopted and S.B. No. 1291, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL MARIJUANA," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23; Ayes with Reservations (Inouye, Kouchi). Noes, 2 (Harimoto, Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 694 (S.B. No. 379, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 694 was adopted and S.B. No. 379, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 21; Ayes with Reservations (English, Kahele, Kouchi, Nishihara, Taniguchi, Tokuda). Noes, 4 (Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Inouye, Kidani).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 696 (S.B. No. 1219, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 696 was adopted and S.B. No. 1219, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 698 (S.B. No. 1338, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 698 was adopted and S.B. No. 1338, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH CONNECTOR," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24; Ayes with Reservations (Dela Cruz, Inouye, Kidani, Nishihara, Wakai). Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 700 (S.B. No. 1014, S.D. 1):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 700 be adopted and S.B. No. 1014, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Tokuda.

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

"As I said in committee, what we're doing is creating yet another legal course of action and more lawsuits for, now, a new class of people: the homeless, the houseless.

"But I think what this bill does that's most disturbing is that it overrides and supersedes efforts by the counties to deal with the problem of houselessness. I think those members who live in certain areas, the beach areas, are going to be most affected if this becomes law – the 21st district, the 23rd district, the 25th district, and others – as we see that now we are enabling people to have the kinds of behavior that accompany houselessness. It's not just a question of compassion; it's a question of realism and reality as to the amount of crime, the amount of

disturbance, the amount of things that are going on. But as I say, basically, we are taking away the rights of the counties to adequately deal with these problems. Thank you."

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

"This bill is intended to bring certain rights that have currently been alienated from certain houseless people, particularly things like voting rights and the right to not have their possessions confiscated. I'm aware of several situations where houseless camps were raided. Their entire properties were taken away. Contrary to popular belief, there is no warning and there is no getting your possessions back in 90 percent of the cases. I'm aware of situations where a person who is houseless with employment doesn't have the uniform to go to work the next day, and houseless kids in school don't have their school books to go to school, and they don't have money to replace them so that they can graduate.

"So, while this is a problem that needs to be dealt with, this is about the civil rights of the people involved, which comes first, and it is about compassion. Thank you very much."

Senator Keith-Agaran rose to request that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Keith-Agaran's remarks read as follows:

"I rise in support of this measure.

"This measure seeks to ensure that persons without a permanent place to live are treated fairly under the law and are able to exercise their basic civil rights in the same way as other citizens. I note that as the Chair of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, we did add certain critical new language to the measure for the purpose of the Senate Draft 1, notably relating to access only to public hygiene facilities and excluding environmentally sensitive lands. We also added a provision at the end of the measure that clarified that this bill does not create any new cause of action or other right that might supersede any existing state or county laws or regulations, or federal law or constitutional right. It is with due consideration to these restrictions that I support the measure.

"I urge my colleagues to support this measure."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 700 was adopted and S.B. No. 1014, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOUSELESS BILL OF RIGHTS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 22; Ayes with Reservations (Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Inouye, Kahele, Kidani, Kouchi, Nishihara, Wakai). Noes, 3 (Riviere, Slom, Thielen).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 703 (S.B. No. 728, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 703 was adopted and S.B. No. 728, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT CONTRACTS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 704 (S.B. No. 1158, S.D. 1):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 704 be adopted and S.B. No. 1158, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

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

"I've always supported and still support the efforts for the Pacific exploration, but I cannot support a special fund. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 704 was adopted and S.B. No. 1158, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL SPACE CENTER FOR EXPLORATION SYSTEMS SPECIAL FUND," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 706 (S.B. No. 287, S.D. 2):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 706 be adopted and S.B. No. 287, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

Senator Kouchi rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations as follows:

"I noted that there were some concerns from the Kaua'i County Elections Division as this bill would tap Kaua'i and Ni'ihau as the first county to start the election-by-mail. I'm certainly all for trying to increase the voter turnout and have greater participation in the election process, but one of the requirements keeping certain polling places open on Election Day would require establishing one on Ni'ihau, which we'd have to work out with the Robinson family. I'm not sure that they've been contacted, but I have been assured by the JDL chair that the concerns were legitimate, and as the bill moves along, they would be addressed.

"Also, the senator who represents Kalaupapa has said that there are certain exceptions made for them, and so they have both indicated their willingness to work with me on trying to ensure that this could be facilitated and work well on Kaua'i. So with their encouragement, I'm going to vote 'with reservations' and hope we get it all worked out. Thank you."

Senator Keith-Agaran rose to request that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Keith-Agaran's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President, I rise in support of this measure.

"This measure proposes a three-stage phase-in for comprehensive elections by mail in the 2016, 2018, and 2020 elections. The success of early walk-in voting, temporary absentee voting, and permanent absentee voting in recent elections in Hawai'i indicates that our state, like states such as Washington and Oregon, will increase voter participation and decrease overall elections costs benefit by conducting all state and county elections by mail. Under this measure, election-day voting would be limited to special-needs voters and those who wish to drop off ballots in person at voter service centers.

"Under this measure, ballots will be mailed to registered voters approximately 14 to 18 days prior to an election date. Voters will be able to mail their ballots in secrecy envelopes any time prior to election day, or may drop off their ballots at specially designated places of deposit established by the elections officers at any time until the day before election, or may bring their ballot envelopes to a voter service center on election day. Seasonal temporary absentee voting would continue foreseeably in the future. Permanent absentee voting would eventually be incorporated into the new elections-by-mail system, but is not addressed in this measure at this time.

“As this measure encourages voter registration and voting activity to the greatest extent possible prior to election day, as a matter of policy and public communications strategy, the Committee on Judiciary and Labor has also chosen to repeal the same-day registration statute that was scheduled to come into effect in 2018. The new ‘voter service centers’ established by this measure, moreover, are intended to provide minimum same-day services for special purposes only, and therefore would be difficult to equip with the necessary cross-checking systems for same-day registration.

“I realize that this is an important and complex measure and that further technical amendments may be necessary as it moves forward. In particular, the role of and need for voting precincts, and statutory references to them, require further examination. I also acknowledge that in further consideration of this bill and in implementing this measure that due consideration be given to accommodating the special circumstances of Ni‘ihau in Kaua‘i County and Kalawao County with regard to ‘voter service centers’ on election day. Even so, I encourage my colleagues to support this important initiative.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 706 was adopted and S.B. No. 287, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25; Ayes with Reservations (Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Inouye, Kahele, Kidani, Kouchi, Nishihara, Shimabukuro, Slom). Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 708 (S.B. No. 382, S.D. 2):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 708 be adopted and S.B. No. 382, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

Senator Gabbard rose to request that remarks in opposition to the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Gabbard’s remarks read as follows:

“Madam President, I rise in opposition to SB 382 SD 2.

“This bill will provide up to a \$200,000 feed subsidy annually to companies involved in the livestock industry. Livestock production is not sustainable for a number of reasons. Most importantly, we feed livestock massive amounts of food and water that we could be feeding people directly.

“You might have heard about the movie *Cowspiracy: the Sustainability Secret*. I’ve seen it and we actually had a screening of this film in the Auditorium in January. Colleagues, I encourage you to see it. The film illustrates the impact of animal agriculture on climate change, pollution, and other major environmental problems. My hat’s off to Kip Anderson and Keegan Kuhn for having the courage to bring this excellent documentary to fruition in order to raise awareness and move people to action.

“Here are a few facts about animal agriculture, which definitely are relevant to the passage of this bill:

- According to a 2009 World Watch Institute paper, animal agriculture is the source of 51 percent of all greenhouse gases.
- According to a 2004 World Bank working paper titled, *Causes of Deforestation of the Brazilian Amazon*, animal agriculture is responsible for 91 percent of Amazon rain forest destruction.

- According to a 2006 United Nations Food and Agriculture Organization report, animal agriculture is a leading cause of species extinction, ocean dead zones, water pollution, and deforestation.

“So, colleagues, let’s get real. If we’re going to talk about climate change, sea level rise, and sustainability, it’s time to lay out all the facts on the table, and have a REAL conversation about strategies and action plans. If we’re going to continually prop up the livestock industry, which we’ve been doing to the tune of more than \$20 million from 1995 to 2012, it seems only fair that organic farmers, Hawaiian taro farmers, etc. should also be given these \$200,000 grants. That would at least level the playing field.

“The bottom line is that we can have healthy, more environmentally friendly diets that make more efficient use of our resources by getting our nutrition directly from plant based sources, rather than by passing the resources unnecessarily through animals. By moving toward a more plant based diet, we can avoid waste management and water pollution issues that accompany animal feeding operations. Mahalo.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 708 was adopted and S.B. No. 382, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Gabbard).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 711 (S.B. No. 286, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 711 was adopted and S.B. No. 286, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF THE STATE INSPECTOR GENERAL,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25; Ayes with Reservations (Espero). Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 715 (S.B. No. 849, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 715 was adopted and S.B. No. 849, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25; Ayes with Reservations (Taniguchi). Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 722 (S.B. No. 1122):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 722 was adopted and S.B. No. 1122, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WAGE AND HOUR LAW,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 724 (S.B. No. 1107):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 724 was adopted and S.B. No. 1107, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR GENERAL ASSISTANCE,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 731 (S.B. No. 550, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 731 was adopted and S.B. No. 550, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23; Ayes with Reservations (Baker, Espero, Kidani, Ruderman). Noes, 2 (Slom, Thielen).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 740 (S.B. No. 577, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 740 was adopted and S.B. No. 577, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN FINANCE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25; Ayes with Reservations (Taniguchi). Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 746 (S.B. No. 1072):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 746 be adopted and S.B. No. 1072, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

Senator Slom rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations as follows:

"I note that before, there was supposed to be a cost-benefit risk analysis done on some of these expenditures, including the Matson molasses spill. To my knowledge, it has not been done and presented to the Legislature.

"In addition to that, I think the public is still concerned with the agreement that was made by the state and Matson. Initially, Matson said they would pay for everything related to the molasses spill. And now that we see that the costs have gone up, that there's more ecological damage, now we see that Matson has backed away and has been given a deal which is less than favorable for the taxpayers. So while I realize that the attorney general's office has certain obligations, I think they need to be more aggressive in this case. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 746 was adopted and S.B. No. 1072, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24; Ayes with Reservations (Slom). Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Kouchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 748 (S.B. No. 1076, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 748 was adopted and S.B. No. 1076, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23. Noes, 1 (Slom). Excused, 1 (Kouchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 750 (S.B. No. 216, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 750 was adopted and S.B. No. 216, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WAGES AND HOURS ON PUBLIC WORKS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23; Ayes with Reservations (Riviere, Thielen). Noes, 1 (Slom). Excused, 1 (Kouchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 752 (S.B. No. 276, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 752 was adopted and S.B. No. 276, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELDER AND VULNERABLE ADULTS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 755 (S.B. No. 1214):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 755 be adopted and S.B. No. 1214, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

Senator Slom rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations as follows:

"I rise in support with reservations, and I have strong reservations. It's interesting that Hawaiian Electric is now seeking special purpose revenue bonds during the time of the so-called horizontal merger and during a time when there's been much criticism for their lack of work on the grid and their foot-dragging on solar, which, fortunately, has now gotten a kick-start with our new PUC chairman.

"But it's interesting to me that they're seeking \$800,000 in special purpose revenue bonds. I'd be opposed to it if it were state bonds, if it was a state guarantee or state liability. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 755 was adopted and S.B. No. 1214, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST HAWAIIAN ELECTRIC COMPANY, INC., MAUI ELECTRIC COMPANY, LIMITED, AND HAWAII ELECTRIC LIGHT COMPANY, INC.," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25; Ayes with Reservations (Slom). Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 756 (S.B. No. 1220, S.D. 2):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 756 be adopted and S.B. No. 1220, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

Senator Baker rose to request that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Baker's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President, I rise in strong support of SB1220 SD 2, Relating to Chapter 245.

"This measure amends the definition of tobacco products to include any product that contains nicotine, but may not contain tobacco. The measure also increases the rate at which tobacco products are taxed, raising the rate from 70 percent to 80 percent of the wholesale price of the product, excluding large cigars.

"Nicotine is the addictive component of tobacco. It is what stimulates the body's euphoric response when the product is inhaled or consumed. By including nicotine in the definition of tobacco, we are able to include all forms of nicotine both derived from tobacco as well as synthetic nicotine. By including non-tobacco products containing nicotine, we are able to ensure that those products are taxed fairly and that consumers cannot

access cheaper products that contain nicotine which run the same high risk of addiction as tobacco products.

"In 2009, Hawai'i set the tax rate for other tobacco products at 70 percent of the wholesale value. This tax rate has become outdated as it no longer creates parity between the tax on cigarettes and tax on other tobacco products. This parity is necessary to make sure that consumers aren't driven from one product to another equally addictive and harmful alternative that just happens to be cheaper.

"According to the Federal Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, increasing the price of tobacco products is the most effective way to prevent initiation among nonsmokers as well as to reduce consumption. Furthermore, consumers may be more likely to purchase the cheaper other tobacco products as the price of cigarettes increases, without a comparable increase in the price of other tobacco products that a comparable tax would produce.

"Colleagues, I urge you to join me in supporting SB 1220 SD 2. Mahalo."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 756 was adopted and S.B. No. 1220, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHAPTER 245, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23; Ayes with Reservations (Dela Cruz, Shimabukuro). Noes, 2 (Inouye, Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 757 (S.B. No. 1228, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 757 was adopted and S.B. No. 1228, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25; Ayes with Reservations (Thielen). Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 759 (S.B. No. 1260):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 759 was adopted and S.B. No. 1260, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RECYCLING," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25; Ayes with Reservations (Slom). Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 763 (S.B. No. 1131, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 763 was adopted and S.B. No. 1131, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 765 (S.B. No. 1174, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 765 was adopted and S.B. No. 1174, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23; Ayes with Reservations (Ihara, Kouchi, Riviere). Noes, 2 (Kidani, Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 766 (S.B. No. 1279, S.D. 2):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 766 be adopted and S.B. No. 1279, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro.

Senator Keith-Agaran rose to request that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Keith-Agaran's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President, I rise in support of this measure.

"This bill provides that non-competition and non-solicitation clauses in employment agreements that are longer than one year in duration, in the context of a technology business, will be void as a matter of law. This measure has the important goal of stimulating economic activity in an important sector of business by freeing up human resources that might otherwise be restricted from starting up new businesses or bringing their talents to existing companies. I note that trade secrets remain strongly protected by law, so any employee that moved to a new company or attempted to start a new company using a previous employer's confidential trade information would be in violation of current law that is unrevised by this measure.

"We still have some concerns about the functional definition of 'technology business' as we included in the committee report. But we have inserted a deferred effective date and hope that this can be refined as the measure moves forward.

"I urge my colleagues to support this bill."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 766 was adopted and S.B. No. 1279, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENTS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 767 (S.B. No. 1030, S.D. 1):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 767 be adopted and S.B. No. 1030, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro.

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

"This bill would make 18-, 19-, and 20-year-olds ineligible to smoke a cigarette in the comfort of their home. I want to be very clear: I cannot stand cigarette smoke. I used to walk out on my mother when she would light up a cigarette, and it created a lot of trouble in our household. I don't like cigarette smoke; I don't support it—but I think people have a right to choose something if it's legal in Hawai'i and they're 18 years old. They can serve in the military. They can sign contracts. They can live and die and do just about everything except have a beer, and now we're going to tell them they can't have a cigarette. So, I'm opposed to this. Thank you."

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

"I'm as anti-tobacco as anybody, but I do think that an 18-year-old is an adult in almost every sense, and we shouldn't be putting further restrictions on them. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 767 was adopted and S.B. No. 1030, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," having

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

Ayes, 20; Ayes with Reservations (Espero, Ihara, Kidani, Nishihara). Noes, 5 (Gabbard, Riviere, Ruderman, Slom, Thielen).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 772 (S.B. No. 683, S.D. 2):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 772 be adopted and S.B. No. 683, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro.

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

“Let’s make no mistake about this bill: When we’re talking about limited or provisional licenses without residence, we’re talking about illegal, undocumented aliens. It’s just another step in the process of providing amnesty and providing, not a gateway to citizenship, but a gateway to illegal authentication. Thank you.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 772 was adopted and S.B. No. 683, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE DRIVER LICENSING,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 774 (S.B. No. 589, S.D. 2):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 774 be adopted and S.B. No. 589, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro.

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

“I just want to try to explain how important this bill is to my community. In the face of the lava threat, all the crises we’ve actually faced have all been man-made. One of the biggest ones is the insurance industry threatening non-renewal and not allowing new home sales to be insured. This is creating an economic crisis, and this bill goes very far to address it. I really want to thank the chair of Consumer Protection and the representatives of the insurance industry, who came together to try to help solve this crisis.

“While we may be the only district to face lava threats, every district will eventually face disasters, and it’s important that insurance companies are there when we need them. Thank you.”

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

“Ordinarily, I would not support a bill of this kind, which basically provides a government mandate, but in this case, I certainly agree with the senator from Puna. In addition to the economic problems already created, my understanding is that the insurance industry, in fact, has not paid off claims that were already due, causing additional problems. So, not to pay the claims and then to cancel the insurance is a double whammy that should not befall the consumers. Thank you.”

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

“Thank you, Madam President. May I please, in support, have the words of the senator from Puna added into the Journal as if they were my own?” (The Chair so ordered, by reference only.)

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 774 was adopted and S.B. No. 589, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 775 (S.B. No. 752, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 775 was adopted and S.B. No. 752, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 776 (S.B. No. 895, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 776 was adopted and S.B. No. 895, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 778 (S.B. No. 892, S.D. 2):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 778 be adopted and S.B. No. 892, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

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

“While there are many laudable goals and objectives in the bill, it really has a number of different components to it, and there’s no cost estimates. Some of the costs that we heard during the hearing were outlandish, particularly for the landing station and for the offshore tech parks and so forth. We need to be more careful when we have bills that have the potential of great expenditures and future expansion; we need to have more of a handle on those numbers. Thank you.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 778 was adopted and S.B. No. 892, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OMNIBUS HAWAII RESILIENCE AND SUSTAINABILITY STRATEGY,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 782 (S.B. No. 847, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 782 was adopted and S.B. No. 847, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHERS,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 785 (S.B. No. 519, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 785 was adopted and S.B. No. 519, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25; Ayes with Reservations (Slom). Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 790 (S.B. No. 1310, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 790 was adopted and S.B. No. 1310, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STORMWATER MANAGEMENT," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 794 (S.B. No. 980, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 794 was adopted and S.B. No. 980, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAMS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 795 (S.B. No. 979, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 795 was adopted and S.B. No. 979, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO YOUTH," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 805 (S.B. No. 359, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 805 was adopted and S.B. No. 359, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENTAL RESPONSE, ENERGY, AND FOOD SECURITY TAX," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23. Noes, 2 (Inouye, Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 806 (S.B. No. 349, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 806 was adopted and S.B. No. 349, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 809 (S.B. No. 307, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 809 was adopted and S.B. No. 307, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 813 (S.B. No. 1042, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 813 was adopted and S.B. No. 1042, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR SUNSTRONG LLC, A RENEWABLE ENERGY DEVELOPER SERVING THE GENERAL PUBLIC IN PROVIDING ELECTRIC ENERGY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 818 (S.B. No. 1101, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 818 was adopted and S.B. No. 1101, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25; Ayes with Reservations (Taniguchi). Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 819 (S.B. No. 1050, S.D. 2):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 819 be adopted and S.B. No. 1050, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

Senator Gabbard rose to request that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Gabbard's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President, I rise in strong support of SB 1050 SD 2.

"Colleagues, this is truly a win-win bill. As the tug of war continues between HECO and our constituents over the installation of solar PV systems on saturated circuits, this bill offers another option. What this bill will do is open up solar PV to: a) people who live on these saturated circuits, b) the 39 percent of our state residents who reside in multi-family dwellings, and c) those who don't have sufficient roof space.

"The concept is simple: anyone, including individuals, non-profits, and businesses, can hui up, find some land or empty roof space, and purchase or lease some solar panels. It can be a few or as many panels as they want. They then get credited for the amount of electricity those panels produce, thus lowering their electricity bills.

"Colorado was the first to pioneer this community-based renewables concept. To date, there are 10 states that have implemented community-based renewables, including states like California, Massachusetts, and Minnesota. The good thing about this bill is both renewable energy sector and HECO support this bill

"It's time for our state to set up a Community-Renewables program which offers our constituents this option. Mahalo."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 819 was adopted and S.B. No. 1050, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25; Ayes with Reservations (Slom). Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 821 (S.B. No. 1036, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 821 was adopted and S.B. No. 1036, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUBSTANCE ABUSE TREATMENT," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 822 (S.B. No. 1047, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 822 was adopted and S.B. No. 1047, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST PELATRON Q, LLC,"

having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Galuteria).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 823 (S.B. No. 833, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 823 was adopted and S.B. No. 833, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24; Ayes with Reservations (Thielen). Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Galuteria).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 825 (S.B. No. 822, S.D. 1):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 825 be adopted and S.B. No. 822, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

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

"This bill is a way for the Department of Education to get away from the instructional hours and, in fact, it specifically talks about non-instructional hours. I think what the public wants – what we need – to improve our education is more classroom teaching, more teachers in the classroom, more instructional hours, not just more hours. Thank you."

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

"A few years ago, the Legislature passed a bill that quantified 'student instructional hours' at 990 hours per academic year, and debate has gone on since then about just what constitutes an 'instructional hour.' Many schools have struggled to define and implement the law's requirements. This bill would empower the Board of Education to define just what falls into the category of 'student hours' on campus.

"The intent is to give the Board – in consultation with the affected bargaining units – the authority to define student hours that provide public schools with greater flexibility and thereby determine schedules that are most conducive to achieving student success and increasing access to those opportunities where students learn best.

"It also repeals the increase in instructional hours mandate that would otherwise take effect next school year for DOE to implement 190 days and 1,140 instructional hours. This authorizes the Board of Education to set definition of student hours instead of having definition set in statute.

"The Senate Committee on Education heard supporting testimony on this bill from the Department of Education; HSTA; the Hui for Excellence in Education, a coalition representing more than 40 parent and community organizations that advocate for improving student achievement; and many others. We appreciate their analysis on behalf of our schools and our students as our deliberations on this matter proceed.

"I urge the Senate's favorable consideration of Senate Bill 822. Thank you, Madam President."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 825 was adopted and S.B. No. 822, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24; Ayes with Reservations (Thielen). Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 826 (S.B. No. 819, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 826 was adopted and S.B. No. 819, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 828 (S.B. No. 911, S.D. 2):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 828 be adopted and S.B. No. 911, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

Senator Baker rose to request that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Baker's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President, I rise in strong support to SB 911 SD 2, Relating to Latex.

"This measure aims to prohibit the use of latex gloves in dental health facilities, health care facilities, and food establishments and by personnel providing ambulance services or emergency medical services. This is to help ensure the safety of individuals with latex allergies.

"Approximately 3 million people in the U.S. have an allergy to latex. Reactions to latex can range from a mild rash to asphyxia to potentially deadly anaphylaxis. Moreover, with continued exposure reactions can intensify. There is currently no medically approved treatment except for strict avoidance.

"While individuals can take precautions and choose latex-free restaurants, they don't always have the option, especially on the neighbor islands, when choosing medical or dental facilities even in a case of an emergency.

"I urge my colleagues to support this measure, as it would create healthier work environments and protect Hawai'i residents and visitors who suffer from latex allergies. Mahalo."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 828 was adopted and S.B. No. 911, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LATEX," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25; Ayes with Reservations (Ruderman). Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 832 (S.B. No. 785, S.D. 2):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 832 be adopted and S.B. No. 785, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

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

"Thank you. This bill seeks to assist the DHHL, but in doing so, it really harms the counties. This bill requires the counties to issue affordable housing credits for every unit constructed by DHHL, no matter where the unit is, no matter its affordability or size.

"What is really troubling about this is as the City and County of Honolulu is attempting to create affordable housing plans, it's trying to create its TOD plans and it's seeking to concentrate or to focus creation of more affordable housing in the rail corridor. This bill would make it very, very difficult for the city to develop those units. So, I have great concerns about this, and for those reasons, I will be voting 'no.'"

Senator Ruderman rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations as follows:

"I share the concerns of the previous speaker. I think that sometimes this is going to result in affordable housing being far from developments and also, the potential for more than one housing credit to be given to a developer for building one house. I fear that this is going to result in less affordable housing at a time when we desperately need more. Thank you."

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

"Thank you, Madam President. I stand in strong support and just wish to acknowledge the concerns of the former speakers, but the Ways and Means Committee did address some of the county's concerns and made some amendments that made these housing credits subject to county ordinances and memoranda. So, we are trying to balance the needs of both the homesteaders and the county. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 832 was adopted and S.B. No. 785, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING ON HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24; Ayes with Reservations (Ruderman, Thielen). Noes, 1 (Harimoto).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 834 (S.B. No. 768, S.D. 1):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 834 be adopted and S.B. No. 768, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

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

"I have been consistently in opposition since we first had the mandate for in vitro fertilization. I've watched the costs go up. I've watched the ease of providing these infertility services on health care. It's interesting: Medicaid does not cover infertility, which means that any increases here – and they are large, when we're talking about these procedures – will come from state funds. And, ultimately, as an additional mandate, that means that it will find its way into increased premium costs for all premium holders. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 834 was adopted and S.B. No. 768, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IN VITRO FERTILIZATION INSURANCE COVERAGE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 836 (S.B. No. 703, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 836 was adopted and S.B. No. 703, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOLID WASTE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 21; Ayes with Reservations (Dela Cruz). Noes, 4 (Inouye, Kahele, Kidani, Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 837 (S.B. No. 115, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 837 was adopted and S.B. No. 115, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 840 (S.B. No. 144, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 840 was adopted and S.B. No. 144, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JURY TRIAL," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 842 (S.B. No. 193, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 842 was adopted and S.B. No. 193, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENHANCED 911 SURCHARGES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24; Ayes with Reservations (Inouye). Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 844 (S.B. No. 676, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 844 was adopted and S.B. No. 676, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CAPITAL INFRASTRUCTURE TAX CREDIT," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Taniguchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 845 (S.B. No. 663):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 845 was adopted and S.B. No. 663, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 851 (S.B. No. 1077, S.D. 1):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 851 be adopted and S.B. No. 1077, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

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

"I'll be voting 'no' on this and the following bills that have to do with collective bargaining. As I've said in committee and on this floor before, we cannot afford these additional amounts, nor are they justified during this budget period. In addition, we should remember that there are \$654 million in the governor's proposed budget for collective bargaining items and an additional \$100 million in other financial appropriations. That's almost a billion dollars for this one item. It makes people wonder if the real reason that the Legislature comes to town is to provide funding increases for the unions.

"We are talking about an economy which has not yet recovered across the board. We are still struggling. We are looking at budget items. We have people competing for grants-in-aid for departmental increases, and this is where we put our emphasis. So, I'll be voting 'no' on all of these items. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 851 was adopted and S.B. No. 1077, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 852 (S.B. No. 1078, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 852 was adopted and S.B. No. 1078, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 853 (S.B. No. 1079, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 853 was adopted and S.B. No. 1079, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 854 (S.B. No. 1081, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 854 was adopted and S.B. No. 1081, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 855 (S.B. No. 1082, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 855 was adopted and S.B. No. 1082, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 856 (S.B. No. 1083, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 856 was adopted and S.B. No. 1083, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 857 (S.B. No. 1084, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 857 was adopted and S.B. No. 1084, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 865 (S.B. No. 504, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 865 was adopted and S.B. No. 504, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25; Ayes with Reservations (English, Gabbard, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Kouchi, Tokuda). Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 867 (S.B. No. 129, S.D. 2):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 867 be adopted and S.B. No. 129, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

Senator Keith-Agaran rose to request that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Keith-Agaran's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President, I rise in support of this bill, which extends the benefits of paid sick leave to service workers.

"Paid sick leave has a long track record of promoting employee loyalty, decreasing employee turnover, and helping to ensure a healthy workplace. However, paid sick leave does not currently extend to most part-time food service workers. These workers are most often paid the lowest wage.

"We are aware that increasing worker benefits will affect our employers and how they plan their businesses. This measure only affects those large companies with 50 or more employees. Employers who already offer sick leave benefits, including those with more generous sick leave benefit plans, are unaffected by this measure.

"I also note that the paid leave proposed in this measure will be available to help domestic violence victims and their families.

"I urge my colleagues to support this measure."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 867 was adopted and S.B. No. 129, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 868 (S.B. No. 128, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 868 was adopted and S.B. No. 128, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 869 (S.B. No. 1080, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 869 was adopted and S.B. No. 1080, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 872 (S.B. No. 1011, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 872 was adopted and S.B. No. 1011, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24; Ayes with Reservations (Ihara, Riviere). Noes, 1 (Thielen).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 877 (S.B. No. 374, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 877 was adopted and S.B. No. 374, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DUAL CREDIT PROGRAMS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 878 (S.B. No. 1280, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 878 was adopted and S.B. No. 1280, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION NETWORK COMPANIES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25; Ayes with Reservations (Espero, Green, Ihara, Kahele, Kidani, Kouchi, Nishihara, Shimabukuro, Slom, Thielen, Wakai). Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 882 (S.B. No. 844, S.D. 2):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 882 be adopted and S.B. No. 844, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

Senator Kidani rose to request that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Kidani's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President and colleagues, I rise in support of SB 844, which would expand opportunities for preschool education so that those opportunities are nearly universally available throughout the state.

"The value of pre-school to the future success of young children is widely acknowledged – through scholarly research and by simple family anecdotal evidence. Kids are simply better off if they have the advantage of early education – in an age-appropriate setting and with age-appropriate learning materials. I do not believe there should be much debate about this at this point in our history.

"What is debatable is how early education is to be paid for, and assuring that there are fair and equitable opportunities for all children to take advantage of the proven benefits.

"SB 844, SD 2 would formally codify Hawai'i's often-articulated commitment to our give our keiki the best foot forward to fulfillment of potential.

"The bill establishes by statute an early learning program in the Department of Education. It contains provisions to serve a gap-group below the middle class who cannot afford private preschool for their children, but who may not qualify for existing assisted programs such as Head Start, Preschool Open Doors, and the like. And the bill would also benefit youngsters who fell out of the system when a July 31 cut-off date was established for youngsters to be eligible for kindergarten.

"Your Committee on Education heard supportive testimony from virtually everyone who came to testify. We agree that it's time to commit – and I urge your favorable vote on SB 844, SD 2."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 882 was adopted and S.B. No. 844, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EARLY

CHILDHOOD EDUCATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 883 (S.B. No. 704, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 883 was adopted and S.B. No. 704, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRIC VEHICLES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 884 (S.B. No. 1155, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 884 was adopted and S.B. No. 1155, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CREATIVE MEDIA INDUSTRY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 21; Ayes with Reservations (Chun Oakland, English, Espero, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro, Taniguchi). Noes, 4 (Baker, Dela Cruz, Kidani, Nishihara).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 887 (S.B. No. 1374, S.D. 2):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 887 be adopted and S.B. No. 1374, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

Senator Slom rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations as follows:

"We've been talking about the Dole lands for a long period of time; now we're talking about a half-million-dollar study. We've had people looking at this and analyzing it. I think what we really need is a plan, definitely, for how we're going to use those lands and what the costs are going to be, rather than another study. Thank you."

Senator Dela Cruz rose to speak in support of the measure as follows:

"The half a million dollars, Madam President, is so that we can do the appraisals so that we can actually do the trading of equal value. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 887 was adopted and S.B. No. 1374, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND EXCHANGE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25; Ayes with Reservations (Slom). Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 888 (S.B. No. 791, S.D. 1):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 888 be adopted and S.B. No. 791, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

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

"As I have said previously, while I certainly understand and sympathize with the costs and all of the problems associated with autism, again, we keep loading up our insurance system with mandates, thus not making it insurance whatsoever. We have problems with autism definitions and coverage, and we certainly have an open-ended cost for this particular bill. Thank you."

Senator Green rose to speak in strong support of the measure as follows:

“Sympathy and understanding are useless to people when they’ve got a child with autism and can’t get care for that child. It’s criminal not to give them coverage; that’s why we’re passing this bill. We’ve worked with the insurance industry; we’ve worked with the government. Medicaid now covers these services. We’ve got thousands of children in our state with autism and families that suffer because they can’t get care. So, I’m so proud of our legislature for moving on this bill. Thank you, Madam President.”

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

“I’d like to express that I’m so thankful that we’re moving this bill forward this year. I want to thank the work of the chairs on the Health and Consumer Protection Committees. And like so many things, a dollar spent treating autism in time and early will save tens and hundreds and thousands of dollars in treating it later, and that cost falls on all of us just the same. So, preventive care and early intervention is the economical and compassionate thing to do. Thank you.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 888 was adopted and S.B. No. 791, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDERS,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 889 (S.B. No. 1028, S.D. 2):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 889 be adopted and S.B. No. 1028, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

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

“Of all the bills that we’ve looked at this morning, this probably is the worst. This is a way for the dying and failing Hawai‘i Health Connector to get money that it does not deserve from the taxpayers of this state. If you look at the construction of this bill, the bill really allows the Hawai‘i Health Connector to be issuing state general obligation bonds, which is in violation of the State Constitution.

“It also allows for payment and transfer of funds from the rainy day fund. The rainy day fund – our emergency budget reserve fund – very specifically can only be used during times that are specified in the Constitution in the Hawai‘i Revised Statutes as ‘emergency.’ This does not qualify.

“From every aspect of this bill, it is unconstitutional, it is illegal, and we should not be doing this. Instead, what we should be doing is providing more oversight on the outrageous costs and contracts of the Hawai‘i Health Connector. I urge my members to think twice before voting for and supporting this measure. Thank you.”

Senator Baker rose to speak in strong support of the measure as follows:

“It’s unfortunate that the Minority Leader continues to rail against a measure simply because it’s a part of the Affordable Care Act. The Hawai‘i Health Connector is the state’s health insurance exchange. It has made a remarkable recovery from a very rocky start that all of us acknowledge. It has good leadership now. It has met its first measure of sustainability goals by enrolling 30,000 individuals into the Hawai‘i Health Connector. It is on target to be a great asset to this community – not only enrolling the new COFA individuals who could not be

paid for easily in Medicaid, but now, through the Health Connector, are getting the insurance that they need – and it saves the state resources.

“The Health Connector has just begun its next open enrollment for businesses. And those individuals who buy insurance on the Health Connector can still receive some subsidies that we’ve had testimony after testimony noting that it’s not only saved them money but allowed them to provide greater coverage and to insure more people.

“It is a program that needs some assistance to ensure that it gets to its sustainability goals. This is a measure that is undoubtedly a work in progress – this is not Final Reading. It is a measure that gives us an opportunity to provide the Health Connector with the same type of assistance to move forward that we provided for HEMIC, and HEMIC has become a very, very successful organization.

“I think this is a very creative measure; I appreciate the work that the chair of Ways and Means provided, and as we go forward, I’m certain that if there are other objections, we can find a way to ensure that Hawai‘i’s Health Connector moves forward in a judicious and helpful way so that we can not only preserve Prepaid Health in our state, which has been a great boon to make sure that as many people as we have are covered, but we’ll also have a mechanism to reach out and cover others. Thank you, Madam President.”

Senator Slom rose to speak in rebuttal as follows:

“While I respect the kind senator from Maui, she has this habit of continuing to tell me what I’m really thinking. I’m talking about the Health Connector; I’m not talking about the Affordable Care Act or anything else. It has to stand or fall on its own, and the fact of the matter is it has failed from the very beginning.

“The facts of the matter are when I talked about the illegality and unconstitutionality of issuing general obligation bonds for a private entity, which is what the Health Connector is, I was not rebutted on that. When I talked about the misuse of repayment or transfer from the rainy day fund, I was not rebutted on that. The one thing that we can absolutely agree on: This is a very, very creative way of trying to get around the law.

“This institution, the Health Connector, will stand or fall on its own regardless of anything else, but as I’ve urged all along, we should have – from the very beginning – continued to operate and had an exemption for Hawai‘i’s Prepaid Health Care Act, which worked for many years, many decades; did not create this bureaucracy; did not have federal additional costs of over \$200 million, and now is trying to tap the money of the taxpayers to keep it on life support. Thank you.”

Senator Baker rose to speak in rebuttal as follows:

“I rise in rebuttal to the erroneous remarks of our Minority Leader. First of all, the measure would not allow the issuance of general obligation bonds. This would allow them to offer debentures that are loans backed by the state, and that’s the purpose of the rainy day fund: It’s a guarantee. And as I’ve talked with the Health Connector, they have such folks in the private sector who are willing to invest, and that’s why we need to keep this measure alive.

“The other information that the good Minority Leader continues to proffer is that somehow, back when we set up the Hawai‘i Health Connector, we could have gotten an exemption and a waiver. The innovation waiver that he alludes to is not available to states, to Hawai‘i or anybody else, until ’17. We passed a measure earlier that allows some resources to go to the folks who are putting that waiver together, but even at that, the waiver will allow us to continue health care transformation in

our state, not necessarily get around Prepaid. We are the only state that had the foresight to put that into effect, and we certainly don't want to do anything that will jeopardize it.

"But like HEMIC, which was created by this legislature, so was the Hawai'i Health Connector. It still needs some additional support from the Legislature. It is providing very effective health care insurance. We believe that there are other strategies that will continue to be explored and developed as we go along this legislative session, so I ask my colleagues to vote in support of this measure so we can keep this vehicle alive. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 889 was adopted and S.B. No. 1028, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH CONNECTOR," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23. Noes, 2 (Gabbard, Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 891 (S.B. No. 1117, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 891 was adopted and S.B. No. 1117, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 892 (S.B. No. 638, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 892 was adopted and S.B. No. 638, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 893 (S.B. No. 1037, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 893 was adopted and S.B. No. 1037, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HEALTH IMPACTS OF PESTICIDES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25; Ayes with Reservations (Slom). Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 898 (S.B. No. 19, S.D. 2):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 898 be adopted and S.B. No. 19, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

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

"Thank you. I was wrong, colleagues: *This* is the worst bill of today. You know, we talk about our former mayor, who used to say, 'Can we afford it? Can we maintain it? Do we need it?' And what we've seen is that every target for this train to nowhere on O'ahu – every target, date, amount – has been missed. We haven't gotten a straight answer from either the mayor's office or from the HART board. Everybody keeps slapping each other on the back, but what they're really doing is pushing the taxpayers out of the way.

"The taxpayers have told us they've got serious questions about the continued funding. The governor has told us. Why are

we adding a surcharge extension now when this is 2015, and the surcharge goes to 2022, and we have less than 5 percent of the project completed? Let's see if they do what they say they're going to do, for just once. So far, they haven't done that. And I've asked the mayor over a dozen times, 'What is the total cost of the project with the current \$900 million overrun?' As I said in the Ways and Means Committee, if this were your money, if this were your family's money, you wouldn't spend it on something where you don't know the outcome, you don't know the cost, and you look at the past track record. And yet here we are, rushing to do this.

"Now, I understand that the mayor initially wanted no cap, no year at all. Then, he settled for 35 years. Then, he came down to 25 years. And this version of the bill is five years. We have a different version in the House. The point is it's not the time. It is actually the performance and whether or not you have the confidence – or the taxpayers have the confidence – in continuing to dole out money without either the oversight or the responsibility. So, I would urge you to think twice about doing this. Thank you."

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

"I don't think there's a person in this building who is excited about voting for this bill. I think we all have a great amount of apprehension. Nobody wants to vote for this; nobody wants to be on the hook for supporting runaway expenses.

"This is our one chance, members, to actually hold the city and county, HART, and the developers of this project accountable – this is it. This is our only chance to put a check on their fiscal responsibility. I reject the idea that we've been asked to write an endless check. I reject the idea that there's no way they can put any restraint on the expenses. Surely, there's budgets; surely, there have been analyses. We've heard again and again, 'The federal government endorsed our business plan.' Well, great: If they've endorsed the business plan, maybe they should also be helping contribute to the future of this. 'Well, no, the federal government doesn't want to take any additional responsibility.' Well, I would argue that neither do the taxpayers and the residents of this island.

"So by granting a five-year extension now, it seems like the prudent compromise that, well, it'll hold them accountable; it'll give them enough. But I ask, is there a member on this floor who believes that's the final price? Five years. This should not be an argument about pro-rail or anti-rail. I'm not opposed to the completion of the project; I am opposed to just giving them whatever they want, okay?

"So this is a stand I think that we have to take this year. Let the city demonstrate, let HART demonstrate some – *some* – fiscal accountability. They've given us none. We ask, 'What are you doing?' 'Well, we're working really hard to control costs.' Well, in what way? When this legislature was faced with budget shortfalls of hundreds of millions of dollars in previous years, we had Furlough Fridays; we had cutbacks in government staffing and services and support; we took pay cuts; we had to live within our means. There's nobody asking HART to live within their means. All we're being asked is to continue to pay them at whatever price is being asked.

"And with the indulgence of the members, I do have a visual aid. [*Holds up giant check.*] This is not to create any animosity or anxiety – we've all got to vote how we've got to vote – but I really think that we're looking at a blank check. And this is my statement, and I hope you take it in the good nature it's presented.

"But this is an important question; this is generational. This is our one chance to hold them accountable. So for those reasons, I would say 'no' this year; let them come back next

year. Let them demonstrate their fiscal prudence, and let's pick this up again next year. Thank you very much."

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

"Again, this is the first cross, and I want to acknowledge the work done by the Ways and Means chair. When we took it up in the committee, we listened to four hours of very pointed and direct questions.

"I believe the best way for us to hold them accountable and get the information and have it done in a transparent way that everyone in the public can hear what's going on is to continue to have the meetings that we are holding in committees and have those direct questions that we as legislators can ask. We're not asking to make a final decision today; that will come in early May. Until then, again, I believe the best way for us to get that information, to have that accountability and transparency for the public, is to have us fully engaged and asking the tough questions. Thank you."

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

"Senate President and members, I'd like to have the words of the previous speaker entered as if they were my own, with some additional comments.

"I drive that route coming from the west side every morning, and some days, it's really good – when the schools aren't in session. But the rest of the time ... A good example is what happened today: We had riders coming from Central O'ahu, coming from the west side, and if you listened to KSSK, you would have found that the roads were practically impassable. Consequently, the roadways become impassable on the freeways, then you have riders then getting off the freeway and getting onto Farrington Highway, then onto Kamehameha Highway, and that becomes congested as well.

"Those of us who have had to live through all of this over the years are certainly well aware of the problems we do have coming from the west side. I think, as the previous speaker said, this is a measure that will at least move the discussion on whether or not the amount of money that the city would require to complete the project. Clearly, we cannot *not* complete it. If any of you have ever driven through from 'Aiea, certainly through Waipahu, you'd be well aware that there are huge columns already sitting there. I certainly do get comments from people from my own district about the inconvenience that's caused by these projects. Unfortunately, we also had the same concerns about inconvenience when we had to fix the freeways.

"I think, to make progress go forward, we do need another mode of transportation. I think for us to continue to debate whether we need it or not, I think, is probably shortsighted, and I think we should vote in support of this measure. I stand in support of it."

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

"I think it's important to keep in mind that what's in front of us is not the question of, 'Do we want to stop rail?' Rail should be built. But this project has just started, and already, when it's just started, the city has come back on in and requested a permanent GET increase for the project in perpetuity.

"So what's in front of us is the question, 'What response are we going to give to that request?' Are we going to set the bar high, to say that the city has to earn our support by proving fiscal responsibility? The city's attitude in coming in here is, 'You need to prove "no."' And my response to them is, 'You need to earn a "yes."' And up until now, they have not earned a 'yes.' My understanding is even the federal regulators have

been concerned about the lack of cost containment measures and have expressed this to the city over and over again.

"I understand what the senator from Kaua'i is saying, that perhaps the best way to force that discussion in public is to move the bill forward. But I would submit to you, senators, for those of you who do want to move it forward, you should move it forward with strong reservations, because that would send the best message to the city of all: that to date, we haven't heard the information needed to justify this increase. Thank you."

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

"For the past 45 years, growth has been planned in Central O'ahu and Leeward O'ahu. That is to protect the country and keep it country. That is because the Windward side and the east side did not want that kind of development. So with the 45 years of growth in Central and Leeward O'ahu, we have not been given the infrastructure that we needed. We put three holes in the mountain for the Windward side so that the people going to the Windward side wouldn't have to go around through the east side: the Pali, Likelike, H-3. What do we have on the west side and the Leeward and Central O'ahu side? I urge you, senators, my colleagues, please move this bill forward. Thank you."

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

"I would like the Clerk to please note that I'll be inserting written comments in support of this measure into the Journal. I would also like to have the comments of the previous speaker from Mililani inserted into the Journal as my own as well." (The Chair so ordered, by reference only.)

"I'd like to also just thank my committee for their diligence and their thorough deliberation on this issue at last week's hearing. I think four-and-a-half hours on one bill is probably a record for the Ways and Means Committee, but I think we all presented every testifier on every side of the issue the opportunity to present their views and also made sure that there were thorough questions asked of all of the individuals who came before us so that we could present a very balanced recommendation for the entire Senate and cross that over to the House for consideration.

"I also acknowledge the hard work of the subject matter chairs who passed the measure on to the Ways and Means Committee. I know that they did their very best with the information that was presented before them at the time it was given. We did our best with the information that was provided to us at that particular time, and we made the strongest recommendation that we could, in terms of all the information and data that was presented. We had quite an intensive conversation, and I do believe that in terms of presenting a Senate opinion and platform, we did our very best. So again, I just wanted to thank our committee members for their due diligence and their deliberations and wanted to recommend support for this particular measure. Thank you."

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Tokuda's additional remarks read as follows:

"To reiterate the position the Ways and Means Committee has taken and the due diligence that was done to negotiate a final agreement that struck a balance between providing what was required to 'finish the job' in terms of the minimal operating segment for the City and County of Honolulu's rail transit project, and ensuring accountability and transparency on behalf of Hawai'i's taxpayers, I would like to insert into the journal portions of our committee report from HB134, HD1, SD2:

Your Committee finds that Act 247, Session Laws of Hawaii 2005, authorized the counties to adopt a county surcharge on state general excise and use taxes to be effective until December 31, 2022. In counties with a population of greater than five hundred thousand, the surcharge would be used to provide a funding source for the operating or capital costs of a locally preferred alternative for a mass transit project, while in other counties, the surcharge would be used for public transportation. The City and County of Honolulu was the only county to adopt a surcharge on state tax, in accordance with Act 247, Session Laws of Hawaii 2005. The City and County of Honolulu subsequently established the Honolulu Authority for Rapid Transportation to oversee a rail transit project.

Your Committee also finds that the rail transit project of the Honolulu Authority for Rapid Transit (HART) has experienced significant financial difficulties that will result in a projected deficit of over \$900 million if no extension is granted and is calling into question the ability for them to complete the project on time. In discussions with HART, your Committee determined that if the end goal was to finish what had been started, in terms of the Full Funding Grant Agreement with the federal government, a five year extension would be sufficient to both cover costs and provide for contingencies. Your Committee also determined that if there was both the political and public will to seek out an extension to either the University of Hawaii at Manoa or Kapolei from the initial 20.1 mile transit line, the City and County of Honolulu would have both the legal authority and fiscal resources available to initiate the federal funding and environmental impact statement process as set forth in this measure.

Your Committee expresses its strong concern that the City and County of Honolulu does not have an adequate and sustainable plan to fund the operating and maintenance cost of the integrated mass transit system. The City and County of Honolulu estimates that the integrated system will require a massive annual subsidy, recognizing that farebox revenues will not be sufficient to pay for the entire operating and maintenance cost of the integrated system. Yet, the City and County of Honolulu has not committed to using any specific revenue source for the subsidy. Your Committee feels that the financial plan to address the operating and maintenance cost is too general. Nor is your Committee encouraged by the discussion at the public hearing regarding the City and County of Honolulu's admitted difficulty with formulating a viable and sustainable financial plan to address the operating and maintenance cost that does not depend on continued surcharge revenues. Your Committee warns the City and County of Honolulu that it should not rely on any future legislation that would extend the surcharge and allow the City and County of Honolulu to use the proceeds to fund the operating and maintenance cost of the integrated mass transit system.

Your Committee emphasizes that this measure is first and foremost meant to:

- (1) Assist the City and County of Honolulu and HART in finishing what they started -- completing construction of the minimum operable segment; and

- (2) Provide both the resources and flexibility to continue planning and design for the remainder of the locally preferred alternative alignment.

Finally, your Committee intends to monitor HART and the City and County of Honolulu on its efforts to complete the rail transit project. As indicated in this Report, your Committee supports the present project, yet is critical of the actions taken thus far by HART and the City and County of Honolulu. Your Committee intends to scrutinize HART and the City and County of Honolulu closely in order to ensure completion of the minimum operable segment within the resources provided under this measure.

Senator Harimoto rose to speak in strong support of the measure as follows:

"I grew up in Pearl City and lived there my entire life. I've seen the traffic grow and grow as the number of homes out on the west side has grown. There's no question that population will continue to grow. All of the new houses are targeted for the west side. We sit in traffic, endless traffic, as we've heard from the senator from Waipahu. I can confirm, at times, it takes me up to 45 minutes to an hour just to go a mile because our back streets, our local streets, are gridlocked -- it's not just the freeway.

"So what do we do with more homes coming up? How do we keep the country country? How do we keep our ag lands preserved? Alternatives. We need rail. Enough about that, though.

"What we're dealing with here is enabling legislation. This debate really belongs in the City Council of the City and County of Honolulu. They need to hold the mayor and HART accountable for what's going on. We are just enabling that discussion to happen. In many other jurisdictions, the counties and the cities have taxing authority; our counties don't. So let's continue to move this forward; let's hold the city council's feet to the fire to take a position to move forward or not, and to hold HART accountable. That is their job, not ours.

"I understand we're all in the same boat, but I plead with my colleagues here, to hear the pleas of the thousands of people who live out on the west side. We suffer through this daily gridlock that is only getting worse and worse. I remind you, for all of those living past Pearl City, there are only two routes to go past Pearl City currently: you either take the freeway or you take Kam Highway. Those are the only two routes past Pearl City. That's the bottleneck; we need options. For the new, thousands of homes coming up on the west side: Ho'opili, Koa Ridge, and others. Gridlock can only get worse without rail. Thank you, Madam President."

Senator Thielen rose to speak in rebuttal as follows:

"I just want to make some clarifying remarks. I greatly respect the frustration expressed by the senators from Mililani and Pearl City about the traffic and the problems that they face and the funding that went into the infrastructure in other areas of the island. As I said in my remarks this is not a question of whether rail should be built. Rail should be built. There were many votes and decisions made on that; we need to go forward with the project.

"To me, it's a matter of are we going to be fiscally responsible with this project so that we have the funding to not just complete rail, but also to complete the infrastructure that's needed to support the development of housing along the rail lines? If we do not also upgrade those wastewater and water lines and sewage lines, we're never going to be able to meet the promise of transit-oriented development. And so, the question of fiscal responsibility, to me, is a separate question than

whether rail should be built or not; and that's why I'm voting 'no' on this measure today. Thank you."

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

"Thank you. Colleagues, we all know that this project, the O'ahu rail transit system, is likely going to be the most expensive public works project in the State of Hawai'i and the City and County of Honolulu. It will cost billions of dollars. And I, like many of the residents, am concerned with these cost overruns and the fact that nobody does have a grasp on the cost of this project. But when you're talking about billions of dollars and a 20-mile project, there are many unknowns and many factors; and at this stage, I don't think anyone can determine what the final cost will be.

"But the fact that we're having this discussion is so important because we're not only talking about a project that might be operable in 2020 to Ala Moana Shopping Center, but then the idea of extending it, and we need to extend this to UH Mānoa. I don't think anyone disagrees and even those who have just said, 'We're going to vote "no" on this,' have stated, 'But we need this project.' So it is imperative and it is key that this discussion continue because discussion we've been having in the last two months and in the next two months is going to be paramount on what type of taxes we're going to be paying for the next 10 years, 15 years, 20 years; what the cost of this project is going to be on families and residents of O'ahu; how much will the tourists pay, who are right now paying approximately 30 percent. It's basically about the future of O'ahu, the future of Honolulu.

"Are we going to make the investment in transportation, or even more importantly, mobility? This is about mobility – getting around from point A to point B. And it was stated, it's about housing. Yes. In the next 50 years, there are going to be 500,000 new residents on O'ahu. That is my prediction based on the current census, where over last ten years' census, we've had anywhere from 77,000 to 125,000 new residents every ten years. Where will those 500,000 residents live? Half of them will live in West O'ahu and Central O'ahu, and the traffic will not get better. Where will the additional 250,000 live? Along the rail line.

"And our good senator from the North Shore, who is against this bill, if he wants to keep the country country, we need to build this. They're having a debate now on the North Shore on an additional thousand homes plus. We're having debates in Kaka'ako: How high will these condominiums be? Will we have the infrastructure? We are in a housing crisis, colleagues, with the costs right now in excess of \$700,000 – the average cost of a home – \$700,000. And mark my words, in the next 20 years, that figure can easily be a million dollars, on the average price of a home.

"So we need to build this for mobility; we need to build this for housing and the jobs and the entrepreneurial opportunities and government services that will be built around these rail stations. But we need to find out what the costs are, whether the city and county and HART are doing the best to contain these costs, and we need to have this discussion today and tomorrow and continue it, because this is about the economic vitality and the quality of life for the residents of O'ahu. We need to move forward and make certain that we in the Legislature are involved and have our input. Thank you very much."

Senator Slom rose to speak in rebuttal as follows:

"You know, we weren't going to get into so many of these other issues, and yet we did because the rail project is so dominant. But the good senator from Waimānalo said it best: What we should be voting on, what we should be focusing

on, is our fiscal responsibility and the responsibility of the 1.3 million residents of this state.

"We had a discussion about whether or not the figures were accurate as to how much the tourists, the visitors, actually pay. And even if we accept the figure of one-third, that still leaves two-thirds that the residents are paying. They're telling us that they're overburdened now. If we just looked at rail funding, that would be one thing. But look at what we passed today, and we haven't even gotten to the \$25 billion operating budget. All of this money comes from one source; it doesn't come from inside this building. The supporters of this project are not reaching in their own pockets; they're reaching into pockets of the taxpayers. And the taxpayers are yelping, and they're asking for relief, and we're not listening to them.

"The good senator from Pearl City said that it is the city council's responsibility, and I absolutely concur. They have not done their job. They have not stepped forward. They have been silent. He used the term, 'for us to be enabling' this project, and that's true. We are acting as enablers, just as one enables a drug addict who doesn't curb their problems, doesn't offer any solutions, just asks for more, more, more. And that's what we're doing today.

"If we talk about keeping the country country, for example, then we should've looked at recent decisions that have taken prime agricultural land and is going to turn that into housing and development.

"Long ago, we stopped talking about this rail project as alleviating congestion because it will not! Everyone has admitted to that; the mayor, down in the auditorium and in the Ways and Means Committee last week, repeated it again to me. This project is not about transportation; it's about social justice. It's about transportation equity.

"The only thing we can do, the only thing we should do, is when somebody comes in and asks for our money, is to ask them, 'Why haven't you completed this on time, the parts that you said you would? And why are you not doing it now?'

"We had a lively discussion during that four-and-a-half hours about cost containment. I'm absolutely sure that neither the mayor nor HART have any idea what cost containment is. They raised the salary of the executive director. They have the most expensive retail space right across the street from us. They haven't contained any costs; they just keep coming to us to give them more. And as long as we do, there will be no requirements for cost containment or actual cost estimates. And yet, isn't that our job, our primary job?

"We can argue back and forth about merits and demerits about the rail, but this is about the fiscal implications. So it is an important vote today. And if something is not right, I don't see the brilliance in continuing to keep it alive. We've had the discussion; we know the arguments; but we know we haven't gotten any results. So again, I would urge you to consider the fiscal implications of your vote on Senate Bill 19. Thank you."

Senator Espero rose to speak in rebuttal as follows:

"Thank you. Colleagues, yes, this is about fiscal responsibility. That's why we're having the discussion. We could kill the bill now and just not have any say and try to have the city council deal with it and the mayor and HART. But that doesn't make any sense whatsoever. If you want to have input, if you have an opinion on whether HART and the city and the county and if this project is going properly, then we certainly should have our say and continue that.

"It does not make any logical sense to say that this project is going out of control cost-wise, and we in the Legislature are just going to sit here and do nothing! That's what some of our votes

are, if you vote 'no.' The Legislature's going to say, 'Okay, we give up. This is too difficult. Let's come back next year.' Why would I come back next year if we could discuss it today with a bill that could have a million-dollar, a billion-dollar implication? Let's discuss that today; let's discuss that in the next eight weeks and see whether we can make the city and county and HART and the mayor accountable to the people of the City and County of Honolulu. Thank you."

Senator Riviere rose to speak in rebuttal as follows:

"This is hypothetical: To the extent that, if I have a certain amount of infrastructure ready to roll, I have enough workers, I have the technical knowledge, I have the ability to do it, and I know that everybody's going to be bidding high and all I've got to do is just beat that bid, I can charge a lot of money. If, on the other hand, I have men, materials, facilities, and there is a risk that this may not be possible in the future because there's not enough money, so the project's going to go south, I as a bidder might sharpen my pencil.

"We hear that, oh, the market's so hot, so the concrete prices are going up; oh, the steel prices are going up. What if those folks who are supplying these materials had the real possibility that maybe they couldn't continue to charge extra in a hot market? Would that help temper the bidding process? I guess we'll never know, but that is, I think, what I'm suggesting we do: hold their feet to the fire. If we have a budget, the builders need to come close to matching that budget. I just cannot support a blank check, and that's what we're talking about today, so thank you."

At this time, Senator Green called for the previous question.

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 898 was adopted and S.B. No. 19, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 22; Ayes with Reservations (Chun Oakland, Gabbard, Green, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Wakai). Noes, 3 (Riviere, Slom, Thielen).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 899 (S.B. No. 887, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 899 was adopted and S.B. No. 887, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGH TECHNOLOGY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 900 (S.B. No. 1094, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 900 was adopted and S.B. No. 1094, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

REFERRAL OF HOUSE BILLS

The President made the following committee assignments of House bills received on Friday, March 6, 2015:

H.B. No.: Referred to:

H.B. No. 385, H.D. 1 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

H.B. No. 448, H.D. 1 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

H.B. No. 525, H.D. 2 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

H.B. No. 538, H.D. 2 Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

H.B. No. 561, H.D. 1 Committee on Judiciary and Labor

H.B. No. 621, H.D. 1 Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

H.B. No. 832, H.D. 1 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

H.B. No. 1219, H.D. 1 Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the House (Hse. Com. Nos. 20 to 136) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Hse. Com. No. 20, transmitting H.B. No. 52, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 52, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SELECTIVE SERVICE REGISTRATION AWARENESS AND COMPLIANCE ACT," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 21, transmitting H.B. No. 58, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 58, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROTECTIVE ORDERS," 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. 22, transmitting H.B. No. 73, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 73, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE BONDS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 23, transmitting H.B. No. 78, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 78, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NON-GENERAL FUNDS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 24, transmitting H.B. No. 87, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 87, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 25, transmitting H.B. No. 119, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 119, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 26, transmitting H.B. No. 126, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 126, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT COST ITEMS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 27, transmitting H.B. No. 133, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 133, 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 International Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 28, transmitting H.B. No. 140, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 140, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR CHAMINADE UNIVERSITY OF HONOLULU," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 29, transmitting H.B. No. 141, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 141, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO QUALIFIED COMMUNITY REHABILITATION PROGRAMS," 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. 30, transmitting H.B. No. 142, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 142, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING ON HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 31, transmitting H.B. No. 158, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 158, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY OF THE COUNTY OF MAUI," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 32, transmitting H.B. No. 169, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 169, 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 International Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 33, transmitting H.B. No. 213, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 213, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JURY DUTY," 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. 34, transmitting H.B. No. 241, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 241, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST SEAWATER AIR CONDITIONING PROJECTS ON 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. 35, transmitting H.B. No. 242, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 242, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEAWATER AIR CONDITIONING," 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. 36, transmitting H.B. No. 261, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 261, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 37, transmitting H.B. No. 269, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 269, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PSYCHOLOGY," passed First Reading by

title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Hse. Com. No. 38, transmitting H.B. No. 277, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 277, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INFRASTRUCTURE," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 39, transmitting H.B. No. 278, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 278, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DWELLING UNIT REVOLVING FUND," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 40, transmitting H.B. No. 283, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 283, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A GENERAL EXCISE TAX EXEMPTION FOR MIXED-USE HOUSING PROJECTS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 41, transmitting H.B. No. 285, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 285, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JOHN A. BURNS SCHOOL OF MEDICINE," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 42, transmitting H.B. No. 345, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 345, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 43, transmitting H.B. No. 365, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 365, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POLICE," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 44, transmitting H.B. No. 437, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 437, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE NATURAL RESOURCE GOALS OF THE ALOHA+ CHALLENGE," 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. 45, transmitting H.B. No. 441, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 441, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATEWIDE INFRASTRUCTURE CAPACITY BUILDING CONSTRUCTION FINANCING," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 46, transmitting H.B. No. 461, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 461, 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 Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 47, transmitting H.B. No. 464, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 464, 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 Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 48, transmitting H.B. No. 467, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 467, 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 Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 49, transmitting H.B. No. 481, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 481, 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 Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 50, transmitting H.B. No. 485, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 485, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMALL BOAT HARBORS," 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. 51, transmitting H.B. No. 487, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 487, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A STATE-FUNDED COLLEGE GRANT PROGRAM," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 52, transmitting H.B. No. 496, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 496, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT," 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. 53, transmitting H.B. No. 498, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 498, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE ADULT PROTECTIVE AND COMMUNITY SERVICES BRANCH," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 54, transmitting H.B. No. 503, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 503, 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 Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 55, transmitting H.B. No. 508, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 508, 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, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 56, transmitting H.B. No. 544, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 544, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII CANCER CENTER," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 57, transmitting H.B. No. 545, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 545, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FUNDS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 58, transmitting H.B. No. 549, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 549, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN

ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SERVICE LEGAL LOAN REPAYMENT ASSISTANCE," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 59, transmitting H.B. No. 553, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 553, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 60, transmitting H.B. No. 564, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 564, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VIETNAM WAR COMMEMORATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 61, transmitting H.B. No. 573, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 573, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII GOOD AGRICULTURAL PRACTICES," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 62, transmitting H.B. No. 576, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 576, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE AFFORDABLE CARE ACT INNOVATION WAIVER," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 63, transmitting H.B. No. 578, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 578, 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 Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 64, transmitting H.B. No. 581, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 581, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOSPITAL SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAM," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 65, transmitting H.B. No. 582, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 582, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE NURSING FACILITY SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAM," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 66, transmitting H.B. No. 583, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 583, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE FACILITIES," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 67, transmitting H.B. No. 589, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 589, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STROKE 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. 68, transmitting H.B. No. 607, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 607, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EARLY LEARNING," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 69, transmitting H.B. No. 608, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 608, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO WAIMEA NUI COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 70, transmitting H.B. No. 676, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 676, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING," 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. 71, transmitting H.B. No. 697, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 697, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE FACILITIES," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on

Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 72, transmitting H.B. No. 707, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 707, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NON-GENERAL FUNDS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 73, transmitting H.B. No. 734, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 734, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 74, transmitting H.B. No. 759, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 759, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COOLING SYSTEMS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL FACILITIES," 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. 75, transmitting H.B. No. 766, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 766, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 76, transmitting H.B. No. 768, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 768, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 77, transmitting H.B. No. 770, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 770, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs.

Hse. Com. No. 78, transmitting H.B. No. 774, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 774, H.D. 1, 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 Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 79, transmitting H.B. No. 782, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 782, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CYTOMEGALOVIRUS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 80, transmitting H.B. No. 801, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 801, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR SUNSTRONG LLC, A RENEWABLE ENERGY DEVELOPER SERVING THE GENERAL PUBLIC IN PROVIDING ELECTRIC 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. 81, transmitting H.B. No. 823, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 823, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL THEFT," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 82, transmitting H.B. No. 840, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 840, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 83, transmitting H.B. No. 847, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 847, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 84, transmitting H.B. No. 850, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 850, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION SERVICE," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 85, transmitting H.B. No. 851, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 851, 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 Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 86, transmitting H.B. No. 853, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 853, 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 the Committee on Education and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 87, transmitting H.B. No. 854, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 854, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SERVICE CHARGES," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 88, transmitting H.B. No. 859, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 859, 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 Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 89, transmitting H.B. No. 871, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 871, 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 Agriculture and the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 90, transmitting H.B. No. 874, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 874, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE IMMERSION PROGRAM," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 91, transmitting H.B. No. 896, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 896, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE, ITS OFFICERS, OR ITS EMPLOYEES," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 92, transmitting H.B. No. 928, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 928, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONSUMER ADVOCATE," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Hse. Com. No. 93, transmitting H.B. No. 947, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 947, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RECORDS OF FORENSIC EXAMINATIONS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 94, transmitting H.B. No. 995, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 995, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 95, transmitting H.B. No. 1005, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1005, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE VETERANS TREATMENT COURT," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 96, transmitting H.B. No. 1017, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1017, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SECURE AND FAIR ENFORCEMENT FOR MORTGAGE LICENSING ACT," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Hse. Com. No. 97, transmitting H.B. No. 1025, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1025, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HOUSING FINANCE AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 98, transmitting H.B. No. 1039, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1039, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE LOCAL AND IMMIGRANT FARMER EDUCATION PROGRAM," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee

on Agriculture and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 99, transmitting H.B. No. 1040, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1040, H.D. 1, 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 Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 100, transmitting H.B. No. 1050, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1050, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERISLAND MOVEMENT OF INVASIVE SPECIES," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 101, transmitting H.B. No. 1069, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1069, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 102, transmitting H.B. No. 1086, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1086, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT," 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. 103, transmitting H.B. No. 1107, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1107, 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. 104, transmitting H.B. No. 1119, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1119, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FILIPINO VETERANS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 105, transmitting H.B. No. 1126, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1126, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT," passed First

Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 106, transmitting H.B. No. 1127, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1127, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Government Operations, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 107, transmitting H.B. No. 1140, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1140, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CESSPOOLS," 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. 108, transmitting H.B. No. 1153, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1153, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERANS," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 109, transmitting H.B. No. 1161, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1161, 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 Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 110, transmitting H.B. No. 1177, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1177, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 111, transmitting H.B. No. 1198, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1198, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE HONOLULU FAMILY JUSTICE CENTER," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 112, transmitting H.B. No. 1225, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1225, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL FACILITIES," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 113, transmitting H.B. No. 1230, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1230, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF 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. 114, transmitting H.B. No. 1236, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1236, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 115, transmitting H.B. No. 1241, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1241, 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 Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 116, transmitting H.B. No. 1251, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1251, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 117, transmitting H.B. No. 1259, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1259, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 118, transmitting H.B. No. 1267, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1267, H.D. 1, 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. 119, transmitting H.B. No. 1275, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1275, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE INSTRUMENT," passed First

Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

Hse. Com. No. 120, transmitting H.B. No. 1314, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1314, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 121, transmitting H.B. No. 1326, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1326, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE," 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. 1332, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1332, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IRRIGATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 123, transmitting H.B. No. 1343, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1343, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 124, transmitting H.B. No. 1344, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1344, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MITIGATION OF HAZARDOUS SITUATIONS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 125, transmitting H.B. No. 1347, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1347, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 126, transmitting H.B. No. 1354, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1354, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," passed First Reading by

title and was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 127, transmitting H.B. No. 1360, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1360, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 128, transmitting H.B. No. 1366, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1366, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE ACQUISITION OR DEVELOPMENT OF REAL PROPERTY," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 129, transmitting H.B. No. 1368, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1368, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE KING KAMEHAMEHA CELEBRATION COMMISSION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 130, transmitting H.B. No. 1403, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1403, 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 Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 131, transmitting H.B. No. 1410, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1410, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE YOUTH CONSERVATION CORPS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Water and Land.

Hse. Com. No. 132, transmitting H.B. No. 1440, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1440, 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 Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 133, transmitting H.B. No. 1478, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1478, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS

HUMPBACK WHALE NATIONAL MARINE SANCTUARY,” 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. 134, transmitting H.B. No. 1486, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1486, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE FUEL TAX,” passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 135, transmitting H.B. No. 1497, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1497, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR,” passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Hse. Com. No. 136, transmitting H.B. No. 1513, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 6, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1513, H.D. 1, 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.

At this time, Senator Baker rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

“Colleagues, Sunday, March 8, was an important day worldwide. It marked 104 years of the International Women’s Day – that’s right, 104 years. Before women in the United States had the right to vote, there was an International Women’s Day. The first time, it was a day to honor the suffragettes for their work. Now, it’s a day of honor our foremothers as well as be a reminder of the inequities we still have to address. We have so far yet to go to ensure that every woman gets the full respect and dignity that all human beings deserve.

“March 8 was also another significant day in Hawai‘i as well, because it was the launch date for ‘Hawai‘i Says NO MORE’ week, which runs from March 8th through the 15th. This national initiative is to raise awareness and stop domestic violence and sex assault in Hawai‘i. Here are a few of the statistics:

- One in seven women in Hawai‘i are sexually assaulted.
- Over 500 domestic violence survivors seek support from programs every day in Hawai‘i.
- One in three teens experience sexual or physical abuse or threats from a boyfriend or a girlfriend in one year.
- One in two women and one in five men have experienced some form of sexual victimization in their lives.

“These are our friends, our neighbors, our mothers, our sisters, daughters, fathers, brothers, and sons. I have this symbol of the ‘NO MORE’ campaign on my lapel: It is a circular pin with a hole in the middle. It’s a small action, but I encourage all of us to be part of this ‘NO MORE’ challenge. I ask you to come up with ways to participate in this campaign and spread the message of respect for all people, just as Senator Kidani is showing us what the ‘NO MORE’ sign looks like, and Senator Inouye. You can visit hawaiisaysnomore.org and take a ‘NO

MORE’ selfie using the signs that my colleagues have shown us and post it to your account. Participate in the upcoming events. Talk to your families and friends. Take a look at how Honolulu Hale has turned teal in honor of the ‘Hawai‘i says NO MORE’ campaign.

“We can continue our legislative efforts to support victims and end domestic violence and sex assault in our community and on our college campuses. I conclude with the words of 13-year-old Malala Yousafzai in her 2014 Nobel Peace Prize acceptance speech, when she reminds us of the importance of the dignity of all. She says: ‘A girl has the power to go forward in her life, and she’s not only a mother; she’s not only a sister; she’s not only a wife. But a girl should have an identity. She should be recognized that she has equal rights as a boy.’ Mahalo to Malala, and let’s all go out and make that happen. Mahalo.”

Senator Slom welcomed students from Mayor John H. Wilson Elementary School who were present in the gallery.

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:38 a.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Thursday, March 12, 2015.

TWENTY-SIXTH DAY

Thursday, March 12, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:32 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present.

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

Senator Espero introduced his intern, Adrien Magpoc, a senior at American Renaissance Academy in Kapolei whose interests include politics and government and who will be attending San Francisco State University in the fall.

Senator Kahele welcomed Jesse Floyd, program specialist with the State Council on Developmental Disabilities, who was accompanied in the gallery by 31 residents from Hawai'i Island, including: from West Hawai'i – Jamison Akana, Danielle Dean Alford, Mary Ann Conner, Damian Steward Extor, Joshua Goetz, Lindsay Orred, Jeri Raymond, Shannon Salas, Robert Junior Sanoria, Jillian Leigh Sanoe Wong, and Quintin Wong; and from East Hawai'i – Nolan Alexander, Keoni K. Aweau, Jason Bradbury, Matthew Cabral, Josiah Davis, Sandra Gaspar, Kaula Hamea, Kaya Lela, Tiare Macanas, Teresa Moore, Darwin Y. Nagamine, Paul Pasqua, Linda Reny, Karin Riedel, Cathy Vaimauga, Alyssa Vierra, Brenton Yah-Wick, Liza Yogi, and Gayle Yoshishige.

Senator Chun Oakland introduced participants of the fifteenth annual State Council on Developmental Disabilities Day at the Capitol, held in partnership with Hilopa'a Family to Family Health Information Center and the Hawaii Waiver Providers Association. This year's event, with the theme "Don't DIS An ABILITY – Look At What We Can Do," drew over 500 individuals with developmental disabilities, family members, personal assistants, service providers, and friends from O'ahu and the neighbor islands, including 72 participants from Hawai'i Island, Kaua'i, and Maui. Senator Chun Oakland recognized Waynette Cabral of the State Council on Developmental Disabilities, noted how the event has grown over the years, and welcomed all participants who were in the gallery.

Senator Nishihara acknowledged the presence of Governor David Y. Ige in the gallery.

Senator Kouchi thanked Joni Shigematsu for bringing maile lei from Kaua'i, as well as two pre-Kindergarten groups from Wai'anae for visiting his office earlier that morning. Senator Kouchi then introduced "Senator" Sean Galuteria, son of Senator Brickwood Galuteria.

Senator Gabbard introduced his sister, Barbara Ann Gabbard, who had moved to Hawai'i from American Samoa 9 years ago and was enrolled in the Goodwill program in Kapolei.

Senator Shimabukuro noted that the State of Hawai'i and the Prefecture of Okinawa became sister-states in June 1985, and that the Hawai'i State Legislature passed H.C.R. No. 154 in 1990, requesting the Department of Education to establish an exchange program with Okinawa. Since the program's inception, over 700 Okinawa students and over 500 Hawai'i students have participated in the program, recognized as the longest running program of its kind. Senator Shimabukuro recognized the Hawaii United Okinawa Association and its 49 member organizations for their commitment, since 2011 to the present, to continue the program.

Senator Tokuda recognized the exchange program's twenty-fifth anniversary, noting that it had received acknowledgements

from the Hawai'i State Legislature, Mayor Kirk Caldwell and the Council of the City and County of Honolulu, and Governor David Y. Ige, the first governor of Okinawan ancestry. Senator Tokuda then introduced Okinawa Prefectural Board of Education officials Masahiro Unten, councilor; Tamotsu Miyagi, student exchange coordinator; and teachers Tadato Miyagawa, Chiaki Inamine, and Nina Shao; as well as Okinawa students Nanako Miyagi, Hibiki Shibata, Asuka Higa, Raita Seki, Momoe Oshiro, Momoko Miyamoto, Hiroka Itokazu, Shima Nakasone, Kotone Kamiya, Akari Arakaki, Sato Maehara, Shiho Hateruma, Erina Shimabukuro, Nao Tanahara, Seiya Ikehara, Koya Kakazu, Wakana Tokuyama, Sana Hamakawa, Iroha Mochida, Rihei Gushiken, Daisuke Kinjo, Hirono Tamashiro, Vanessa Anne Azurin, Suzu Nikawadori, and Anri Sekiya. Senator Tokuda also recognized local coordinators including Mark Higa, president of the Hawaii United Okinawa Association; Jane Serikaku, executive director and student exchange coordinator; Ron Miyashiro, *Hawaii Okinawa Today*; Charles Toguchi, former Superintendent of the State Department of Education; and Dennis Arakaki, former State Representative.

Senator Keith-Agaran, on behalf of Senate President Kim, recognized the Mediation Center of the Pacific, and presented the following remarks:

"Thank you, Madam President. On behalf of you, it's a pleasure to recognize one of the oldest community dispute resolution centers in the nation: the Mediation Center of the Pacific.

"The Center began modestly in 1979 as the Makiki Neighborhood Justice Center, its goal to resolve disputes among neighbors without hostility and protracted, costly legal proceedings.

"The Center changed its name to the Mediation Center of the Pacific, reflecting the broadening of its scope and caseload. Now headquartered in downtown Honolulu, the Center's offices are equipped with mediation rooms and communication technology to facilitate the mediation process. The dedicated staff and corps of volunteers train new volunteers and various constituencies to promote a broader understanding of the merits of alternative dispute resolution. More directly, they help to resolve conflicts in a variety of areas, often in partnership with the judicial system, public and private institutions, and other organizations.

"Throughout its distinguished history, the Mediation Center has remained true to its missions of serving groups and individuals across O'ahu, particularly the underserved; promoting a greater understanding and appreciation of alternative dispute resolution through education and training; continually improving its expertise; and generating funds to remain self-sufficient and support its volunteers. The Mediation Center of the Pacific is an invaluable contributor to the progress of our community and a key component of our legal and dispute resolution network. Its longevity stands as testament to the exemplary leadership of its staff and board, the talents and commitment of its volunteers, and the generosity of those who support the center's goals.

"Colleagues, please join me in commending everyone associated with the Mediation Center of the Pacific, past and present, on a remarkable record of service to the community. Representing the Center and joining us on the floor today are Mr. Gerald Clay, president; and Ms. Tracey Wiltgen, executive director.

"Joining us in the gallery are staff members from the center: Steve Holmberg, director; Ruth Tschumy, emeritus director; Jessica Stabile, deputy director; and Nathan Nikaido, mediator development manager. Also in the gallery are mediators who volunteer their services at the Center: Lisa Jacobs, Ellyn Tong, Phillip Nerny, and Sandra Jordan.

"And before I came down to the floor, Madam President, another former volunteer with the Mediation Center mentioned to me that he also has volunteered: Mr. Doug Chin.

"Now all of the members will see on their desks a copy of the Hawaii Mediation Pledge, and you're welcome to please sign the pledge and maybe use mediation if you have any particularly contentious hearings taking place."

Senator Ihara extended additional thanks to Gerald Clay for his mediation and facilitation services to the Senate.

The Chair acknowledged the presence of former State Senator Mike McCartney in the gallery.

Senator Kouchi acknowledged the presence of former State Senator Milton Holt in the gallery.

At 11:51 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 11:56 a.m.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. No. 219 to 220 and 540 to 542) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Gov. Msg. No. 219, dated March 9, 2015, transmitting the Hawaii Employer-Union Health Benefits Trust Fund's Relating to Prescription Drugs Report, prepared by the Department of Budget and Finance pursuant to Act 226, SLH 2013, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 220, dated March 9, 2015, transmitting the 2014 Report of the Commission to Promote Uniform Legislation, prepared by the Department of the Attorney General, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 540, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Land and Natural Resources, the nomination of ULALIA WOODSIDE, term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Water and Land.

Gov. Msg. No. 541, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Land and Natural Resources, the nomination of CHRISTOPHER J. YUEN, term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Water and Land.

Gov. Msg. No. 542, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Land and Natural Resources, the nomination of KEITH K. DOWNING, term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Water and Land.

At 11:57 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 11:57 a.m.

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the House (Hse. Com. Nos. 137 to 335) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Hse. Com. No. 137, transmitting H.B. No. 10, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 10, 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. 138, transmitting H.B. No. 11, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 11, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHERS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 139, transmitting H.B. No. 15, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 15, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 140, transmitting H.B. No. 26, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 26, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COMPENSATION OF TRUSTEES," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 141, transmitting H.B. No. 79, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 79, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NON-GENERAL FUNDS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 142, transmitting H.B. No. 83, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 83, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAX," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 143, transmitting H.B. No. 95, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 95, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DUAL CREDIT PROGRAMS," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 144, transmitting H.B. No. 96, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 96, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 145, transmitting H.B. No. 124, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 124, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS," 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. 146, transmitting H.B. No. 134, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 134, 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 Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 147, transmitting H.B. No. 139, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 139, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST ANAERGIA INC," 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. 148, transmitting H.B. No. 145, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 145, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 149, transmitting H.B. No. 147, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 147, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE," 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. 150, transmitting H.B. No. 148, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 148, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WRONGFUL IMPRISONMENT," 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. 151, transmitting H.B. No. 152, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 152, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARTITION OF HEIRS PROPERTY," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee

on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 152, transmitting H.B. No. 155, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 155, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WAILUKU STATE OFFICE MASTER PLAN," 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. 153, transmitting H.B. No. 171, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 171, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE HURRICANE RESERVE TRUST FUND," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 154, transmitting H.B. No. 172, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 172, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE EMERGENCY AND BUDGET RESERVE FUND," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 155, transmitting H.B. No. 173, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 173, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REPEAL OF FUNDS AND ACCOUNTS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 156, transmitting H.B. No. 174, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 174, 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 Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 157, transmitting H.B. No. 180, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 180, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOBBYING CONTRIBUTIONS AND EXPENDITURES STATEMENTS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 158, transmitting H.B. No. 197, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 197, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS TAX," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Tourism and

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

Hse. Com. No. 159, transmitting H.B. No. 205, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 205, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATED TO AGRICULTURE," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Water and Land.

Hse. Com. No. 160, transmitting H.B. No. 206, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 206, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN PLANTS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 161, transmitting H.B. No. 207, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 207, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAINING," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 162, transmitting H.B. No. 210, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 210, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO APPROPRIATIONS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 163, transmitting H.B. No. 240, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 240, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEAWATER AIR CONDITIONING," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 164, transmitting H.B. No. 252, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 252, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PHARMACY BENEFIT MANAGERS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Hse. Com. No. 165, transmitting H.B. No. 253, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 253, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VACCINATIONS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Hse. Com. No. 166, transmitting H.B. No. 264, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 264, 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 Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Hse. Com. No. 167, transmitting H.B. No. 268, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 268, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTISTRY," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 168, transmitting H.B. No. 271, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 271, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TIME SHARING," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Hse. Com. No. 169, transmitting H.B. No. 279, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 279, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL ESTATE BROKERS AND SALESPERSONS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 170, transmitting H.B. No. 287, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 287, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM INFORMATION PRACTICES ACT," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 171, transmitting H.B. No. 293, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 293, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUOR LICENSES," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 172, transmitting H.B. No. 295, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 295, 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. 173, transmitting H.B. No. 314, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 314, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Hse. Com. No. 174, transmitting H.B. No. 318, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 318, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 175, transmitting H.B. No. 321, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 321, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL MARIJUANA," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 176, transmitting H.B. No. 346, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 346, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CIVIL PROCESS," 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. 177, transmitting H.B. No. 354, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 354, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NURSES," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Hse. Com. No. 178, transmitting H.B. No. 376, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 376, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CHIEF ELECTION OFFICER," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 179, transmitting H.B. No. 391, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 391, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WAGES AND HOURS ON PUBLIC WORKS," 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. 180, transmitting H.B. No. 393, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 393, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN FISHPONDS," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Health and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 181, transmitting H.B. No. 401, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 401, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOTING," 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. 182, transmitting H.B. No. 414, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 414, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO THE COUNTY OF KAUAI OFFICE OF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 183, transmitting H.B. No. 436, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 436, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY VEHICLES," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 184, transmitting H.B. No. 438, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 438, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE KAHOLAWE ISLAND RESERVE COMMISSION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 185, transmitting H.B. No. 440, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 440, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND AND NATURAL

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. 186, transmitting H.B. No. 443, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 443, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO UPDATE AGRICULTURAL SOIL CLASSIFICATIONS AND MAPS,” 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. 187, transmitting H.B. No. 444, H.D. 3, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 444, H.D. 3, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BEACH PROTECTION,” passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 188, transmitting H.B. No. 452, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 452, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATEWIDE SEXUAL ASSAULT 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. 189, transmitting H.B. No. 456, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 456, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POLICE DEPARTMENTS,” passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 190, transmitting H.B. No. 457, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 457, 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 Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 191, transmitting H.B. No. 458, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 458, 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, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 192, transmitting H.B. No. 459, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 459, 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 Education and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 193, transmitting H.B. No. 482, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 482, H.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE,” passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 194, transmitting H.B. No. 483, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 483, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OCEAN RESOURCES,” 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. 195, transmitting H.B. No. 484, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 484, H.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY,” passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 196, transmitting H.B. No. 492, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 492, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY,” 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. 197, transmitting H.B. No. 493, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 493, 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 Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 198, transmitting H.B. No. 501, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 501, 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 the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 199, transmitting H.B. No. 507, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 507, 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 Energy and Environment and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 200, transmitting H.B. No. 515, H.D. 3, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 515, H.D. 3, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REMNANTS," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 201, transmitting H.B. No. 527, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 527, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR STATE LIFE GUARDS," 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. 202, transmitting H.B. No. 540, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 540, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII ACCOUNTING AND FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT SYSTEM," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 203, transmitting H.B. No. 541, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 541, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TUITION AND FEES SPECIAL FUND," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 204, transmitting H.B. No. 543, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 543, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 205, transmitting H.B. No. 546, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 546, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATIONAL BENEFITS," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 206, transmitting H.B. No. 547, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 547, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 207, transmitting H.B. No. 562, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 562, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CROSSWALKS," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 208, transmitting H.B. No. 586, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 586, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO USE OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS AND E-CIGARETTES ON HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION PREMISES," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Health.

Hse. Com. No. 209, transmitting H.B. No. 600, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 600, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMUNITY CARE FOSTER FAMILY HOMES," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 210, transmitting H.B. No. 611, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 611, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DIGITIZATION OF HISTORIC PRESERVATION RECORDS," 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. 211, transmitting H.B. No. 612, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 612, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 212, transmitting H.B. No. 613, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 613, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STUDENT DATA MANAGEMENT," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Hse. Com. No. 213, transmitting H.B. No. 619, H.D. 3, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 619, H.D. 3, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MERGER, ACQUISITION, AND CONSOLIDATION OF ELECTRIC UTILITIES," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 214, transmitting H.B. No. 620, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 620, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 215, transmitting H.B. No. 623, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 623, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE STANDARDS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Hse. Com. No. 216, transmitting H.B. No. 631, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 631, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CERTIFICATES OF BIRTH," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 217, transmitting H.B. No. 715, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 715, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOW-SPEED ELECTRIC BICYCLES," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Hse. Com. No. 218, transmitting H.B. No. 716, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 716, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INNOVATIVE BUSINESS INTERACTION," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 219, transmitting H.B. No. 719, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 719, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LAHAINA FLOOD CONTROL

PROJECT," 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. 220, transmitting H.B. No. 722, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 722, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIPOA POINT," 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. 221, transmitting H.B. No. 727, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 727, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH INSURANCE EXCHANGE," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Health.

Hse. Com. No. 222, transmitting H.B. No. 737, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 737, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY INSURANCE," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 223, transmitting H.B. No. 746, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 746, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CYBERSECURITY," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 224, transmitting H.B. No. 749, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 749, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 225, transmitting H.B. No. 763, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 763, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ELDERLY," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 226, transmitting H.B. No. 767, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 767, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING

AUTHORITY,” passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 227, transmitting H.B. No. 775, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 775, 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 Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 228, transmitting H.B. No. 792, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 792, H.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EVIDENCE,” 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. 229, transmitting H.B. No. 805, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 805, H.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERANS DISABILITY BENEFITS,” passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 230, transmitting H.B. No. 810, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 810, 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 Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 231, transmitting H.B. No. 811, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 811, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII,” passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 232, transmitting H.B. No. 813, H.D. 3, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 813, H.D. 3, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CODE OF ETHICS,” passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 233, transmitting H.B. No. 819, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 819, H.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN

ACT RELATING TO BULLYING,” passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Education, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 234, transmitting H.B. No. 820, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 820, H.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EARLY CHILDHOOD 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. 235, transmitting H.B. No. 821, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 821, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EARLY CHILDHOOD 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. 236, transmitting H.B. No. 822, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 822, H.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO 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. 237, transmitting H.B. No. 825, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 825, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS,” passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 238, transmitting H.B. No. 827, H.D. 3, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 827, H.D. 3, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A MIXED-USE RESIDENTIAL PROJECT,” passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 239, transmitting H.B. No. 830, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 830, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY,” passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Water and Land.

Hse. Com. No. 240, transmitting H.B. No. 831, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 831, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 241, transmitting H.B. No. 837, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 837, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONSERVATION OF ANIMALS," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 242, transmitting H.B. No. 848, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 848, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 243, transmitting H.B. No. 858, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 858, 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 Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 244, transmitting H.B. No. 866, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 866, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SECURE AND FAIR ENFORCEMENT FOR MORTGAGE LICENSING ACT," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Hse. Com. No. 245, transmitting H.B. No. 867, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 867, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL SPACE CENTER FOR EXPLORATION SYSTEMS' BASALT REBAR INITIATIVE," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 246, transmitting H.B. No. 886, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 886, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 247, transmitting H.B. No. 888, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 888, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 248, transmitting H.B. No. 894, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 894, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENHANCED 911 BOARD," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 249, transmitting H.B. No. 906, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 906, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAX EXEMPTIONS FOR CERTIFIED OR APPROVED HOUSING PROJECTS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 250, transmitting H.B. No. 943, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 943, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CIVIL MONETARY PENALTY SPECIAL FUND," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 251, transmitting H.B. No. 940, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 940, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REGULATION OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Hse. Com. No. 252, transmitting H.B. No. 951, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 951, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NOTICE OF HEARING BY THE LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS APPEALS BOARD," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 253, transmitting H.B. No. 952, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 952, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WAGES AND HOURS ON PUBLIC

WORKS LAW,” passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 254, transmitting H.B. No. 966, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 966, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SECTION 237-23, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES,” 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. 255, transmitting H.B. No. 968, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 968, H.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIABILITY FOR AMOUNTS PASSED ON AS TAX,” 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. 256, transmitting H.B. No. 971, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 971, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ALOHA TOWER DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION,” passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 257, transmitting H.B. No. 999, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 999, H.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS TAX,” passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 258, transmitting H.B. No. 1007, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1007, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE DRIVER LICENSING,” passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 259, transmitting H.B. No. 1008, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1008, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BLIND PEDESTRIAN SAFETY,” passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Hse. Com. No. 260, transmitting H.B. No. 1010, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1010, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN

ACT RELATING TO THE COMMUTER BENEFITS PROGRAM,” passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 261, transmitting H.B. No. 1011, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1011, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TRAFFIC CODE,” passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 262, transmitting H.B. No. 1028, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1028, H.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT,” passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 263, transmitting H.B. No. 1042, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1042, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IMPORTANT AGRICULTURAL LANDS,” passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 264, transmitting H.B. No. 1051, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1051, 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, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Hse. Com. No. 265, transmitting H.B. No. 1063, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1063, H.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MEDICAL 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. 266, transmitting H.B. No. 1071, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1071, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATUTORY REVISION: AMENDING OR REPEALING VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE HAWAII REVISED STATUTES AND THE SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII FOR THE PURPOSES OF CORRECTING ERRORS AND REFERENCES, CLARIFYING LANGUAGE, AND DELETING OBSOLETE OR UNNECESSARY PROVISIONS,” passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 267, transmitting H.B. No. 1072, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1072, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRESCRIPTIVE AUTHORITY FOR CERTAIN PSYCHOLOGISTS," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Hse. Com. No. 268, transmitting H.B. No. 1075, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1075, 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 Commerce and Consumer Protection, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 269, transmitting H.B. No. 1087, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1087, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION," 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. 270, transmitting H.B. No. 1089, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1089, 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 the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 271, transmitting H.B. No. 1090, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1090, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENTS," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 272, transmitting H.B. No. 1091, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1091, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 273, transmitting H.B. No. 1092, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1092, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 274, transmitting H.B. No. 1098, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1098, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SECURE AND FAIR ENFORCEMENT FOR MORTGAGE LICENSING ACT," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 275, transmitting H.B. No. 1099, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1099, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OUTDOOR ADVERTISING," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Hse. Com. No. 276, transmitting H.B. No. 1102, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1102, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 277, transmitting H.B. No. 1112, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1112, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred 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.

Hse. Com. No. 278, transmitting H.B. No. 1141, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1141, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CESSPOOLS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 279, transmitting H.B. No. 1147, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1147, 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 Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 280, transmitting H.B. No. 1154, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1154, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FUNDING FOR PARKING FOR DISABLED PERSONS," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 281, transmitting H.B. No. 1167, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1167, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CAPITAL INFRASTRUCTURE TAX CREDIT," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 282, transmitting H.B. No. 1168, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1168, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOATING SPECIAL FUND," 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. 283, transmitting H.B. No. 1172, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1172, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESEARCH ACTIVITIES," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 284, transmitting H.B. No. 1176, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1176, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 285, transmitting H.B. No. 1179, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1179, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INFLATION ADJUSTMENTS TO CHAPTER 235, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 286, transmitting H.B. No. 1180, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1180, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 287, transmitting H.B. No. 1181, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1181, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 288, transmitting H.B. No. 1182, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1182, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 289, transmitting H.B. No. 1185, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1185, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE VII, SECTION 13, OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION, TO AMEND THE TIMING OF MATURATION FOR GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS," 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. 290, transmitting H.B. No. 1186, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1186, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 291, transmitting H.B. No. 1187, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1187, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISPOSITION OF TAX REVENUES," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 292, transmitting H.B. No. 1188, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1188, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TOBACCO SETTLEMENT SPECIAL FUND," 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. 1195, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1195, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXPANDED ADULT RESIDENTIAL CARE HOMES," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 294, transmitting H.B. No. 1214, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1214, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE-COUNTY FUNCTIONS WORKING GROUP," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 295, transmitting H.B. No. 1256, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1256, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE FOUNDATION ON CULTURE AND THE ARTS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 296, transmitting H.B. No. 1268, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1268, H.D. 2, 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. 297, transmitting H.B. No. 1272, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1272, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOVIE THEATERS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 298, transmitting H.B. No. 1273, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1273, 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 Agriculture and the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Hse. Com. No. 299, transmitting H.B. No. 1282, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1282, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BROADBAND COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 300, transmitting H.B. No. 1286, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1286, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Water and Land.

Hse. Com. No. 301, transmitting H.B. No. 1292, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1292, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 302, transmitting H.B. No. 1293, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1293, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL PROPERTY TAXATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 303, transmitting H.B. No. 1295, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1295, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 304, transmitting H.B. No. 1296, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1296, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology and the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 305, transmitting H.B. No. 1297, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1297, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 306, transmitting H.B. No. 1325, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1325, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STORMWATER MANAGEMENT," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 307, transmitting H.B. No. 1327, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1327, 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 Tourism and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 308, transmitting H.B. No. 1329, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1329, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR ASSISTING AN INDUSTRIAL ENTERPRISE," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 309, transmitting H.B. No. 1345, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1345, 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, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 310, transmitting H.B. No. 1349, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1349, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHER TENURE," 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. 311, transmitting H.B. No. 1352, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1352, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF 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. 312, transmitting H.B. No. 1356, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1356, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNFUNDED LIABILITIES," 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. 313, transmitting H.B. No. 1370, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1370, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DIVORCE," 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. 314, transmitting H.B. No. 1372, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1372, 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 Agriculture, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Hse. Com. No. 315, transmitting H.B. No. 1377, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1377, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD HEALTH," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 316, transmitting H.B. No. 1384, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1384, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Hse. Com. No. 317, transmitting H.B. No. 1393, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1393, 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 Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Hse. Com. No. 318, transmitting H.B. No. 1394, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1394, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER RECLAMATION," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 319, transmitting H.B. No. 1404, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1404, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE HAWAII COUNTY OFFICE OF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 320, transmitting H.B. No. 1408, H.D. 3, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1408, H.D. 3, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRIVATE ROADS," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 321, transmitting H.B. No. 1412, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1412, 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. 322, transmitting H.B. No. 1422, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1422, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SERVICE CONTRACTS," passed First

Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 323, transmitting H.B. No. 1432, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1432, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE INTERIM ASSISTANCE REIMBURSEMENT SPECIAL FUND," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 324, transmitting H.B. No. 1453, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1453, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE MOLOA'A WELL PROJECT ON THE ISLAND OF KAUAI," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 325, transmitting H.B. No. 1454, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1454, 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 Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 326, transmitting H.B. No. 1467, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1467, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH CONNECTOR," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 327, transmitting H.B. No. 1468, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1468, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE INTERISLAND HIGH-VOLTAGE ELECTRIC TRANSMISSION CABLE SYSTEM," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 328, transmitting H.B. No. 1469, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1469, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISPOSITION OF TAX REVENUES," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 329, transmitting H.B. No. 1471, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1471, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE FUNDING OF GOVERNMENT PROGRAMS," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 330, transmitting H.B. No. 1482, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1482, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CROWDFUNDING," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 331, transmitting H.B. No. 1489, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1489, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL LICENSE PLATES FOR NATIONAL PARKS," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 332, transmitting H.B. No. 1491, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1491, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 333, transmitting H.B. No. 1504, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1504, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 334, transmitting H.B. No. 1509, H.D. 3, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1509, H.D. 3, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," passed First Reading by title and was referred jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 335, transmitting H.B. No. 683, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 10, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 683, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII CIVIL RIGHTS COMMISSION," passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

SENATE COMMUNICATION

The following communication (Sen. Com. No. 1) was read by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Sen. Com. No. 1, notice to Governor dated March 12, 2015, transmitting S.B. No. 143, S.D. 1; S.B. No. 615, S.D. 1; and S.B. No. 1022, S.D. 1, which propose amendments to the Hawai'i State Constitution.

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

"March 12, 2015

The Honorable David Y. Ige
Governor of the State of Hawaii
State Capitol
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear Governor Ige,

In accordance with the provisions of Article XVII, Section 3, of the Hawaii State Constitution, written notice is hereby given of the final form of the following bills, copies of which are attached hereto:

S.B. No. 143, S.D. 1

"PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION TO CHANGE THE THRESHOLD VALUE IN CONTROVERSY REQUIREMENT FOR JURY TRIALS IN CIVIL CASES AT COMMON LAW FROM \$5,000 TO \$10,000."

S.B. No. 615, S.D. 1

"PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE VI, SECTION 3, OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII."

S.B. No. 1022, S.D. 1

"PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII TO REPEAL THE ONE-YEAR MINIMUM HAWAII RESIDENCY REQUIREMENT TO QUALIFY FOR APPOINTMENT PURSUANT TO ARTICLE V, SECTION 6, OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII."

Respectfully,

/s/ Carol Taniguchi
CAROL T. TANIGUCHI
Clerk of the Senate"

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions (S.C.R. Nos. 75 to 86) were read by the Clerk and were deferred:

S.C.R. No. 75 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA DEPARTMENT OF KINESIOLOGY AND REHABILITATION SCIENCE CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO DEVELOP AN IMPLEMENTATION STRATEGY TO REQUIRE YOUTH SPORTS ORGANIZATIONS TO INITIATE AND IMPLEMENT CONCUSSION MANAGEMENT PLANS."

Offered by: Senators Tokuda, Chun Oakland, Kidani.

S.C.R. No. 76 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT 'ILIAHI, HAWAIIAN SANDALWOOD."

Offered by: Senators Galuteria, Chun Oakland, Kidani.

S.C.R. No. 77 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM TO PRIORITIZE THE DEVELOPMENT OF KAPOLEI INTO A JOB CENTER IN SUPPORT OF THE STATE AND THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU'S POLICIES TO DEVELOP KAPOLEI INTO OAHU'S "SECONDARY URBAN CENTER"."

Offered by: Senators Gabbard, Chun Oakland, Kidani, Baker, Espero, Galuteria, Ihara, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 78 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII SISTER-STATE COMMITTEE TO EVALUATE AND DEVELOP RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE INITIATION OF A SISTER-STATE RELATIONSHIP WITH THE STATE OF GOA IN THE COUNTRY OF INDIA AND FORWARD ITS RECOMMENDATION TO THE LEGISLATURE, PURSUANT TO SECTION 229-3, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES, FOR FURTHER ACTION."

Offered by: Senators Gabbard, Chun Oakland, Kidani, Baker, Espero, Galuteria, Ihara, Inouye, Nishihara, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 79 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF ATTORNEY GENERAL TO CONVENE A TASK FORCE TO INVESTIGATE AND COORDINATE THE PROVISION OF MEDICAL, EDUCATIONAL, HOUSING, AND SOCIAL SERVICES TO MIGRANTS FROM FREELY ASSOCIATED STATES."

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Harimoto, Wakai, Green, Taniguchi.

S.C.R. No. 80 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND HAWAII FARMERS UNION UNITED TO COLLABORATE TO ESTABLISH A NUTRIENT RECYCLING CENTER PILOT PROJECT."

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Ruderman, Riviere.

S.C.R. No. 81 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING A PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT LAHAINA, MAUI FOR SEAWALL ENCROACHMENT PURPOSES."

Offered by: Senators Baker, English, Keith-Agaran.

S.C.R. No. 82 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NONEXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING A PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS FRONTING THE PROPERTY IDENTIFIED AS TAX MAP KEY: (1) 3-6-001:017, WAIKIKI, HONOLULU, OAHU."

Offered by: Senator Kim.

S.C.R. No. 83 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE ALOHA TOWER DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION TO DEVELOP A PLAN TO RELOCATE, RENOVATE, UPGRADE, REOPEN, OR DEMOLISH THE HAWAII MARITIME MUSEUM BUILDING AND THE NEARBY AREAS SO THAT PIER 7 MAY SERVE AS AN ATTRACTION OF THE ALOHA TOWER COMPLEX."

Offered by: Senator Nishihara.

S.C.R. No. 84 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING DRIVER EDUCATION AND LICENSING PROGRAMS TO EMPHASIZE COURTEOUS AND RESPONSIBLE DRIVING, INCLUDING THE REDUCTION OF TRAFFIC CONGESTION."

Offered by: Senator Nishihara.

S.C.R. No. 85 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR AND DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO INCLUDE IN THE 2017-2018 SUPPLEMENTAL CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM REQUEST IMPROVEMENTS TO CRUISE SHIP PASSENGER TERMINALS AT NAWILIWILI HARBOR IN KAUAI, HONOLULU HARBOR IN OAHU, KAHULUI HARBOR IN MAUI, AND HILO HARBOR IN HAWAII."

Offered by: Senators Inouye, Kidani, Baker, Dela Cruz, Green, Ruderman.

S.C.R. No. 86 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM TO ESTABLISH A WORKING GROUP TO CREATE A MASTER PLAN OF PROVIDING UNIVERSAL HIGH SPEED BROADBAND ACCESS IN RESORT AREAS THROUGHOUT HAWAII."

Offered by: Senators Wakai, Espero, Harimoto, Inouye, Ruderman.

SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions (S.R. Nos. 36 to 39) were read by the Clerk and were deferred:

S.R. No. 36 "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT 'ILIAHI, HAWAIIAN SANDALWOOD."

Offered by: Senators Galuteria, Chun Oakland, Kidani.

S.R. No. 37 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF ATTORNEY GENERAL TO CONVENE A TASK FORCE TO INVESTIGATE AND COORDINATE THE PROVISION OF MEDICAL, EDUCATIONAL, HOUSING, AND SOCIAL SERVICES TO MIGRANTS FROM FREELY ASSOCIATED STATES."

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Green, Harimoto, Wakai.

S.R. No. 38 "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE ALOHA TOWER DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION TO DEVELOP A PLAN TO RELOCATE, RENOVATE, UPGRADE, REOPEN, OR DEMOLISH THE HAWAII MARITIME MUSEUM BUILDING AND THE NEARBY AREAS SO THAT PIER 7 MAY SERVE AS AN ATTRACTION OF THE ALOHA TOWER COMPLEX."

Offered by: Senator Nishihara.

S.R. No. 39 "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING DRIVER EDUCATION AND LICENSING PROGRAMS TO EMPHASIZE COURTEOUS AND RESPONSIBLE DRIVING, INCLUDING THE REDUCTION OF TRAFFIC CONGESTION."

Offered by: Senator Nishihara.

ORDER OF THE DAY

ADVISE AND CONSENT

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 903 (Gov. Msg. No. 513):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 903 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried.

Senator Keith-Agaran then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of DOUGLAS CHIN as Attorney General of the Department of the Attorney General, term to expire December 3, 2018, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro.

Senator Keith-Agaran rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

"The nominee, Mr. Doug Chin, brings to the state extensive and meaningful legal experience in both public service and private practice. Since 2013, he has served as managing partner at one of the largest and oldest law firms in Hawai'i, focusing his practice in the areas of corporate governance and transactions, administrative law, civil litigation, government affairs, and mediation. At his current firm, he has represented developers, businesses, and individuals in land use, real property, and civil litigation matters and testified before and advocated on behalf of clients to public officials, including the Legislature and county councils and various government boards and commissions.

"Previously, Mr. Chin spent 10 years with the Department of the Prosecuting Attorney for the City and County of Honolulu, including stints as first deputy prosecuting attorney and acting prosecutor. As first deputy prosecutor, Mr. Chin supervised a law enforcement agency with 250 employees in 6 divisions, including over a hundred attorneys, and a \$20 million budget. He also recruited and hired attorneys to serve as Honolulu prosecutors and coordinated training for all four county prosecuting attorney offices.

"In his criminal law career, Mr. Chin prosecuted over 40 jury trials, including murder and sex assault cases, while independently coordinating efforts between a team of police officers, investigators, detectives, victim advocates, and medical teams through all stages of a case from first charges to the final verdict. In 2002, Mr. Chin received the Honolulu prosecutors' internal 'Top Gun' award for winning the most jury trials that year.

"In between legal jobs, Mr. Chin also served as managing director of the City and County of Honolulu, where he was responsible for overseeing all 23 line agencies with approximately 10,000 employees and an operating budget of \$1.97 billion and a capital budget of over \$2 billion.

"Throughout his working life, Mr. Chin has been active volunteer in the community.

"Testimony in support of Mr. Chin's nomination confirmed that he possesses sound knowledge of the law, strong integrity, and deep understanding of government, administration, and law enforcement agencies. His work experience exemplifies his hard work and dedication to public service and his chosen profession. Throughout his working career, he has demonstrated the capacity to manage people and to grasp complex legal and challenging community issues. All of these traits and qualities will help him to serve as a successful attorney general. I am also confident that Mr. Chin understands the importance of providing consistent legal advice and counsel to the state's policy and decision makers in the different branches.

"Your committee found that Mr. Chin has the ability, character, and skills to serve as the attorney general of the State

of Hawai'i. And I like his heart. I urge my colleagues to confirm Doug Chin as Hawai'i's next attorney general."

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Senator Keith-Agaran introduced newly confirmed Attorney General Douglas Chin, who was present in the gallery with his wife, Kathleen, as well as deputy attorney generals and staff from the Department of the Attorney General and colleagues from Carlsmith Ball LLP.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 904 (Gov. Msg. No. 516):

Senator Espero moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 904 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Baker and carried.

Senator Espero then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of NOLAN ESPINDA as Director of the Department of Public Safety, term to expire December 3, 2018, seconded by Senator Baker.

Senator Espero rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

"The Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs held a public hearing on Thursday, March 5th, and has reviewed the personal history, résumé, and statement submitted by Nolan Espinda, and finds that he does possess the requisite qualifications to be nominated as the director of Public Safety.

"The committee finds that Mr. Espinda's background, experience, and commitment to public service qualify him for this important appointment. Mr. Espinda has extensive experience in the public sector, having worked for the Department of Public Safety for 32 years. Following his graduation from California State University with a Bachelor of Arts in political science, he began his career as a recreation specialist at the Hawaii Youth Correctional Facility in 1983 and later served as corrections supervisor, acting corrections manager, Office of the Institutions Division administrator, and managing ACO warden at the Oahu Community Correctional Center (OCCC). In 1994, Mr. Espinda received the Department of Public Safety's Manager of the Year award in recognition of his work. Since 2009, he has served as the managing ACO IV warden at Halawa Correctional Facility.

"We've had many discussions over the last few weeks. We know there are problems, but we also know that there are many hardworking professional members within our Department of Public Safety, and with Mr. Espinda's background and knowledge, I do believe that he is the individual. He is a straightforward, no-nonsense type of a man who can get the job done in this department of which, really, not too many people are clamoring to be the director. So with that, colleagues, I do ask you to support Stand. Com. Rep. No. 904 and Gov. Msg. No. 516, Mr. Nolan Espinda, for the director of Public Safety. Thank you."

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Senator Espero introduced Nolan Espinda, newly confirmed Director of the Department of Public Safety, who was present in the gallery with his wife, Malia; his three daughters, Caitlin, Fallon, and Kamaile; and staff from the Department of Public Safety.

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

The Senate reconvened at 12:15 p.m.

ADOPTION OF A RESOLUTION

MATTER DEFERRED FROM TUESDAY, MARCH 10, 2015

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 905 (S.C.R. No. 13, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 13, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE INTERAGENCY COUNCIL ON HOMELESSNESS TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO DETERMINE THE BEST PRACTICES FOR COLLECTING, STORING, AND SHARING DATA ON HOMELESS YOUTH," was adopted.

THIRD READING

S.B. No. 1287, S.D. 2:

On motion by Senator English, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran and carried, S.B. No. 1287, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COPYRIGHTS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Thielen).

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:16 p.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Friday, March 13, 2015.

TWENTY-SEVENTH DAY

Friday, March 13, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:39 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present.

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

Senator Kidani introduced visitors from Honolulu Community Action Program (HCAP) Head Start, including Lynn Cabato, director; J-Nell Cullen, Kalihi Kai Head Start center; Ramona Josue, Kapua Head Start center; Jasmine Arsisto, Salt Lake Pre Plus; Danielle Apilado, Kauluwela Head Start center; Sauna Vaouli, parent; and other Head Start supporters who were present in the gallery. Senator Kidani noted that the nationwide early education program, which serves thousands of individuals each year by providing early childhood education and workforce development for parents and staff, was celebrating its fiftieth anniversary, having been enacted into law by President Lyndon B. Johnson in 1965.

Senator Wakai introduced visitors from the National Federation of Independent Business: Regional Public Policy Director Daniel Markels and Hawai'i State Director Melissa Pavlicek.

Senator Kidani recognized Junior Achievement Hall of Fame recipients, and presented the following remarks:

"Thank you, Madam President. It is my privilege today to welcome our guests who are being recognized for their professional and civic contributions to our state. They serve as an inspiration to all of us and especially our young people who aspire to become entrepreneurs. Each of them has enjoyed success over a long career, and each of them has accepted the challenge of making the companies they work for better than they were when they began those careers. They chose their life's work in widely different fields, recognizing and embracing opportunities as they presented themselves along the way. Each of them has become deeply involved in the life of their respective communities, and we welcome them today as the newest inductees into the Junior Achievement Hawaii Business Hall of Fame.

"Here in Hawai'i, Junior Achievement has engaged young people in activities and instructional programs since 1957. JA programs give students a true taste of how a career in business can be both professionally and personally rewarding. Currently, Junior Achievement touches more than 8,500 students every year on O'ahu, the Big Island, and now on Kaua'i. Students learn the key concepts of financial literacy, work readiness, and entrepreneurship from corporate and community volunteers. A dedicated corps of trained volunteers go into their classrooms to deliver the hands-on and activity-based programs that provide real-life scenarios and role models to our keiki.

"Madam President, I would like to call upon my colleagues to introduce their respective constituents. I am pleased to turn the floor over to the Senate Minority Leader to begin."

Senator Slom rose to present the following remarks:

"Thank you, Senator Kidani. Madam President and colleagues, it's no secret that I'm an entrepreneurial kind of guy. The best organization in Hawai'i and nationally that helps young entrepreneurs and helps people understand about business and about the choices of life is Junior Achievement. I've been privileged to be involved with Junior Achievement for many years now in different capacities, and it's a wonderful

organization, and I know that some of my colleagues here have gone through some of the JA programs.

"This year marks the twenty-fifth anniversary of the creation of the Junior Achievement Hawaii Business Hall of Fame. I was very happy to be a part of the creation of that Hall of Fame and to be involved over the years in some of the judging. We've had outstanding people who have been inducted into the Business Hall of Fame, and it just goes to show you how many creative people that we have in our state – how many people who have not only done things in the business community to create jobs and to create opportunities and to educate young people and the community at large, but also, they share their expertise in the community in leadership with other activities.

"So, the twenty-fifth award gala dinner was held about a week ago. There are three inductees, and I'm very proud and privileged to introduce one of them today: Lawrence 'Larry' Rodriguez. After a tremendous career as managing partner with Ernst & Young, he retired. But then he un-retired, like so many entrepreneurs, and he became chief financial officer for Central Pacific Bank. And then he retired again, but guess what: He never retired from his community service, and he serves on more than two dozen different boards in health and technology and education and in social welfare. Among his activities right now, he is the executive in residence at the Shidler College of Business at the University of Hawai'i at Mānoa. He also serves on the boards of Sennet Capital, Ho'okele Health Innovations, and a number of other technology companies, but more importantly, he serves in the community on nonprofit organizations and currently is a member of the board – not only of Junior Achievement of Hawai'i – but Aloha United Way, Maryknoll School, the American Cancer Society, and many, many others. So, please show your welcome and appreciation for Larry Rodriguez."

Senator Inouye rose to present the following remarks:

"Thank you, Senator Slom. Madam President and colleagues, it is truly an honor and a privilege to welcome to the Senate floor Brian Kitagawa, president and CEO of the iconic I. Kitagawa & Company.

"Brian is a constituent of mine in Kamuela, though he was born in Hilo, and on Hawai'i Island, he and his company are the kind where you say, 'Needs no further introduction.' But for the rest of you, I. Kitagawa is a legacy business in Hawai'i, founded 110 years ago by immigrant from Japan, Brian's great-grandfather, Isojiro Kitagawa. The company was a pioneer in the auto business, selling cars over the past century. The business was nearly wiped out by the tsunami in 1923, but through hard work and determination to succeed, the family rebuilt.

"As the economic tide shifted and auto production stopped altogether during World War II, the company saw an opportunity in car parts. Then came the tsunami in 1946 that really hit hard – and also, I was a displacee – but the company survived and moved on. And after yet another tsunami in 1960, I. Kitagawa moved its headquarters to its present location in Hilo and the business has thrived in the years since then, now led by fourth generation Brian.

"Someone once said, 'History is who we are and why we are the way we are.' Brian is ever mindful of that and has more than lived up to the family legacy of hard work and adapting to the challenges that a global business climate creates.

"Madam President, colleagues, when I'm able to find time to get to the golf course, perhaps I can keep up with Brian, who carries a single handicap, but I don't know – we're getting old

now, so we'll ask him what's his handicap. He is certainly worthy of a place in the Junior Achievement Hawaii Business Hall of Fame, and it is in that spirit that the Senate commends and congratulates Brian Kitagawa this morning. Welcome, Brian."

Senator Chun Oakland rose to present the following remarks:

"Thank you very much. Thank you, Senator Inouye, Madam President, and colleagues. Our final honoree is Audrey Hidano, a resident of beautiful Nu'uuanu Valley and secretary and treasurer of Hidano Construction, which she co-founded in 1974. Along with her responsibilities with the construction company, and following what many would consider a full career of more than 18 years at the telephone company, Audrey served for a brief period as a member of the Honolulu City Council, a term as president of the Building Industry Association, and following that, was a deputy director in two departments of state government. She has also served as an elected member of the Nu'uuanu/Punchbowl Neighborhood Board since 1989.

"Audrey's commitment to career and community are further demonstrated by the positions of leadership and responsibility she has held in more than two dozen professional, school, social services, and civic organizations. She remains an active and caring citizen, devoted to her family and a wide circle of friends who benefit from her wisdom and good counsel. Like all of our honorees this morning, Audrey has, throughout her professional and public services careers, sought to improve the lives of all of us. She is most worthy of this recognition by Junior Achievement and the commendation and congratulations from the Senate that we extend today.

"Madam President and colleagues, I would also be remiss if I did not note that Audrey has agreed once again to resume her service to the public and to the state government. Earlier this month, Governor Ige nominated Audrey to be the deputy director of the Department of Accounting and General Services. We know she will do an excellent job. Congratulations, Audrey."

Senator Kidani rose and stated:

"Thank you, Madam President. There is one more person on the floor for this morning's recognition. With our three honorees is Ms. Kim Canepa. Kim is president of the Junior Achievement of Hawaii. Thank you, Kim, for all that you and Junior Achievement do to nurture the entrepreneurial spirit among our young people.

"Also, if I may, I would like to introduce others in the gallery who are with us. Erin Matsunaga, Junior Achievement program manager – thank you, Erin. Also Mr. Steve Hidano, husband of the lovely Audrey – thank you, Steve. Mahalo."

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

The Senate reconvened at 12:03 p.m.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions (S.C.R. Nos. 87 to 123) were read by the Clerk and were deferred:

S.C.R. No. 87 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION STRONGLY URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES, AND THE AIRPORTS DIVISION AND HARBORS DIVISION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO ESTABLISH AN ADVISORY COMMITTEE TO ADDRESS THE THREAT OF AN OUTBREAK OF CHIKUNGUNYA VIRUS IN HAWAII."

Offered by: Senators Keith-Agaran, English, Baker, Chun Oakland, Kahele, Shimabukuro, Tokuda, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 88 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CHIEF INFORMATION OFFICER TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO ASSESS EXISTING PROCEDURES OF NOTIFICATION FOLLOWING THE BREACH OF PERSONAL INFORMATION."

Offered by: Senators Keith-Agaran, Baker, Chun Oakland, English, Dela Cruz, Espero, Kahele, Kouchi, Shimabukuro, Tokuda, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 89 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO CONDUCT A FEASIBILITY AND COST STUDY RELATING TO THE CONSTRUCTION OF A BOAT RAMP IN PUKO'O, MOLOKA'I."

Offered by: Senators English, Chun Oakland, Inouye, Baker, Dela Cruz, Espero, Gabbard, Galuteria, Green, Harimoto, Ihara, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Kouchi, Nishihara, Ruderman, Slom.

S.C.R. No. 90 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY TO CONTINUE AND EXPAND ITS STRUCTURED COMMUNITY PLACEMENT PROGRAMS TO ASSIST IN TRANSITIONING FORMERLY INCARCERATED FEMALE INMATES BACK INTO SOCIETY."

Offered by: Senators Espero, Chun Oakland, Green, Baker, Gabbard, Galuteria, Harimoto, Keith-Agaran, Ruderman, Slom, Taniguchi, Tokuda.

S.C.R. No. 91 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING CONGRESS AND THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES TO SUPPORT THE PASSAGE OF LEGISLATION TO EXPEDITE FAMILY REUNIFICATION FOR CERTAIN FILIPINO VETERANS OF WORLD WAR II."

Offered by: Senators Espero, Chun Oakland, Gabbard, Harimoto, Inouye, Nishihara, Ruderman, Baker, Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran, Kim, Slom, Taniguchi, Tokuda.

S.C.R. No. 92 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO PROVIDE INFORMATION ON THE NUMBER OF INSTANCES WHERE A MINOR PARENT OR PARENTS AND THEIR CHILDREN RECEIVE PUBLIC ASSISTANCE."

Offered by: Senators Kidani, Chun Oakland, Inouye, Kahele, Shimabukuro, Tokuda.

S.C.R. No. 93 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO REVIEW WHETHER THE STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE TO THE BOARD SHOULD BE GIVEN VOTING RIGHTS."

Offered by: Senators Kidani, Tokuda, Harimoto, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Kouchi, Shimabukuro, Slom, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 94 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE COMMITTEE ON WEIGHTS AND THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO CONSIDER THE UNIQUE NEEDS OF REMOTE SCHOOLS WHEN REEVALUATING THE WEIGHTED STUDENT FORMULA."

Offered by: Senators Kidani, Chun Oakland, English, Harimoto, Inouye, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Tokuda, Dela Cruz, Kouchi, Nishihara, Shimabukuro, Slom.

S.C.R. No. 95 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO REVIEW THE NEED FOR THE HAWAII SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF AND BLIND."

Offered by: Senators Kidani, Dela Cruz, Espero, Harimoto, Inouye, Kahele, Nishihara, Shimabukuro, Slom, Tokuda, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 96 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO REVIEW THE FEASIBILITY OF CONTINUING THE LAHAINALUNA HIGH SCHOOL BOARDING PROGRAM."

Offered by: Senators Kidani, Harimoto, Inouye, Kahele, Nishihara, Dela Cruz, Keith-Agaran, Kouchi, Shimabukuro, Slom, Tokuda.

S.C.R. No. 97 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO ESTABLISH A HAWAII PUBLIC SCHOOLS FINANCIAL LITERACY TASK FORCE."

Offered by: Senators Kidani, Harimoto, Tokuda, Inouye, Kouchi, Nishihara.

S.C.R. No. 98 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE JUDICIARY TO CONDUCT A STUDY TO IDENTIFY TRAFFIC OFFENSES AND CRIMES, PETTY MISDEMEANOR OFFENSES, AND MISDEMEANOR OFFENSES THAT CAUSE A DISPROPORTIONATE WORKLOAD FOR THE JUDICIARY AND THAT MAY BE APPROPRIATE FOR DECRIMINALIZATION AS INFRACTIONS."

Offered by: Senators Kidani, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Kouchi, Nishihara, Shimabukuro, Tokuda.

S.C.R. No. 99 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO ALLOW TEACHERS TO USE PURCHASING CARDS WHEN PURCHASING SCHOOL SUPPLIES AND OTHER RELATED CURRICULUM SUPPORT SUPPLIES."

Offered by: Senators Kidani, Harimoto, Inouye, Kouchi, Nishihara, Tokuda.

S.C.R. No. 100 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU, IN CONSULTATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA COLLEGE OF EDUCATION, TO PREPARE A STUDY THAT EXAMINES AND PROVIDES RECOMMENDATIONS ON IMPROVING THE RETENTION OF TEACHERS WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION."

Offered by: Senators Kidani, Harimoto, Kouchi.

S.C.R. No. 101 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE HISTORIC, CULTURAL, AND SCIENTIFIC VALUE OF THE KARST AQUIFER ECOSYSTEM OF PEARL HARBOR AND THE EWA PLAIN."

Offered by: Senator Ihara, by request.

S.C.R. No. 102 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA'S EFFORTS TOWARD PEACEFUL REUNIFICATION OF THE KOREAN PENINSULA AND URGING THE DEMOCRATIC PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF KOREA TO ENGAGE IN SINCERE REUNIFICATION DIALOGUE WITH THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA."

Offered by: Senator Chun Oakland.

S.C.R. No. 103 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE REESTABLISHMENT OF THE WORKING GROUP TO EXAMINE SOCIAL DETERMINANTS OF HEALTH AND RISK ADJUSTMENT FOR MEDICAID, GAP-GROUP, AND UNINSURED INDIVIDUALS."

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Green, Baker, Harimoto, Ruderman, Shimabukuro.

S.C.R. No. 104 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO CONSIDER AN ALTERNATE METHODOLOGY FOR ESTABLISHING THE BASIC PROSPECTIVE PAYMENT SYSTEM RATES FOR INTERMEDIATE CARE FACILITIES FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH INTELLECTUAL DISABILITIES, TO REBASE THE RATES AT LEAST EVERY TWO FISCAL YEARS, AND TO INCREASE BED RESERVATION DAYS TO TWENTY-FOUR DAYS PER CALENDAR YEAR FOR HOSPITALIZATION AND OTHER ABSENCES OF RESIDENTS FROM INTERMEDIATE CARE FACILITIES FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH INTELLECTUAL DISABILITIES."

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Baker, Green, Harimoto, Ruderman, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 105 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES AND DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO NOT CONSIDER CERTAIN BENEFITS UNDER TITLE II OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT AS INCOME WHEN DETERMINING MEDICAID ELIGIBILITY AND TO ADOPT RULES TO ALLOW A PROVIDER OF MEDICAID ADULT DAY HEALTH SERVICES TO BILL IN FIFTEEN MINUTE INCREMENTS."

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Baker, Green, Harimoto, Keith-Agaran, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 106 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION CONVENING A TASK FORCE TO IDENTIFY PARCELS OF URBAN SHORELINE IN KAKA'AKO MAKAI IN COORDINATION WITH THE "LEI OF GREEN" POLICY RECOGNIZED IN THE KAKA'AKO MAKAI VISION AND GUIDING PRINCIPLES AND THE MASTER PLAN FOR KAKA'AKO MAKAI ADOPTED BY THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY IN 2011."

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Harimoto, Thielen.

S.C.R. No. 107 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CONVENING OF A FAMILY CAREGIVERS WORKING GROUP TO EXAMINE

AND ASSESS LEGISLATION RELATING TO THE ROLE OF CAREGIVERS OF PATIENTS DISCHARGED FROM HOSPITALS.”

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Green, Baker, Ruderman.

S.C.R. No. 108 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO ESTABLISH WEEKLY MINIMUM STANDARDS FOR TIME DEDICATED TO PHYSICAL EDUCATION IN ELEMENTARY, INTERMEDIATE, AND MIDDLE SCHOOLS.”

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Baker, Harimoto, Kidani, Kim, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 109 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION DESIGNATING THE MONTH OF OCTOBER OF EACH YEAR AS “FARM TO SCHOOL MONTH” IN HAWAII TO STRENGTHEN AND SUPPORT FARM TO SCHOOL INITIATIVES IN HAWAII’S SCHOOLS.”

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Harimoto, Ruderman, Baker, Keith-Agaran, Kim, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 110 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO CONSOLIDATE ITS LEILEHUA-MILILANI-WAIALUA COMPLEX AREA ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE AND SUPPORT SERVICES FACILITIES AND USE THESE EXISTING LOCATIONS TO GENERATE INCOME FOR CONSTRUCTION, REPAIR, RETROFITTING, AND MAINTENANCE OF SCHOOL FACILITIES.”

Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Kidani, Riviere.

S.C.R. No. 111 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT AN AUDIT OF POLICIES, PROCEDURES, AND MANAGEMENT OF THE REAL ESTATE COMMISSION.”

Offered by: Senator Taniguchi.

S.C.R. No. 112 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A FINANCIAL AUDIT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION TO ADDRESS ISSUES ASSOCIATED WITH THE COLLECTION AND PAYMENT OF THE COUNTY SURCHARGE ON STATE TAX TO THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU.”

Offered by: Senators Harimoto, Chun Oakland, Gabbard, Green, Riviere, Espero, Galuteria, Inouye, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Slom, Thielen, Tokuda, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 113 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO TELEWISE OR MAKE AVAILABLE ONLINE ITS MEETINGS.”

Offered by: Senators Harimoto, Espero, Green, Baker, Chun Oakland, Gabbard, Galuteria, Inouye, Kahele, Kidani, Kim, Nishihara, Riviere, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Slom, Thielen, Tokuda, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 114 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING FOOD SERVICE

FACILITIES IN THE STATE THAT OFFER A CHILDREN’S MENU OF MEAL OPTIONS, OR A MEAL THAT IS REPRESENTED AS A CHILDREN’S MEAL, TO SERVE CHILDREN’S MEALS WITH HIGHER NUTRITIONAL QUALITY AND INCLUDE ONLY BOTTLED WATER OR LOW-FAT MILK AS THE DEFAULT BEVERAGE IN THE MEAL OR MENU OPTION.”

Offered by: Senators Harimoto, Chun Oakland, Green, Ruderman, Baker, Espero, Gabbard, Galuteria, Inouye, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Riviere, Shimabukuro, Taniguchi, Thielen, Tokuda, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 115 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HONOLULU AUTHORITY FOR RAPID TRANSPORTATION TO TELEWISE OR MAKE AVAILABLE ONLINE ITS MEETINGS.”

Offered by: Senators Harimoto, Espero, Baker, Chun Oakland, Gabbard, Galuteria, Green, Inouye, Kahele, Kim, Riviere, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Slom, Thielen, Tokuda, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 116 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII BOARD OF REGENTS TO TELEWISE OR MAKE AVAILABLE ONLINE ITS MEETINGS.”

Offered by: Senators Harimoto, Espero, Green, Kim, Ruderman, Slom, Baker, Chun Oakland, Gabbard, Galuteria, Inouye, Kahele, Kidani, Riviere, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Tokuda, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 117 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR AND THE DEPARTMENT OF BUDGET AND FINANCE TO INCLUDE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION IN THE SIX-YEAR PROGRAM AND FINANCIAL PLAN AND VARIANCE REPORT.”

Offered by: Senator Tokuda.

S.C.R. No. 118 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE 2015 TAX REVIEW COMMISSION TO UPDATE THE STUDY OF THE DISTRIBUTION OF STATE AND LOCAL TAX BURDEN BY INCOME CLASS.”

Offered by: Senator Tokuda.

S.C.R. No. 119 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING AN AUDIT OF THE ENERGY PERFORMANCE CONTRACTING PROGRAM.”

Offered by: Senator Tokuda.

S.C.R. No. 120 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE IMPLEMENTATION OF POSITION COUNT CEILINGS FOR PERMANENT AND TEMPORARY POSITIONS IN THE EXECUTIVE BRANCH AND A PROHIBITION ON THE ESTABLISHMENT OF “UNAUTHORIZED POSITIONS”.”

Offered by: Senator Tokuda.

S.C.R. No. 121 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUDGET AND FINANCE TO ESTABLISH A STATE DEBT MANAGEMENT POLICY AND SUBMIT DEBT AFFORDABILITY STUDIES.”

Offered by: Senator Tokuda.

S.C.R. No. 122 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT AN AUDIT TO DETERMINE THE EXISTENCE OF POTENTIAL PATTERNS OF ABUSE IN THE USE OF STATE AND FEDERAL LEAVE BENEFITS BY ADULT CORRECTIONS OFFICERS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.”

Offered by: Senators Tokuda, Espero.

S.C.R. No. 123 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REPLACING THE TERM “AFRICAN AMERICAN” WITH “AMERICAN OF AFRICAN DESCENT” AS A RACE CATEGORY USED IN SURVEYS CONDUCTED BY THE STATE OF HAWAII.”

Offered by: Senator Riviere, by request.

SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions (S.R. Nos. 40 to 72) were read by the Clerk and were deferred:

S.R. No. 40 “SENATE RESOLUTION STRONGLY URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES, AND THE AIRPORTS DIVISION AND HARBORS DIVISION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO ESTABLISH AN ADVISORY COMMITTEE TO ADDRESS THE THREAT OF AN OUTBREAK OF CHIKUNGUNYA VIRUS IN HAWAII.”

Offered by: Senators Keith-Agaran, English, Baker, Chun Oakland, Kahele, Shimabukuro, Tokuda, Wakai.

S.R. No. 41 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CHIEF INFORMATION OFFICER TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO ASSESS EXISTING PROCEDURES OF NOTIFICATION FOLLOWING THE BREACH OF PERSONAL INFORMATION.”

Offered by: Senators Keith-Agaran, Baker, Chun Oakland, English, Dela Cruz, Espero, Kahele, Kouchi, Shimabukuro, Tokuda, Wakai.

S.R. No. 42 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO CONDUCT A FEASIBILITY AND COST STUDY RELATING TO THE CONSTRUCTION OF A BOAT RAMP IN PUKO‘O, MOLOKA‘I.”

Offered by: Senators English, Chun Oakland, Inouye, Baker, Dela Cruz, Espero, Gabbard, Galuteria, Green, Harimoto, Ihara, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Kouchi, Nishihara, Ruderman, Slom.

S.R. No. 43 “SENATE RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY TO CONTINUE AND EXPAND ITS STRUCTURED COMMUNITY PLACEMENT PROGRAMS TO ASSIST IN TRANSITIONING FORMERLY INCARCERATED FEMALE INMATES BACK INTO SOCIETY.”

Offered by: Senators Espero, Baker, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran, Slom.

S.R. No. 44 “SENATE RESOLUTION URGING CONGRESS AND THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES TO SUPPORT THE PASSAGE OF LEGISLATION

TO EXPEDITE FAMILY REUNIFICATION FOR CERTAIN FILIPINO VETERANS OF WORLD WAR II.”

Offered by: Senators Espero, Chun Oakland, Gabbard, Harimoto, Inouye, Nishihara, Ruderman, Baker, Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran, Kim, Slom, Taniguchi, Tokuda.

S.R. No. 45 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY TO PROVIDE AN ITEMIZED ACCOUNTING OF THE \$1,000,000 THAT THE JUSTICE REINVESTMENT INITIATIVE SET ASIDE IN 2012 FOR COMMUNITY-BASED PROGRAMS AND THE \$3,400,000 SET ASIDE IN 2013 FOR EXPANDING TREATMENT PROGRAMS AND VICTIMS’ SERVICES AND INITIATING PLANS TO ESTABLISH A RESEARCH AND PLANNING OFFICE.”

Offered by: Senators Espero, Baker, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran, Slom.

S.R. No. 46 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO PROVIDE INFORMATION ON THE NUMBER OF INSTANCES WHERE A MINOR PARENT OR PARENTS AND THEIR CHILDREN RECEIVE PUBLIC ASSISTANCE.”

Offered by: Senators Kidani, Wakai, Chun Oakland, Inouye, Kahele, Shimabukuro, Tokuda.

S.R. No. 47 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO REVIEW WHETHER THE STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE TO THE BOARD SHOULD BE GIVEN VOTING RIGHTS.”

Offered by: Senators Kidani, Tokuda, Harimoto, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Kouchi, Shimabukuro, Slom, Wakai.

S.R. No. 48 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE COMMITTEE ON WEIGHTS AND THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO CONSIDER THE UNIQUE NEEDS OF REMOTE SCHOOLS WHEN REEVALUATING THE WEIGHTED STUDENT FORMULA.”

Offered by: Senators Kidani, Chun Oakland, English, Harimoto, Inouye, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Tokuda, Dela Cruz, Kouchi, Nishihara, Shimabukuro, Slom, Wakai.

S.R. No. 49 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO REVIEW THE NEED FOR THE HAWAII SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF AND BLIND.”

Offered by: Senators Kidani, Dela Cruz, Espero, Harimoto, Inouye, Nishihara, Shimabukuro, Slom, Tokuda, Wakai.

S.R. No. 50 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO REVIEW THE FEASIBILITY OF CONTINUING THE LAHAINALUNA HIGH SCHOOL BOARDING PROGRAM.”

Offered by: Senators Kidani, Harimoto, Inouye, Kahele, Nishihara, Dela Cruz, Keith-Agaran, Kouchi, Shimabukuro, Slom, Tokuda, Wakai.

S.R. No. 51 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO ESTABLISH A HAWAII PUBLIC SCHOOLS FINANCIAL LITERACY TASK FORCE.”

- Offered by: Senators Kidani, Harimoto, Tokuda, Inouye, Kouchi, Nishihara.
- S.R. No. 52 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE JUDICIARY TO CONDUCT A STUDY TO IDENTIFY TRAFFIC OFFENSES AND CRIMES, PETTY MISDEMEANOR OFFENSES, AND MISDEMEANOR OFFENSES THAT CAUSE A DISPROPORTIONATE WORKLOAD FOR THE JUDICIARY AND THAT MAY BE APPROPRIATE FOR DECRIMINALIZATION AS INFRACTIONS.”
- Offered by: Senators Kidani, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Kouchi, Nishihara, Shimabukuro, Tokuda.
- S.R. No. 53 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO ALLOW TEACHERS TO USE PURCHASING CARDS WHEN PURCHASING SCHOOL SUPPLIES AND OTHER RELATED CURRICULUM SUPPORT SUPPLIES.”
- Offered by: Senators Kidani, Harimoto, Inouye, Kouchi, Nishihara, Tokuda.
- S.R. No. 54 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU, IN CONSULTATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA COLLEGE OF EDUCATION, TO PREPARE A STUDY THAT EXAMINES AND PROVIDES RECOMMENDATIONS ON IMPROVING THE RETENTION OF TEACHERS WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.”
- Offered by: Senators Kidani, Harimoto, Kouchi.
- S.R. No. 55 “SENATE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE HISTORIC, CULTURAL, AND SCIENTIFIC VALUE OF THE KARST AQUIFER ECOSYSTEM OF PEARL HARBOR AND THE EWA PLAIN.”
- Offered by: Senator Ihara, by request.
- S.R. No. 56 “SENATE RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA’S EFFORTS TOWARD PEACEFUL REUNIFICATION OF THE KOREAN PENINSULA AND URGING THE DEMOCRATIC PEOPLE’S REPUBLIC OF KOREA TO ENGAGE IN SINCERE REUNIFICATION DIALOGUE WITH THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA.”
- Offered by: Senator Chun Oakland.
- S.R. No. 57 “SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE REESTABLISHMENT OF THE WORKING GROUP TO EXAMINE SOCIAL DETERMINANTS OF HEALTH AND RISK ADJUSTMENT FOR MEDICAID, GAP-GROUP, AND UNINSURED INDIVIDUALS.”
- Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Baker, Green, Harimoto, Ruderman, Shimabukuro.
- S.R. No. 58 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO CONSIDER AN ALTERNATE METHODOLOGY FOR ESTABLISHING THE BASIC PROSPECTIVE PAYMENT SYSTEM RATES FOR INTERMEDIATE CARE FACILITIES FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH INTELLECTUAL DISABILITIES, TO REBASE THE RATES AT LEAST EVERY TWO FISCAL YEARS, AND TO INCREASE BED RESERVATION DAYS TO TWENTY-FOUR DAYS PER CALENDAR YEAR FOR HOSPITALIZATION AND OTHER ABSENCES OF RESIDENTS FROM INTERMEDIATE CARE FACILITIES FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH INTELLECTUAL DISABILITIES.”
- Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Baker, Green, Harimoto, Ruderman, Wakai.
- S.R. No. 59 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES AND DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO NOT CONSIDER CERTAIN BENEFITS UNDER TITLE II OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT AS INCOME WHEN DETERMINING MEDICAID ELIGIBILITY AND TO ADOPT RULES TO ALLOW A PROVIDER OF MEDICAID ADULT DAY HEALTH SERVICES TO BILL IN FIFTEEN MINUTE INCREMENTS.”
- Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Baker, Green, Harimoto, Keith-Agaran, Wakai.
- S.R. No. 60 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO ESTABLISH WEEKLY MINIMUM STANDARDS FOR TIME DEDICATED TO PHYSICAL EDUCATION IN ELEMENTARY, INTERMEDIATE, AND MIDDLE SCHOOLS.”
- Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Baker, Harimoto, Kidani, Kim, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Wakai.
- S.R. No. 61 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO CONSOLIDATE ITS LEILEHUA-MILILANI-WAIALUA COMPLEX AREA ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE AND SUPPORT SERVICES FACILITIES AND USE THESE EXISTING LOCATIONS TO GENERATE INCOME FOR CONSTRUCTION, REPAIR, RETROFITTING, AND MAINTENANCE OF SCHOOL FACILITIES.”
- Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Kidani, Riviere.
- S.R. No. 62 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT AN AUDIT OF POLICIES, PROCEDURES, AND MANAGEMENT OF THE REAL ESTATE COMMISSION.”
- Offered by: Senator Taniguchi.
- S.R. No. 63 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A FINANCIAL AUDIT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION TO ADDRESS ISSUES ASSOCIATED WITH THE COLLECTION AND PAYMENT OF THE COUNTY SURCHARGE ON STATE TAX TO THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU.”
- Offered by: Senators Harimoto, Chun Oakland, Gabbard, Green, Riviere, Espero, Galuteria, Inouye, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Slom, Thielen, Tokuda, Wakai.
- S.R. No. 64 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO TELEVISION OR MAKE AVAILABLE ONLINE ITS MEETINGS.”
- Offered by: Senators Harimoto, Espero, Baker, Chun Oakland, Gabbard, Galuteria, Green, Inouye, Kahele, Kidani, Kim, Nishihara, Riviere, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Slom, Thielen, Tokuda, Wakai.
- S.R. No. 65 “SENATE RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING FOOD SERVICE FACILITIES IN THE STATE THAT OFFER A CHILDREN’S MENU OF MEAL

OPTIONS, OR A MEAL THAT IS REPRESENTED AS A CHILDREN'S MEAL, TO SERVE CHILDREN'S MEALS WITH HIGHER NUTRITIONAL QUALITY AND INCLUDE ONLY BOTTLED WATER OR LOW-FAT MILK AS THE DEFAULT BEVERAGE IN THE MEAL OR MENU OPTION."

Offered by: Senators Harimoto, Chun Oakland, Green, Ruderman, Baker, Espero, Gabbard, Galuteria, Inouye, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Riviere, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Tokuda, Wakai.

S.R. No. 66 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HONOLULU AUTHORITY FOR RAPID TRANSPORTATION TO TELEVISION OR MAKE AVAILABLE ONLINE ITS MEETINGS."

Offered by: Senators Harimoto, Espero, Baker, Chun Oakland, Gabbard, Galuteria, Green, Inouye, Kahele, Kim, Riviere, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Slom, Thielen, Tokuda, Wakai.

S.R. No. 67 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII BOARD OF REGENTS TO TELEVISION OR MAKE AVAILABLE ONLINE ITS MEETINGS."

Offered by: Senators Harimoto, Espero, Green, Kim, Ruderman, Slom, Baker, Chun Oakland, Gabbard, Galuteria, Inouye, Kahele, Kidani, Riviere, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Tokuda, Wakai.

S.R. No. 68 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR AND THE DEPARTMENT OF BUDGET AND FINANCE TO INCLUDE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION IN THE SIX-YEAR PROGRAM AND FINANCIAL PLAN AND VARIANCE REPORT."

Offered by: Senator Tokuda.

S.R. No. 69 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE 2015 TAX REVIEW COMMISSION TO UPDATE THE STUDY OF THE DISTRIBUTION OF STATE AND LOCAL TAX BURDEN BY INCOME CLASS."

Offered by: Senator Tokuda.

S.R. No. 70 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE IMPLEMENTATION OF POSITION COUNT CEILINGS FOR PERMANENT AND TEMPORARY POSITIONS IN THE EXECUTIVE BRANCH AND A PROHIBITION ON THE ESTABLISHMENT OF "UNAUTHORIZED POSITIONS".

Offered by: Senator Tokuda.

S.R. No. 71 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUDGET AND FINANCE TO ESTABLISH A STATE DEBT MANAGEMENT POLICY AND SUBMIT DEBT AFFORDABILITY STUDIES."

Offered by: Senator Tokuda.

S.R. No. 72 "SENATE RESOLUTION REPLACING THE TERM "AFRICAN AMERICAN" WITH "AMERICAN OF AFRICAN DESCENT" AS A RACE CATEGORY USED IN SURVEYS CONDUCTED BY THE STATE OF HAWAII."

Offered by: Senator Riviere, by request.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 912) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of LEONARD HOSHIJO as Deputy Director of the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 536.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 912 and Gov. Msg. No. 536 was deferred until Monday, March 16, 2015.

ORDER OF THE DAY

REFERRAL OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The President made the following committee assignments of Senate concurrent resolutions offered on Thursday, March 5, 2015; Friday, March 6, 2015; and Tuesday, March 10, 2015:

S.C.R. No.:	Referred to:
S.C.R. No. 47	Committee on Transportation
S.C.R. No. 48	Committee on Water and Land
S.C.R. No. 49	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs
S.C.R. No. 50	Jointly to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 51	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 52	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.C.R. No. 53	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs
S.C.R. No. 54	Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 55	Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land
S.C.R. No. 56	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 57	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Health, and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs
S.C.R. No. 58	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.C.R. No. 59	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts	S.R. No. 22	Jointly to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 60	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Water and Land	S.R. No. 23	Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 61	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.R. No. 24	Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land
S.C.R. No. 62	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.R. No. 25	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 63	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.R. No. 26	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 64	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.R. No. 27	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 65	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.R. No. 28	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 66	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.R. No. 29	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 67	Jointly to the Committee on Government Operations and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.R. No. 30	Jointly to the Committee on Government Operations and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 68	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.R. No. 31	Committee on Energy and Environment
S.C.R. No. 69	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.R. No. 32	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 70	Committee on Energy and Environment	S.R. No. 33	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts
S.C.R. No. 71	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs	S.R. No. 34	Committee on Tourism and International Affairs
S.C.R. No. 72	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.R. No. 35	Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 73	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts		
S.C.R. No. 74	Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means		

REFERRAL OF SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The President made the following committee assignments of Senate resolutions offered on Thursday, March 5, 2015; Friday, March 6, 2015; and Tuesday, March 10, 2015:

S.R. No.:	Referred to:
S.R. No. 21	Committee on Transportation

RE-REFERRAL OF HOUSE BILLS

The Chair re-referred the following House bills that were received:

H.B. No.:	Re-referred to:
H.B. No. 252, H.D. 1	Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Ways and Means
H.B. No. 437, H.D. 1	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Energy

- and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- H.B. No. 448, H.D. 1 Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means
- H.B. No. 503, H.D. 1 Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- H.B. No. 696, H.D. 1 Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means

At this time, Senator Slom introduced Hal and Carolyn Kepner, parents of his office manager, Kim Kepner-Sybounmy.

Senator Baker wished good luck to the University of Hawai'i women's basketball team in the Big West Conference Tournament.

Senator Kidani informed the members that Education Week would take place the following week with a number of events and activities, and encouraged the members' and staff's participation.

The Chair made the following announcement:

"Today is the last day for the introduction of Senate concurrent resolutions and Senate resolutions. The deadline is 4:00 p.m. this afternoon."

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS SENATE RESOLUTIONS

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried unanimously, the Clerk was authorized to receive Senate concurrent resolutions and Senate resolutions prior to 4:00 p.m. In consequence thereof, and subsequent to its recessing at 12:07 p.m., the following resolutions were received and deferred:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

S.C.R. No. 124 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO EXAMINE THE STATUS AND PROGRESS OF THE HONOLULU RAIL TRANSIT PROJECT."

Offered by: Senator Nishihara.

S.C.R. No. 125 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO MONITOR AND REPORT ON THE RAIL TRANSIT PROJECT OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU."

Offered by: Senator Tokuda.

S.C.R. No. 126 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE FORMATION OF A CANCER PRESUMPTIVE LAW TASK FORCE TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS REGARDING A POTENTIAL CANCER PRESUMPTIVE LAW FOR FIREFIGHTERS."

Offered by: Senators Espero, Baker, Chun Oakland, Keith-Agaran, Gabbard, Galuteria, Green, Inouye, Kahele, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Slom, Tokuda.

S.C.R. No. 127 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE GOVERNOR TO CONSOLIDATE THE OAHU COMMUNITY

CORRECTIONAL CENTER WITHIN THE HALAWA CORRECTIONAL FACILITY AND FACILITATE THE REDEVELOPMENT OF THE LAND CURRENTLY OCCUPIED BY THE OAHU COMMUNITY CORRECTIONAL CENTER TO BENEFIT THE KALIHI COMMUNITY AND THE STATE."

Offered by: Senators Espero, Chun Oakland, Green, Wakai, Baker, Gabbard, Galuteria, Harimoto, Inouye, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Kim, Shimabukuro, Slom.

S.C.R. No. 128 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY TO FORM A WORKING GROUP TO EXAMINE SMARTER SENTENCING TO IMPROVE THE QUALITY AND RELIABILITY OF STATE CRIMINAL SENTENCING PRACTICES."

Offered by: Senators Espero, Chun Oakland, Green, Baker, Gabbard, Galuteria, Harimoto, Keith-Agaran, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Slom, Taniguchi.

S.C.R. No. 129 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT BUDGET SUBMISSIONS FOR STATE ASSETS INCLUDE AN APPROPRIATION AMOUNT FOR THE COST OF MAINTENANCE, REPAIR, RENOVATION, RECONSTRUCTION, AND REPLACEMENT, A SCHEDULE FOR REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE, AND A PLAN FOR REPLACEMENT OR REDEVELOPMENT."

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Espero, Galuteria, Kouchi, Shimabukuro, Tokuda.

S.C.R. No. 130 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION CONVENING A WORKING GROUP TO DEVELOP MORE COLLABORATIVE INFORMATION AND DECISION-MAKING POLICIES AND PROCEDURES FOR COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT AS IT RELATES TO COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICTS."

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Harimoto, Green, Ihara, Shimabukuro.

S.C.R. No. 131 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION DESIGNATING FEBRUARY 12, 2016, AS "SCIENCE DAY" IN HAWAII IN RECOGNITION OF THE IMPORTANT ROLE SCIENCE HAS PLAYED IN THE ACHIEVEMENTS OF REASON AND THE ADVANCEMENT OF HUMAN KNOWLEDGE."

Offered by: Senator Baker, by request.

S.C.R. No. 132 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO PROVIDE REAL PROPERTY TAXPAYERS WHO PAY FOR THEIR OWN TRASH COLLECTION SERVICES A PROPERTY TAX REDUCTION, TAX CREDIT, OR ALTERNATE METHOD OF COMPENSATION OR REIMBURSEMENT."

Offered by: Senators Wakai, Kahele, Nishihara.

S.C.R. No. 133 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA COLLEGE OF TROPICAL AGRICULTURE AND HUMAN RESOURCES CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO DEVELOP A COORDINATED FRAMEWORK OF SUPPORT FOR PRESCHOOL THROUGH POST-SECONDARY AGRICULTURE EDUCATION."

- Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Kidani, Ruderman, Taniguchi.
- S.C.R. No. 134 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION EXPRESSING STRONG SUPPORT FOR THE FACULTY AND STUDENTS OF THE CLASSICS DIVISION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES OF EUROPE AND THE AMERICAS AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA."
- Offered by: Senator Chun Oakland.
- S.C.R. No. 135 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP REGARDING PROCESS SERVERS."
- Offered by: Senator Chun Oakland.
- S.C.R. No. 136 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING AN UPDATE OF THE STATE HOUSING FUNCTIONAL PLAN."
- Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Harimoto, Dela Cruz.
- S.C.R. No. 137 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO ESTABLISH THE HAWAII GOOD AGRICULTURAL PRACTICES PROGRAM."
- Offered by: Senators Ruderman, Chun Oakland, Green, Harimoto, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro, Gabbard, Galuteria, Ihara, Inouye, Riviere, Slom, Thielen.
- S.C.R. No. 138 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO CONDUCT A STUDY REGARDING THE FEASIBILITY AND COST OF CONSTRUCTING A SMALL COMMERCIAL BOAT HARBOR AND SMALL COMMERCIAL AIRPORT IN SOUTH PUNA."
- Offered by: Senators Ruderman, Chun Oakland, Baker, Espero, Gabbard, Galuteria, Green, Harimoto, Ihara, Inouye, Kim, Riviere, Shimabukuro, Slom, Taniguchi, Thielen, Wakai.
- S.C.R. No. 139 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO ESTABLISH SMALL BOAT HARBOR ADVISORY GROUPS."
- Offered by: Senators Ruderman, Chun Oakland, Green, Gabbard, Galuteria, Harimoto, Ihara, Riviere, Slom.
- S.C.R. No. 140 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING ALL STATE AGENCIES TO RETROFIT STREET LIGHTS AND OTHER OUTDOOR LAMP LIGHTING FIXTURES WITH ENERGY EFFICIENT LIGHT-EMITTING DIODE BULBS, WHERE APPROPRIATE."
- Offered by: Senators Gabbard, Dela Cruz, Nishihara, Taniguchi, Wakai.
- S.C.R. No. 141 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUDGET AND FINANCE TO CONSIDER ESTABLISHING A POLICY TO IMPOSE THE FRINGE BENEFIT ASSESSMENT ON PERSONNEL SALARIES OR WAGES PAID FROM THE GENERAL FUND."
- Offered by: Senator Tokuda.
- S.C.R. No. 142 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO ASSESS THE INCIDENCE OF ALCOHOL-RELATED MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS AND ASSOCIATED MEDICAL COSTS."
- Offered by: Senator Nishihara.
- S.C.R. No. 143 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU IN COORDINATION WITH THE HONOLULU AUTHORITY FOR RAPID TRANSPORTATION TO DEVELOP A PLAN TO GENERATE REVENUE FOR OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE OF RAIL."
- Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Chun Oakland, Inouye, Kidani, Wakai, Espero, Galuteria, Harimoto, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Kouchi, Nishihara, Shimabukuro, Tokuda.
- S.C.R. No. 144 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE AND AGRIBUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION BOARD OF DIRECTORS TO ADOPT DEFINITIONS FOR SMALL AND LARGE FARMS."
- Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Espero, Harimoto, Kahele, Kouchi, Nishihara, Shimabukuro, Wakai.
- S.C.R. No. 145 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII COLLEGE OF TROPICAL AGRICULTURE AND HUMAN RESOURCES TO ESTABLISH A SALTWATER AQUACULTURE PARK AT THE WAIALEE LIVESTOCK EXPERIMENT STATION."
- Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Chun Oakland, Kidani, Espero, Galuteria, Harimoto, Inouye, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Kouchi, Nishihara, Riviere, Shimabukuro, Wakai.
- S.C.R. No. 146 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE JUDICIAL COUNCIL TO APPOINT A COMMITTEE TO REVIEW AND RECOMMEND REVISIONS TO THE HAWAII PENAL CODE."
- Offered by: Senator Keith-Agaran.
- S.C.R. No. 147 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO STREAMLINE THE STATE'S WORKERS' COMPENSATION PROCESS."
- Offered by: Senator Keith-Agaran.
- S.C.R. No. 148 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO DEVELOP A PLAN TO PURCHASE THE KOHALA DITCH SYSTEM IN THE DISTRICT OF NORTH KOHALA ON THE ISLAND OF HAWAII."
- Offered by: Senators Inouye, Baker, Dela Cruz, English, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara, Taniguchi, Tokuda, Wakai.
- S.C.R. No. 149 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A FINANCIAL AUDIT OF COMMISSARY OPERATIONS AT OUT-OF-STATE CORRECTIONAL

FACILITIES CONTRACTED TO HOUSE HAWAII INMATES.”

Offered by: Senators Espero, Galuteria, Baker, Keith-Agaran, Slom.

S.C.R. No. 150 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION TO REPORT CRIMES OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE UNDER THE UNIFORM CRIME REPORTING SYSTEM.”

Offered by: Senators Tokuda, Baker, Chun Oakland, Espero, Galuteria, Inouye, Kim, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Keith-Agaran, Kidani.

S.C.R. No. 151 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO EXPAND ITS SENIOR CITIZEN VISITOR PROGRAM TO ALL ITS UNIVERSITY AND COMMUNITY COLLEGE CAMPUSES.”

Offered by: Senators Inouye, Chun Oakland, Kidani, Dela Cruz, Green, Ihara, Kahele, Ruderman, Taniguchi.

S.C.R. No. 152 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO CONVENE A TASK FORCE TO REVIEW ITS CURRENT POLICY ON AFFIRMATIVE CONSENT.”

Offered by: Senators Baker, Chun Oakland, Inouye, Shimabukuro, Tokuda, Kidani, Kim, Taniguchi, Thielen.

S.C.R. No. 153 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO REVIEW AND ANALYZE ALL ORAL HEALTH INITIATIVES CURRENTLY UNDERWAY IN THE STATE, INCLUDING THE CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL PROGRAM, AND PREPARE A PROGRESS REPORT ON EACH INITIATIVE.”

Offered by: Senator Green.

S.C.R. No. 154 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO REVISE ITS ADMINISTRATIVE RULES AND POLICIES TO FACILITATE AND ENCOURAGE TRADITIONAL HAWAIIAN BURIALS.”

Offered by: Senators Riviere, Chun Oakland, Green, Ruderman, Baker, Espero, Gabbard, Galuteria, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara, Shimabukuro, Slom, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 155 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO PROMPTLY EXAMINE ALL ALLEGED VIOLATIONS IN THE SOLID WASTE RECYCLING INDUSTRY AND TO EQUITABLY ENFORCE PERTINENT LAWS AND RULES.”

Offered by: Senators Riviere, Green, Harimoto, Chun Oakland, Espero, Galuteria, Nishihara, Ruderman, Slom.

S.C.R. No. 156 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT AND THE COLLEGE OF HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE TO ESTABLISH A WORKING GROUP TO EXAMINE THE EXPANSION OF HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE INSTRUCTION THROUGHOUT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII SYSTEM.”

Offered by: Senators Kahele, Chun Oakland, English, Green, Inouye, Nishihara, Shimabukuro, Baker, Dela Cruz, Espero, Gabbard, Galuteria, Harimoto, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Kim, Kouchi, Riviere, Slom, Taniguchi, Tokuda, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 157 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO FORM THE KAPUA LANDS CONSORTIUM TO ASSESS THE BEST WAY TO ACQUIRE THE LANDS OF KAPUA ON THE ISLAND OF HAWAII.”

Offered by: Senators Kahele, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Green, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Baker, Dela Cruz, English, Gabbard, Harimoto, Ihara, Inouye, Kim, Nishihara, Riviere, Shimabukuro, Slom, Tokuda, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 158 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO EXAMINE IF AND HOW OTHER STATES REGULATE TOUR OPERATORS WITHIN THEIR JURISDICTION.”

Offered by: Senators Kahele, Baker, Dela Cruz, English, Galuteria, Harimoto, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro, Slom, Taniguchi, Tokuda, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 159 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO RECOGNIZE THE HISTORIC 1825 MALDEN TRAILS OF THE EWA PLAINS AND INCLUDE THE TRAILS IN THE NA ALA HELE PROGRAM INVENTORY.”

Offered by: Senator Espero.

S.C.R. No. 160 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU AND STATE OF HAWAII TO CONDUCT A FEASIBILITY STUDY OF A PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP TO RESTORE, ALLOW PUBLIC ACCESS TO, AND MAINTAIN THE HAIKU STAIRS AND THE HONOLULU BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY TO DEFER PLANS TO REMOVE THE HAIKU STAIRS UNTIL THE FEASIBILITY STUDY IS CONCLUDED.”

Offered by: Senator Espero.

S.C.R. No. 161 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE QUEEN’S TRANSPLANT CENTER TO SHARE INFORMATION ON THE MATCHINGDONORS ONLINE REGISTRY WITH NEW PATIENTS BEGINNING THE KIDNEY TRANSPLANT QUALIFYING PROCESS AND WITH PATIENTS CURRENTLY ON THE WAITING LIST FOR A KIDNEY DONATION.”

Offered by: Senator Espero.

S.C.R. No. 162 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A FINANCIAL AUDIT OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY EXPENDITURES IN THE STATE EXECUTIVE BRANCH.”

Offered by: Senators Kim, Chun Oakland, Ihara, Taniguchi, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 163 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF FOUR TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENTS COVERING PORTIONS OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT STABLE

ROAD BEACH, STABLE ROAD, SPRECKLESVILLE, WAILUKU, MAUI, FOR THE USE, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR OF FOUR EXISTING ROCK GROINS.”

Offered by: Senator English.

S.C.R. No. 164 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CONVENING OF A CLIMATE CHANGE AND HEALTH WORKING GROUP TO ASSESS THE SCOPE AND RISKS OF CLIMATE CHANGE ON THE HEALTH OF HAWAII’S RESIDENTS AND TO DEVELOP A STRATEGIC PLAN TO ADDRESS CLIMATE CHANGE RISKS TO HEALTH STATEWIDE.”

Offered by: Senators English, Chun Oakland, Green, Harimoto, Shimabukuro, Baker, Espero, Galuteria, Ihara, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara.

S.C.R. No. 165 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE CO-NAMING OF A SECTION OF 33RD STREET IN NEW YORK CITY TO FATHER DAMIEN WAY IN HONOR OF SAINT DAMIEN DE VEUSTER.”

Offered by: Senators English, Baker, Chun Oakland, Espero, Galuteria, Green, Harimoto, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro, Ihara, Nishihara, Slom.

S.C.R. No. 166 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A STUDY ON THE FEASIBILITY OF CREATING A STRUCTURAL LICENSING BOARD.”

Offered by: Senators English, Chun Oakland, Green, Galuteria, Ihara, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara, Shimabukuro, Slom.

S.C.R. No. 167 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES A TASK FORCE TO PLAN AND COORDINATE THE CELEBRATION OF THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF THE HAWAII STATE CAPITOL.”

Offered by: Senator Taniguchi.

S.C.R. No. 168 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO CONVENE A SUBSTANCE ABUSE TASK FORCE.”

Offered by: Senators Shimabukuro, Kidani, Dela Cruz.

S.C.R. No. 169 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO CONSULT THE NA KUPUNA TRIBUNAL TO FORM A WORKING GROUP TO DETERMINE HOW THE NA KUPUNA TRIBUNAL CAN BEST ASSIST THE COURTS AND NATIVE HAWAIIAN CHILDREN IN MATTERS RELATING TO CHILD CUSTODY AND NATIVE HAWAIIAN CHILDREN WHO HAVE BEEN REMOVED FROM THEIR HOMES.”

Offered by: Senators Shimabukuro, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Kouchi, Riviere, Slom, Tokuda.

S.C.R. No. 170 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION STRONGLY URGING SUPPORT FOR THE STRENGTHENING OF LAWS PROHIBITING ANIMAL CRUELTY.”

Offered by: Senators Shimabukuro, Dela Cruz.

S.C.R. No. 171 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS TO DEVELOP A STRATEGIC PLAN FOR THE PROTECTION OF TARO BY IMPLEMENTING THE PROPOSALS SET FORTH IN ACT 211, SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII 2008, AND THE RECOMMENDATIONS OUTLINED IN THE TARO SECURITY AND PURITY TASK FORCE’S 2010 REPORT TO THE LEGISLATURE.”

Offered by: Senators Shimabukuro, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Riviere, Slom, Thielen.

S.C.R. No. 172 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII BOARD OF EDUCATION TO REDUCE RELIANCE ON STANDARDIZED TESTING AND STRIVE TOWARDS A DIFFERENT METHOD OF MEASURING ACCOUNTABILITY IN THE EDUCATION SYSTEM.”

Offered by: Senators Shimabukuro, Dela Cruz.

S.C.R. No. 173 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DIRECTOR OF HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT TO EQUALIZE TRANSIT BENEFITS AND SUBSIDIES FOR ALL STATE EMPLOYEES REGARDLESS OF MODE OF TRANSPORTATION.”

Offered by: Senators Harimoto, Chun Oakland, Ihara, Kidani.

S.C.R. No. 174 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY, HONOLULU BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY, AND NAVY TO EXPEDITIOUSLY IMPLEMENT THE RECOMMENDATIONS SUBMITTED TO THE LEGISLATURE BY THE RED HILL FUEL STORAGE FACILITY TASK FORCE.”

Offered by: Senators Harimoto, Chun Oakland, Gabbard, Baker, Dela Cruz, English, Espero, Galuteria, Green, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Kim, Nishihara, Riviere, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Slom, Tokuda, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 175 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A FINANCIAL AND MANAGEMENT AUDIT OF THE OFFICE OF INFORMATION MANAGEMENT AND TECHNOLOGY.”

Offered by: Senators Harimoto, Chun Oakland, Kim, Slom, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 176 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO CONVENE A SPECIAL EDUCATION TASK FORCE TO EVALUATE PROGRESS TOWARD IMPLEMENTING THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE *HAWAII DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION SPECIAL EDUCATION REVIEW* AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE LEGISLATURE REGARDING WAYS TO IMPROVE DELIVERY OF SPECIAL EDUCATION SERVICES AND SUPPORTS TO IMPROVE OUTCOMES FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES.”

Offered by: Senator Kidani.

S.C.R. No. 177 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING STATE DEPARTMENTS TO MAKE UNUSED STATE FACILITIES AVAILABLE TO THE STATE PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL COMMISSION, EXECUTIVE OFFICE ON EARLY LEARNING, OR

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR USE BY A PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL, EARLY LEARNING PROGRAM, OR ANY OTHER PURPOSE DEEMED APPROPRIATE BY THE APPLICANT.”

Offered by: Senators Kidani, Dela Cruz.

S.C.R. No. 178 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO EVALUATE AND PLAN FOR THE TRANSFER OF THE LICENSURE OF PRIVATE TRADE, VOCATIONAL, AND TECHNICAL SCHOOLS FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND CONSIDER ALTERNATIVE LICENSING PROCEDURES THAT ARE IN THE BEST INTEREST OF THE STATE’S PRIVATE TRADE, VOCATIONAL, AND TECHNICAL SCHOOLS AND STUDENTS.”

Offered by: Senators Kidani, Baker, Harimoto.

S.C.R. No. 179 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR TO CONVENE A BULLYING PREVENTION TASK FORCE.”

Offered by: Senators Kidani, Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Harimoto, Inouye, Kouchi, Shimabukuro, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 180 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A FOLLOW-UP ANALYSIS TO *SUNRISE ANALYSIS: CHECK CASHING AND DEFERRED DEPOSIT AGREEMENTS (PAYDAY LOANS)*, REPORT NO. 05-11.”

Offered by: Senator Kidani.

S.C.R. No. 181 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING AN INTERISLAND FERRY SYSTEM SIMILAR TO THE FERRY SYSTEM OPERATED BY WASHINGTON STATE.”

Offered by: Senators Kidani, Inouye, Nishihara, Dela Cruz, Shimabukuro, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 182 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO ESTABLISH A VETERANS RESOURCE OFFICE TO SUPPORT VETERANS.”

Offered by: Senator Kidani.

S.C.R. No. 183 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE EXECUTIVE OFFICE ON AGING TO ESTABLISH A WORKING GROUP TO REVIEW ADULT EDUCATION SERVICES AND THE POTENTIAL TO PROVIDE NEW LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES TO SENIOR CITIZENS.”

Offered by: Senators Kidani, Chun Oakland, Inouye, Dela Cruz, Harimoto, Kouchi, Shimabukuro, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 184 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING FEDERAL AND STATE AGENCIES TO CONSULT WITH HAWAII SMALL SCALE FARMERS, HAWAII SMALL SCALE PRODUCERS, AND AFFECTED PARTIES ON THE OFFSETTING OF COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE FOOD SAFETY MODERNIZATION ACT.”

Offered by: Senators Kidani, Inouye, Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Kahele, Nishihara, Shimabukuro, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 185 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO ORGANIZE AND COORDINATE OUT-OF-SCHOOL PROGRAMS FOR KINDERGARTEN THROUGH TWELFTH GRADE AND IDENTIFY FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES FOR CURRENT AND FUTURE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION OUT-OF-SCHOOL PROGRAMS.”

Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Chun Oakland, Kidani, Shimabukuro, Tokuda, Kahele, Nishihara, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 186 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE ADOPTION AND IMPLEMENTATION OF OFFICE OF PLANNING, LAND USE COMMISSION, HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY, HAWAII HOUSING FINANCE AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION, AND COUNTY PLANNING DEPARTMENTS TO ADOPT AND IMPLEMENT RECOMMENDATIONS HIGHLIGHTED IN THE BUILDING HEALTHY PLACES TOOLKIT REPORT BY THE URBAN LAND INSTITUTE.”

Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Chun Oakland, Kidani, Galuteria, Inouye, Kahele, Shimabukuro, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 187 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO ESTABLISH A PILOT YOUTH DEVELOPMENT FLAG RUGBY PROGRAM AIMED AT REDUCING RISKY BEHAVIORS AND INCARCERATION RATES AMONG NATIVE HAWAIIAN AND PACIFIC ISLANDER YOUTH.”

Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Kahele, Kidani, Nishihara, Shimabukuro, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 188 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE STATE PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL COMMISSION TO CONTINUE EFFORTS TO ADDRESS PUBLIC SCHOOL CAPACITY ISSUES THROUGH CHARTER SCHOOL APPLICANTS AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS ON HOW TO STRENGTHEN THESE EFFORTS.”

Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Chun Oakland, Inouye, Kidani, Galuteria, Kahele, Shimabukuro, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 189 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE CONCEPT OF THE RAINBOW STOP PILOT PROJECT TO MAKE VIEWING HAWAII’S RAINBOWS SAFE AND EASY AND PROMOTE HAWAII’S RAINBOWS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD.”

Offered by: Senator Dela Cruz, by request.

S.C.R. No. 190 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES TO INVENTORY ALL OPEN CONTRACTS SINCE 2010 TO THE PRESENT FOR ALL STATE AGENCIES AND ASSIST THE AGENCIES WITH CLOSING AND RESOLVING ANY DISPUTES.”

Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Chun Oakland, Kidani, Kahele, Nishihara, Shimabukuro, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 191 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO ESTABLISH A VOLUNTARY FARM TO SCHOOL PROGRAM."

Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Chun Oakland, Kidani, Nishihara, Kahele, Shimabukuro, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 192 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO CONDUCT A JOINT STUDY TO MODERNIZE REGULATIONS FOR PRODUCTIVE DIVERSIFIED AGRICULTURE."

Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Kidani, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 193 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE AGRIBUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION TO DEVELOP A PLAN TO ACQUIRE THE DAM AND SPILLWAY OF LAKE WILSON FOR PUMPED-STORAGE HYDROELECTRICITY."

Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Kidani, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 194 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO DEVELOP A PLAN FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF AN AIRPORT AUTHORITY."

Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Kidani, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 195 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, STATE PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL COMMISSION, AND HAWAII PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS NETWORK TO DEVELOP A PLAN TO COMMISSION A NEW STUDY SUGGESTING UPDATES TO THE SCHOOL IMPACT FEE FORMULA AND DIFFERENTIATING THE LAND REQUIREMENT FOR GREENFIELD AND BROWNFIELD DEVELOPMENT."

Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Kidani.

S.C.R. No. 196 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM TO MANAGE ENERGY LEASES ON PUBLIC LANDS VIA INTERAGENCY AGREEMENTS WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES AND DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE."

Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Kidani, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 197 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM; UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII; DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION; AND DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS TO CREATE KEIKI TO CAREER PATHWAYS FOR KINDERGARTEN THROUGH TWELFTH GRADE, DEVELOP REGIONAL ECONOMIC PLANS, AND ALIGN KEIKI TO CAREER PATHWAYS TO THE REGIONAL ECONOMIC PLANS TO DEVELOP SKILLED WORKERS FOR HAWAII'S INDUSTRIES."

Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Kidani, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 198 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII SYSTEM AND THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES TO DEVELOP A PLAN TO MOVE THE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII SYSTEM FROM THE

UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA CAMPUS TO OTHER STATE-OWNED BUILDINGS."

Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Kidani.

S.C.R. No. 199 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO ADOPT BUILDING CODES THAT PRESERVE HISTORIC ARCHITECTURE."

Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Kidani, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 200 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO APPROPRIATELY ALIGN STANDARDIZED TESTS TO STATE CURRICULUM STANDARDS AND UTILIZE TEST DATA TO INFORM EDUCATIONAL DECISION MAKING FOR OPTIMAL STUDENT OUTCOMES."

Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Kidani, Wakai.

S.C.R. No. 201 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO APPROVE THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A SISTER STATE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE STATE OF HAWAII AND THE PREFECTURE OF HOKKAIDO, JAPAN."

Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Chun Oakland, Wakai, Galuteria, Inouye, Kahele, Kidani, Nishihara, Shimabukuro.

SENATE RESOLUTIONS

S.R. No. 73 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO EXAMINE THE STATUS AND PROGRESS OF THE HONOLULU RAIL TRANSIT PROJECT."

Offered by: Senator Nishihara.

S.R. No. 74 "SENATE RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE FORMATION OF A CANCER PRESUMPTIVE LAW TASK FORCE TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS REGARDING A POTENTIAL CANCER PRESUMPTIVE LAW FOR FIREFIGHTERS."

Offered by: Senators Espero, Baker, Chun Oakland, Keith-Agaran, Gabbard, Galuteria, Green, Inouye, Kahele, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Slom, Tokuda.

S.R. No. 75 "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE GOVERNOR TO CONSOLIDATE THE OAHU COMMUNITY CORRECTIONAL CENTER WITHIN THE HALAWA CORRECTIONAL FACILITY AND FACILITATE THE REDEVELOPMENT OF THE LAND CURRENTLY OCCUPIED BY THE OAHU COMMUNITY CORRECTIONAL CENTER TO BENEFIT THE KALIHI COMMUNITY AND THE STATE."

Offered by: Senators Espero, Chun Oakland, Green, Wakai, Baker, Gabbard, Galuteria, Harimoto, Inouye, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Kim, Shimabukuro, Slom.

S.R. No. 76 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY TO FORM A WORKING GROUP TO EXAMINE SMARTER SENTENCING TO IMPROVE THE QUALITY AND RELIABILITY OF STATE CRIMINAL SENTENCING PRACTICES."

Offered by: Senators Espero, Chun Oakland, Baker, Gabbard, Galuteria, Green, Harimoto,

Keith-Agaran, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Slom.

S.R. No. 77 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT BUDGET SUBMISSIONS FOR STATE ASSETS INCLUDE AN APPROPRIATION AMOUNT FOR THE COST OF MAINTENANCE, REPAIR, RENOVATION, RECONSTRUCTION, AND REPLACEMENT, A SCHEDULE FOR REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE, AND A PLAN FOR REPLACEMENT OR REDEVELOPMENT."

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Kouchi, Shimabukuro, Tokuda.

S.R. No. 78 "SENATE RESOLUTION CONVENING A WORKING GROUP TO DEVELOP MORE COLLABORATIVE INFORMATION AND DECISION-MAKING POLICIES AND PROCEDURES FOR COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT AS IT RELATES TO COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICTS."

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Harimoto, Green, Ihara, Shimabukuro.

S.R. No. 79 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO PROVIDE REAL PROPERTY TAXPAYERS WHO PAY FOR THEIR OWN TRASH COLLECTION SERVICES A PROPERTY TAX REDUCTION, TAX CREDIT, OR ALTERNATE METHOD OF COMPENSATION OR REIMBURSEMENT."

Offered by: Senators Wakai, Kahele, Nishihara.

S.R. No. 80 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA COLLEGE OF TROPICAL AGRICULTURE AND HUMAN RESOURCES CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO DEVELOP A COORDINATED FRAMEWORK OF SUPPORT FOR PRESCHOOL THROUGH POST-SECONDARY AGRICULTURE EDUCATION."

Offered by: Senators Chun Oakland, Kidani, Ruderman, Taniguchi.

S.R. No. 81 "SENATE RESOLUTION EXPRESSING STRONG SUPPORT FOR THE FACULTY AND STUDENTS OF THE CLASSICS DIVISION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES OF EUROPE AND THE AMERICAS AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA."

Offered by: Senator Chun Oakland.

S.R. No. 82 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO ESTABLISH THE HAWAII GOOD AGRICULTURAL PRACTICES PROGRAM."

Offered by: Senators Ruderman, Chun Oakland, Green, Harimoto, Keith-Agaran, Gabbard, Galuteria, Ihara, Riviere, Slom, Thielen.

S.R. No. 83 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO CONDUCT A STUDY REGARDING THE FEASIBILITY AND COST OF CONSTRUCTING A SMALL COMMERCIAL BOAT HARBOR AND SMALL COMMERCIAL AIRPORT IN SOUTH PUNA."

Offered by: Senators Ruderman, Chun Oakland, Baker, Espero, Gabbard, Galuteria,

Green, Harimoto, Ihara, Inouye, Kim, Riviere, Shimabukuro, Slom, Taniguchi, Thielen, Wakai.

S.R. No. 84 "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING ALL STATE AGENCIES TO RETROFIT STREET LIGHTS AND OTHER OUTDOOR LAMP LIGHTING FIXTURES WITH ENERGY EFFICIENT LIGHT-EMITTING DIODE BULBS, WHERE APPROPRIATE."

Offered by: Senators Gabbard, Dela Cruz, Nishihara, Taniguchi, Wakai.

S.R. No. 85 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUDGET AND FINANCE TO CONSIDER ESTABLISHING A POLICY TO IMPOSE THE FRINGE BENEFIT ASSESSMENT ON PERSONNEL SALARIES OR WAGES PAID FROM THE GENERAL FUND."

Offered by: Senator Tokuda.

S.R. No. 86 "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU IN COORDINATION WITH THE HONOLULU AUTHORITY FOR RAPID TRANSPORTATION TO DEVELOP A PLAN TO GENERATE REVENUE FOR OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE OF RAIL."

Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Chun Oakland, Inouye, Kidani, Wakai, Espero, Galuteria, Harimoto, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Kouchi, Nishihara, Shimabukuro, Tokuda.

S.R. No. 87 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE AND AGRIBUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION BOARD OF DIRECTORS TO ADOPT DEFINITIONS FOR SMALL AND LARGE FARMS."

Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Espero, Harimoto, Kahele, Kouchi, Nishihara, Shimabukuro, Wakai.

S.R. No. 88 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII COLLEGE OF TROPICAL AGRICULTURE AND HUMAN RESOURCES TO ESTABLISH A SALTWATER AQUACULTURE PARK AT THE WAIALEE LIVESTOCK EXPERIMENT STATION."

Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Chun Oakland, Kidani, Espero, Galuteria, Harimoto, Inouye, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Kouchi, Nishihara, Riviere, Shimabukuro, Wakai.

S.R. No. 89 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE JUDICIAL COUNCIL TO APPOINT A COMMITTEE TO REVIEW AND RECOMMEND REVISIONS TO THE HAWAII PENAL CODE."

Offered by: Senator Keith-Agaran.

S.R. No. 90 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO STREAMLINE THE STATE'S WORKERS' COMPENSATION PROCESS."

Offered by: Senator Keith-Agaran.

S.R. No. 91 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL

RESOURCES TO DEVELOP A PLAN TO PURCHASE THE KOHALA DITCH SYSTEM IN THE DISTRICT OF NORTH KOHALA ON THE ISLAND OF HAWAII.”

Offered by: Senators Inouye, Baker, Dela Cruz, English, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara, Tokuda, Wakai.

S.R. No. 92 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION TO REPORT CRIMES OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE UNDER THE UNIFORM CRIME REPORTING SYSTEM.”

Offered by: Senators Tokuda, Baker, Chun Oakland, Espero, Galuteria, Inouye, Kidani, Kim, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Keith-Agaran.

S.R. No. 93 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO EXPAND ITS SENIOR CITIZEN VISITOR PROGRAM TO ALL ITS UNIVERSITY AND COMMUNITY COLLEGE CAMPUSES.”

Offered by: Senators Inouye, Chun Oakland, Kidani, Dela Cruz, Green, Ihara, Kahele, Ruderman, Taniguchi.

S.R. No. 94 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO CONVENE A TASK FORCE TO REVIEW ITS CURRENT POLICY ON AFFIRMATIVE CONSENT.”

Offered by: Senators Baker, Chun Oakland, Inouye, Kidani, Shimabukuro, Tokuda, Kim, Taniguchi, Thielen.

S.R. No. 95 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO REVIEW AND ANALYZE ALL ORAL HEALTH INITIATIVES CURRENTLY UNDERWAY IN THE STATE, INCLUDING THE CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL PROGRAM, AND PREPARE A PROGRESS REPORT ON EACH INITIATIVE.”

Offered by: Senator Green.

S.R. No. 96 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO REVISE ITS ADMINISTRATIVE RULES AND POLICIES TO FACILITATE AND ENCOURAGE TRADITIONAL HAWAIIAN BURIALS.”

Offered by: Senators Riviere, Chun Oakland, Green, Ruderman, Baker, Gabbard, Galuteria, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara, Shimabukuro, Slom, Wakai.

S.R. No. 97 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT AND THE COLLEGE OF HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE TO ESTABLISH A WORKING GROUP TO EXAMINE THE EXPANSION OF HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE INSTRUCTION THROUGHOUT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII SYSTEM.”

Offered by: Senators Kahele, Chun Oakland, English, Green, Inouye, Nishihara, Shimabukuro, Baker, Dela Cruz, Espero, Gabbard, Galuteria, Harimoto, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Kim, Kouchi, Riviere, Slom, Taniguchi, Tokuda, Wakai.

S.R. No. 98 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO FORM THE KAPUA LANDS

CONSORTIUM TO ASSESS THE BEST WAY TO ACQUIRE THE LANDS OF KAPUA ON THE ISLAND OF HAWAII.”

Offered by: Senators Kahele, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Green, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Baker, Dela Cruz, English, Gabbard, Harimoto, Ihara, Inouye, Kim, Nishihara, Riviere, Shimabukuro, Slom, Tokuda, Wakai.

S.R. No. 99 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO EXAMINE IF AND HOW OTHER STATES REGULATE TOUR OPERATORS WITHIN THEIR JURISDICTION.”

Offered by: Senators Kahele, Baker, Dela Cruz, English, Galuteria, Harimoto, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro, Slom, Taniguchi, Tokuda, Wakai.

S.R. No. 100 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CONVENING OF A CLIMATE CHANGE AND HEALTH WORKING GROUP TO ASSESS THE SCOPE AND RISKS OF CLIMATE CHANGE ON THE HEALTH OF HAWAII’S RESIDENTS AND TO DEVELOP A STRATEGIC PLAN TO ADDRESS CLIMATE CHANGE RISKS TO HEALTH STATEWIDE.”

Offered by: Senators English, Chun Oakland, Green, Harimoto, Shimabukuro, Baker, Espero, Galuteria, Ihara, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara.

S.R. No. 101 “SENATE RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE CO-NAMING OF A SECTION OF 33RD STREET IN NEW YORK CITY TO FATHER DAMIEN WAY IN HONOR OF SAINT DAMIEN DE VEUSTER.”

Offered by: Senators English, Baker, Chun Oakland, Espero, Galuteria, Green, Harimoto, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro, Ihara, Nishihara, Slom.

S.R. No. 102 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A STUDY ON THE FEASIBILITY OF CREATING A STRUCTURAL LICENSING BOARD.”

Offered by: Senators English, Chun Oakland, Green, Galuteria, Ihara, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara, Shimabukuro, Slom.

S.R. No. 103 “SENATE RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES A TASK FORCE TO PLAN AND COORDINATE THE CELEBRATION OF THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF THE HAWAII STATE CAPITOL.”

Offered by: Senator Taniguchi.

S.R. No. 104 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO CONVENE A SUBSTANCE ABUSE TASK FORCE.”

Offered by: Senators Shimabukuro, Kidani, Dela Cruz.

S.R. No. 105 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO CONSULT THE NA KUPUNA TRIBUNAL TO FORM A WORKING GROUP TO DETERMINE HOW THE NA KUPUNA TRIBUNAL CAN BEST ASSIST THE COURTS AND NATIVE HAWAIIAN CHILDREN IN MATTERS RELATING TO CHILD CUSTODY AND

NATIVE HAWAIIAN CHILDREN WHO HAVE BEEN REMOVED FROM THEIR HOMES.”

Offered by: Senators Shimabukuro, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Kouchi, Riviere, Slom, Tokuda.

S.R. No. 106 “SENATE RESOLUTION STRONGLY URGING SUPPORT FOR THE STRENGTHENING OF LAWS PROHIBITING ANIMAL CRUELTY.”

Offered by: Senators Shimabukuro, Dela Cruz.

S.R. No. 107 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS TO DEVELOP A STRATEGIC PLAN FOR THE PROTECTION OF TARO BY IMPLEMENTING THE PROPOSALS SET FORTH IN ACT 211, SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII 2008, AND THE RECOMMENDATIONS OUTLINED IN THE TARO SECURITY AND PURITY TASK FORCE’S 2010 REPORT TO THE LEGISLATURE.”

Offered by: Senators Shimabukuro, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Riviere, Slom, Thielen.

S.R. No. 108 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DIRECTOR OF HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT TO EQUALIZE TRANSIT BENEFITS AND SUBSIDIES FOR ALL STATE EMPLOYEES REGARDLESS OF MODE OF TRANSPORTATION.”

Offered by: Senators Harimoto, Chun Oakland, Ihara, Kidani.

S.R. No. 109 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY, HONOLULU BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY, AND NAVY TO EXPEDITIOUSLY IMPLEMENT THE RECOMMENDATIONS SUBMITTED TO THE LEGISLATURE BY THE RED HILL FUEL STORAGE FACILITY TASK FORCE.”

Offered by: Senators Harimoto, Chun Oakland, Gabbard, Baker, Dela Cruz, English, Espero, Galuteria, Green, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Kim, Nishihara, Riviere, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Slom, Tokuda, Wakai.

S.R. No. 110 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A FINANCIAL AND MANAGEMENT AUDIT OF THE OFFICE OF INFORMATION MANAGEMENT AND TECHNOLOGY.”

Offered by: Senators Harimoto, Chun Oakland, Kim, Slom, Wakai.

S.R. No. 111 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO CONVENE A SPECIAL EDUCATION TASK FORCE TO EVALUATE PROGRESS TOWARD IMPLEMENTING THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE *HAWAII DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION SPECIAL EDUCATION REVIEW* AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE LEGISLATURE REGARDING WAYS TO IMPROVE DELIVERY OF SPECIAL EDUCATION SERVICES AND SUPPORTS TO IMPROVE OUTCOMES FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES.”

Offered by: Senator Kidani.

S.R. No. 112 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING STATE DEPARTMENTS TO MAKE UNUSED STATE FACILITIES AVAILABLE TO THE STATE PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL COMMISSION,

EXECUTIVE OFFICE ON EARLY LEARNING, OR DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR USE BY A PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL, EARLY LEARNING PROGRAM, OR ANY OTHER PURPOSE DEEMED APPROPRIATE BY THE APPLICANT.”

Offered by: Senators Kidani, Dela Cruz.

S.R. No. 113 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO EVALUATE AND PLAN FOR THE TRANSFER OF THE LICENSURE OF PRIVATE TRADE, VOCATIONAL, AND TECHNICAL SCHOOLS FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND CONSIDER ALTERNATIVE LICENSING PROCEDURES THAT ARE IN THE BEST INTEREST OF THE STATE’S PRIVATE TRADE, VOCATIONAL, AND TECHNICAL SCHOOLS AND STUDENTS.”

Offered by: Senators Kidani, Baker, Harimoto.

S.R. No. 114 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR TO CONVENE A BULLYING PREVENTION TASK FORCE.”

Offered by: Senators Kidani, Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Harimoto, Inouye, Kouchi, Shimabukuro, Wakai.

S.R. No. 115 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A FOLLOW-UP ANALYSIS TO *SUNRISE ANALYSIS: CHECK CASHING AND DEFERRED DEPOSIT AGREEMENTS (PAYDAY LOANS)*, REPORT NO. 05-11.”

Offered by: Senator Kidani.

S.R. No. 116 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING AN INTERISLAND FERRY SYSTEM SIMILAR TO THE FERRY SYSTEM OPERATED BY WASHINGTON STATE.”

Offered by: Senators Kidani, Inouye, Nishihara, Dela Cruz, Shimabukuro, Wakai.

S.R. No. 117 “SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO ESTABLISH A VETERANS RESOURCE OFFICE TO SUPPORT VETERANS.”

Offered by: Senator Kidani.

S.R. No. 118 “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE EXECUTIVE OFFICE ON AGING TO ESTABLISH A WORKING GROUP TO REVIEW ADULT EDUCATION SERVICES AND THE POTENTIAL TO PROVIDE NEW LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES TO SENIOR CITIZENS.”

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- S.R. No. 121 "SENATE RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE ADOPTION AND IMPLEMENTATION OF OFFICE OF PLANNING, LAND USE COMMISSION, HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY, HAWAII HOUSING FINANCE AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION, AND COUNTY PLANNING DEPARTMENTS TO ADOPT AND IMPLEMENT RECOMMENDATIONS HIGHLIGHTED IN THE BUILDING HEALTHY PLACES TOOLKIT REPORT BY THE URBAN LAND INSTITUTE."
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- Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Chun Oakland, Inouye, Kidani, Galuteria, Kahele, Shimabukuro, Wakai.
- S.R. No. 124 "SENATE RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE CONCEPT OF THE RAINBOW STOP PILOT PROJECT TO MAKE VIEWING HAWAII'S RAINBOWS SAFE AND EASY AND PROMOTE HAWAII'S RAINBOWS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD."
- Offered by: Senator Dela Cruz, by request.
- S.R. No. 125 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES TO INVENTORY ALL OPEN CONTRACTS SINCE 2010 TO THE PRESENT FOR ALL STATE AGENCIES AND ASSIST THE AGENCIES WITH CLOSING AND RESOLVING ANY DISPUTES."
- Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Chun Oakland, Kidani, Kahele, Nishihara, Shimabukuro, Wakai.
- S.R. No. 126 "SENATE RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO ESTABLISH A VOLUNTARY FARM TO SCHOOL PROGRAM."
- Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Chun Oakland, Kidani, Nishihara, Kahele, Shimabukuro, Wakai.
- S.R. No. 127 "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO CONDUCT A JOINT STUDY TO MODERNIZE REGULATIONS FOR PRODUCTIVE DIVERSIFIED AGRICULTURE."
- Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Kidani, Wakai.
- S.R. No. 128 "SENATE RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE AGRIBUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION TO DEVELOP A PLAN TO ACQUIRE THE DAM AND SPILLWAY OF LAKE WILSON FOR PUMPED-STORAGE HYDROELECTRICITY."
- Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Kidani, Wakai.
- S.R. No. 129 "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO DEVELOP A PLAN FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF AN AIRPORT AUTHORITY."
- Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Kidani, Wakai.
- S.R. No. 130 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, STATE PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL COMMISSION, AND HAWAII PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS NETWORK TO DEVELOP A PLAN TO COMMISSION A NEW STUDY SUGGESTING UPDATES TO THE SCHOOL IMPACT FEE FORMULA AND DIFFERENTIATING THE LAND REQUIREMENT FOR GREENFIELD AND BROWNFIELD DEVELOPMENT."
- Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Kidani.
- S.R. No. 131 "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM TO MANAGE ENERGY LEASES ON PUBLIC LANDS VIA INTERAGENCY AGREEMENTS WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES AND DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE."
- Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Kidani, Wakai.
- S.R. No. 132 "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM; UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII; DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION; AND DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS TO CREATE KEIKI TO CAREER PATHWAYS FOR KINDERGARTEN THROUGH TWELFTH GRADE, DEVELOP REGIONAL ECONOMIC PLANS, AND ALIGN KEIKI TO CAREER PATHWAYS TO THE REGIONAL ECONOMIC PLANS TO DEVELOP SKILLED WORKERS FOR HAWAII'S INDUSTRIES."
- Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Kidani, Wakai.
- S.R. No. 133 "SENATE RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII SYSTEM AND THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES TO DEVELOP A PLAN TO MOVE THE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA CAMPUS TO OTHER STATE-OWNED BUILDINGS."
- Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Kidani.

S.R. No. 134 “SENATE RESOLUTION
REQUESTING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU
TO ADOPT BUILDING CODES THAT PRESERVE
HISTORIC ARCHITECTURE.”

Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Kidani, Wakai.

S.R. No. 135 “SENATE RESOLUTION
REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO
APPROPRIATELY ALIGN STANDARDIZED TESTS TO
STATE CURRICULUM STANDARDS AND UTILIZE TEST
DATA TO INFORM EDUCATIONAL DECISION MAKING
FOR OPTIMAL STUDENT OUTCOMES.”

Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Kidani, Wakai.

ADJOURNMENT

At 4:00 p.m., the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Monday,
March 16, 2015.

TWENTY-EIGHTH DAY

Monday, March 16, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:38 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present.

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

Senator Chun Oakland, on behalf of Senator Harimoto and Senator Nishihara, introduced students from Pearl City Elementary School who were accompanied in the gallery by their parents and teacher Mr. Russell Minobe: Regan Samsell and his father, Aaron Samsell; Reina Aaron and her father, Johan Aaron; Mikyla Campo and her father, Romeo Campo; Carly Hope and her father, Ricardo Hope; and Evan Rivera and his mother, Tina Kekaoha.

Senator Slom celebrated the Radford High School Transition Center, and presented the following remarks:

"Yes, good morning, Madam President and colleagues. As part of Education Week, we have very special guests in the gallery and also on the floor today. We are recognizing the Radford High School Transition Center, and it's interesting because they, too, have given up their spring break to be with us and to visit with you.

"But I wanted to share some information about this transition center that many of you may not have heard of or known about before. Sixty-five percent of Radford High School's student body consists of students who are military dependents, and as a result, each year, there's almost 300 new students who transfer into Radford's programs for the first time. Some students are transfers from other Hawai'i schools, but the majority have moved from schools on the mainland or from overseas. In 2003, this transition center was started by former principal Mr. Robert Stevens and Mrs. Janice Ikeda, a former transition center coordinator. It's a novel idea, and in the 2014 fall semester alone, 238 students transferred into Radford, including my own staff member Noelani Bonifacio, who was one of these student transfer leaders several years ago, and she's instrumental in bringing us our students and parents today.

"The program is run entirely by student facilitators who are volunteers. They give all new students a personalized campus tour; they also are lunch buddies. You know, this would be a good idea for the Senate; I've been looking for some lunch buddies for a long time now. They accompany new students to get lunch in the cafeteria, which is one of the most uncomfortable parts of the day, or could be, for a new student. They also get involved in a number of specific programs for the new students. There are four specific areas of focus: one is looking at Radford, looking at the school itself, knowing the rules and regulations; dealing with the stress of change, and for many, that can be quite a bit; the uniqueness of Hawai'i and our new home state and culture and background; and finally, charting their course and their academic passport. The student facilitators have presented their programs to many prestigious visitors, VIPs, school officials, and the military, including former First Lady Laura Bush.

"It has been a tremendously successful program, has helped many students, and so this year, Radford is celebrating the tenth anniversary of the program itself. They continue to positively impact all of the students at Radford. As proof of the program's effectiveness, about 90 percent of the student facilitators have been through the transition center before, themselves, as a new student. The transition center currently has 12 student

facilitators who have volunteered both their time and their talents to carry on the legacy of the transition center. Facilitators are active in other areas on campus as well: some in academic clubs like National Honor Society or Mu Alpha Theta, others as student athletes, or involved in activities on campus in the band and ROTC. This helps all new students transition into the many types of extracurricular activities that Radford offers."

Senator Wakai rose to present the following remarks:

"Thank you, members. The Radford campus is really like a mini United Nations, and it's really refreshing to see the cosmopolitan faces that we have there at Radford. For those of you who are unfamiliar, Radford is right near the airport outside of the gates of Pearl Harbor and Hickam.

"As Senator Slom mentioned, we'd like to introduce a number of the outstanding students involved in the transition center. First, we'd like to introduce Transition Coordinator Cindy Schrock. Mrs. Schrock has been coordinator for the last five years; this is her tenth year at Radford. She previously served as a counselor, senior project coordinator, and career and technical education coordinator.

"Next to her, we have five outstanding young students. First, senior Jamie Beesley-Wadzinski – welcome, Jamie. She's a transfer from Texas and a member of the National Honor Society and the Radford band. Next to her is Tala Chavis; she's a transfer from Pennsylvania and a member of the honors French club. Next to her is junior Sarah Brekhus, a transfer from Texas and a member of the National Honor Society and junior ROTC staff member. Joining them on the floor is junior Autumn Ollice, a transfer from 'Aiea Intermediate School; she is a member of the National Honor Society, a senior Girl Scout, and captain of the wrestling team. Finally, the man amongst the beautiful ladies: sophomore Trenton Hirschi, a transfer from Turkey and a junior ROTC staff member. Welcome to the floor of the Senate."

Senator Slom continued:

"Thank you, Senator Wakai. Seated in the gallery are: Janice Cortez, who's a part-time teacher in the transition center who has been there for about 10 years; Joy McElhaney, parent community networking coordinator and part-time teacher in the transition center; and Kari Wells, part-time teacher in the transition center. Welcome to all of you."

Senator Tokuda recognized Richard Lau, student activities coordinator at Kalaheo High School, and Sarah Benzing, a Kalaheo High School student who would be presenting testimony at a hearing later that afternoon along with her classmates.

At 11:48 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 11:53 a.m.

At this time, Senator Chun Oakland introduced Cari Ann Oshino, a student at Pearl City Elementary School.

ORDER OF THE DAY

ADVISE AND CONSENT

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 912 (Gov. Msg. No. 536):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 912 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Espero and carried.

Senator Keith-Agaran then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of LEONARD HOSHIJO as Deputy Director of the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations, term to expire December 3, 2018, seconded by Senator Espero.

Senator Keith-Agaran rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

“Mr. Hoshijo brings to the state experience dealing with labor and employment issues in a career that spans decades, including his most recent position at the Hawaii Regional Council of Carpenters, where he was the education and political director and ran member education programs.

“Prior to joining the carpenters, he spent 25 years with the ILWU, where he was a leader. He spearheaded development of the ILWU’s six affordable rental housing projects statewide for low-income seniors and families as well as the transformation of plantation housing to homeownership. He led the ILWU’s Organizing Department, helping to organize thousands of workers into the union. He was a negotiator, a teacher, an administrator, and a community leader.

“Throughout his career, Leonard has developed a reputation of working collaboratively with employers, government officials, and community organizations and has earned their respect and trust. Despite his clear advocacy for labor, he is viewed as fair, balanced, and will look at issues analytically, consider all viewpoints, and try to find common ground. As one testifier observed, Mr. Hoshijo appreciates the role the employers have in solving workplace issues and contributing to our economy. In short, the committee was satisfied that he brings a balanced temperament well suited to this appointment, integrity, strong work ethic, and communication skills necessary to step right in and effectively lead the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations until a permanent director is appointed and confirmed.

“I do want to mention that I may have been remiss in not asking if he would show any favoritism to any attached agencies that employ one of his relatives, but I think we are well-satisfied that I would ask all of my colleagues to vote in support of this nomination.”

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Shimabukuro).

Senator Keith-Agaran introduced newly confirmed Deputy Director Leonard Hoshijo, who was accompanied in the gallery by his brother Bill Hoshijo and representatives from the Governor’s office and Department of Labor and Industrial Relations including Acting Director Elaine Young and Bill Kuntzman.

At 11:57 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 12:02 p.m.

RE-REFERRAL OF HOUSE BILLS

The Chair re-referred the following House bills that were received:

H.B. No.: Re-referred to:

H.B. No. 314, H.D. 1 Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection

H.B. No. 853, H.D. 1 Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

H.B. No. 1286, H.D. 2 Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection

Senator Kouchi rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

“As we have Education Week and today seems to be the shortest day, I wanted to stand to talk about bullying this afternoon. In the Education Committee, when we talked about it, I shared this poster that was the result of a contest on Kaua’i. The graphic designer is Kalae Suhut, a kindergarten student at Wilcox Elementary School, and the slogan was by Julie Goldberg, a ninth grader at Kaua’i High School. It says, ‘Mauka to Makai, Bully-Free Kaua’i.’

“Kalae is a young man of Filipino and Hawaiian ancestry, and in doing the poster, in making the people, he apparently drew the people that he saw at home, and he chose to color them brown. When we were celebrating the poster, he became the victim of cyberbullying by adults who claimed that he was a racist young man because there were only brown-colored people in the poster. A fantastic ending to what was turning out to be a horrible story is when teachers and parents at Wilcox decided for their open house, where this was being rolled out, to create a banner and cut out the faces and invite students and parents to put their faces in the cutout to show that they were the face of anti-bullying. This banner with the cutouts is going around the island of Kaua’i so that we can continue to show the faces who are against bullying.

“So, it is an honor to have such great people in our education system who know how to see the opportunity in the disasters that are out there and continue to help make this a great state and a great place to live. Thank you.”

Senator Kidani announced that Education Week activities would be continuing the following day with a film presentation on early childhood education, and invited the members and staff to attend.

Senator Gabbard rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

“I would like to congratulate our Communications director, Ms. Jill Kuramoto. For some of you who missed the episode of *Hawaii Five-0* on Friday night, Jill had a starring role. I belong to an exclusive club of this august body, along with Senator Galuteria and Senator Kidani, who have had cameo appearances on this wonderful show. I did talk to Ms. Kuramoto, and she’s assured me that she’s not going to quit her day job. Congratulations, Jill.”

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:07 p.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Tuesday, March 17, 2015.

TWENTY-NINTH DAY

Tuesday, March 17, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:33 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present with the exception of Senator Inouye who was excused.

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

Senator Kidani honored and recognized the Teachers of the Year, and presented the following remarks:

"Thank you, Madam President and colleagues. The state's public school system employs 11,300 teachers in 289 schools around the state. Every day, parents entrust their children to the care of their teachers. Every day, our teachers take on what is a near-sacred responsibility of imparting knowledge; monitoring and setting standards for behavior and social interactions; and encouraging, challenging, incentivizing, and rewarding their students, whose futures and dreams are in their care.

"These teachers are among the best, and are more than up to the task. This school year, dozens of them were nominated by their colleagues and principals to be recognized as Teachers of the Year from their respective districts. From that number, seven were chosen for this honor, and we are more than delighted to have six of them with us on the floor this morning. These teachers are at the top of their game for their dedication and skills; ability to lead and inspire; their engagement with students, parents, and colleagues; and – this is from the official criteria – 'teachers possessing the energy to withstand a taxing schedule.' Tough standards, indeed.

"I have asked my fellow senators to introduce teachers from schools within their districts, beginning this morning with the Minority Leader, Senator Sam O'Slom."

Senator Slom recognized Catherine Caine, 2015 Hawai'i State Teacher of the Year, and presented the following remarks:

"Thank you, Madam President. It's a wonderful day to honor all of these teachers, but it is my great honor today to introduce our Hawai'i State Teacher of the Year, Catherine Caine.

"This is, of course, the foremost teaching award presented annually by the State of Hawai'i to one of over 11,000 educators within the Department of Education. Ms. Caine will represent Hawai'i in the National Teacher of the Year program, from which the President announces the national winner, and that will take place next month.

"Ms. Caine has been a second grade teacher at Waikiki Elementary School for the last 23 years, and for 11 years before coming to Waikiki Elementary, she worked at Iroquois Point Elementary and Ka'ewai Elementary.

"She is a deeply motivating and caring classroom teacher, and it shows in the classroom environment that she has headed. She has the ability to bring out the best in her students. She has had creative lessons from activities that integrate technology, and they concentrate on relevant issues from unique and exciting angles. Two examples: In math, the students collected coins for leukemia, and in writing, students crafted letters to their principal on how to improve playground equipment.

"She has tirelessly advanced the teaching profession as a member and learner. Locally, she mentors in the University of Hawai'i teachers development program. Internationally, our Teacher of the Year participates in conferences in Spain, Singapore, and Japan. She is on the National Board of certified

teachers with a bachelor's degree in child development from San Diego State University and a teacher's education diploma and master's degree in curriculum studies from the University of Hawai'i at Mānoa. Please recognize again our State Teacher of the Year, Catherine Caine. And our guest in the gallery, Ms. Bonnie Tabor, who is the principal."

Senator Ihara rose to present the following remarks:

"Madam President, I wanted to add a few words of congratulations about Catherine Caine because many of her students live in my district.

"The goal of the Blue Ribbon Waikiki Elementary School is to provide an environment to encourage lifelong learning, and as we just heard, Ms. Caine is an outstanding example of a teacher who works tirelessly for this goal. She does this by making learning meaningful, memorable, and fun. In fact, I'm told that as a young girl, Catherine's favorite game was to play teacher in front of family members. Catherine presents each assignment as an opportunity for students to apply their knowledge to issues in their daily lives. For example, math lessons came from a class penny fundraiser to benefit leukemia research. Catherine sets her own lifelong learning example by looking for and taking advantage of opportunities to both increase her own knowledge as well as share her experiences with others.

"I know we all agree that we need more teachers like Catherine, who continues to find ways to motivate students from a young age to find joy in lifelong learning and then willingly shares that knowledge to help other teachers do the same. Congratulations, Catherine."

Senator Wakai congratulated Jamie Takamura, 2015 Central District Teacher of the Year, and presented the following remarks:

"Thank you, Madam President. As you can tell, Senator Slom and I shop at the same clothing stores. I rise on behalf of you, Senate President Donna Mercado Kim. Senate President is super lucky on this St. Patrick's Day, and every other day as well, to have Jamie Takamura as a teacher at Red Hill Elementary. Ms. Takamura is Teacher of the Year for the Department of Education's O'ahu Central District.

"When it comes to the quality of classroom education, devotion to students, and commitment to strengthening the educational process, Jamie Takamura has no equal. Ms. Takamura is an alumna of the University of Hawai'i College of Education with a bachelor's degree in education and art, and a certificate in Hawaiian language. She joined Red Hill Elementary in 2007 as a fifth grade teacher. She chairs the Red Hill School Community Council; is curriculum coordinator, Parent Teacher Student Organization representative, member of the academic review team, Title I coordinator, Play SMART coach, Moanalua complex area review team member; and when she has some extra time, serves as a University of Hawai'i dual certification program site coordinator. She is a busy woman.

"Jamie Takamura is a sterling example of the outstanding caliber of teachers we have in Hawai'i's public school system. She's an inspiring example of an educational leader who has an abiding commitment to improving the learning process, and an excellent selection for this well-deserved honor.

"In the gallery, we have her family and friends, a number of them. Thank you for supporting her. Congratulations again to you, Jamie."

Senator Harimoto honored Masaru Uchino, 2015 Leeward District Teacher of the Year, and presented the following remarks:

"Thank you. It is my privilege today to introduce our next honoree, Mr. Masaru Uchino, the Leeward District Teacher of the Year. Mr. Uchino is a third grade teacher at Momilani Elementary School, where he teaches math, science, and physical education.

"In addition to his work in the classroom, Mr. Uchino dedicates much of his personal time to youth development, including afterschool activities such as tutoring students and spearheading the Momilani dramatic arts program that conducts a musical play every year, as well as his Momilani Fit Factory, which educates students about the importance of leading a healthy, active lifestyle.

"Here in the gallery with us, supporting Mr. Uchino today, is Mrs. Doreen Higa, principal of Momilani Elementary School, and fellow teachers Mrs. Leona Uyesato and Mr. Dwayne Yuen. And I need to give a special shout-out to Mr. Yuen, who is my granddaughter's teacher, so, thank you, Mr. Yuen.

"Mr. Uchino, we'd really like to thank you for being such an awesome educator and such a blessing and inspiration to our students and to all of us. Congratulations on this well-deserved recognition as the Leeward District Teacher of the Year. Mr. Masaru Uchino."

Senator Tokuda commended Elizabeth Frilles, 2015 Windward District Teacher of the Year, and presented the following remarks:

"Thank you, Madam President. It's my pleasure to introduce Elizabeth Frilles. Elizabeth has taught science and math at the Olomana School Ho'okipa Mauka site for the last five years. During this time, she has also served as the science department chair and has advised and supported students in preparation for the annual Windward Science and Engineering Fair. She is a member of the Olomana instructional leadership team, where her energy, devotion, and attention to detail have been infectious and resulted in substantial student learning and growth through a coordinated team effort.

"Elizabeth has received her bachelor of arts and a master of arts degree in teaching from Tokyo Gakugei University in Japan. Her prior teaching experience with the State of Hawai'i Department of Education spans nearly a decade, including teaching at 'Aiea High School, Mililani High School, and the Moanalua/Aiea Community School for Adults.

"On behalf of our very proud Windward community, it's my distinct pleasure to commend and congratulate Elizabeth Frilles on being chosen the 2015 Windward District Teacher of the Year, and extends its best wishes for continued success in all of her future endeavors.

"At this time, we do have a number of people here to cheer her on; she's got quite the support group. If her husband Adrian Frilles could please stand to be recognized – I think he's the one behind the camera. We also have Ms. Rhoda Lee. We have Principal Stacey Oshio and we have Vice Principal Lisa Mendonca as well. We have Vice Principal Thomas 'Tee' Swan and his wife Yulia Swan and their families. We also have John Wallman and Toby Wallman as well. And we've got a number of colleagues from Olomana who have joined us: Rene Iwamoto, Pam Tong, Sean Fenn, Ellen Schroeder, Debbie Heyler, and Ellen Nishioka. If everyone part of Elizabeth's wonderful support group and cheering team could please rise to be acknowledged at this time, and mahalo for all the work you do as well. Thank you."

Senator Green recognized David Huitt, 2015 Hawai'i District Teacher of the Year, and presented the following remarks:

"Thank you, Madam President, colleagues. It's my pleasure to introduce David Huitt, who is the Hawai'i District Teacher of the Year. Mr. Huitt is a teacher at Kealakehe High School, in my district. David decided in his senior year that he wanted to pursue a career as an educator, thanks in large part to the motivations he received from a no-nonsense teacher. David has been returning the favor for more than 20 years since then, inspiring his students to go after their dreams.

"David chairs the history department at Kealakehe, where he also sits on the school's leadership team – it's got a very robust program in leadership. He's co-authored a state-approved social studies course in addition to instructing his students in more traditional academic areas of study.

"He also uses his curriculum as a means to teach his students about the importance of community service. Again, Kealakehe has been a leader in this field thanks to David. His students have raised some \$50,000 for orphans in India; they've cooked 6,000 meals for the needy; they've collected hundreds of bags of trash from our roads, parks, and beaches, which are beautiful in Kona. So, I wanted us all to welcome David Huitt, who, from my perspective, is a generous role model and a winner in my book.

"Members, joining us in the gallery are Erin Thompson, a fellow teacher, and the Chief Justice has come to support my teacher from my district."

Senator Kouchi congratulated Marly Madayag, 2015 Kaua'i District Teacher of the Year, and presented the following remarks:

"Thank you, Madam President. It's my pleasure and honor to introduce Marly Madayag, the Kaua'i District Teacher of the Year. She's guided by her belief that teaching is about fostering students' ability to think for themselves, to seek out information and find answers to their own questions. She is establishing and cultivating a lifelong passion for learning in her students. And this is hard for me to grasp, as someone who learned so long ago when everybody had to be on the same page in the chapter or too bad; the new teaching is about having people learn at their own pace. Marly understands that each student learns differently, and she nurtures and invokes the best efforts of her students by tailoring and synthesizing her teaching skills, methods, and instructional materials to the students' individual learning capabilities.

"In addition to chairing the fifth grade at Kalaheo Elementary, Marly directs a popular volunteer drama program and has been involved with the Hawaii Children's Theatre for the past 15 years. Please join me again in congratulating the 2015 Kaua'i District Teacher of the Year recipient, Marly Madayag."

Senator Keith-Agaran acknowledged Richard Arase, 2015 Maui District Teacher of the Year, and presented the following remarks:

"Thank you, Madam President. Although the district Teacher of the Year from Maui is not here, thank you for allowing me to at least say some words on his behalf to honor him.

"Maui Waena Intermediate School teacher Richard Arase has been a social studies teacher for 16 years, and he's always encouraged his students to reach for the top and to always strive for their best. His love for teaching is reflected in the performance of his seventh grade students and their educational achievements. He's one of those teachers who really believes that students need to take charge of their education.

"We can all appreciate the dedication and support he provides our children in Maui Nui, and for setting an example for the future leaders of our state. So I'm proud to stand to recognize Richard Arase's accomplishments as a significant educator for the State of Hawai'i, and to extend our best wishes to him in his future endeavors. Thank you."

Senator Kidani rose and stated:

"Thank you, Madam President and colleagues. While we have extended our commendations and congratulations to these Teachers of the Year, it is we who are honored to have these exceptional educators with us today. Thank you all for being here."

Senator Kidani then honored and recognized the Prudential Spirit of Community Award recipients, and presented the following remarks:

"Madam President and colleagues, also with us today are four students from public and private schools who are recipients of this year's Prudential Spirit of Community Awards. This is the twentieth year of this program that recognizes young people for projects they are involved in outside the classroom, sometimes off-campus. These students in middle and high schools are truly inspirational."

"The person who has coordinated the Hawai'i region awards for the past 15 years is also with us on the floor today. Please welcome Mr. Todd Thakar. Thank you, Todd, for all that you have done for us on behalf of our outstanding students. Now, to introduce the first of our honorees this morning is Senator O'Wakai."

Senator Wakai commended Alexandra Skrocki, recipient of the Prudential Spirit of Community Award, and presented the following remarks:

"Thank you, Madam President and colleagues. Please join me in welcoming an extraordinary young lady, Alexandra Skrocki. She's one of the Prudential Spirit of Community Award's 2015 Hawai'i State honorees."

"Alexandra is a senior at Radford High School; as we heard from Senator Slom yesterday, 60 percent of the students at Radford are military dependents. Alexandra knows firsthand the difficulties of being part of a military family, having attended eight different schools over the past 13 years. As a result, she decided to start her own service project to help students transition into their new community and school."

"For the past four years, Alexandra has been hosting an annual back-to-school teen party for new and current students in her backyard on the afternoon before the first day of school. The event provides food and encourages students to go and get to know one another. During the last hour of this three-hour event, parents are invited to meet each other and meet other parents and learn more about Radford High School."

"Alexandra not only shares her time with teenagers; she also prepares home-cooked meals for single airmen, mentors children of deployed parents, and bakes holiday cookies for active duty men and women."

"In the gallery, we have Alexandra's parents, Tom and Cheryl Skrocki; her sister, Madeline Skrocki; and Vice Principal Mr. Shimabukuro. Congratulations, Alexandra."

Senator Kouchi recognized Kaytlen Akau, recipient of the Prudential Spirit of Community Award, and presented the following remarks:

"Thank you, Madam President. It's my privilege to introduce Kaytlen Akau. I re-read this twice, but Kaytlen is just 14, and as an eighth grader at Chiefess Kamakaha Middle School, she's an avid volunteer in her community and has logged more than

300 hours last year working with children as a dance studio assistant and a junior leader at County of Kaua'i Summer Fun Program. She also participates in events to combat diseases, such as cancer with the American Cancer Relay for Life and with her Girl Scout troop in a walk to fundraise for Alzheimer's disease. She said she was inspired by her oldest sister, who is going to college at Eastern Washington now, and she says, 'I watched her juggle school, work, family, cheerleading, and volunteering, and I want to be like her.'

"In summing up her collective volunteering undertakings, Kaytlen concludes, 'Knowing that I've been able to contribute to make a positive difference in my community gives me the best feeling ever. It far surpasses the feeling I get when I'm actually paid to do a job.' Kaytlen Akau."

"Joining us and Kaytlen, in the gallery, are her mother, Teresa; her sister Britnee, who is a freshman at Kamehameha Kapālama; and her grandmother Susan. Thank you."

Senator Keith-Agaran recognized Jasmine Doan, recipient of the Prudential Spirit of Community Award, and presented the following remarks:

"Thank you, Madam President. It's my pleasure to introduce Jasmine Doan. Jasmine's a Kahului resident, but she's a senior at Seabury Hall in Upcountry Maui, where she exemplifies leadership and serves as a shining role model for her peers and community."

"I think we in this body and throughout the state and education system have been talking about STEM education for a long time. Jasmine is the founder and president of Maui Math Circle, a math enrichment community service program, where she and a group of trained teens (30) volunteer their time to help Maui elementary school students with advanced math concepts. Jasmine has also displayed an entrepreneurial spirit in successfully launching the 'TEDxYouth@SeaburyHall' event within her community, an event which is geared toward inspiring students of all ages to think positively and progressively."

"So, we're very proud to welcome Jasmine Doan to our chambers and to congratulate her on her excellence in leadership, her personal achievements, as well as bringing great pride to the people of this state. I wish her continued success in her future prospects and pursuits."

"Joining us in the gallery to support her are her father, Jason Doan; her uncle Thom and aunt Katherine Doan; and Headmaster of Seabury Hall Joe Schmidt."

Senator Slom recognized Jillian Madanay, recipient of the Prudential Spirit of Community Award, and presented the following remarks:

"Thank you, Madam President and colleagues. Just a reminder, this is the twentieth year of the Prudential awards. They've been presenting these wonderful awards to our wonderful youth since 1995, and they do this in partnership with the National Association of Secondary School Principals. It's for exceptional commitment to community service. We all in this body value community service; we know the time and the effort that it takes, and we appreciate it. The Prudential program is the largest community service-based youth recognition program in the United States."

"Now, it gives me a great deal of pleasure to introduce a truly wonderful and inspiring young woman, Jillian Madanay. Jillian is a junior at Lutheran High School, and she has given generously of her time to the Children's Justice Center of O'ahu, which helps organize, pack, and stock clothing, stuffed animals, books, and other materials for child victims of both

physical and sexual abuse. It's children helping children, truly a great commitment.

"In her personal life, Jillian has been battling cerebral palsy; she also helps with the annual fundraiser for HUGS, a great organization, which stands for 'Help, Understanding & Group Support.' The organization assists families of medically fragile children, including Jillian when she was a baby. But she's not fragile any more. She's adapted to her own personal challenges and continually strives to give back to her community, and she has genuine compassion relating specifically to young children on a unique level of empathy, developing communications skills, fortitude, and cultural understanding in the process. Please, again, recognize Jillian Madanay.

"In the gallery are her proud parents, Dr. Lynn and Lauri Madanay; grandparents Dave and Betti Myers; and her aunt Yvonne Reese. Welcome to all. Now, back to the queen and top cheerleader for Mililani, our Education chair, Senator Kidani."

Senator Kidani rose and stated:

"Thank you, Madam President and colleagues. Thank you for helping us to honor these wonderful and inspiring teachers and students this morning. Thank you, honorees, for helping us to keep Hawai'i a beautiful place to live because of your inspiring work."

At 12:02 p.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 12:08 p.m.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

Senator Thielen, for the majority of the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 913) recommending that the Senate not advise and consent to the nomination of CARLETON CHING as Chairperson of the Department of Land and Natural Resources, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 514.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 913 and Gov. Msg. No. 514 was deferred until Wednesday, March 18, 2015.

ORDER OF THE DAY

REFERRAL OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The President made the following committee assignments of Senate concurrent resolutions offered on Thursday, March 12, 2015:

S.C.R. No.:	Referred to:
S.C.R. No. 75	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 76	Committee on Water and Land

REFERRAL OF A SENATE RESOLUTION

The President made the following committee assignments of a Senate resolution offered on Thursday, March 12, 2015:

S.R. No.:	Referred to:
S.R. No. 36	Committee on Water and Land

RE-REFERRAL OF HOUSE BILLS

The Chair re-referred the following House bills that were received:

H.B. No.:	Re-referred to:
H.B. No. 759, H.D. 1	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
H.B. No. 1040, H.D. 1	Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
H.B. No. 1230, H.D. 1	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

Senator Kidani announced that Education Week activities would continue the following day with the Friends of the Library of Hawai'i book sale, and encouraged the members and staff to participate.

Senator English rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

"Madam President, you know there was a publication that came out this morning, and everybody had fancy names, and it sounded like a consultancy group: 'the Tokuda group.' So we're just saying that, you know, our names could be something else, but 'Opihi' sounds good for one group, you know, whatever, but 'Tokuda group'? Thank you."

Senator Thielen rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

"I just want to put everybody on notice that my Internet has not been working, so I have not been able to watch the latest versions of *House of Cards*, so please do not give me any spoilers. Thank you."

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:11 p.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Wednesday, March 18, 2015.

THIRTIETH DAY

Wednesday, March 18, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:29 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present.

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

Senator Kidani commended and congratulated the Mililani High School boys and girls varsity soccer teams on becoming the 2014-2015 Division I State Champions, and presented the following remarks:

"Thank you, Madam President and colleagues. This week has been set aside to recognize excellence in our schools, and this morning, we switch from academics to athletics. I think everyone can agree that participation in organized athletics provides wonderful learning opportunities. Some might argue that the lessons learned through sports are just as important to growth and maturity as subjects taught in the classroom. Student athletes learn trust among teammates, the value of hard work and discipline, preparation for competitive events, good sportsmanship, and a couple of the basics of life: showing up on time and following the rules. For those who really excel, outstanding accomplishments in high school athletics can even help pay for college just as much as winning the science prize or scoring fives on Advanced Placement exams.

"This morning, I am extremely pleased to welcome the best in the state high school girls soccer team, the best in the state high school boys soccer team – the coaches and players from the girls and boys varsity squads who won their respective state championships this year. They are the men and women of our Trojan Nation, Mililani High School soccer team boys and girls. Chee hoo!

"Let me first call on my colleague, with whom I share representation of the Mililani community. He represents our neighbors in the Mililani Mauka area: Senator Dela Cruz."

Senator Dela Cruz rose to present the following remarks:

"Thank you. Madam President and colleagues, we all followed the week-after-week successes of both teams as they racked up the wins. We knew the tradition of winning at Mililani: The Trojan boys had already won five previous Division I state titles. They entered this year's state tournament finals as top seed, having lost only one game all season, finishing 15-1, winning their final 10 games.

"With us this morning are the boys varsity championship team and Head Coach Steve McGehee. Coach McGehee took over from longtime Head Coach Jeff Yamamoto this year after having served as assistant coach for 15 years. And what a way to build on Mililani's winning tradition!

"With Coach McGehee and the boys team this morning are Assistant Coach Kurt Kagawa and team captains Jeron Cunningham and Mark Matas. Congratulations to the Mililani High School boys team state champions. But wait, there's more – Senator Kidani."

Senator Kidani continued:

"Thank you, Madam President. Thank you, Senator Dela Cruz. Unlike the boys' team, the Lady Trojans went into the state tournament unseeded. But their one loss in the OIA tournament made them all that more determined going into the states. In the end, it was a spectacular 50-yard shot in the second overtime that won them the state championship to wrap

up the season with the record of 15 wins, 1 loss, and 1 tie. This was the girls' fourth state title overall, and the first under Head Coach Ray Akiona. Colleagues, I present to you today Coach Akiona.

"Also, some of the team players who are with us today: Kayla Braunthal, Jayna Morikawa, Gabrielle Fukumoto, Megan Usui, and Mariko Bebb.

"Colleagues, if you'd permit me, I'd also like to introduce some of the family members in the gallery with us today: Kayla's mom, Sheri Braunthal; Roschel's father, Robert, and her sisters, Raelani and Rozelyn; Megan's parents, Laurie and Garreth Usui; and Mariko's mother, Corey Ann Bebb. Thank you for the wild ride we had this season, for our men and women of Trojan Nation, Mililani High School. Thank you so much. Thank you, Madam President."

Senator Gabbard introduced the Military Christian Homeschoolers of O'ahu who were present in the gallery.

At 11:37 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 12:12 p.m.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 543 and 544) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 543, letter dated March 16, 2015, correcting the seat position on Gov. Msg. No. 540.

Gov. Msg. No. 544, letter dated March 16, 2015, correcting the term for the nomination to Gov. Msg. No. 541, Gubernatorial Nominee to the Board of Land and Natural Resources, CHRISTOPHER J. YUEN, term to expire amended to June 30, 2018.

HOUSE COMMUNICATION

The following communication from the House (Hse. Com. No. 336) was read by the Clerk and was disposed of as follows:

Hse. Com. No. 336, transmitting H.C.R. No. 53, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on March 17, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 53, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO CONVENE A CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION TO PROPOSE A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO OVERTURN THE UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT'S DECISION IN *CITIZENS UNITED V. FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION*," was deferred.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 914) recommending that H.B. No. 155, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 155, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WAILUKU STATE OFFICE MASTER PLAN," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Wakai, for the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 915) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of LUIS SALAVERIA as Director of the Department of Business, Economic Development and Tourism, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 504.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 915 and Gov. Msg. No. 504 was deferred until Thursday, March 19, 2015.

Senator Wakai, for the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 916) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of MARY ALICE EVANS as Deputy Director of the Department of Business, Economic Development and Tourism, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 505.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 916 and Gov. Msg. No. 505 was deferred until Thursday, March 19, 2015.

At 12:13 p.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 12:39 p.m.

At this time, the Chair stated:

“Members, if there are no objections, we will be taking up Supplemental Order of the Day No. 1 at this time.”

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following message from the Governor (Gov. Msg. No. 545) was read by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 545, informing the Senate that on March 18, 2015, the Governor withdrew the nomination of CARLETON CHING as Chairperson of the Department of Land and Natural Resources, under Gov. Msg. No. 514 dated January 23, 2015, from consideration by the Senate.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 545, the nomination listed under Gov. Msg. No. 514 was returned.

ORDER OF THE DAY

ADVISE AND CONSENT

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 913 (Gov. Msg. No. 514):

Senator Green moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 913 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Slom.

Senator Slom rose to present the following remarks:

“Thank you, Madam President, colleagues. I’m very disheartened by this action. I was hoping, since we had a full, standing room only gallery, that the public would get the benefit of listening to our arguments, pro and con, on this governor’s nomination. That has now been taken away.

“We have several bills before this session of the Legislature that have to do with bullying. I think what’s transpired during the past week has been a good example of bullying and political pragmatism. I can speak about this because, as you know, I’m not part of any of the clubs that take place in the Senate. Heck, I wasn’t even invited into the majority caucus.

“But I think that we’re basing our decisions on politics and our electability rather than on what’s right or what’s wrong and what we should do. And in the process, we have further blurred the lines between separation of powers between the executive branch and the legislative branch, and we have besmirched the character of a good individual in this community.

“I know, as I said last Thursday at the conclusion of the Water and Land confirmation hearing, everyone had an opportunity and was encouraged to give their thoughts and to continue to talk to their legislators. I received an awful lot of communications myself, and I tried to talk to everyone that I could, and I did talk to a lot of people, except for those people who called in with anonymous threats, rudeness, and foul language, who neglected to leave their names. Now, I don’t ascribe them to any group or any support or opposition, but I’m afraid that in this community, we are having less open discussion. And while we talk about transparency, we have less transparency.

“I think that the public should demand more of us, not just on these controversial nominations; and by the way, for some people who thought this was the most controversial nominee – he was not. We’ve had very serious controversies before, but we always managed to discuss them openly, and I’m sorry that we didn’t do that on this occasion.

“So the report will be filed, the governor has withdrawn, and we lose an opportunity, as the governor had said, to get a fresh pair of eyes. There are problems with this department, and those people who did not like the nominee should look and focus their attention on some of the things that this department has done and has not done. Believe me, it has nothing to do with taking away usual and customary practices or things that are important to the host culture or historic preservation. It has to do with simple things like what they’ve done with land that they are supposed to manage for *all* people in Hawai’i, and they have not done a good job.

“We have this idea of putting people in because of a popularity contest, not because of the job that they can do. Well, we’ll never know what can be done, and like the woman that I talked to from Kaua’i yesterday, who said she really disliked the nominee because she dislikes his house – his house overlooks the ocean – and she disliked the lei that he was wearing on the day of the confirmation. Too few people go that extra mile to find out about either the nominee or about the issues, and I think that’s really a shame.

“I think many more of us should uphold our responsibility to not only do due diligence, but to be independent of mind and thought and to let the political chips fall where they may in doing the right thing. And so in this case, Madam President, we have a report; we have a lot of people who are very happy; and we escaped the idea of going on record and making statements and having a vote, and for that, I’m truly sorry. Thank you.”

Senator Inouye rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

“I support my colleague from Hawai’i Kai, and though I did not have a chance to read my presentation today, I will, because for those naysayers that are here today, I will support the man that I thought would be the right person for the right job, and I continue.

“I stand before this body to offer a brief history of 40 years in which I have witnessed for, and had direct involvement, issues relevant to the Department of Land and Natural Resources. In Mr. Ching’s leadership, I see hope and the need for change, so desperately needed by the people of my district and my island.

“In 1967, I entered into a career in the hotel industry at the Orchid Island Hotel on Banyan Drive. It was the most beautiful boutique hotel, built by Californian George Hacker, who was ahead of his time. At that point, no one had heard of the word ‘boutique’ before in reference to a hotel. He expanded his presence in the east side of Hawai’i Island, building a subdivision in lower Puna called Hawaiian Beaches. With its own private water well, he was able to provide low-cost

residential housing for hotel employees and others who took advantage of an opportunity to own a home on fee simple land. He also invested in a small two-story condominium project on land across from the hotel, now bordered by industrial activity, and offered first option to the employees and then availability to the public.

“With visitor activity thriving in Hilo, the hotels were close to 100 percent occupancy most of the time. Having only 100 rooms wasn’t enough to sustain the increased visitor volume, and an opportunity became available on adjacent lands now known as Banyan Golf Course. I was part of the team selected to plan and design the extension of the hotel, which included acquiring the golf course. Mr. Hacker had a vision for this property: a Hawaiian cultural park, similar to the Polynesian Cultural Center, to enhance the activities of the Merrie Monarch Festival and to create a showplace like the Waikiki Shell and a large luau area for kama’āina, visitors, and our Hawaiian people.

“We were so proud of this Californian, who created jobs and invested in the economy of the island. Going to the DLNR hearings on O’ahu, where the bidding began, we were all supporting him. The politics at that time were such that the awards went to someone who knew someone. The land lease was awarded to a person with no history in the visitor industry; it’s one of the blights on Banyan Drive you see today.

“Several years later, another parcel became available with that lease going to an O’ahu investor who built an apartment building, another poor use of prime land. The travel lodge and other business relied upon for additional overflow rooms went on the market, reopening the lease on state land again. A former member of the Board of Land and Natural Resources won the bid and today is one of the troubling lessees, a responsibility falling on the shoulders of the present director and the governor.

“In February, the Hawai’i Board of Land and Natural Resources approved a pair of lease extensions for Uncle Billy’s Hilo Hotel and the country club condominiums. The leases were set to expire on March 14 of this year. The extensions allowed the Banyan Drive leases to remain in effect for one more year; after that, the leases will revert to month-to-month revocable permits. Longer extensions were not up for consideration because the DLNR is in the midst of assessing whether the lands should be redeveloped. The country club is one of the blights, riddled with financial problems, escalating discussions between the leaseholder and the condo association.

“In December of 2014, the board denied a 15-year extension for Reeds Bay Resort Hotel, instead giving the business a one-more-year extension, and this is the property I spoke of earlier that was adjacent to the Orchid Island Hotel.

“I was elected as senator in 1998 as one of the seven newest members of the Senate. Along with my House colleague, former Representative Jerry Chang, I was asked to assist hotel properties who were pending lease expirations with DLNR, and these included the Hilo Hawaiian and the Naniloa Hotel, both located on Banyan Drive. Our first years as intermediaries were a struggle, but eventually, we were able to get the department to move forward.

“So what does this have to do with the nominee Carleton Ching? I believe he is hope. He brings a new perspective to the department and will have the clear vision and openness needed for this position. He will take control, along with the governor, assessing how to change the management of state leases and the negative climate that looms over the Land Division.

“Recently, I was called by another group of constituents in the Kanoelēhewa Industrial Area, many on the long-term leases. They have no idea when the DLNR will handle this, though I understand they are on 10-year lease options. Being small

businesses surviving the economic decline in the past decade, they were not committed to making improvements to their infrastructure and buildings until such time as they guarantee a long-term lease renewal. Small businesses like my dear friends Don and Cathy O’Reilly, who own a small mom and pop print shop, want to stay in business. Their home is in the district of the good senator of Puna and Volcano, and they ask, ‘Please help us. We can’t afford the kinds of increases the agency’s requiring. It will kill us, and we will have to close.’

“Now remember the date of early 2000. Don also tells me, next door to him, the Mauna Kea Infrared company is also on the lease expiration. They put \$300,000 in their improvement. The company builds astronomy equipment for parts for the telescope of Mauna Kea. They were ordered, with the advice from our AGs as well, that they need to put more into the building, and they will get another 10-year extension. Don goes on to say that they were asked to put \$100,000 into their mom and pop little business. These are the kinds of stories I hear.

“The lease agreements are still pending for the many in the KIA Association that I speak of: the relocation of these buildings that were devastated by the 1960 tidal wave. A suit was filed in court years ago regarding the lease negotiations that were still pending in the leases. And while the DLNR lost, businesses were given only a 10-year window of extension. Who could afford to stay in business?

“The demand that those folks hire appraisers or go into arbitration, with the state doing the same, is the cruelest thing I have heard. And let me say, the agreement is that you hire a mediator, you hire an appraiser, but the DLNR did not tell them that the state will also hire an appraiser, and I spoke with a company just this morning. The demands by the state are that the lessee pays the appraiser fee that the state hired. They hired the most expensive appraiser in this state. The cost to everyone individually is \$5,000. So aside from the demand of DLNR, you have an increase in your lease, you have a 10-year extension, and you make improvements.”

Senator Green interjected:

“Madam President, may I just respectfully ask for a clarification: I just wanted to know whether we were in the motion or another ...”

The Chair responded:

“We are in discussion regarding the filing of this measure. So, Senator, if you could contain your remarks to the filing of this measure.”

Senator Inouye continued:

“All right. I just wanted to say, in addition to my colleague from Hawai’i Kai, why I support the nominee, Madam President. And the illness that goes beyond, I think, we need to stop this crazy cancer that’s in the division of DLNR. Thank you, Madam President.”

The Chair then stated:

“Members, at this time, the Chair will entertain any remarks that you would like to put into the Journal. So, if there is a show of hands of anyone who would like to put remarks ... Senator Nishihara?”

Senator Nishihara rose to request that remarks be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Nishihara’s remarks read as follows:

“Madam President and members of the Senate, I wish to speak in support of Carleton Ching to head the DLNR.

"As with others, I have followed the confirmation hearings for Carleton Ching. I have listened to the many speakers who have spoken on his behalf as well as to those who oppose his appointment. The major objections come as a result of his employment as a spokesman for Castle and Cooke, a major land developer, and also because of his tenure as a member of the LURF board. His detractors feel that his experience as a land developer and a supporter of land development and housing is a detriment to agriculture, the watershed, shorelines and the natural environment in general. This is, I feel, guilt by association based on a negative view of development in any part of state-protected land. It is a view that, if carried to extreme, would place open land over affordable housing, restricting management of forests and oceans by limiting revenues that would pay to protect these areas. The department has struggled over the years to provide the protections that we all feel necessary to maintain the natural beauty of our precious islands.

"I believe Mr. Ching when he says he will be the 'bulldog' who will do his best to protect and defend against unwarranted development of our people's birthright. I feel that as a former agent for development, he has the understanding and commitment to parse out what is in the public's interest as opposed to those of a developer. Although Mr. Ching's stated commitment to carry out the mission of DLNR is not as clear or as cogent as his accusers would like to hear, they only listen to the words, and not the passion and honest responses he also spoke. He did not wordspeak, or use the approved phrases or watchwords that the environmental community believes to indicate commitment and experience. How often have we seen that those who seem to speak so clearly and articulate well fail to deliver when their words are called into action? I believe in the man, I believe in what he says he is going to do, that his commitment to our precious resources, the 'āina, is not 'waha', but real. I believe that he will prove his detractors wrong. I trust this keiki o ka 'āina. That is why I ask that my fellow colleagues join in confirming Mr. Carleton Ching."

The motion to file Stand. Com. Rep. No. 913 was then put by the Chair and carried.

RE-REFERRAL OF HOUSE BILLS

The Chair re-referred the following House bills that were received:

H.B. No.:	Re-referred to:
H.B. No. 586, H.D. 2	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
H.B. No. 830, H.D. 1	Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
H.B. No. 1384, H.D. 2	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Ways and Means

Senator Nishihara rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

"I'd like to ask that the comments of the senator from Hawai'i Kai be entered as if they were my own. Thank you." (The Chair so ordered, by reference only.)

Senator Kidani announced that Education Week activities would continue the following day with demonstrations from student participants in the R.E.A.C.H. (Resources for Enrichment, Arts, Culture, and Health) Initiative pilot program,

as well as presentations honoring outstanding teachers and librarians.

Senator English rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

"Members, today marks a historic day in the Senate, on this thirtieth day of our session. I'd like to bring your attention to the Order of the Day. Today the Senate goes bilingual, and we will now be including Hawaiian as well as English on all of our Orders of the Day, and in the future, we'll be rolling out Hawaiian in the hearing notices and other documents of the Senate.

"So this is the very first day that we're going to use this, and this honors the Native Hawaiian language. It honors our commitment in the constitution to perpetuate the two languages in Hawai'i: Hawaiian and English. It also helps us to incorporate the use of Hawaiian in everyday government. So I just wanted to mark the occasion, bring your attention to it, and also to thank the Clerk's office for such hard work to make this happen. Thank you, everyone."

Senator Baker rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

"I was delighted to be able to acknowledge the boys and girls soccer teams from Mililani this morning, but I wanted to share with my colleagues that there was another set of boys and girls teams that deserve recognition, too. Unfortunately, they aren't from O'ahu. They live in my district in Lahaina on Maui, and it's very difficult to get neighbor island teams over here.

"But this year marked the first time that a neighbor island school won a state championship in wrestling. And not only did we win the state team championship in wrestling for boys, but also for girls. For our boys team, it was the first time; the girls team has won before. It's a great program at Lahainaluna High School, and I just wanted to share that with all of my colleagues. Thank you."

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:59 p.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Thursday, March 19, 2015.

THIRTY-FIRST DAY

Thursday, March 19, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:34 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present with the exception of Senators English and Kahele who were excused.

The President announced that she had read and approved the Journal of the Thirtieth Day.

Senator Shimabukuro recognized her classmate Brandon Mitsuda, who was present in the gallery, as well as Uncle Joe Tassill and his wife.

Senator Thielen extended an additional welcome to Uncle Joe Tassill and his wife, Aunt June, as well as Kalani Kalima, a constituent and emerging young leader from Waimānalo.

Senator Kidani introduced students and teachers from Jarrett Middle School, Waialua High and Intermediate School, and Kahuku High and Intermediate School who participate in the R.E.A.C.H. afterschool enrichment program and would be presenting demonstrations in Capitol Rotunda later that afternoon.

Senator Espero honored Edward Oshiro, recipient of the 2014 Masayuki Tokioka Excellence in School Leadership award, and presented the following remarks:

"Thank you, Madam President, Senator Kidani. Colleagues and guests: The Masayuki Tokioka Excellence in School Leadership award is designated by the Island Insurance Foundation and is named after the company's late founder. The award is presented to a public school principal who is a visionary, community-minded, and has an entrepreneurial spirit. In 2014, the award went to Ewa Makai Middle School Principal Edward Oshiro. In total, Principal Oshiro was awarded \$25,000 in prize money, most of which will go directly to benefit the school.

"Principal Oshiro spearheaded the opening of Ewa Makai Middle School in 2010. As its first principal, he believes in his responsibility to ensure technology plays an integral role in the learning process of his students. The school's motto is 'Empower, Explore, Excel Together!' and is a core value that motivated the 21st-century integrated tech program. This program is the first ever school-wide digital media program that pairs technology and students on a daily basis. The program, which was promoted by Mr. Oshiro, makes curriculum relevant to students, who are living in a world fueled by technology.

"Mr. Oshiro plans to use his award money to create a parent-family community center that would serve as a hub for training, work opportunities, volunteer work, and homework assistance. Always at the cutting edge, Mr. Oshiro plans to build private/public partnerships to build on and fund this concept that will further integrate families, students, and the broader community and to build success and a better future for our keiki.

"Principal Edward Oshiro, again, welcome to the Senate chambers and congratulations on your achievement. I look forward to continuing to work with you at Ewa Makai Middle School and the leadership that you have been providing.

"In the gallery, I'd like to introduce his wife, Connie Oshiro, and the Campbell-Kapolei complex area superintendent, Heidi Armstrong."

Senator Chun Oakland recognized Jason Pavia, recipient of the 2014 Voya Unsung Heroes award, and presented the following remarks:

"Thank you, Madam President. Colleagues, in 1995, Voya Financial, formerly known as ING U.S., started the Voya Unsung Heroes award. The award provides grants to K-12 educators who utilize new teaching methods and techniques to improve learning. Each year, 100 finalists are selected to receive a \$2,000 grant payable to both the winning teacher and their school. The year's finalist from Hawai'i is Jason Pavia from Ka'iulani Elementary School.

"Jason's innovative teaching idea is called 'Worms at Work,' which consists of multiple components, including a fruit and vegetable garden, a native Hawaiian garden, a green waste composting system, and a vermicast worm system. The initial phase of this project began in Mr. Pavia's classroom last year, with a small worm bin. This year, Jason is expanding the worm system to allow the participation of approximately 75 third grade students across all three classrooms. The next step will be to create a large capacity worm system capable of recycling all of the vegetative waste produced by the cafeteria. Jason uses the system as a unit study to teach his students about various subject areas, including science, reading, writing, math, social studies, health, and art. Children really, really enjoy his class.

"Congratulations, Jason; we're very proud of you, and we thank you very much for doing what you're doing. Aloha. Thank you."

Senator Kidani congratulated Jana Fukada on being selected as the 2014 Milken Educator, and presented the following remarks:

"Madam President and colleagues, I was fortunate to be invited to an honors assembly at Mililani Uka Elementary School earlier this month. It turned out to be a major event and a major surprise, with the announcement that one of the school's teachers had been selected Hawai'i's 2014 Milken Foundation Educator. School Principal Heather Wilhelm and her team had managed to keep the announcement a secret, and it was a total surprise to Jana Fukada when she was introduced as Hawai'i's Milken Educator. Jana is with us this morning.

"The Milken award is considered the Oscar of teaching, and it comes with a \$25,000 cash award, just one measure of the prestige of the award. Jana has been at Mililani Uka School since she earned her master's degree in 2007, and her colleagues and school administrators recognized right away that she was an all-star. She's working on her doctorate, travels statewide to mentor others in curriculum development and effective teaching techniques, and is passionate about making the student experience as meaningful and productive as possible. And we are so glad that she is at one of our Mililani schools.

"Thank you, Jana, for your contribution to your school, the public school system, and to future generations of Hawai'i leaders in your classroom. Also with us today in the gallery are members of Jana's family. Her mother, Patti, serves with me on the Japanese Women's Society Foundation, so I was very pleasantly surprised, as much surprised as Jana was, that day she received the award. Also with us is Jana's dad, Edward; and grandmother Elaine. Welcome to the Capitol, and congratulations again."

Senator Thielen recognized Ryan Kagami for being selected as the 2014 Milken Teacher of Promise, and presented the following remarks:

“Thank you, Madam President. The Milken Foundation also honors the Teachers of Promise award, and this award goes to the very best young educators in our nation who demonstrate tremendous potential as educational leaders and serve as inspirations to us all. In 2014, Mr. Ryan Kagami, a Kailua Intermediate School teacher, was honored as the national Milken Educators of Hawaii Teacher of Promise.

“Ryan Kagami is a graduate of Castle High School and began teaching at Kailua Intermediate in January of 2012. He teaches seventh- and eighth-grade science. He believes that in order for students to understand the world of science, they must become a part of it. To make his lessons come alive, Ryan Kagami wrote and received grants to fund a classroom aquaponics system. The miniature lab draws students’ interest in complex topics such as water and nitrogen cycles, plant biology, fish anatomy, and the role microbial communities play in the earth’s ecosystem and the human ecosystem. Plus, they get to eat the results.

“Ryan Kagami is currently partnering with parents, local businesses, community leaders, and military neighbors to submit a Repair, Remodel, Restore Our Schools – or a 3Rs – grant to build and house a larger structure on the campus.

“Ryan, thank you very much for all that you do in serving as an inspiration to our students, our parents, our teachers, and our school communities, and the rest of us in the State of Hawai‘i. Mahalo. Joining Ryan today are six guests up in the gallery: Ellen Kagami, David Kagami, Joanne Kwan, Brandon Kwan, Cameron Kwan, and Jaime Miyasato. Thank you again, Ryan, for all that you do.”

Senator Harimoto honored Baron Baroza, 2014 Librarian of the Year, and presented the following remarks:

“Thank you. Madam President and colleagues, it is my privilege today to introduce the 2014 Librarian of the Year, Mr. Baron Baroza. Mr. Baroza has been the branch manager of the ‘Aiea Public Library since 2011. With nearly a decade of experience serving in various capacities in other libraries, he truly understands that libraries can serve the community best when it becomes the center of its community.

“Mr. Baroza has had the unique opportunity of opening a brand-new library. The old ‘Aiea Library was very old and very small and could no longer meet the needs of the large community that ‘Aiea had become. Through the good graces of this body, and together with the leadership of the Hawai‘i State Public Library System, a new library was built and opened last year. This new library sits on the site of the old historic ‘Aiea sugar mill and has a commanding view of Pearl Harbor. This new library is the pride of our community, and through the efforts of Mr. Baroza and his predecessors, strong relationships with community groups were built. The community was heavily involved with the planning of this new library, so when it opened last year, thousands of area residents came to be part of the celebration.

“Mr. Baroza is much-loved in the community. Always pleasant, always professional and courteous, his attentiveness to the community needs makes residents feel valued and important. By developing meaningful relationships with surrounding neighborhoods, schools, and civic organizations, Mr. Baroza has fostered a stronger sense of pride and unity in the community. Under his leadership, the ‘Aiea Public Library will continue to thrive and innovate to remain the center of our community. Thank you, Mr. Baroza, for being such a blessing to our community. With us today in the gallery are Mr. Baroza’s wife, Hilda, and son Lukas.”

Senator Riviere congratulated Don Ramos, recipient of the 2014 Librarian Excellence in Service award, and presented the following remarks:

“Good morning, Madam President and colleagues. It’s my honor to welcome to the Capitol today Mr. Don Ramos, the 2014 Friends of the Library of Hawai‘i Excellence in Service award recipient. Beginning his career in the library system, Don Ramos started as a summer youth worker at Kahuku Public & School Library in 1975 through 1980, and was hired as a library assistant III in 1981, with dual responsibilities at the circulation desk and the media production room. In 1983, he trained recently retired State Librarian Richard Burns to become a library assistant IV.

“While extremely dedicated to his work at the library, Don Ramos is strongly committed to his family and church. He’s also known to be exceptionally resourceful and creative; he’s always the go-to guy for assistance with displays and programs, particularly graphic displays, graphic projects, and 3D displays.

“I’d like to comment on the value of this library to Kahuku. Kahuku’s a small town; the library is built within the school. Tuesday nights, it’s actually something that’s a gathering place, so this library in Kahuku, small as it may be in a small community, is part of that community, as mentioned in a previous comment. So, Don is one of the backbones that drive this great facility for our community.

“His workers have described Don Ramos as an amazing human being, extremely nice, kind, courteous, friendly to everyone, professional, hardworking, generous, and talented. Don was already hard at work committing his time and energy to the library system from his high school days as a student helper, and after graduation, as a production room assistant, and now, as that awesome library assistant III.

“Thank you, Don, for your service, for your talent, creativity, commitment, and dedication to the excellence of the Kahuku community and the wider library system, and congratulations on being the 2014 Friends of the Library of Hawai‘i Excellence in Service award recipient. Congratulations.

“Also with us today in the gallery are Don’s family: his lovely wife, Myrna Ramos; their daughter, Andrina Ramos, and her boyfriend, Blaise Kise; his sister-in-law, Nancy Manuel; and friends Don Tarampi, who nominated Don for this excellent award, and his wife, Jenn Litman. Everybody from Kahuku – go Red Raiders! Aloha and welcome.”

Senator Dela Cruz welcomed R.E.A.C.H. students who were present in the gallery; as well as Kathryn Matayoshi, superintendent of the Department of Education; his sister, Donalyn Dela Cruz, director of communications for the Department of Education; and Jill Puletasi, principal of Princess Victoria Ka‘iulani Elementary School.

Senator Kidani acknowledged the Mililani High School football team, and presented the following remarks:

“Thank you, Madam President. Colleagues, yesterday we recognized the state champion varsity girls and boys soccer teams from Mililani High School. We tried very hard to get the Trojans’ football coaches here as well, but during the spring break, Coach of the Year Rod York is participating in a clinic in Utah, and Athletic Director Glenn Nitta is also traveling. Likewise, many of the team’s players are otherwise occupied with training. But we are pleased to have with us this morning Principal Fred Murphy.

“Principal Murphy returned to his alma mater to become principal just a few years ago, and I’m sure he is grateful that the academic and athletic stars have all aligned to bring a lot of attention to his campus since then.

“Senator Dela Cruz and I recognized the football team on a previous occasion at their team banquet, but since the soccer champs were here this week, we felt compelled to honor our Mililani football team as a reminder that our Trojan Nation excelled during the fall sports season as well. The 2014 championship game at Aloha Stadium last November is widely regarded as the best game since the state tournament was established, and probably the best game since the Governors of Farrington High School – our alma mater, Madam President, yours and mine – beat Kamehameha in the turkey game of 1965. Our Central O’ahu families and fans have relished the Mililani victory in the succeeding months – very hard to forget.

“So thank you, Principal Murphy, for your leadership and for being with us today to acknowledge our football champions. Mahalo.”

Senator Green welcomed visitors from the American Cancer Society Cancer Action Network, including: Lani Almanza, Janice Bond, Daveline Ching, Jill Courtney, Alaina Cunningham, Christine Hinds, Kehau Matsumoto, Mona McNamara, Gay Okada, Curt Palmer, Wanda Kau Shibata, Daniel Shockey, Shirleen Sturla, Younna Tamura, Val Toro, Mark Vasconcellos, and Penny Young. The group was present at the Capitol to raise awareness about Colorectal Cancer Awareness Month; Senator Green noted that colorectal cancer is the third most common cancer in men and women in the United States and the third leading cause of cancer death, and that deaths can be prevented by regular screenings.

Senator Kouchi extended additional acknowledgement to the American Cancer Society members from Kaua’i: Cory Chun, Janice Bond, Wanda Kau Shibata, and Penny Young.

Senator Riviere recognized the Waialua High School robotics program, Team 359 – The Hawaiian Kids, who have won numerous international competitions and had most recently returned from a competition in Australia.

At 12:00 p.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 12:09 p.m.

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the House (Hse. Com. Nos. 337 to 339) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Hse. Com. No. 337, transmitting H.B. No. 209, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 18, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 209, H.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET OF THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS,” passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 338, transmitting H.B. No. 290, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 18, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 290, H.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY,” passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 339, transmitting H.B. No. 500, H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 18, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 500, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET,” passed First Reading by title and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

JUDICIARY COMMUNICATION

The following communication from the Judiciary (Jud. Com. No. 4) was read by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Jud. Com. No. 4, dated February 18, 2015, transmitting a report relating to wire, oral, or electronic communications and reports concerning pen registers and trap and trace devices pursuant to Section 803-47(b), HRS.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 917) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of RACHAEL WONG as Director of the Department of Human Services, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 511.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 917 and Gov. Msg. No. 511 was deferred until Friday, March 20, 2015.

ORDER OF THE DAY

ADVISE AND CONSENT

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 915 (Gov. Msg. No. 504):

Senator Wakai moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 915 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Slom and carried.

Senator Wakai then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of LUIS SALAVERIA as Director of the Department of Business, Economic Development and Tourism, term to expire December 3, 2018, seconded by Senator Slom.

Senator Wakai rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

“Thank you, members and Madam President. Our economy is in good hands with Luis Salaveria as director of the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism. During his nomination hearing, dozens of supporters from all corners of our community voiced their unanimous support for Mr. Salaveria. He has the intelligence, background, and demeanor to launch our economy into new areas of profitability.

“He has more than 20 years in both public and private sectors. After graduating from the University of Hawai’i at Mānoa with degrees in economics, Mr. Salaveria started his number-crunching career right here in the State Capitol. He was a budget analyst for the Senate Committee on Ways and Means from 1993 to 1994. Most recently, he served as a deputy director of the Department of Budget and Finance, helping guide our state through a difficult economic recovery. During this time, Mr. Salaveria managed the state’s multi-year financial plan, resulting in a turnaround of more than \$1 billion in three years, with an ending balance of more than \$844 million. He also conducted the largest bond transaction of \$1.2 billion – that’s with a ‘B’ – and achieved the lowest bond interest rate in state history; truly amazing.

“In a previous job, Luis ‘Bond’ Salaveria worked at Kaiser Permanente as a finance manager for 10 years, providing financial and accounting oversight of Kaiser Permanente’s national facility services in Hawai’i. He oversaw an annual

\$30 million operational and \$60 million capital investment budget for Kaiser.

“Throughout his career, Mr. Salaveria has been an active member of the community. He is currently on the Filipino Community Center board as its treasurer and is the current chairman of the Employer-Union Trust Fund Board of Trustees.

“During our EDT hearing, Mr. Salaveria conveyed his goals of growing jobs, raising salaries, and cultivating innovation. He conveyed some of the initiatives that the department will undertake; they include expanding the state’s broadband capacity, increasing the availability of affordable housing units, establishing new tech parks and innovation clusters, enhancing the state’s economic reporting capabilities, and promoting the workforce of our future. Sounds like a solid plan, and, members, I offer to you a very solid candidate. I encourage you to vote in favor of confirming Luis Salaveria to be our next director of DBEDT.”

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

Ayes, 23. Noes, none. Excused, 2 (English, Kahele).

Senator Wakai introduced newly confirmed Director Luis Salaveria, who was present in the gallery.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 916 (Gov. Msg. No. 505):

Senator Wakai moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 916 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Slom and carried.

Senator Wakai then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of MARY ALICE EVANS as Deputy Director of the Department of Business, Economic Development and Tourism, term to expire December 3, 2018, seconded by Senator Slom.

Senator Wakai rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

“Thank you, Madam President and members. Just as Batman needs Robin, Mr. Salaveria needs Mary Alice Evans, nominee for DBEDT deputy director. She is not new to this role; in fact, she’s had it since 2011.

“After graduating from UC Santa Barbara with a degree in sociology, she went on to the University of Hawai’i at Mānoa, where she got a master’s degree in urban and regional planning. With those skills, Ms. Evans began her four decades of public service, starting as a student intern in the Office of the Governor. Ms. Evans went on to work on the Government Performance Accounting Task Force, and as department legislative coordinator, federal grants administrator, and departmental grievance hearing officer.

“During her time at DBEDT, Ms. Evans worked with the department’s core divisions and attached agencies to improve the efficiency of its internal administrative services. She did this by speeding up approval times for all required control documents with no loss of accountability.

“Madam President, after hearing the overwhelming positive feedback in the EDT committee, I urge you and our colleagues to support Mary Alice Evans as the new deputy director of DBEDT.”

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

Ayes, 23. Noes, none. Excused, 2 (English, Kahele).

Senator Wakai introduced newly confirmed Deputy Director Mary Alice Evans, who was present in the gallery with supporters and coworkers.

At 12:16 p.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 12:22 p.m.

RE-REFERRAL OF A HOUSE BILL

The Chair re-referred the following House bill that was received:

H.B. No.:	Re-referred to:
H.B. No. 290, H.D. 2	Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means

Senator Kidani announced that Education Week would conclude the following day with an informational session by the Hawaii Public Charter Schools Network and presentations honoring outstanding principals and Blue Ribbon Schools.

The Chair thanked Senator Kidani for her hard work during Education Week.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:23 p.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Friday, March 20, 2015.

THIRTY-SECOND DAY

Friday, March 20, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:34 a.m. with the Vice President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present with the exception of Senators English, Ihara, Kahele, and Kim who were excused.

The Vice President announced that he had read and approved the Journal of the Thirty-First Day.

Senator Kidani introduced the following guests from the Hawaii Public Charter Schools Network who had participated in Education Week activities that morning: Buffy Cushman-Patz, The School for Examining Essential Questions of Sustainability (SEEQS); Alapaki Nahale-a, Laupāhoehoe Community Public Charter School; Shannon Cleary, Hawaii Technology Academy; Jennifer Hiro, Innovations Public Charter School; Usha Kotner, Kona Pacific Public Charter School; Ed Noh, Lanikai Elementary Public Charter School; Denise Espania, Mālama Honua Public Charter School; Curtis Muraoka and Heather Nakakura, West Hawai'i Explorations Academy Public Charter School; Richard Hogeboom, Kua O Ka Lā Public Charter School; and Pat Brandt, Hālau Kū Māna. The charter school representatives were accompanied in the gallery by Lynn Finnegan, executive director of Hawaii Public Charter Schools Network; Erin Kealoha Fale, director of communications and fund development for Hawaii Public Charter Schools Network; and Amy Kuntz, senior assistant superintendent at the Department of Education.

Senator Wakai recognized Duwayne Abe, 2014 National Distinguished Principal of the Year, and presented the following remarks:

"Thank you, Senator Kidani. Mr. Duwayne Abe is a 20-year veteran with the Hawai'i State Department of Education. After two decades of inspiring young minds, he was recognized with the 2014 National Distinguished Principal Award.

"Mr. Abe started as a vice principal at Salt Lake Elementary in 1998, then became the school's top dog in 2002. Over the last 13 years, he has encouraged students to understand their strengths and personal desires, and guided them to reaching their maximum potential. The 800 students on his campus come from a variety of ethnic backgrounds, and for many, English is a second language. Those children benefit from individual and small-group tutoring, and a vibrant arts education program at Salt Lake.

"Mr. Abe is an advocate for professional development for his teachers; instructors are encouraged to participate in summer institutes, learning labs, consults, and visits, and are offered curriculum coaches. That has resulted in Salt Lake Elementary having five National Board Certified teachers.

"Mr. Abe is also prolific at integrating parental input into his decision-making on campus. Parents are encouraged to be contributors to learning, and they, in turn, support his leadership.

"Beyond campus, Mr. Abe has forged a vibrant relationship with his neighbors and the Salt Lake community. He has turned a struggling school into a thriving learning environment. He is very deserving of this national recognition. Congratulations, Mr. Abe.

"I wanted to say that Mr. Abe is joined by his fan club, which includes his wife, Georgia Abe, and their daughter,

Jenna. I believe they're right there in the audience. Thank you, Mr. Abe, for all you do for our students."

Senator Nishihara congratulated Keith Hayashi, 2015 High School Principal of the Year, and presented the following remarks:

"Thank you, Senate President and colleagues, as a former school administrator, I'm keenly aware of the critical importance of visionary leadership among the corps of principals on our campuses. There's none finer than the gentleman who joins us on the floor today: Keith Hayashi.

"During Keith's time at Waipahu High School, student achievement, average daily attendance, and on-time graduation have all improved, as have reading and math proficiency. Fewer students have been receiving suspensions and fewer students have been subject to ninth-grade retention.

"In 2013, Keith was selected to receive the prestigious Masayuki Tokioka Excellence in School Leadership award that includes a cash grant of \$25,000. Keith quickly and enthusiastically reinvested the award in Waipahu High School's innovative educational initiatives.

"Today, we recognize Keith for having been selected the 2015 Principal of the Year by the Hawaii Association of Secondary School Administrators. The association selects principals for this honor who encourage collaborative leadership; partnerships among teachers, their students, and their families; and who do everything they can to help students be successful. Waipahu High School's Keith Hayashi does all that and more, and for this reason, we honor him today.

"In the gallery are his family members: Donna Hayashi; Kami Hayashi, his daughter; Shigeto Honda, his father-in-law; and Laura Honda, his mother-in-law. Thank you."

Senator Kidani rose to present the following remarks:

"Thank you, Senator Nishihara. Mr. President and colleagues, if I may intercede before Senator Dela Cruz introduces our next honoree, I would like to say that Waipahu High School serves many families who I represent in our surrounding communities, and so I feel a very great affinity for the campus. As a legacy high school in our public education system, Waipahu High just marked its seventy-fifth anniversary; and as the second-largest high school in the state, the roots of its diverse student body span Hawai'i's historical shift away from the plantation economy to more modern pursuits.

"Waipahu's small learning communities nurture student excellence, and there are this year more than 300 students enrolled in college credit courses, an initiative that sharpens the focus on post-secondary education and careers for as many graduates as possible. That kind of shift can be attributed in large to the leadership of the school's current principal since 2009, Principal Keith Hayashi. Governor Ige has been so impressed with him that he gave Principal Hayashi a shout-out during his State of the State Address, calling him a model for public education leadership.

"We are grateful to Keith for his energy and creativity and his tireless work on behalf of our young people. Thank you very much for your leadership, Keith; I really, really appreciate you. To continue, let me at this point turn the floor over to our good senator from Mililani Mauka and Wahiawā, Senator Dela Cruz."

Senator Dela Cruz commended Elynne Chung, 2015 Middle School Principal of the Year, and presented the following remarks:

"Thank you. Today we recognize Elynne Chung, principal of Mililani Middle School, on being named the 2015 State of Hawai'i Middle School Principal of the Year by the National Association of Secondary School Principals.

"The NASSP, an organization of 27,000 members of middle and high school principals from the United States and 35 countries, annually recognizes principals from across the country for their leadership and making positive, significant differences in their schools and communities.

"Just as great coaches are known for their ability to get the best from every player of their team and their relentless pursuit of excellence, which is what propels good teams to become great, great principals amplify teaching by developing great teachers, managing talent, and creating a great place to work. Elynne Chung, recognizing the need to develop teacher leaders as a prelude to increasing proficiency, has made that a priority, which resulted in improved communication, better data analysis, and consistency in the teaching curriculum, thereby transforming Mililani Middle School from a good school to a highly effective school. Under Elynne's tenure, Mililani Middle School, the largest middle school in the state and one of four year-round multi-track schools, has improved proficiency in all groups to a proficiency percentage in reading and math that are consistently above state percentage levels. Laudatory remarks from the Western Association of Schools and Colleges on Mililani Middle School state that, quote, 'The school's focus on students, its rigorous curricular programs, excellent co-curricular programs, and the quality of leadership have culminated in an impressive continuous focus for student achievement.'

"Today we have with us in the gallery Elynne's father, Robert Iwamoto; son Reid Chung; and daughters Allison Maertens and Kristen Chung. We extend our congratulations and best wishes to Elynne Chung for continued excellence and success in all endeavors. Congratulations.

"If I may be permitted a late introduction, I'd just like to introduce my much-younger sister from the Department of Education, Donalyn Dela Cruz. I call on my colleague, Senator Kidani, whose constituents also serve Mililani Middle School."

Senator Kidani rose to present the following remarks:

"Thank you, Senator Dela Cruz, and after this session, she does look much younger than you.

"Colleagues, I know that you are all tired of hearing Senator Dela Cruz and me brag about Mililani, but Mr. President and colleagues, if I may: I need to point out that Mililani Middle is another Mililani school, and it is fed by five elementary schools. I would be remiss if I did not note that Principal Chung has been extremely helpful and generous with her time in helping us work through scenarios by which we propose in this legislature to eliminate the so-called multi-track school calendar in her school and three others on O'ahu. Principal Chung has seen what works and what doesn't work under the multi-track scheme, and her wisdom and good counsel are helping us give form to the transition back to a traditional school calendar.

"I have come to appreciate and admire Principal Chung very much as an educator and as a member of our Mililani community. She has brought issues to me that impact her school, her teachers, her students, and her community. She also helps to participate in the resolution process and not expect us to go it alone. Principal Chung, for that, I thank you very much."

Senator Tokuda honored Jacque Shaner, 2015 Elementary School Assistant Principal of the Year, and presented the following remarks:

"Thank you. Mr. President, colleagues, it is my distinct pleasure to introduce an individual I see every morning while I'm walking our oldest son, Matt, to class at my alma mater, Kāne'ohe Elementary School. Jacque Shaner received her bachelor's degree from the University of Virginia and a master's degree from the University of Hawai'i at Mānoa, and she is this year's 2014 Hawai'i Elementary School Assistant Principal of the Year. Let's give her a hand.

"Jacque has worked in the State of Hawai'i Department of Education for over 15 years, currently as the vice principal at our Kāne'ohe Elementary School and previously as vice principal at Mokapu Elementary and Kalaheo High Schools. She has also taught chemistry at Kalaheo High School.

"Jacque is known as a mentoring genius for struggling teachers. She has said her mission is to remove barriers, no matter how big or small, so that children can learn. She also conducts training sessions and guides teachers at Kāne'ohe Elementary School to help them better understand how to implement and integrate Common Core standards into their lesson plans and to develop rigorous student learning objectives.

"We commend and congratulate Jacque on receiving the 2014 Hawai'i Elementary School Assistant Principal of the Year award, and extend our best wishes for her continued success in all her future endeavors. Today, to celebrate her success with us, we have in the gallery Jacque's daughter, Shannon Paraan, currently a student at Windward Community College. We also have her son, William Ewaliko, currently a junior at Castle High School, also my alma mater. And we have our principal of Kāne'ohe Elementary School, Derek Minakami.

"Thank you again, and congratulations, Jacque, for all your service, and I'll see you next week at school after spring break."

Senator Inouye recognized Ernest Bowen de Silva Elementary School for its designation as a 2014 National Blue Ribbon School, and presented the following remarks:

"Thank you, Senator Tokuda. Mr. President, although no one from E.B. de Silva School was able to be here today, I want to take a moment to recognize the school on being chosen as a Hawai'i Blue Ribbon School for 2014.

"This honor is bestowed annually by the Hawai'i Department of Education on schools that consistently perform exceptionally well on standardized tests or show significant academic improvements. East Hawai'i's Ernest Bowen de Silva Elementary School was among three in the state named 2014 National Blue Ribbon Schools for their outstanding performance and improvement efforts. Joining Hale'iwa Elementary and Red Hill Elementary, Ernest Bowen de Silva Elementary School was among the 337 schools announced as winners by U.S. Secretary of Education Arne Duncan.

"The honor of being named a Hawai'i Blue Ribbon School for 2014 demonstrates that the students of Ernest Bowen de Silva Elementary School have developed good character traits, sound values, and positive attitudes toward lifelong learning. Furthermore, Ernest Bowen de Silva Elementary School's educators are commended for doing an outstanding job, and the parents of the students are recognized for taking an active role in their children's education. Congratulations to the school, and congratulations to Hilo for receiving this recognition. Mahalo."

Senator Riviere congratulated Hale'iwa Elementary School on its designation as a 2014 National Blue Ribbon School, and presented the following remarks:

"Mr. President and colleagues, I'm honored today to congratulate Hale'iwa Elementary School as a 2014 National Blue Ribbon School. We have with us today the principal of the school, Malaea Wetzel – let's welcome her.

"This is a great success story. Hale'iwa Elementary has been essential to our North Shore community since it opened as the Waialua English School in 1871. The name changed a few years ago with the addition of another school, but we're talking about 143 years of education for our community.

"Members, I'm sure you all remember the school consolidation process from a few years ago and how traumatic that was for some schools. Some schools closed; some schools survived. The Department of Education was looking carefully at schools to see where they could consolidate, close, and try to save some money. So while that was an admirable endeavor, we were terrified in our community because Hale'iwa was one of those schools that was on the chopping block. Chances for the school were touch and go, but Principal Wetzel, her staff and faculty, the parents, community members, everybody stepped forward to oppose the school closure. Fortunately for everyone, the DOE agreed about the continuing value of the school to the Waialua moku and the Hale'iwa community, and the school remains open today.

"Since Malaea Wetzel came on board in 2009, this school has seen a gigantic turnaround in performance. Enrollment is up; morale is up; the school is now recognized as a 2014 National Blue Ribbon School.

"Hale'iwa Elementary School's mission is to develop well-rounded, literate students with coping and survival skills that are supported by a strong value system in order to become self-sufficient and contributing citizens of our world community. This wider view of the school's role in its students' development contributes to the strength of its curriculum.

"Thank you, Principal Wetzel, and your stellar staff, who I see here with you today in the gallery. I'm going to announce them in just a moment, but I'm proud to congratulate Hale'iwa Elementary School, proud home of the 'iwa, on being recognized as a 2014 Blue Ribbon School. Thank you.

"Mr. President, if I may introduce a few friends, our friends up here in the purple are strongly representing, and this shows the pride that we have in our community. I'd like to announce the names of these folks: Complex Area Superintendent Dr. John Brummel, Rowena Char, Nami-Anne Dolan, Jared Haiola, Lauren Kawachi, Colleen Kelleher, Jennifer Lee, Janine Mikasa, Candolyn Nakagawa, Ernest Pai, Eileen Pontti, Mary Villalpando, Pam Yamakawa, Tony Agsalda, Randee Banis, Michelle Clark, Lehua Ii-Michaelson, Kim Murakami-Samala, Wanda Murata, Mary Grace Rarogal, Ryland Skaggs-Valmoja, Cassey Almazan, Kupuna Winona Chaney, Cyndy Sumbad, Lisa Vidad Albeso, Alexa Long, Lauren Lumoya, Jensen Hirayama, and everyone else who came today from Hale'iwa to represent Hale'iwa Elementary."

Senator Kidani commended Red Hill Elementary School on its designation as a 2014 National Blue Ribbon School, and presented the following remarks:

"Mr. President and colleagues, on behalf of President Kim, who is away today, I would like to introduce our next guest. And as it happens, she's a constituent of mine from Mililani: Principal Mona Smoot from Red Hill Elementary School, a third National Blue Ribbon School that we salute today.

"Just a few days ago, the U.S. Department of Education issued a ringing endorsement of Hawai'i's public schools when it issued its latest progress report on our educational reforms. Hawai'i received the highest marks, marking us one of only a few states to enjoy that ranking. Secretary of Education Arne Duncan, who visited the islands recently, stated, 'The progress that Hawai'i has made in its educational transformation is incredible. From instituting afterschool and summer enrichment programs at the state's lowest performing schools to providing direct support to teachers and schools as they transition to the state's new, higher academic standards, educator evaluation system, and other reform efforts, Hawai'i is a model for the rest of the country.'

"One of the reasons Hawai'i has been so successful is because of schools like Red Hill Elementary School, which was selected last year as a National Blue Ribbon School. In earning this designation, Red Hill joined an elite list of top schools in the entire nation. Red Hill's achievements reflect the work of many individuals all working toward a goal of excellence in education and sharing an unwavering commitment to giving our children the knowledge and skills they need to become productive citizens. Red Hill's principal, Mona Smoot, provides leadership to the team, and we are so pleased that she is with us today to enjoy this moment. Thank you very much, Mona.

"Mr. President, I'd like to welcome Mona's guests, who are in the gallery: her husband, Marc, and their son, Chris. Also, Malia and Tyler Brown are here with our honoree. Welcome to the Capitol, and thank you, Mona, for your work on behalf of Hawai'i's keiki.

"Mr. President, colleagues: I can think of no better way to conclude our Education Week program than by stepping back a few paragraphs to the words of Secretary Duncan: 'The progress that Hawai'i has made in its educational transformation is incredible. Hawai'i is a model for the rest of the country.' Let's keep it that way.

"Thank you, Mr. President, colleagues, for your attention and your participation in Education Week. I would be very, very remiss if I didn't tell you that behind all of this hard, hard work were my staff, and I would like to take a moment to introduce them: my office manager and Education committee clerk, Park Kaleiwahea. Thank you, Park! Also, I would like to introduce, from my staff, someone who helped all of us with our speeches this week: Jim Manke. And no, you guys cannot borrow him. Thank you very much. Thank you, Park and Jim. Mr. President and colleagues, thank you for your indulgence this week."

Senator Nishihara welcomed students and teachers from TeenPact Leadership Schools, who were present in the gallery.

At 12:03 p.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 12:09 p.m.

DEPARTMENTAL COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications (Dept. Com. Nos. 76 to 79) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Dept. Com. No. 76, from the Department of Budget and Finance dated February 18, 2015, transmitting the FYs 12-18 Non-General Fund Information Report of the Attorney General's Internet Crimes Against Children Special Fund pursuant to Section 37-47, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 77, from the Department of Finance, County of Maui, dated February 20, 2015, transmitting the Comprehensive Annual Financial Report of the County of Maui for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2014.

Dept. Com. No. 78, from the Office of the Auditor dated February 20, 2015, transmitting 29 analyses on special and revolving funds proposed in the current legislative session pursuant to Section 23-11, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 79, from the Department of Transportation dated February 26, 2015, transmitting a report on the circumstances of the changes made to the rates and charges implemented for all tenants using the Hawaii Airports System pursuant to Section 261-7(e), HRS.

HOUSE COMMUNICATION

The following communication from the House (Hse. Com. No. 340) was read by the Clerk and was disposed of as follows:

Hse. Com. No. 340, transmitting H.C.R. No. 14, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on March 19, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 14, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF THE OLDER AMERICANS ACT AND DESIGNATING MAY AS "OLDER AMERICANS MONTH" IN HAWAII," was deferred.

JUDICIARY COMMUNICATION

The following communication from the Judiciary (Jud. Com. No. 5) was read by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Jud. Com. No. 5, dated March 6, 2015, transmitting the 2014 Annual Report of the Hawai'i Access to Justice Commission pursuant to Rule 21(j)(1) of the Rules of the Supreme Court of the State of Hawai'i.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 918), recommending that H.B. No. 141 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 141, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO QUALIFIED COMMUNITY REHABILITATION PROGRAMS," pass Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 919) recommending that H.B. No. 538, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 538, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 920) recommending that H.B. No. 242 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 242, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEAWATER AIR CONDITIONING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 921) recommending that H.B. No. 264, H.D. 2, as amended in

S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 264, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 922) recommending that H.B. No. 623, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 623, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE STANDARDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

ORDER OF THE DAY

ADVISE AND CONSENT

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 917 (Gov. Msg. No. 511):

Senator Chun Oakland moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 917 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Green and carried.

Senator Chun Oakland then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of RACHAEL WONG as Director of the Department of Human Services, term to expire December 3, 2018, seconded by Senator Green.

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

"Colleagues, I believe that Dr. Rachael Wong's extensive experience, demonstrated leadership abilities, and devotion to the well-being of our community, along with her compassion and personal integrity, qualify her for the position of the director of the Department of Human Services.

"Dr. Wong brings to the department over 20 years of health and wellness experience. She is a graduate of Princeton University and earned her doctorate in public health at the University of North Carolina—Chapel Hill. She was also a regional finalist for the White House Fellows program as well as a leader selected as part of the Omidyar Fellows program.

"Through her professional and volunteer experience, including participation in numerous task forces, advisory groups, and committees, Dr. Wong has established extensive contacts in the local community and has consistently found ways to build bridges and find solutions through teamwork and collaborative efforts.

"During Dr. Wong's most recent tenure as a vice president and chief operating officer of the Healthcare Association of Hawaii, she has led efforts to develop a statewide community health needs assessment, which was published in 2013 and continues to be a key reference for the health planning and health care reform efforts in our state. This assessment was the first of its kind because it was a product of collaboration of all state hospitals and a partnership between the hospital association and public health agency. This effort involved various community stakeholders, acute care providers, the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco, and ultimately highlighted the greatest existing health care needs in our community.

"One of Dr. Wong's strongest attributes is collaborative leadership. She engages all stakeholders, bringing together various departments, government entities, and the community, and establishes public-private partnerships to address issues in an innovative manner. Her ability to process vast amounts of information, think creatively, and communicate from the heart enables her to make connections and act with compassion and sensibility, which is very much needed to lead our large and complex department with a broad mandate to assist our children, our youth, our kūpuna, and families.

"Dr. Wong's expertise and her leadership, honesty, integrity, and commitment to the public good will serve Hawai'i and the Department of Human Services in an exceptional way. I respectfully request of my colleagues to support her as the new department director of Human Services. Thank you, Mr. President."

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

Ayes, 20. Noes, none. Excused, 5 (English, Galuteria, Ihara, Kahele, Kim).

Senator Chun Oakland introduced Dr. Rachael Wong, newly confirmed director of the Department of Human Services, who was accompanied in the gallery by her husband, Dr. Brad Chun; her parents, Lauri and Henry Wong; her sister and brother-in-law, Remle and Andy Birk; her niece, Mia Birk; Department of Human Services Deputy Director Pankaj Bhanot; and other supporters from the Department of Human Services and Office of the Governor.

At 12:16 p.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 12:20 p.m.

RE-REFERRAL OF HOUSE BILLS

The Chair re-referred the following House bills that were received:

H.B. No.:	Re-referred to:
H.B. No. 209, H.D. 2	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
H.B. No. 1167, H.D. 1	Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
H.B. No. 1172, H.D. 1	Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

Senator Baker rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

"Every year, colleagues, the Women's Legislative Caucus works to provide Easter baskets to the Institute for Human Services, Hawaii's homeless shelter. These baskets should include necessities for families as well as some small items that provide entertainment for children. We would really like to invite all of our colleagues as well as our legislative offices to help us in preparing the baskets for this year's drive.

"My office is coordinating the collection of baskets, and you can bring them to my office beginning next week, the 25th, and we will hold them for delivery; we'll gather baskets from House and Senate offices and take them to the rotunda foyer for pick up on April the 2nd. I'm sure we'll have another Easter Bunny this year to help us with that effort, so if you have any questions or need any additional information about our Easter basket project, please let me know. We look forward to having all of the offices participate. Mahalo."

Senator Tokuda announced that the Committee on Ways and Means would be continuing its joint informational briefing with the House Committee on Finance later that afternoon at 1:15 p.m. in the Auditorium.

Senator Green rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

"Senator Baker and I wanted to congratulate the medical school for matching all 66 of their students into residency. We spoke about it earlier today, and they were also ranked in the top 20 this year for primary care, so we are very proud of our medical school here in Hawai'i. Thank you, Mr. President."

Senator Dela Cruz rose to invite the members to the Kunia Orchid Show taking place that weekend at Leilehua High School in Wahiawā.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:24 p.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Monday, March 23, 2015.

THIRTY-THIRD DAY

Monday, March 23, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:34 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present.

The President announced that she had read and approved the Journal of the Thirty-Second Day.

Senator Kouchi introduced officials from the Federal Aviation Administration: from the Honolulu Airports District Office – Airports District Office Manager Ron Simpson and Lead Program Manager Gordon Wong; from the Western-Pacific Region Airports Division – Division Manager Mark McClardy; Regional Administrator Glenn Martin; and Associate Administrator for Airports Eduardo Angeles. The officials were accompanied in the gallery by Hawai'i Department of Transportation Director Ford Fuchigami and Airports Division Deputy Director Ross Higashi.

Senator Kidani congratulated Diamond Head Theatre on its 100th anniversary, and presented the following remarks:

"Thank you, Madam President and colleagues. Earlier this month, we held an open house so that the public could come to the Capitol to learn about and enjoy the state's art collection that we all display in our offices. While visual art surely enriches our lives, today I'd like to turn our attention to the performing arts. Our guests on the floor this morning bring distinction to our state by perpetuating a vibrant tradition of performing arts excellence here in Hawai'i. Senator Ihara will make our first introduction."

Senator Ihara rose to present the following remarks:

"Madam President and colleagues, performing arts have tremendous powers: You can be transported through space and time; special effects can stimulate your senses; and you may begin to appreciate what motivates someone else's choices and actions. Performing arts can educate you, transform you, and entertain – all at the same time. This is what Diamond Head Theatre has been doing for the past 100 years.

"Here to help celebrate its 100th anniversary is Diamond Head Theatre's executive director, Deena Dray. Executive director for almost 10 years, Deena works with the board on long-range planning, manages 15 staff, and ensures that theater operations and each performance run smoothly.

"Also here is Artistic Director John Rampage. Known to Honolulu audiences as an actor, choreographer, and director, John oversees the Diamond Head Theatre's season, arranging directors, choreographers, costumes, sets, and all the technical aspects of putting on a show.

"Diamond Head Theatre is the third-longest continuously operating theatre in the United States. Before 1990, for 56 years it was known as the Honolulu Community Theatre, and its first name was The Footlights when it first started in 1915. Its first venue was the Honolulu Opera House, where the main post office is located today. And during World War II, its venue was Pacific military bases, where they entertained troops in the Pacific Theater, so to speak. Sixty-three years now at what was the old USO movie house at Fort Ruger, Diamond Head Theatre, with the help of 600 volunteers, puts on six productions a season for over 40,000 people. Please join me in congratulating Diamond Head Theatre on its 100th anniversary. Madam President, joining us in the gallery today are a few board members and supporters of Diamond Head Theatre."

Senator Kidani rose to present the following remarks:

"Thank you, Senator Ihara. Colleagues, with our guests from Diamond Head Theatre this morning is world-renowned vocalist and musical theater actress Loretta Ables Sayre.

"Born in California, Loretta came to Hawai'i as a youngster as a military dependent and quickly became a keiki o ka 'āina. By the time she graduated from Radford High School, Loretta knew exactly what she wanted to do. At home, she wore out her mother's Dinah Washington and Sarah Vaughan LPs, and she became determined to become a singer. She lined up gigs wherever she could, and as one thing led to another, she mixed her singing career with live theater and TV appearances in regular programming and commercials. For a decade, she was a featured jazz vocalist at the Halekulani, and then for several years at the Kahala Mandarin hotel.

"There were stage roles as well, including two runs a few years ago, a part on the Diamond Head Theatre stage in *You Somebody*, a wacky musical by Lee Cataluna and Keola Beamer. In the second run, Loretta won the Hawai'i State Theatre Council's Po'okela Award for Leading Female in a Musical.

"Now, colleagues, I know that after all my bragging last week during Education Week, you may be tired of hearing about Mililani. But I do need to confess Loretta lives in Mililani ... Mauka, that is, which is represented by my good colleague, Senator Donovan Dela Cruz, and he'll pick up the narrative from here."

Senator Dela Cruz rose to present the following remarks:

"Colleagues, our Mililani neighbor really hit the big time in 2008, when she won the high-profile role of Bloody Mary in the Broadway revival of *South Pacific*. In her first year, Loretta won the 2008 Theatre World Award, and she was nominated for a Tony. The revival show ran for two-and-a-half years on Broadway for nearly 1,000 performances. And in the following year, Loretta was on the stage again, when *South Pacific* played at the Barbican theater in London, followed by a tour of the UK.

"Back home, Loretta has returned to what she calls her hometown theater. She is again cast as Bloody Mary in Diamond Head Theatre's production of *South Pacific*, which opens on Friday night, just four days from now. The show is the highlight of Diamond Head Theatre's 100th anniversary that we are also recognizing today.

"Loretta, congratulations and thank you for your past and future contributions to the performing arts in Hawai'i and around the world. Let's give her a hand."

Senator Kidani continued:

"Thank you, Madam President. My staff and I already have our tickets for the performance, and I hope you do, too, if you're planning to see the performance, because they have already had to extend the performances because of the overwhelming requests.

"Just one more note, Madam President: As busy as she is, Loretta has generously given of her time and talent to coach high school and university performing arts students. She has been especially active in working with the Nānākuli Performing Arts Center – NPAC – which has sent students to perform at a theater festival in Scotland and also to Washington, D.C., where NPAC students met First Lady Michelle Obama at the White House. Loretta also invites the Nānākuli students to sing and perform with her for patients at several O'ahu hospitals throughout the year.

"With us in the gallery this morning is a very grateful NPAC director, Robin Kitsu. Madam President, I would also like to acknowledge Loretta's husband, David Sayre, who is in the gallery this morning. Thank you.

"Loretta, your proud Mililani senators applaud you for your talents and thank you for your investment in future generations of Hawai'i's performing artists. Thank you, Madam President."

Senator Kouchi introduced a group of visitors from the North Shore of Kaua'i: Moloa'a Irrigation Cooperative Secretary Louisa Wooton, Dickie Yoshii, Candace Strong, Dylan Strong, and Sheala Strong.

At 11:46 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 11:54 a.m.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 923) recommending that H.B. No. 906, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 906, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAX EXEMPTIONS FOR CERTIFIED OR APPROVED HOUSING PROJECTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Nishihara, for the majority of the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 924) recommending that H.B. No. 1360, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1360, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Nishihara, for the majority of the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 925) recommending that H.B. No. 1007, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1007, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE DRIVER LICENSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 926) recommending that H.B. No. 1489, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1489, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL LICENSE PLATES FOR NATIONAL PARKS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 927) recommending that H.B. No. 268, H.D. 2, as amended

in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 268, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTISTRY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 928) recommending that H.B. No. 58, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 58, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROTECTIVE ORDERS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 929) recommending that H.B. No. 213 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 213, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JURY DUTY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 930) recommending that H.B. No. 461, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 461, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF INFORMATION PRACTICES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the majority of the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 931) recommending that H.B. No. 820, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 820, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 932) recommending that H.B. No. 10, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 10, H.D. 2, 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 Kidani, for the majority of the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 933) recommending that H.B. No. 11, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 11, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHERS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 934) recommending that H.B. No. 831, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 831, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 935) recommending that H.B. No. 832, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 832, H.D. 1, 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 Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 936) recommending that H.B. No. 819, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 819, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BULLYING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 937) recommending that H.B. No. 821, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 821, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 938) recommending that H.B. No. 1412, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1412, H.D. 2, 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 Gabbard, for the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 939) recommending that H.B. No. 1086, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1086, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 940) recommending that H.B. No. 1087, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1087, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Shimabukuro, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 941) recommending that H.B. No. 1297, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1297, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Shimabukuro, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 942) recommending that H.B. No. 1368 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1368, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE KING KAMEHAMEHA CELEBRATION COMMISSION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Shimabukuro, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 943) recommending that H.B. No. 438, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 438, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE KAHŌ'OLAWÉ ISLAND RESERVE COMMISSION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 944) recommending that H.B. No. 766, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 766, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 945) recommending that H.B. No. 767, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 767, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 946) recommending that H.B. No. 1354, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1354, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 947) recommending that H.B. No. 952, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 952, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WAGES AND HOURS ON PUBLIC WORKS LAW,” passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Wednesday, March 25, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 948) recommending that H.B. No. 951, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 951, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NOTICE OF HEARING BY THE LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS APPEALS BOARD,” passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, March 24, 2015.

ORDER OF THE DAY

REFERRAL OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The President made the following committee assignments of Senate concurrent resolutions offered on Thursday, March 12, 2015; and Friday, March 13, 2015:

S.C.R. No.:	Referred to:
S.C.R. No. 77	Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 78	Committee on Tourism and International Affairs
S.C.R. No. 79	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 80	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 81	Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 82	Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 83	Jointly to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.C.R. No. 84	Committee on Transportation
S.C.R. No. 85	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 86	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology and the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs
S.C.R. No. 87	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 88	Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.C.R. No. 89	Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 90	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 91	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs
S.C.R. No. 92	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 93	Committee on Education
S.C.R. No. 94	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 95	Committee on Education
S.C.R. No. 96	Committee on Education
S.C.R. No. 97	Committee on Education
S.C.R. No. 98	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.C.R. No. 99	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 100	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 101	Committee on Water and Land
S.C.R. No. 102	Committee on Tourism and International Affairs
S.C.R. No. 103	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
S.C.R. No. 104	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 105	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 106	Committee on Water and Land
S.C.R. No. 107	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.C.R. No. 108	Committee on Education	S.C.R. No. 131	Committee on Government Operations
S.C.R. No. 109	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts	S.C.R. No. 132	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 110	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.C.R. No. 133	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts
S.C.R. No. 111	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.C.R. No. 134	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts
S.C.R. No. 112	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.C.R. No. 135	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.C.R. No. 113	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.C.R. No. 136	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 114	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	S.C.R. No. 137	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 115	Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.C.R. No. 138	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 116	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.C.R. No. 139	Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 117	Committee on Ways and Means	S.C.R. No. 140	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 118	Committee on Ways and Means	S.C.R. No. 141	Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 119	Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.C.R. No. 142	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Health
S.C.R. No. 120	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.C.R. No. 143	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 121	Committee on Ways and Means	S.C.R. No. 144	Committee on Agriculture
S.C.R. No. 122	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.C.R. No. 145	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 123	Committee on Government Operations	S.C.R. No. 146	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.C.R. No. 124	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.C.R. No. 147	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.C.R. No. 125	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.C.R. No. 148	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 126	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.C.R. No. 149	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 127	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.C.R. No. 150	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.C.R. No. 128	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.C.R. No. 151	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 129	Committee on Ways and Means	S.C.R. No. 152	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.C.R. No. 130	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means		

S.C.R. No. 153	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.C.R. No. 175	Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 154	Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Health	S.C.R. No. 176	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 155	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.C.R. No. 177	Jointly to the Committee on Government Operations and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 156	Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts	S.C.R. No. 178	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 157	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs	S.C.R. No. 179	Committee on Education
S.C.R. No. 158	Jointly to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	S.C.R. No. 180	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 159	Committee on Water and Land	S.C.R. No. 181	Committee on Transportation
S.C.R. No. 160	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.C.R. No. 182	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 161	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	S.C.R. No. 183	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Education
S.C.R. No. 162	Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.C.R. No. 184	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 163	Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.C.R. No. 185	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 164	Committee on Energy and Environment	S.C.R. No. 186	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Human Services and Housing
S.C.R. No. 165	Committee on Government Operations	S.C.R. No. 187	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 166	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.C.R. No. 188	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 167	Jointly to the Committee on Government Operations and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts	S.C.R. No. 189	Committee on Tourism and International Affairs
S.C.R. No. 168	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.C.R. No. 190	Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 169	Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.C.R. No. 191	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 170	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.C.R. No. 192	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Health
S.C.R. No. 171	Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.C.R. No. 193	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 172	Committee on Education	S.C.R. No. 194	Committee on Transportation
S.C.R. No. 173	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.C.R. No. 195	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 174	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs	S.C.R. No. 196	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on

	Economic Development and Technology and the Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.R. No. 50	Committee on Education
		S.R. No. 51	Committee on Education
		S.R. No. 52	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.C.R. No. 197	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology and the Committee on Education and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.R. No. 53	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
		S.R. No. 54	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 198	Jointly to the Committee on Government Operations and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.R. No. 55	Committee on Water and Land
		S.R. No. 56	Committee on Tourism and International Affairs
S.C.R. No. 199	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts	S.R. No. 57	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
S.C.R. No. 200	Committee on Education		
S.C.R. No. 201	Committee on Tourism and International Affairs	S.R. No. 58	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

REFERRAL OF SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The President made the following committee assignments of Senate resolutions offered on Thursday, March 12, 2015; and Friday, March 13, 2015:

S.R. No.:	Referred to:		
S.R. No. 37	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.R. No. 60	Committee on Education
		S.R. No. 61	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.R. No. 38	Jointly to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.R. No. 62	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.R. No. 39	Committee on Transportation	S.R. No. 63	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.R. No. 40	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means		
S.R. No. 41	Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.R. No. 64	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.R. No. 42	Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.R. No. 65	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
S.R. No. 43	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.R. No. 66	Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.R. No. 44	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs	S.R. No. 67	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.R. No. 45	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.R. No. 68	Committee on Ways and Means
		S.R. No. 69	Committee on Ways and Means
		S.R. No. 70	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.R. No. 46	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.R. No. 71	Committee on Ways and Means
		S.R. No. 72	Committee on Government Operations
S.R. No. 47	Committee on Education	S.R. No. 73	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.R. No. 48	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means		
S.R. No. 49	Committee on Education	S.R. No. 74	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.R. No. 75	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.R. No. 97	Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts
S.R. No. 76	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.R. No. 98	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs
S.R. No. 77	Committee on Ways and Means	S.R. No. 99	Jointly to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
S.R. No. 78	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.R. No. 100	Committee on Energy and Environment
S.R. No. 79	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.R. No. 101	Committee on Government Operations
S.R. No. 80	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts	S.R. No. 102	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.R. No. 81	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts	S.R. No. 103	Jointly to the Committee on Government Operations and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts
S.R. No. 82	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.R. No. 104	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.R. No. 83	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.R. No. 105	Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.R. No. 84	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.R. No. 106	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.R. No. 85	Committee on Ways and Means	S.R. No. 107	Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.R. No. 86	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.R. No. 108	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.R. No. 87	Committee on Agriculture	S.R. No. 109	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Health and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs
S.R. No. 88	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.R. No. 110	Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.R. No. 89	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.R. No. 111	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.R. No. 90	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.R. No. 112	Jointly to the Committee on Government Operations and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.R. No. 91	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.R. No. 113	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.R. No. 92	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.R. No. 114	Committee on Education
S.R. No. 93	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.R. No. 115	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.R. No. 94	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.R. No. 116	Committee on Transportation
S.R. No. 95	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.R. No. 117	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.R. No. 96	Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Health		

S.R. No. 118	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Education
S.R. No. 119	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.R. No. 120	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.R. No. 121	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Human Services and Housing
S.R. No. 122	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.R. No. 123	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.R. No. 124	Committee on Tourism and International Affairs
S.R. No. 125	Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.R. No. 126	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.R. No. 127	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Health
S.R. No. 128	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.R. No. 129	Committee on Transportation
S.R. No. 130	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.R. No. 131	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology and the Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.R. No. 132	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology and the Committee on Education and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.R. No. 133	Jointly to the Committee on Government Operations and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.R. No. 134	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts
S.R. No. 135	Committee on Education

REFERRAL OF A HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

The President made the following committee assignment of a House concurrent resolution received on Wednesday, March 18, 2015:

H.C.R. No.: Referred to:
H.C.R. No. 53, H.D. 1 Committee on Judiciary and Labor

RE-REFERRAL OF HOUSE BILLS

The Chair re-referred the following House bills that were received:

H.B. No.: Re-referred to:
H.B. No. 508, H.D. 1 Committee on Agriculture, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means
H.B. No. 810 Committee on Ways and Means

Senator Green, Chair of the Committee on Health, requested a waiver of the notice requirement pursuant to Senate Rule 21 for H.B. No. 943, H.D. 1.

Senator Green noted:

“This is a bill from the administration relating to the Civil Monetary Penalty Special Fund. This special fund is needed to deposit monies from the federal fines that are assessed against skilled nursing facilities.”

The Chair granted the waiver.

Senator Green announced that the Committee on Health would be holding a joint public hearing with the Committee on Human Services and Housing on H.B. No. 943, H.D. 1 on Wednesday, March 25, 2015, at 1:15 p.m. in Conference Room 414.

Senator Ruderman, Chair of the Committee on Agriculture, requested a waiver of the notice requirement pursuant to Senate Rule 21 for H.B. No. 1372, H.D. 2.

Senator Ruderman noted:

“This measure relates to public utilities and amends the definition of ‘public utility’ by excluding any person who provides water solely to agricultural activities. The reason for the request is due to Thursday’s holiday, this would be our last chance to hear the bill.”

The Chair granted the waiver.

Senator Ruderman announced that the Committee on Agriculture would be holding a public hearing on H.B. No. 1372, H.D. 2 on Tuesday, March 24, 2015, at 2:46 p.m. in Conference Room 414.

Senator Kidani, Chair of the Committee on Education, requested a waiver of the notice requirement pursuant to Senate Rule 21 for H.B. No. 1352, H.D. 1.

Senator Kidani noted:

“This requires the auditor to conduct a comprehensive financial management and program audit of the Department of Education.”

The Chair granted the waiver.

Senator Kidani announced that the Committee on Education would be holding a hearing on H.B. No. 1352, H.D. 1 on Wednesday, March 25, 2015, at 1:30 p.m. in Conference Room 229.

Senator Kahele rose to present the following remarks:

“Thank you, Madam President. I would like to request that the Senate adjourn on a rising vote and observe a moment of silence in honor and memory of Lee Kuan Yew. Lee Kuan Yew, the former prime minister of Singapore, the founding

father of modern Singapore, is recognized as a towering figure of the post-colonial age in politics who brought an entire country from third world to first world status in a single generation.

“As one of the longest-serving ministers in history, he is credited with his country’s sustained economic growth. He forged a system of clean, self-reliant government and civil service from an undeveloped colonial outpost with no natural resources into an Asian Tiger economy.

“Having attained worldwide respect and recognition for his leadership, former U.S. Presidents Clinton and Bush referred to Lee as a remarkable leader and statesman and one of the brightest and most effective world leaders. President Obama referred to him as one of the legendary figures of Asia in the 20th and 21st century who helped to trigger the Asian economic miracle.

“During the 30-plus years as prime minister, Lee forged a widely admired system of meritocratic, clean, self-reliant, and efficient government and civil service. Thank you, Madam President.”

The Chair then made the following announcement:

“Members, the lateral deadline for Senate concurrent resolutions is Tuesday, March 31, but because of the Kūhiō Day holiday on Thursday, the Chair hereby amends the 2015 Senate internal timetable to extend the lateral deadline for all Senate concurrent resolutions to Wednesday, April 1. An updated calendar will be distributed to your offices later this afternoon to give you all more time.”

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:00 p.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Tuesday, March 24, 2015, on a rising vote, observing a moment of silence for Lee Kuan Yew, former Prime Minister of Singapore.

THIRTY-FOURTH DAY

Tuesday, March 24, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:33 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present.

The President announced that she had read and approved the Journal of the Thirty-Third Day.

Senator Gabbard honored and commended PermaBlitz Hawai'i, and presented the following remarks:

"Madam President, colleagues: I would like to introduce PermaBlitz Hawai'i. I see some of you scratching your heads, thinking, 'What the heck is a PermaBlitz?' First of all, for you football fans, this is not a new defensive scheme for the Seattle Seahawks. Actually, PermaBlitz is a volunteer network akin to the old-fashioned barn raisings common in the early days of our country. But instead of folks coming together to build barns, they come together on a designated day at someone's home to design and create edible landscapes – that's right, I said 'edible landscapes,' a.k.a. gardens – based on permacultural principles. There's a lot of talk story, a delicious potluck lunch, weed pulling, hole digging, and lots of fun.

"Permaculture is a design system for communities: It's about working with nature, caring for Mother Earth, caring for our neighbors, and the sharing of our resources. Volunteer workdays are held regularly to transform backyards, schools, or other public places into more efficient, functional, and productive spaces in a single day.

"PermaBlitzes began in Australia in 2006 as a collaboration between a permaculture designer and a community group. Since then, there have been hundreds organized throughout the world. On O'ahu, they've been happening on average about once a month since PermaBlitz arrived on our shores in 2011. Beyond the incredible gift of edible landscapes, PermaBlitz is as much about building community, teaching, learning, sharing, and living sustainably.

"We have here together the leaders of PermaBlitz Hawai'i; first is Matt Kamakani Lynch. We're happy to welcome Matt back from Vanuatu, where he survived Cyclone Pam. He was there consulting for the Adventist Development and Relief Agency when the recent devastating cyclone hit. Matt brought the first PermaBlitz to Hawai'i in 2011. He is a permaculture instructor and director of the Asia-Pacific Center for Regenerative Design. He's also the sustainability coordinator for the UH System.

"Next is Hunter Heavilin. Hunter has degrees in agroforestry management, sustainable community development, and his master's is in urban planning. He's a director of three local nonprofits: O'ahu Farm to School Network, Urban Farm Hawai'i, and the Asia-Pacific Center for Regenerative Design. He's a permaculture instructor also, who, along with Matt, is teaching the eighth permaculture design certificate course on O'ahu since 2012. Besides the local courses, between Matt and Hunter, they've taught in Moloka'i, Mongolia, Haiti, and Vanuatu.

"Next up is Allen Fanning. Allen is the coordinator of PermaBlitz Hawai'i. He's a natural and green builder focused on building with naturally sourced local materials. He's a certified permaculture designer, and he puts together renewable energy systems. He's one of the original founders of the community group Transition Oahu, a grassroots movement of citizens working to localize our economies and our food systems.

"Next up is Mike Davis. Mike is a member of the PermaBlitz hui of designers since almost the beginning. He helps with coordinating, and he sources materials for the blitzes, like mulch, manure, pallets – whatever's needed for the particular job.

"And finally, Rafael Bergstrom. Rafael is the Surfrider Foundation Oahu Chapter coordinator. He's the owner of Rafael Bergstrom Photography. He heads up SurfBlitz, a collaboration between Surfrider Foundation and PermaBlitz, to educate about and install ocean-friendly gardens, blitz-style.

"The Senate would like to honor PermaBlitz Hawai'i for revolutionizing our yards, our food supply, and our neighborhoods with healthy, edible gardens, bringing us closer to our aim of food self-reliance. We wish you unlimited success in spreading this community-building movement. Aloha.

"Madam President and colleagues, these guys didn't know this was going to happen today; we were meeting in my office at 11:00, discussing the reflecting pool and the issues that we're having with our reflecting pool. And I was kind of hoping that they would show up in their shorts and slippers as they were coming right out from the garden, but they didn't. Thank you."

At 11:40 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 11:47 a.m.

HOUSE COMMUNICATION

The following communication from the House (Hse. Com. No. 341) was read by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Hse. Com. No. 341, returning S.B. No. 332, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 23, 2015.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 949) recommending that H.B. No. 1141, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1141, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CESSPOOLS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Kahele, for the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 950) recommending that H.B. No. 133, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 133, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kahele, for the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 951) recommending that H.B. No. 169, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 169, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING

TO TAXATION,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kahele, for the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 952) recommending that H.B. No. 1259, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1259, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kahele, for the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 953) recommending that H.B. No. 1327, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1327, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL PROPERTY,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kahele, for the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 954) recommending that S.C.R. No. 21 be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 21, entitled: “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE PEOPLE’S REPUBLIC OF CHINA TO HONOR ITS PROMISE AND COMMITMENT TO NO LONGER HARVEST ORGANS FROM EXECUTED PRISONERS FOR ORGAN TRANSPLANTS,” was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Government Operations, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 955) recommending that H.B. No. 206, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 206, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN PLANTS,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Government Operations, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 956) recommending that H.B. No. 318, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 318, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Ruderman and Gabbard, for the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 957) recommending that H.B. No. 1273, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1273, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 958) recommending that S.R. No. 6, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 6, S.D. 1, entitled: “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII ACCESS TO JUSTICE COMMISSION TO ASSEMBLE VARIOUS STATE AND COMMUNITY ENTITIES TO DETERMINE WHICH AGENCY OR ORGANIZATION SHOULD ADMINISTER FUNDING FOR CIVIL LEGAL SERVICES TO LOW- AND MODERATE-INCOME INDIVIDUALS,” was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 959) recommending that S.C.R. No. 23, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 23, S.D. 1, entitled: “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII ACCESS TO JUSTICE COMMISSION TO ASSEMBLE VARIOUS STATE AND COMMUNITY ENTITIES TO DETERMINE WHICH AGENCY OR ORGANIZATION SHOULD ADMINISTER FUNDING FOR CIVIL LEGAL SERVICES TO LOW- AND MODERATE-INCOME INDIVIDUALS,” was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kahele, for the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 960) recommending that H.B. No. 271, H.D. 2 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 271, H.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TIME SHARING,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 961) recommending that H.B. No. 179, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 179, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERMANENT ABSENTEE BALLOTS,” passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Friday, March 27, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 962) recommending that H.B. No. 346, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 346, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE CIVIL PROCESS,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 963) recommending that H.B. No. 947, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 947, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RECORDS OF FORENSIC EXAMINATIONS,” passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Friday, March 27, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 964) recommending that H.B. No. 1326, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1326, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Nishihara and Espero, for the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 965) recommending that H.B. No. 562, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 562, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CROSSWALKS,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Nishihara and Espero, for the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 966) recommending that H.B. No. 436, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 436, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY VEHICLES,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 967) recommending that H.B. No. 770, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 770, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs.

Senators Kidani and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 968) recommending that

H.B. No. 1349, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1349, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHER TENURE,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 969) recommending that S.C.R. No. 62 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 62, entitled: “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNITED STATES SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE TO INCREASE THE FEDERAL BREAKFAST, LUNCH, AND AFTERSCHOOL SNACK REIMBURSEMENT RATES FOR HAWAII,” was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 970) recommending that S.R. No. 26 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 26, entitled: “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNITED STATES SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE TO INCREASE THE FEDERAL BREAKFAST, LUNCH, AND AFTERSCHOOL SNACK REIMBURSEMENT RATES FOR HAWAII,” was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Kidani and Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Government Operations, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 971) recommending that H.B. No. 1251, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1251, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Shimabukuro and Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Government Operations, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 972) recommending that H.B. No. 207, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 207, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAINING,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Government Operations, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 973) recommending that H.B. No. 1275 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1275, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE INSTRUMENT,” passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Wednesday, March 25, 2015.

Senators Taniguchi and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 974) recommending that H.B. No. 457, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 457, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 975) recommending that H.B. No. 544, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 544, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII CANCER CENTER," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Taniguchi and Ruderman, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Agriculture, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 976) recommending that H.B. No. 850, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 850, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION SERVICE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 977) recommending that H.B. No. 1256, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1256, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE FOUNDATION ON CULTURE AND THE ARTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 978) recommending that H.B. No. 604 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 604, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SAKADA DAY," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Wednesday, March 25, 2015.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 979) recommending that H.B. No. 119, H.D. 2 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 119, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Chun Oakland and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 980) recommending that H.B. No. 827, H.D. 3 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 827, H.D. 3, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A MIXED-USE RESIDENTIAL PROJECT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Chun Oakland and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 981) recommending that H.B. No. 1025, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1025, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HOUSING FINANCE AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Chun Oakland and Espero, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 982) recommending that H.B. No. 278, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 278, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DWELLING UNIT REVOLVING FUND," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 983) recommending that H.B. No. 583, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 583, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE FACILITIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 984) recommending that H.B. No. 763, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 763, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ELDERLY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 985) recommending that H.B. No. 498, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and

H.B. No. 498, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE ADULT PROTECTIVE AND COMMUNITY SERVICES BRANCH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Chun Oakland and Green, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 986) recommending that H.B. No. 1161, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1161, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Chun Oakland and Espero, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 987) recommending that H.B. No. 1314, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1314, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Chun Oakland and Espero, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 988) recommending that H.B. No. 277, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 277, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INFRASTRUCTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Chun Oakland and Baker, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 989) recommending that H.B. No. 768, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 768, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 990) recommending that H.B. No. 576, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 576, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE AFFORDABLE CARE ACT INNOVATION WAIVER," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Baker, for the majority of the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand.

Com. Rep. No. 991) recommending that H.B. No. 1467, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1467, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH CONNECTOR," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 992) recommending that H.B. No. 279, H.D. 2 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 279, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL ESTATE BROKERS AND SALESPERSONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 993) recommending that H.B. No. 1272, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1272, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOVIE THEATERS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 994) recommending that H.B. No. 858, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 858, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 995) recommending that H.B. No. 87, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 87, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Espero and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 996) recommending that H.B. No. 158 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 158, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF THE

PROSECUTING ATTORNEY OF THE COUNTY OF MAUI," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Espero and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 997) recommending that H.B. No. 894, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 894, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENHANCED 911 BOARD," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Espero and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 998) recommending that H.B. No. 1005, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1005, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE VETERANS TREATMENT COURT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Espero and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 999) recommending that H.B. No. 1198, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1198, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE HONOLULU FAMILY JUSTICE CENTER," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Espero and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1000) recommending that S.C.R. No. 28 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1000 and S.C.R. No. 28, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HONOLULU POLICE DEPARTMENT TO ESTABLISH A FAMILY VIOLENCE UNIT STAFFED WITH OFFICERS SPECIFICALLY TRAINED TO HANDLE ALL COMPLAINTS OF FAMILY VIOLENCE," was deferred until Wednesday, March 25, 2015.

Senators Espero and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1001) recommending that S.R. No. 9 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1001 and S.R. No. 9, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HONOLULU POLICE DEPARTMENT TO ESTABLISH A FAMILY VIOLENCE UNIT STAFFED WITH OFFICERS SPECIFICALLY TRAINED TO HANDLE ALL COMPLAINTS OF FAMILY VIOLENCE," was deferred until Wednesday, March 25, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1002) recommending that S.C.R. No. 18, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1002 and S.C.R. No. 18, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE JUDICIARY TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO EXAMINE HAWAII'S ENHANCED SENTENCING AND EXTENDED SENTENCING LAWS," was deferred until Wednesday, March 25, 2015.

ORDER OF THE DAY

THIRD READING

H.B. No. 951, H.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, H.B. No. 951, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NOTICE OF HEARING BY THE LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS APPEALS BOARD," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

RE-REFERRAL OF A HOUSE BILL

The Chair re-referred the following House bill that was received:

H.B. No.:	Re-referred to:
H.B. No. 775, H.D. 1	Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

Senator Kahele, Chair of the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, requested a waiver of the notice requirement pursuant to Senate Rule 21 for H.B. No. 775, H.D. 1.

Senator Kahele noted:

"This measure appropriates funds to DBEDT for marketing higher education institutions to international students."

The Chair granted the waiver.

Senator Kahele announced that the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs would be holding a public hearing on H.B. No. 775, H.D. 1 on Wednesday, March 25, 2015, at 2:45 p.m. in Conference Room 225.

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:49 a.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Wednesday, March 25, 2015.

THIRTY-FIFTH DAY

Wednesday, March 25, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:30 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present.

The President announced that she had read and approved the Journal of the Thirty-Fourth Day.

Senator Kouchi congratulated Stephanie Steuri on being crowned Miss Hawaii 2014, and presented the following remarks:

"Madam President, it's my pleasure to introduce Miss Hawaii 2014 Stephanie Steuri. Stephanie's parents are Christoph and Charlene Steuri, and she was raised to encompass athletic ability, physical grace, academic rigor, and perseverance into her daily life, and she is an embodiment of these teachings.

"I'm going off of my script very briefly: Her dad is the general manager of Ko'a Kea Hotel, which is the old Poipu Beach Hotel on the south shore of Kaua'i; two years ago, they were awarded for outstanding service for the restaurant that they have at the hotel and also the guests, so he is an outstanding general manager for one of our properties. Her mom is active at Island School in the STEM and robotics competition and will be coming to O'ahu with students tomorrow to participate in the robotics competition at the Stan Sheriff Center.

"So, it is no surprise that one of Stephanie's greatest interests lies in the subject of science, technology, engineering, and mathematics, also known as STEM. She is a passionate believer of STEM, and she chose the platform of 'Growing Stronger STEMs Across America' for her advocacy during her year of service. With great enthusiasm, Stephanie mentors the all-island high school robotics team on Kaua'i. And in becoming the first Miss Hawaii winner from Kaua'i in 42 years, please join me in recognizing and congratulating Miss Hawaii 2014 Stephanie Steuri.

"On the floor with Stephanie, we have Miss Hawaii committee members Larry Nakano, Tony Alcosiba, Jon Fujiwara, and David Flad. In the gallery, I believe Dennis Momyer ran the golf tournament; then we have Ryan Brown, who is the state director; and with Ryan, we have three potential Miss Hawaii and Miss America candidates: Emily Brown, Agnes Brown, and Taryn Watanabe."

Senator Espero noted that the Committee on Judiciary and Labor had passed Senate resolutions declaring April 24 as a day of remembrance in recognition and commemoration of the Armenian genocide of 1915, during which approximately 1.5 million Armenian people were killed. Senator Espero then shared that he had, coincidentally, met several individuals from Armenia shortly thereafter, who were present in the gallery: businessman Artur Arsenyan, and government official Armen Sakakyan and his son, Grigory Sakakyan.

At 11:37 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 11:44 a.m.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 223 and 224) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 223, dated March 18, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on the Agricultural Development and Food Security Special Fund, prepared by the Department of Agriculture pursuant to Act 73, SLH 2010.

Gov. Msg. No. 224, dated March 18, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report of the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism pursuant to Section 201-10, HRS.

JUDICIARY COMMUNICATION

The following communication from the Judiciary (Jud. Com. No. 6) was read by the Clerk and was disposed of as follows:

Jud. Com. No. 6, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the District Court of the First Circuit, Judicial Nominee WILLIAM M. DOMINGO, for a term to expire in six years, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1003) recommending that H.B. No. 365, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 365, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POLICE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1004) recommending that H.B. No. 456, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 456, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POLICE DEPARTMENTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1005) recommending that H.B. No. 564 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 564, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VIETNAM WAR COMMEMORATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1006) recommending that H.B. No. 1119 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1119, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FILIPINO VETERANS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Kidani and Green, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Health, presented a joint report (Stand.

Com. Rep. No. 1007) recommending that H.B. No. 1440, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1440, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Kidani and Green, for the majority of the Committee on Education and the Committee on Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1008) recommending that H.B. No. 578, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the majority of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 578, H.D. 2, 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.

Senators Kidani and Green, for the majority of the Committee on Education and the majority of the Committee on Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1009) recommending that H.B. No. 459, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the majority of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 459, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, with Senators Harimoto and Riviere voting "No."

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1010) recommending that H.B. No. 139, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 139, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST ANAERGIA INC.," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1011) recommending that H.B. No. 241 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 241, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST SEAWATER AIR CONDITIONING PROJECTS ON OAHU," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Gabbard and Ruderman, for the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Agriculture, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1012) recommending that H.B. No. 507, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 507, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1013) recommending that H.B. No. 1140, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1140, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CESSPOOLS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Gabbard and Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Government Operations, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1014) recommending that H.B. No. 1394, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1394, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER RECLAMATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1015) recommending that H.B. No. 1513, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1513, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Gabbard and Baker, for the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1016) recommending that H.B. No. 1471, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1471, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE FUNDING OF GOVERNMENT PROGRAMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Chun Oakland and Nishihara, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Transportation, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1017) recommending that S.C.R. No. 35, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.C.R. No. 35, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII HOUSING FINANCE AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION AND CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND PERMITTING, WITH SUPPORT FROM THE HONOLULU AUTHORITY FOR RAPID TRANSPORTATION, TO CONDUCT A JOINT STUDY ADDRESSING THE DEMAND FOR WORKFORCE HOUSING AND TRANSIT-ORIENTED DEVELOPMENT; AND TO CREATE A DEVELOPMENT PLAN FOR

WORKFORCE HOUSING EXPANSION,” was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Chun Oakland and Nishihara, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Transportation, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1018) recommending that S.R. No. 11, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.R. No. 11, S.D. 1, entitled: “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII HOUSING FINANCE AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION AND CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND PERMITTING, WITH SUPPORT FROM THE HONOLULU AUTHORITY FOR RAPID TRANSPORTATION, TO CONDUCT A JOINT STUDY ADDRESSING THE DEMAND FOR WORKFORCE HOUSING AND TRANSIT-ORIENTED DEVELOPMENT; AND TO CREATE A DEVELOPMENT PLAN FOR WORKFORCE HOUSING EXPANSION,” was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1019) recommending that H.B. No. 1347, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1347, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1020) recommending that H.B. No. 1432, H.D. 2 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1432, H.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE INTERIM ASSISTANCE REIMBURSEMENT SPECIAL FUND,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Ruderman and Wakai, for the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1021) recommending that H.B. No. 1225, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1225, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL FACILITIES,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1022) recommending that H.B. No. 611, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 611, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DIGITIZATION OF HISTORIC

PRESERVATION RECORDS,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1023) recommending that S.C.R. No. 44, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 44, S.D. 1, entitled: “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CHAIRPERSON OF THE BOARD OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO ESTABLISH A LIPOA POINT MANAGEMENT COUNCIL,” was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1024) recommending that H.B. No. 822, H.D. 2 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 822, H.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE HAWAII ASSOCIATION OF CONSERVATION DISTRICTS,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1025) recommending that H.B. No. 527, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 527, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR STATE LIFEGUARDS,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1026) recommending that H.B. No. 440, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 440, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1027) recommending that H.B. No. 1410, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1410, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE YOUTH CONSERVATION CORPS,” passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Friday, March 27, 2015.

Senators Green and Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1028) recommending that H.B. No. 1195, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1195, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXPANDED ADULT RESIDENTIAL

CARE HOMES,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green and Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1029) recommending that H.B. No. 581, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 581, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOSPITAL SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAM,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green and Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1030) recommending that H.B. No. 1377, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1377, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD HEALTH,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1031) recommending that H.B. No. 851, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 851, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1032) recommending that H.B. No. 354, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 354, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NURSES,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1033) recommending that H.B. No. 589, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 589, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STROKE CARE,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1034) recommending that H.B. No. 696, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 696, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT,” passed Second

Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1035) recommending that H.B. No. 1241, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1241, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1036) recommending that H.B. No. 586, H.D. 2 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 586, H.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO USE OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS AND E-CIGARETTES ON HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION PREMISES,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1037) recommending that H.B. No. 481, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 481, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1038) recommending that H.B. No. 1063, H.D. 2 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1063, H.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MEDICAL CARE,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1039) recommending that H.B. No. 448, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 448, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1040) recommending that H.B. No. 464, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 464, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1041) recommending that

H.B. No. 782, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 782, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CYTOMEGALOVIRUS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Green, for the majority of the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1042) recommending that H.B. No. 940, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 940, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REGULATION OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senator Green, for the majority of the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1043) recommending that H.B. No. 631, H.D. 2 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 631, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CERTIFICATES OF BIRTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1044) recommending that H.B. No. 847, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 847, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1045) recommending that H.B. No. 252, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 252, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PHARMACY BENEFIT MANAGERS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1046) recommending that H.B. No. 253, H.D. 2 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 253, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VACCINATIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senators Green and Taniguchi, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1047) recommending that

H.B. No. 285, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 285, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JOHN A. BURNS SCHOOL OF MEDICINE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green and Baker, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1048) recommending that H.B. No. 261, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 261, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green and Baker, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1049) recommending that H.B. No. 467, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 467, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green and Baker, for the majority of the Committee on Health and the majority of the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1050) recommending that H.B. No. 174, H.D. 2 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the majority of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 174, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green and Thielen, for the Committee on Health and the majority of the Committee on Water and Land, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1051) recommending that H.B. No. 525, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the majority of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 525, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE PARKS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Green and Kidani, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Education, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1052) recommending that H.B. No. 458, H.D. 2 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 458, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Kahele and Wakai, for the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1053) recommending that H.B. No. 716, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 716, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INNOVATIVE BUSINESS INTERACTION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1054) recommending that H.B. No. 148, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 148, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WRONGFUL IMPRISONMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1055) recommending that H.B. No. 896, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 896, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE, ITS OFFICERS, OR ITS EMPLOYEES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1056) recommending that H.B. No. 966, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 966, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SECTION 237-23, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1057) recommending that H.B. No. 1268, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1268, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1058) recommending that H.B. No. 1370, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1370, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO DIVORCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Espero and Green, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1059) recommending that H.B. No. 840, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 840, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Espero and Nishihara, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Transportation, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1060) recommending that H.B. No. 1153, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1153, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERANS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1061) recommending that H.B. No. 145, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 145, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Kahele and Thielen, for the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1062) recommending that H.B. No. 444, H.D. 3, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 444, H.D. 3, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BEACH PROTECTION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Thielen and Ruderman, for the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Agriculture, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1063) recommending that H.B. No. 503, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 503, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DROUGHT MITIGATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1064) recommending that S.C.R. No. 25, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 25, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM LEASE AND NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT FOR THE TIDE POOL STAIRS ENCROACHMENT PURPOSES IN THE MANELE-HULOPOE MARINE LIFE CONSERVATION DISTRICT ON THE ISLAND OF LANAI," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1065) recommending that S.C.R. No. 24, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 24, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM LEASE AND NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT FOR PIER PILINGS ENCROACHMENT PURPOSES AT PULAWAI, ON THE ISLAND OF LANAI," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1066) recommending that S.C.R. No. 46, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 46, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO EVALUATE THE LICENSING OF PRIVATE TRADE, VOCATIONAL, AND TECHNICAL SCHOOLS," was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1067) recommending that S.R. No. 20, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 20, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO EVALUATE THE LICENSING OF PRIVATE TRADE, VOCATIONAL, AND TECHNICAL SCHOOLS," was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1068) recommending that S.C.R. No. 64 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 64, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO MODIFY ITS MEDICATION ADMINISTRATION POLICY SO THAT ALL STUDENTS AFFECTED BY ANAPHYLAXIS WILL HAVE MORE EFFICIENT ACCESS TO AUTO-INJECTABLE EPINEPHRINE," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1069) recommending that S.R. No. 28 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 28, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO MODIFY ITS MEDICATION ADMINISTRATION POLICY SO THAT ALL STUDENTS AFFECTED BY ANAPHYLAXIS WILL HAVE MORE EFFICIENT ACCESS TO AUTO-INJECTABLE EPINEPHRINE," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1070) recommending that S.C.R. No. 43 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 43, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO REESTABLISH COUNTY LIBRARY ADVISORY COMMISSIONS," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1071) recommending that S.R. No. 18 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 18, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO REESTABLISH COUNTY LIBRARY ADVISORY COMMISSIONS," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1072) recommending that S.C.R. No. 41 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 41, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO OFFER COURSES IN AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1073) recommending that S.R. No. 16 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 16, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO OFFER COURSES IN AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1074) recommending that S.C.R. No. 30 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1074 and S.C.R. No. 30, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO SUPPORT THE KIDS' SAVINGS PROJECT," was deferred until Friday, March 27, 2015.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Government Operations, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1075) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of DOUGLAS MURDOCK as Director of the Department of Accounting and General Services, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 503.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1075 and Gov. Msg. No. 503 was deferred until Friday, March 27, 2015.

ORDER OF THE DAY**ADOPTION OF RESOLUTIONS****MATTERS DEFERRED FROM
TUESDAY, MARCH 24, 2015**

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1000 (S.C.R. No. 28):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.C.R. No. 28, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HONOLULU POLICE DEPARTMENT TO ESTABLISH A FAMILY VIOLENCE UNIT STAFFED WITH OFFICERS SPECIFICALLY TRAINED TO HANDLE ALL COMPLAINTS OF FAMILY VIOLENCE," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1001 (S.R. No. 9):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.R. No. 9, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HONOLULU POLICE DEPARTMENT TO ESTABLISH A FAMILY VIOLENCE UNIT STAFFED WITH OFFICERS SPECIFICALLY TRAINED TO HANDLE ALL COMPLAINTS OF FAMILY VIOLENCE," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1002 (S.C.R. No. 18, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 18, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE JUDICIARY TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO EXAMINE HAWAII'S ENHANCED SENTENCING AND EXTENDED SENTENCING LAWS," was adopted.

THIRD READING

H.B. No. 952, H.D. 2, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, H.B. No. 952, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WAGES AND HOURS ON PUBLIC WORKS LAW," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Ihara).

H.B. No. 1275:

On motion by Senator Dela Cruz, seconded by Senator Nishihara and carried, H.B. No. 1275, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE INSTRUMENT," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Ihara).

H.B. No. 604:

On motion by Senator Taniguchi, seconded by Senator Inouye and carried, H.B. No. 604, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SAKADA DAY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Ihara).

**RE-REFERRAL OF
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

The Chair re-referred the following Senate concurrent resolutions that were offered:

S.C.R. No.:

Re-referred to:

S.C.R. No. 162

Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.C.R. No. 196

Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology and the Committee on Government Operations and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

RE-REFERRAL OF A SENATE RESOLUTION

The Chair re-referred the following Senate resolution that was offered:

S.R. No.:

Re-referred to:

S.R. No. 131

Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology and the Committee on Government Operations and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

At this time, Senator Shimabukuro rose to wish Senator Thielen a happy birthday.

Senator Riviere announced that fundraising efforts to benefit the Hawai'i Foodbank were underway and would run through April, and encouraged the members' support.

Senator Gabbard added that the third annual Capitol Idol talent show would be taking place on April 14, 2015, and would involve participants from all three branches of government. Senator Gabbard encouraged the members' participation to benefit the Hawai'i Foodbank.

Senator Baker reminded the members about the Women's Legislative Caucus' Easter Basket Drive to benefit the Institute for Human Services, and thanked Senator Wakai for donating 200 pairs of slippers for the cause.

Senator Slom rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

"Tomorrow, we will take the day off in celebration of that great delegate to the United States Congress, Prince Jonah Kūhiō Kalaniana'ole, who happened to be a Republican. And so I'm so happy that my colleagues will celebrate this day, and I hope you will do it in many, many meaningful ways. If you need any guidance or instruction on how wonderful it is to be a Republican, please come to room 214 all day, all night – we'll be very happy to help you. Thank you, Madam President."

Senator English rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

"You know, let's put this in context. Tomorrow, we will be celebrating Prince Kūhiō Kalaniana'ole, but Hawaiian history is very interesting. The royals got together after the Americans took over here, and they said one prince will become a Democrat and one prince will become a Republican. That way, no matter who wins, the Hawaiian royalty will be in Congress. In that time, that was a strategy that the royal family used to maintain control and maintain their dignity in Hawai'i."

"A very interesting note of Hawaiian history is that they could not organize territorial governments in Hawai'i until the early teens because the Home Rule Party controlled government. In fact, all of government operated in Hawaiian; all government documents were printed in Hawaiian. The

Hawaiian Civic Clubs were born in this time as an auxiliary to the Hawaiian political machine that took over.

“It’s very interesting because when we were independent, Hawaiians fully enfranchised everyone. Women could vote – they could vote from 1864 on. Members of all nationalities and races could vote and participate. America had the Asian Exclusion Act in place, which said that if you were of Asian descent, you were excluded from American citizenship. So those Chinese, Japanese, Koreans, and others of Asian descent who were citizens of the Kingdom of Hawai‘i were made stateless when Hawai‘i became American in 1900. So for most of us who are Asian here, if our grandparents were here at that time, they were denied citizenship. Women lost the right to vote.

“But because of the enfranchisement, the Hawaiians gained the right to participate in the political process once again, and that’s why they were able to take over all of the political machinery in Hawai‘i. We decided that we would have one prince as a Democrat, one prince as a Republican, and the royals still won. So *that* was why we had one prince, Kūhiō Kalaniana‘ole, as a Republican; it was a strategy to support the monarchy. Thank you.”

Senator Kidani rose to clarify that the Senate still had one “prince” who was a Republican.

The Chair then made the following announcement:

“The deadline to file standing committee reports on House bills that need to pass Second Reading and move laterally to the final Senate committee is 9:00 p.m. this evening.”

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:53 a.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Friday, March 27, 2015.

THIRTY-SIXTH DAY

Friday, March 27, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:34 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present with the exception of Senators English and Kouchi who were excused.

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

Senator Chun Oakland, on behalf of Senate President Kim and herself, introduced residents of the 'Ālewa Heights, Liliha, Pu'unui, and Nu'uānu area, who were accompanied in the gallery by State Representative Takashi Ohno and his staff and members of the Office of the Governor. The group was learning about current projects at the Legislature and enjoying the history and beauty of the Capitol building, and was comprised of the following individuals: Tom Strickland, Linda Kuo, Grace Williams, Laura McBride, Emma Moore, Cathy Yanger, Liane Kosaki, Ana Franklin, Jeanette Yamashiro, Joanne Lim, Tony Peloso, Carolyn Inouye, Lester Inouye, Sebastian Inouye, Allison Yee, Madison Yee, Nannette Ganotisi, Rose Ganotisi, Lindsey Bradshaw, Shirley Gomi, Mildred Choy, Cheryl Miyashiro, Rowland Ho, Reeni Ho, Mercedes Nakaza, Javier Mendez, Alberta Chun, Karen Yee, Wilma Yee, Karen Hill, Janet Lee, Harold Hulihe'e Campbell, Faith Kaneshiro, Leslie Chan, Tamara Douglass, Justin Homma, Robert Boulette, Wallace Ohta, Henry Renteria, Mabel Sekiya, Laura Foo, Marian Tomoeda, Violet Irinaka, Francis Shiroma, Grace Nii, Don Toishigawa, Takeo Ito, Leilyn Lui, and Hiromichi Nago.

Senator Taniguchi honored the Military Intelligence Service Veterans of World War II, and presented the following remarks:

"Thank you, Madam President. It is my pleasure this morning to welcome members of the Military Intelligence Service Veterans of World War II to the floor.

"Several thousand Hawai'i people, primarily Americans of Japanese ancestry, served with the U.S. Army's Military Intelligence Service, or MIS, in the war against Japan.

"These soldiers used their knowledge of the enemy's language and culture as interpreters, translators, prisoner-of-war interrogators, cave flushers, and spies behind enemy lines. Many engaged in actual combat. The MIS Nisei were credited with saving countless lives and shortening the war, but their service went largely unheralded because of the secrecy surrounding their work and the often-temporary, unrecorded diversity of their service. Their wartime service took them to such places as China, India, Burma, and to areas in the South Pacific.

"The MIS veterans, with their brothers of the 100th Infantry Battalion and the 442nd Regimental Combat Team, returned home to contribute to the development of the modern Hawai'i we now enjoy. These MIS veterans included such leaders as Governor George Ariyoshi; Hawai'i Supreme Court Justices Masaji Marumoto and Yoshimi Hayashi; Judges Frank Takao and Andrew Sato; attorneys Ted Tsukiyama and Francis Sogi; businessmen Ralph Yempuku and Kazuo Yamane; labor leader Koji Ariyoshi; educators Teichiro Hirata, Richard Kosaki, and my dad, Seiso Taniguchi; and many others who contributed to the betterment of Hawai'i.

"To mark the 70th anniversary of the conclusion of the war in the Pacific, the Military Intelligence Service Veterans Club of Hawaii is having a national reunion this weekend to honor the memory of their contributions and to celebrate the service of

these veterans who responded to our nation's call to duty. They will also mark the opening of an MIS exhibit at the Army Museum at Fort DeRussy. Please join me in giving them all a round of applause.

"On the floor today we have Mr. Robert Honke; he served in China, Burma, and India and was assigned to the 5th Radio Squadron to intercept and translate Japanese military communications. We also have Mr. Kenzo Kanemoto; he served in the Philippines, assigned as an interpreter for Japanese military war crimes trials there. We have Norman Hashisaka; he served in the occupation of Japan and as Far East Command interpreter at Japanese military war crimes trials there. We also have Andrew Sato; Judge Sato served in the mainland U.S. and Hawai'i, assigned as interpreter for Japanese prisoners in California. He also escorted Italian prisoners of war from Honouliuli back to Italy after the war. We also have another group of vets and their families in the gallery this morning."

At 11:41 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 11:49 a.m.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senators Shimabukuro, Green, and Thielen, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Health and the Committee on Water and Land, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1076) recommending that H.B. No. 393, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 393, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN FISHPONDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Espero and Wakai, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1077) recommending that H.B. No. 746, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 746, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CYBERSECURITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Espero and Wakai, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1078) recommending that H.B. No. 1282, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1282, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BROADBAND COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Ruderman and Gabbard, for the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1079)

recommending that H.B. No. 871, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 871, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BIOSECURITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Ruderman and Baker, for the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1080) recommending that H.B. No. 501, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 501, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Ruderman and Thielen, for the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Water and Land, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1081) recommending that H.B. No. 1453, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1453, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE MOLOA'A WELL PROJECT ON THE ISLAND OF KAUAI," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Gabbard and Baker, for the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1082) recommending that H.B. No. 620, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 620, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Gabbard and Baker, for the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1083) recommending that H.B. No. 621, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 621, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Gabbard and Wakai, for the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1084) recommending that H.B. No. 240, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 240, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO SEAWATER AIR CONDITIONING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Shimabukuro and Thielen, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1085) recommending that H.B. No. 515, H.D. 3, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 515, H.D. 3, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REMNANTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Shimabukuro and Ruderman, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Agriculture, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1086) recommending that H.B. No. 205, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Water and Land.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 205, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATED TO AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Water and Land.

Senators Taniguchi and Thielen, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Water and Land, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1087) recommending that H.B. No. 830, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 830, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1088) recommending that H.B. No. 496, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 496, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1089) recommending that H.B. No. 492, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 492, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1090) recommending that H.B. No. 452, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and

H.B. No. 452, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATEWIDE SEXUAL ASSAULT SERVICES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1091) recommending that H.B. No. 147, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 147, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1092) recommending that H.B. No. 805, H.D. 2 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 805, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERANS DISABILITY BENEFITS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1093) recommending that H.B. No. 1325, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1325, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STORMWATER MANAGEMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1094) recommending that H.B. No. 1040, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1040, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Gabbard and Baker, for the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1095) recommending that H.B. No. 1504, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1504, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Gabbard and Thielen, for the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Water and Land, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1096) recommending that H.B. No. 1286, H.D. 2, as amended in

S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1286, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senators Ruderman and Espero, for the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1097) recommending that H.B. No. 1042, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1042, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IMPORTANT AGRICULTURAL LANDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Thielen and Gabbard, for the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1098) recommending that H.B. No. 1478, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1478, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS HUMPBACK WHALE NATIONAL MARINE SANCTUARY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Nishihara and Espero, for the majority of the Committee on Transportation and the majority of the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1099) recommending that H.B. No. 134, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the majority of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 134, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1100) recommending that H.B. No. 715, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 715, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOW-SPEED ELECTRIC BICYCLES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senators Nishihara and Thielen, for the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Water and Land, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1101) recommending that H.B. No. 971, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 971, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ALOHA TOWER DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Keith-Agaran, Ruderman, and Kidani, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Education, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1102) recommending that H.B. No. 853, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 853, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1103) recommending that H.B. No. 124, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 124, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green and Espero, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1104) recommending that H.B. No. 321, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 321, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL MARIJUANA," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green and Baker, for the Committee on Health and the majority of the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1105) recommending that H.B. No. 1075, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the majority of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1075, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green and Baker, for the majority of the Committee on Health and the majority of the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1106) recommending that H.B. No. 1112, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1112, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS

CORPORATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Espero and Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Government Operations, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1107) recommending that H.B. No. 293, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 293, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUOR LICENSES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Espero, Nishihara, and Keith-Agaran, for the majority of the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Transportation and the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1108) recommending that H.B. No. 1010, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the majority of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1010, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COMMUTER BENEFITS PROGRAM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1109) recommending that H.B. No. 1214, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1214, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE-COUNTY FUNCTIONS WORKING GROUP," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1110) recommending that H.B. No. 1344, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1344, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MITIGATION OF HAZARDOUS SITUATIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Wakai and Espero, for the Committee on Economic Development and Technology and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1111) recommending that H.B. No. 1343, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1343, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Wakai and Baker, for the Committee on Economic Development and Technology and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1112) recommending that H.B. No. 1090, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1090, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Wakai, for the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1113) recommending that H.B. No. 774, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 774, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMALL BUSINESS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Wakai, for the majority of the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1114) recommending that H.B. No. 441, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 441, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATEWIDE INFRASTRUCTURE CAPACITY BUILDING CONSTRUCTION FINANCING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Wakai, for the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1115) recommending that S.C.R. No. 37, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 37, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM TO TAKE CERTAIN ACTIONS TO IMPROVE JOB CREATION AND BUSINESS CLIMATE," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Wakai, for the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1116) recommending that S.R. No. 13, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 13, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM TO TAKE CERTAIN ACTIONS TO IMPROVE JOB CREATION AND BUSINESS CLIMATE," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Wakai, for the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1117) recommending that S.C.R. No. 36 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and

S.C.R. No. 36, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HIGH TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION TO ESTABLISH A WORKING GROUP TO EXAMINE THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A FIRST RESPONDERS TECHNOLOGY CAMPUS AND COMMAND CENTER IN CENTRAL OAHU," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Wakai, for the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1118) recommending that S.R. No. 12 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 12, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HIGH TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION TO ESTABLISH A WORKING GROUP TO EXAMINE THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A FIRST RESPONDERS TECHNOLOGY CAMPUS AND COMMAND CENTER IN CENTRAL OAHU," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Thielen and Chun Oakland, for the majority of the Committee on Water and Land and the majority of the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1119) recommending that H.B. No. 1469, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the majority of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1469, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISPOSITION OF TAX REVENUES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Chun Oakland and Green, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1120) recommending that H.B. No. 582, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 582, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE NURSING FACILITY SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1121) recommending that H.B. No. 283, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 283, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A GENERAL EXCISE TAX EXEMPTION FOR MIXED-USE HOUSING PROJECTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1122) recommending that H.B. No. 600, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 600, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO COMMUNITY CARE FOSTER FAMILY HOMES,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1123) recommending that H.B. No. 1332, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1332, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IRRIGATION,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1124) recommending that H.B. No. 482, H.D. 2 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 482, H.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1125) recommending that H.B. No. 573, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 573, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII GOOD AGRICULTURAL PRACTICES,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1126) recommending that H.B. No. 1345, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1345, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Government Operations, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1127) recommending that H.B. No. 1292, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1292, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Government Operations, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1128) recommending that H.B. No. 1127, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1127, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Government Operations, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1129)

recommending that H.B. No. 697, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 697, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE FACILITIES,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Government Operations, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1130) recommending that H.B. No. 1366, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1366, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE ACQUISITION OR DEVELOPMENT OF REAL PROPERTY,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Taniguchi and Keith-Agaran, for the majority of the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1131) recommending that H.B. No. 553, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the majority of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 553, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1132) recommending that H.B. No. 1177, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1177, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Ruderman and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1133) recommending that H.B. No. 823, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 823, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL THEFT,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1134) recommending that H.B. No. 995, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 995, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1135) recommending that H.B. No. 541, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 541, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TUITION AND FEES SPECIAL FUND," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Taniguchi, for the majority of the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1136) recommending that H.B. No. 547, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 547, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1137) recommending that H.B. No. 140, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 140, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR CHAMINADE UNIVERSITY OF HONOLULU," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1138) recommending that H.B. No. 1372, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1372, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1139) recommending that H.B. No. 1051, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1051, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1140) recommending that H.B. No. 508, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 508, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading

and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kahele, for the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1141) recommending that H.B. No. 775, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 775, H.D. 1, 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 Keith-Agaran, for the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1142) recommending that H.B. No. 391, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 391, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WAGES AND HOURS ON PUBLIC WORKS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1143) recommending that H.B. No. 1497, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1497, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1144) recommending that H.B. No. 1356, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1356, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNFUNDED LIABILITIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1145) recommending that H.B. No. 676, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 676, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1146) recommending that H.B. No. 734, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and

H.B. No. 734, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1147) recommending that H.B. No. 968, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 968, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIABILITY FOR AMOUNTS PASSED ON AS TAX," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1148) recommending that H.B. No. 1352, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1352, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1149) recommending that H.B. No. 1236, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1236, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Chun Oakland and Green, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1150) recommending that H.B. No. 859, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 859, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green and Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1151) recommending that H.B. No. 943, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 943, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CIVIL MONETARY PENALTY SPECIAL FUND," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1152) recommending that H.B. No. 540, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 540, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII ACCOUNTING AND FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT SYSTEM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1153) recommending that H.B. No. 545, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 545, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FUNDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Shimabukuro and Kidani, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Education, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1154) recommending that H.B. No. 874, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 874, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE IMMERSION PROGRAM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Shimabukuro, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1155) recommending that H.B. No. 209, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 209, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET OF THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1156) recommending that H.B. No. 483, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 483, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OCEAN RESOURCES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Shimabukuro, Espeso, and Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1157) recommending that H.B. No. 142, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 142, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING ON HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1158) recommending that H.B. No. 1099, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1099, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OUTDOOR ADVERTISING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Government Operations, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1159) recommending that H.B. No. 1180, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1180, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Taniguchi and Gabbard, for the majority of the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the majority of the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1160) recommending that H.B. No. 1509, H.D. 3, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the majority of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1509, H.D. 3, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Wakai, for the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1161) recommending that H.B. No. 1167, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1167, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CAPITAL INFRASTRUCTURE TAX CREDIT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Wakai and Gabbard, for the Committee on Economic Development and Technology and the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1162) recommending that H.B. No. 1296, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1296, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Wakai, for the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1163) recommending that H.B. No. 1069, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1069, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

ORDER OF THE DAY

ADVISE AND CONSENT

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1075 (Gov. Msg. No. 503):

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1075 and Gov. Msg. No. 503 was deferred until Tuesday, March 31, 2015.

ADOPTION OF A RESOLUTION

MATTER DEFERRED FROM WEDNESDAY, MARCH 25, 2015

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1074 (S.C.R. No. 30):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 30, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO SUPPORT THE KIDS' SAVINGS PROJECT," was adopted.

THIRD READING

H.B. No. 179, H.D. 1, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, H.B. No. 179, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERMANENT ABSENTEE BALLOTS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (English, Galuteria, Kouchi).

H.B. No. 947, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, H.B. No. 947, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RECORDS OF FORENSIC EXAMINATIONS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (English, Galuteria, Kouchi).

H.B. No. 1410, H.D. 1, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Thielen, seconded by Senator Ihara and carried, H.B. No. 1410, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE YOUTH CONSERVATION CORPS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (English, Galuteria, Kouchi).

REFERRAL OF A HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

The President made the following committee assignment of a House concurrent resolution received on Friday, March 20, 2015:

H.C.R. No.:	Referred to:
H.C.R. No. 14	Committee on Human Services and Housing

**RE-REFERRAL OF A
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

The Chair re-referred the following Senate concurrent resolution that was offered:

S.C.R. No.:	Re-referred to:
S.C.R. No. 100	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

RE-REFERRAL OF A SENATE RESOLUTION

The Chair re-referred the following Senate resolution that was offered:

S.R. No.:	Re-referred to:
S.R. No. 54	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

RE-REFERRAL OF HOUSE BILLS

The Chair re-referred the following House bills that were received:

H.B. No.:	Re-referred to:
H.B. No. 1168, H.D. 1	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Ways and Means
H.B. No. 1219, H.D. 1	Jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Ways and Means

MISCELLANEOUS COMMUNICATION

The following communication (Misc. Com. No. 5) was read by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Misc. Com. No. 5, letter of complaint from Richard W. Baker dated February 3, 2015, relating to the voter registration and claimed residence of Senator Brickwood Galuteria.

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:52 a.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Monday, March 30, 2015.

THIRTY-SEVENTH DAY

Monday, March 30, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:37 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present with the exception of Senator Galuteria who was excused.

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

Senator Wakai, on behalf of Senate President Kim, congratulated the Farrington High School Governors boys basketball team on earning its second straight OIA Division I Championship, and presented the following remarks:

"Thank you, Madam Chair. Well, Mililani Week was two weeks ago; let's start Farrington Week at the Capitol today. On behalf of you, a proud alumna, Madam President, I present to all of you, fellow senators, the Farrington High School Governors boys basketball team. We are very proud of their achievement, having earned their second straight OIA Division I championship, adding yet another title to the school's long and illustrious athletic success.

"The Governors enjoyed an overall record this past year of 22 wins and 10 losses, but to their credit, they peaked at the very right moment. Their championship was a reward for these young men pursuing a shared goal, a commitment to each other, and dedication to sportsmanship. During the D1 playoffs, these young men played against the very best in the grueling, seven-day, single elimination tournament. The team faced Wai'anae, Campbell, top-ranked Kalaheo, and Kahuku, and came away undefeated in all of those games, two of which were in overtime.

"Joining us on the floor this morning are three distinguished individuals from Farrington; help me in welcoming Coach Allan Silva. Next to him is Assistant Head Coach Len Scaduto; and representing the basketball team today is Bryce Tatupu-Leopoldo.

"There are a number of players who are in the gallery, so with your indulgence, please allow me to introduce many of the team members. The Governors are Makana Correia, Bernard Dela Cruz, Allan Dudalao, Lenin John 'LJ' Gonzáles, Julian Higashi, Hezekiah 'Heze' Iaea, Kapono Kakalia, Keola 'Ola' Kealoha, Montana Liana, Paul Madamba, Ranan Mamiya, Jay-ar Sebastian, Nicholle 'Ton' Selga, Jake Smith, and Tua Unutoa. Members, please welcome them and acknowledge them for their championship performance.

"Some of the other supportive members of the Farrington basketball team are also Assistant Coaches Stanford Puahi, Mark Dudalao, Tony Colazo, and Charles Silva. The Farrington basketball team is illustrious because of the JV support system that they have been groomed under, and the junior varsity support team is represented by Head Coach Mike Quatero and his assistants Brent Bargamento, Jeff Madarang, Jay-Mark Raquino, and Karlos Olsen. They also have student managers for this past season; they are Angelina Sagapolu, Mary-Anne McMillin, Lisa Austin, Lexuss Tulba, Naomi Peltier, Shayla Machado, Shane Machado, Lynn Scaduto, Megan Grace McMillin, and Shayne Tauaefa. Thank you all for joining us. Thank you for bearing with me with some of these difficult names.

"We commend and congratulate all the coaches and members of the Farrington basketball team and extend our best wishes for

their continued success in athletics and hope to see you back here next year. Congratulations."

At 11:42 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 11:49 a.m.

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the House (Hse. Com. Nos. 342 and 343) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Hse. Com. No. 342, returning S.B. No. 103, S.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 27, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 343, informing the Senate that on March 27, 2015, the House disagreed to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 952, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1).

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Government Operations, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1164) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of AUDREY HIDANO as Deputy Director of the Department of Accounting and General Services, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 539.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1164 and Gov. Msg. No. 539 was deferred until Tuesday, March 31, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1165) recommending that H.B. No. 126, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 126, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT COST ITEMS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Wednesday, April 1, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1166) recommending that H.B. No. 173, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 173, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REPEAL OF FUNDS AND ACCOUNTS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Wednesday, April 1, 2015.

Senator Espero rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

"Thank you, Madam President, colleagues, our body was scheduled to honor the Domestic Violence Action Center today on the Senate floor. However, due to a family emergency, their executive director, Nanci Kreidman, was not able to join us. For the record, I still want to say a few words as the Domestic Violence Action Center marks 25 years of service to our state.

"Over the years, the DVAC has proven its vital contribution to the safety and well-being of Hawai'i's families by helping survivors of domestic violence become safe and by rebuilding their lives without violence. The DVAC provides unduplicated specialized services to survivors of domestic violence and seeks

to educate the community through professional training, public awareness initiatives, technical assistance, and educational outreach programs.

“With a staff of 52, the DVAC serves adult, children, and teen survivors of intimate partner violence, dating violence, child abuse, sexual assault, and stalking through a comprehensive array of client-centered services. Such services include legal representation, client advocacy, support for families in the child welfare system suffering from child and partner abuse, on-site civil and criminal court outreach, community outreach, culturally responsive support, and telephone assistance.

“The DVAC accepts high-risk, contested divorce; temporary restraining order; post-decree; and paternity cases, and provides safety planning, crisis support, risk assessment, support groups, accompaniment, and bilingual advocacy.

“Today we recognize the efforts of the DVAC, and this legislative session, we do have some bills to help domestic violence individuals, and we look forward to the day when its work is no longer needed. Thank you, Madam President.”

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:52 a.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Tuesday, March 31, 2015.

THIRTY-EIGHTH DAY

Tuesday, March 31, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:33 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present with the exception of Senator Espero who was excused.

The President announced that she had read and approved the Journal of the Thirty-Seventh Day.

Senator Thielen welcomed the Waimānalo Seniors, who were present in the gallery with Uncle Joe Tassill; and extended an additional recognition to the members of the Boys & Girls Club Windward Clubhouse including Clubhouse Director Maureen Purington and Program Director Tiare Kakaouha.

Senator Kahele introduced members of the Boys & Girls Club of the Big Island including Zavi Brees-Saunders, chief professional officer; Elisha Stutes, Youth of the Year event speaker; Tyler Nahinu, Youth of the Year finalist; and Kim Cortez, mother of Benjamin Cortez, Jr., Boys & Girls of the Big Island Youth of the Year.

Senator Ihara welcomed eleventh grade students from Kaimuki High School who were visiting the Capitol as part of their "Modern History of Hawai'i" graduation course. The students were accompanied in the gallery by Vice Principal Robyn Tom, Librarian Lori Chun, and other teachers, counselors, and ELL consultants.

Senator Shimabukuro introduced members from the Boys & Girls Club Nānākuli Clubhouse including Clubhouse Director Claudia "Lala" Fernandez and her staff, as well as members from the Wai'anae Clubhouse including Clubhouse Director Lana Keamo and her staff.

Senator Baker, on behalf of Senator English and Senator Keith-Agaran, recognized students and staff from the Boys & Girls Clubs of Maui who were accompanied in the gallery by Chief Executive Officer Kelly Pearson.

Senator Wakai commended the Boys & Girls Clubs across Hawai'i, and presented the following remarks:

"Thank you, Madam President. It is always such a pleasure to be surrounded by youthful energy, and we can feel it today. Today, we are honored to have on the floor with us five talented young Boys & Girls Clubs of Hawai'i finalists in this year's Youth of the Year award. The Boys & Girls Clubs of Hawai'i have been a valuable community partner to enrich the lives of our state's keiki, servicing more than 20,000 children in 19 areas of our state. The Boys & Girls Clubs take disadvantaged youth and help them to discover their full potential to grow as productive, responsible, and caring citizens. The holistic approach to children enrichment keys in on areas of character, leadership, development, education, and career advancement as well as life skills. They also promote a healthy love for the arts and fitness programs.

"On the floor, we have finalist Anne-Tonie Case of Radford High School. Anne-Tonie is a proud member of the Keystone Club, which focuses on numerous community service projects such as beach cleanups and the Foodbank of Hawai'i donation drive. Anne-Tonie is also a member of the 4-H garden club, photography club, and fitness club. Thank you, Anne, for your contributions.

"Next to her, from Kihei Charter High School and University of Hawai'i Maui College, I'd like to introduce finalist Sedona Estomo. Sedona's a highly motivated and intelligent young lady

who maintains a 4.3 GPA. A member of the Boys & Girls Club since 2005, she loves the art focus that the club offers its students. Sedona's also instrumental in creating the 'no texting while driving' PSA video for the local cable networks and murals on the island of Maui.

"Our third finalist today is Ben Cortez of Hilo High School. Ben has been a member of the Boys & Girls Club of the Big Island since the age of seven. He is one of the most active members of the club and enjoys gardening and playing sports. Outside of club life, Ben was a Pop Warner football player and now serves as a junior coach.

"Next to Ben is Micah Dunn. Micah is this year's fourth finalist and is a student at Radford High School. Micah serves others as an inspirational mentor and supporter for three years as manager for both the JV and varsity basketball teams. Micah's been involved with the AMR Youth Center, Boys & Girls Club, Torch, and Keystone Club. Micah aspires to attend college and become a professional basketball player.

"And our fifth exemplary finalist is Luke Rita. Luke hails from beautiful Kapa'a, Kaua'i. Throughout life, Luke has faced numerous challenges, such as being born with cerebral palsy and partially deaf. Through the support of the Boys & Girls Club and his family and friends, Luke has blossomed into a respected leader who speaks at numerous events across the island about overcoming personal challenges through the support of the Boys & Girls Club.

"Congratulations to all of our finalists this morning, and they are joined on the floor by one of the Boys & Girls Club's most well-respected leaders, Ms. Frances Rivera. And we heard from some of our neighbor island colleagues, but there's a full gallery of Boys & Girls Clubs supporters, so if you're here for the Boys & Girls Clubs, could you please rise to be recognized by all of us senators? Thank you for all that you do for our keiki."

At 11:42 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 11:48 a.m.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 546 to 553) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Gov. Msg. No. 546, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Regents of the University of Hawai'i, the nomination of MICHAEL T. MCENERNEY, term to expire June 30, 2020, was referred to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts.

Gov. Msg. No. 547, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Regents of the University of Hawai'i, the nomination of DAVID IHA, term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts.

Gov. Msg. No. 548, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Regents of the University of Hawai'i, the nomination of ERNEST WILSON, JR., term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts.

Gov. Msg. No. 549, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Regents of the University of Hawai'i, the nomination of HELEN NIELSEN, term to expire

June 30, 2015, was referred to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts.

Gov. Msg. No. 550, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Regents of the University of Hawaii, the nomination of SIMEON ACOBA, JR., term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts.

Gov. Msg. No. 551, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Regents of the University of Hawaii, the nomination of WAYNE HIGAKI, term to expire June 30, 2016, was referred to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts.

Gov. Msg. No. 552, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Community Development Authority, the nomination of BEAU J.K. BASSETT, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Gov. Msg. No. 553, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Community Development Authority, the nomination of MARY PAT WATERHOUSE, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the House (Hse. Com. Nos. 344 and 345) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Hse. Com. No. 344, transmitting H.C.R. No. 224, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on March 30, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 224, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NAMING THE NEW WAIMANALO ELEMENTARY AND INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL BUILDING IN HONOR OF AL LEWIS," was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 345, informing the Senate that on March 30, 2015, the House disagreed to the amendments proposed by the Senate to the following House bills:

H.B. No. 179, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 947 (S.D. 1); and
H.B. No. 1410, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1),

was placed on file.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Kahele, for the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1167) recommending that S.R. No. 34, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1167 and S.R. No. 34, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION COMMEMORATING THE THIRTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF HAWAII'S SISTER-STATE RELATIONSHIP WITH THE GUANGDONG PROVINCE," was deferred until Wednesday, April 1, 2015.

Senators Kahele and Baker, for the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1168) recommending that S.C.R. No. 158 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1168 and S.C.R. No. 158, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO EXAMINE IF AND HOW OTHER STATES REGULATE TOUR OPERATORS WITHIN

THEIR JURISDICTION," was deferred until Wednesday, April 1, 2015.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1169) recommending that S.C.R. No. 48 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1169 and S.C.R. No. 48, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DIVISION OF AQUATIC RESOURCES AND DIVISION OF CONSERVATION AND RESOURCES ENFORCEMENT TO COLLABORATE WITH FEDERAL PARTNER AGENCIES TO PROTECT IMPORTANT STATE MARINE RESOURCES," was deferred until Wednesday, April 1, 2015.

Senator Kahele, for the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1170) recommending that S.C.R. No. 74, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 74, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY TO COORDINATE WITH THE HOSPITALITY INDUSTRY, CORPORATION FOR TRAVEL PROMOTION, AND HAWAII'S CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION TO AMEND THE H-1B VISA LAW TO ALLOW FOR EMPLOYMENT OF PERSONS WITH CULTURAL AND LANGUAGE SKILLS THAT WILL HELP CREATE A MORE WELCOMING ENVIRONMENT FOR INTERNATIONAL VISITORS," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kahele, for the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1171), recommending that S.R. No. 35, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 35, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY TO COORDINATE WITH THE HOSPITALITY INDUSTRY, CORPORATION FOR TRAVEL PROMOTION, AND HAWAII'S CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION TO AMEND THE H-1B VISA LAW TO ALLOW FOR EMPLOYMENT OF PERSONS WITH CULTURAL AND LANGUAGE SKILLS THAT WILL HELP CREATE A MORE WELCOMING ENVIRONMENT FOR INTERNATIONAL VISITORS," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

ORDER OF THE DAY

ADVISE AND CONSENT

MATTER DEFERRED FROM FRIDAY, MARCH 27, 2015

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1075 (Gov. Msg. No. 503):

Senator Dela Cruz moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1075 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Nishihara and carried.

Senator Dela Cruz then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of DOUGLAS MURDOCK as Director of the Department of Accounting and General Services, term to expire December 3, 2018, seconded by Senator Nishihara.

Senator Dela Cruz rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

"Thank you, Madam President. Today, I am pleased to speak in support of the governor's appointee for comptroller, Douglas

Murdock. Mr. Murdock has extensive experience in both the public and private sectors. Prior to beginning work as comptroller, Mr. Murdock was vice president of Administrative and Fiscal Affairs for the Hawai'i Tourism Authority – we won't hold that against him. Previous to that, he served as counsel with the law firm of Alston Hunt Floyd & Ing.

"Further, Mr. Murdock has 25 years of service with the United States Air Force and rose to the rank of colonel during his tenure with the Air Force Judge Advocate General's Corps. He was responsible for multibillion-dollar acquisitions, advising base leadership on government ethics and procurement integrity, leading a 45-member legal office, and supervising general court-martial jurisdiction. He was a member of the Hawai'i Procurement Policy Board from 2011 to 2012, and is a former president of the National Contract Management Association, Aloha Chapter.

"Your Committee on Government Operations believes that the nominee possesses the necessary qualifications to serve as comptroller and lead the Department of Accounting and General Services. Mr. Murdock has demonstrated his commitment to public service through his military and state careers. His expertise in managing government contracts and emphasis on professional ethics are invaluable, as comptroller, to possess. Colleagues, I ask for your support of Governor's Message 503."

Senator Slom rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

"Thank you, Madam President, colleagues. On behalf of the Minority, I rise in strong support of the nominee. In the very short period of time that I've gotten to know him and talk to him, I'm convinced that he is absolutely the right man for the right job. We have placed a greater importance on DAGS, and we certainly need some changes to be made, and he's the man to make them. We're very happy to support him. Thank you."

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

Ayes, 23. Noes, none. Excused, 2 (Espero, Taniguchi).

At this time, Senator Dela Cruz introduced newly confirmed Director Douglas Murdock, who was present in the gallery.

ADVISE AND CONSENT

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1164 (Gov. Msg. No. 539):

Senator Dela Cruz moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1164 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Nishihara and carried.

Senator Dela Cruz then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of AUDREY HIDANO as Deputy Director of the Department of Accounting and General Services, term to expire December 3, 2018, seconded by Senator Nishihara.

Senator Dela Cruz rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

"Thank you, Madam President. I am also pleased to support the appointment of Audrey Hidano as deputy of the Department of Accounting and General Services. Ms. Hidano recently served as the deputy director of the Department of Transportation until December 2014. Previous to that, from 2010 to 2013, she served as deputy director of the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations, a position she also held from 2000 to 2002. Ms. Hidano also has served in the private sector as co-founder of Hidano Construction, where she continues to serve as secretary/treasurer; is co-owner of Rim-Pac, Inc.; and vice president and secretary of Grand Development, Inc. The nominee has acquired a range of expertise in the areas of

personnel management, payroll, accounting, human resources management, and contract management over the course of her career in the construction industry. And she did serve a short stint in the Honolulu City Council; I think she served with you, Madam President.

"Your committee believes that this nominee is eminently qualified to serve as the deputy director of the Department of Accounting and General Services. Ms. Hidano's background in the private and public sectors provide her with a wealth of expertise necessary for understanding the industry and industry contacts, which will be valuable as she contributes to the leadership of a department charged with overseeing numerous state construction contracts.

"Colleagues, I ask you to support Governor's Message 539, appointing Audrey Hidano as deputy director of the Department of Accounting and General Services."

Senator Slom rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

"Thank you, Madam President. Again, the Minority is in full support of this nominee. Personally, I've had the pleasure of knowing Ms. Hidano for many years over many careers, but in all of those careers, she has blended private expertise, public service, independence of mind and spirit. I think we're all very lucky because we're going to have a very good team with Murdock and Hidano at DAGS. Thank you."

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

Ayes, 23. Noes, none. Excused, 2 (Espero, Taniguchi).

At this time, Senator Dela Cruz introduced newly confirmed Deputy Director Audrey Hidano, who was present in the gallery with her husband and supporters from the Department of Accounting and General Services.

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

The Senate reconvened at 12:01 p.m.

RE-REFERRAL OF A HOUSE BILL

The Chair re-referred the following House bill that was received:

H.B. No.:	Re-referred to:
H.B. No. 1028, H.D. 2	Jointly to the Committee on Government Operations and the Committee on Ways and Means

Senator Dela Cruz rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

"I just wanted to let the members know that I did talk to the DAGS director and the deputy director about the paper towels in the bathroom because that seems to be a very common concern of the membership, and I hope that they can get that solved quickly. Thank you."

Senator Baker reminded the members and staff about the Easter basket drive to benefit the Institute for Human Services.

Senator Gabbard announced that developer D.R. Horton-Schuler Homes had donated five acres of land at its Ho'opili development for a Hawaiian Humane Society West O'ahu location, which would benefit North Shore and Leeward residents, of whom 74 percent have pets.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:04 p.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Wednesday, April 1, 2015.

THIRTY-NINTH DAY

Wednesday, April 1, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:38 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present.

The President announced that she had read and approved the Journal of the Thirty-Eighth Day.

Senator Espero, on behalf of Senate President Kim, introduced Naia Torres, the reigning USA National Miss Hawaii Preteen 2015 and Miss Pre-Teen Hawaii 2014, who was accompanied in the gallery by her mother, Tamara.

Senator Taniguchi introduced members of the Graduate Student Organization at the University of Hawai'i at Mānoa: President Michelle Tigchelaar, Advocacy Co-Chairs Jonathan Dial and Nicholas Chagnon, Employment and Compensation Chair Bret Polopolus-Meredith, Newsletter Chair Camila Ortega, Graduate Student Legislative Fellow Kristine Jan Espinoza, Penn Pantumsinchai, Sanna King, Valerie "Pua" Hookano Jeter, Pablo Wegesend, Eg Hoogland, and Ryan Tolman.

Senator Kaele congratulated Team Hoku members Brian Hall, Theodore Derego, and Casey Peering for winning the 2015 Microsoft Imagine Cup Pitch Video Challenge in the Games Category. The team members were present in the gallery with Jerry Chang, director of university relations at the University of Hawai'i at Hilo; Harry Keith Edwards, the team's instructor; and Misty Carmichael, Brian Hall's wife.

Senator Baker welcomed State Representative Jo Jordan, former Chair of the Democratic Party of Hawai'i Dante Carpenter, and Jonathan Starr, who were present in the gallery.

Senator Shimabukuro recognized the outstanding advocacy of Art Frank, and presented the following remarks:

"Thank you so much, Madam President. Art Frank, who is a deaf quadriplegic, is someone who has defied all the odds and served Hawai'i's community in countless ways. He has had a long and active role with the disabled community, on the Wai'anae Coast, and with the Hawai'i Democratic Party.

"In 1981, Mr. Frank spent five years lobbying for a bill which allows deaf individuals to attend government meetings and request a sign language interpreter or communication access real time translation, also known as 'CART.' He also worked tirelessly to ensure that Capitol restrooms were ADA-compliant and that disabled parking was afforded to disabled visitors at the Capitol, enduring 27 parking tickets in the process.

"Mr. Frank has also testified in support of measures to benefit the Wai'anae Coast. He has come to the Capitol on short notice numerous times to speak out in favor of measures to help alleviate traffic and otherwise improve conditions for the west side. He also attends neighborhood board and other community meetings and events aimed at bettering the lives of those on the Wai'anae Coast.

"Mr. Frank, along with his dear friend who we are also honoring today, Al Lewis, has been a devoted member of the Democratic Party for decades. Mr. Frank and Mr. Lewis have volunteered countless hours for many campaigns. I met both of them on the campaign trail and was deeply inspired by their positive energy, enthusiasm, and sense of humor. Mr. Frank, who resides on the Wai'anae Coast, and Mr. Lewis, who hails from Waimānalo, have volunteered for campaigns spanning the

island, going as far as the opposite side of the island to support the candidates they believe in.

"Raised in Waimānalo, Mr. Frank graduated from St. Louis High School and is proud of his Hawaiian and 'chop suey' heritage. He jokes that he met his devoted wife, Carolyn, in the shower. In fact, she was his nurse, and the first time they met happened to be in the shower of his hospital room. Since being married, Carolyn learned sign language and has always been Mr. Frank's rock. Carolyn has supported all of her husband's many community activities and kept the home fires burning during the many hours he has spent away from home serving his community.

"The fact that we are honoring Mr. Frank and Mr. Lewis on April 1st, April Fools' Day, couldn't be more appropriate. Both are always cracking jokes and pranks, and together they brought double the laughter to all in their company. Mr. Frank told me that he once proved a point about the inadequacy of the Capitol's bathrooms for the disabled by hurling a roll of toilet paper to the ceiling. That's the kind of comic relief we need more of at the Capitol.

"I wanted to end by expressing my heartfelt thanks to Mr. Frank. He was like an angel sent down from the heavens in my time of need. The devotion and time he has spent supporting me and the belief that he had in me were instrumental in getting me to where I am today, and I will forever be grateful. Now that I have met Mr. Frank, whenever I feel my troubles are overwhelming, I often think of him. And once he pops into my head, I can't help but smile. I don't think Mr. Frank, who is a deaf quadriplegic, has ever spent a minute feeling sorry for himself. Instead, he's a man who understands how precious life is and has chosen to use every ounce of his energy to try and make the world a better place.

"Accompanying Mr. Frank on the floor are his wife and sisters. We have his wife, Carolyn Frank; his sister Gwen Ahana; and sister Susan Frank-Kama. Thank you so much for being here as well. And also here for Mr. Frank in the gallery are his friends and relatives, some of whom are from the deaf community. We have Representative Jo Jordan; Ruth 'Wai' Paaoao; Kukana Kama-Toth; Dr. Lawrence Redmond; Debbie and Jesse Jackson; Reverend David and Juanita Schiewek; Dante Carpenter; Nancyann Micky; Wilfred Soong; Ed Chevy; Linda and Jeff Lemrecht; Billy Kekua; Darlene Ewan; Colleen Adade; Lisa Tom; and Patty Sakal. And if I missed anyone, please do rise. Audience, let's please thank these guests. Thank you."

Senator Thielen honored and remembered the life of Albert Lewis, and presented the following remarks:

"Thank you, Madam President. It's my honor today to pay tribute to the late Al Lewis. I want to begin by thanking Art Frank; as Senator Shimabukuro said, the two of them were very close friends. They grew up together in Waimānalo, and I can just see the trouble they caused as young children. And when Senator Shimabukuro told Art that she wanted to honor him today on the floor, his first request was, 'Can we also honor Al Lewis?', his good buddy.

"So I wanted to recognize Al Lewis as one of Waimānalo's most influential community leaders, who selflessly contributed to helping those in need. Uncle Al was born in Honolulu on May 28, 1944. He's a graduate of Kailua High School and worked for the State of Hawai'i.

"Uncle Al became a card-carrying Democrat as soon as he could vote at the age of 21 and was a loyal member of the Democratic Party of Hawai'i his entire life. He was a dedicated

supporter of local labor groups and committed his time to public service and participated in community affairs, including being chairman of the Waimānalo Neighborhood Board.

“During all of his community work, Uncle Al always found time for his friends. One night, he was invited to a party that was made up of all couples but only one other unmarried person, a young woman visiting from the mainland. Uncle Al, all six foot four inches of him, swept the young Florence Mae Bowes, or Bowsie, just under five feet, off of her feet. And they married and became parents to David and Kaleo, and grandparents to Kawika, Kristy, Alapaki, and Brienne.

“In between all of his family time, though, Uncle Al founded the Friends of Waimanalo. He brought communities together from all areas of the island to the Waimanalo Community Carnival every year, which he was the voice of the community carnival. He was the president of the Waimanalo Council of Community Organizations, the Waimanalo Jaycees, and worked with the Waimanalo Teen Project. He enriched the lives of families, keiki, and kūpuna alike and impacted others around him with his integrity and make-a-difference outlook.

“But Uncle Al would not have been able to accomplish his community efforts without the full support of his loving wife, Bowsie. Bowsie is a former registered nurse and has been devotedly at Uncle Al’s side every single day. She was his inspiration and encouraged him emotionally and was the strength behind his passion to serve. It is her dedication which permitted Uncle Al to be generous with his time and a significant advocate of Waimānalo who inspired everyone who met him.

“I first met Uncle Al about three years ago, and he was a man with about the biggest heart that I knew. It’s funny because many of us, we fight over limited resources, but Uncle Al knew that there was one resource that was never limited, and that was love. And no matter how much love you gave away, there was always more love to give. He dedicated his time to helping cancer victims – he would drive them to get their chemotherapy, and on the way home, against the rules of the American Cancer Society, he would take them to do whatever errands they wanted. But the head of the American Cancer Society, a former colleague of ours, said they would make exceptions for Uncle Al because they knew that it was just in his nature to give and give and give.

“So I’d like to honor his memory but also to honor his family today: his son David and his wife, Bowsie – if you two would stand to be recognized, because Uncle Al would not have been able to do what he did without your strength and support day in and day out. And the many members in the gallery who are friends of Uncle Al as well, thank you for attending today.”

At 11:53 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 12:02 p.m.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 554 to 610) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Gov. Msg. No. 554, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Commission to Promote Uniform Legislation, the nomination of KEN TAKAYAMA, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Gov. Msg. No. 555, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Acupuncture, the nomination of LAURA CHOCK, term to expire June 30, 2016, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 556, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Acupuncture, the nomination of JAMES CORCORAN, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 557, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Private Detectives and Guards, the nomination of HARRY KUBOJIRI, term to expire June 30, 2015, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 558, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Private Detectives and Guards, the nomination of HARRY KUBOJIRI, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 559, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Physical Therapy, the nomination of DEBRA KUBOTA, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 560, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Physical Therapy, the nomination of RACHELLE IOPA, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 561, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Physical Therapy, the nomination of MICHAEL TURNER, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 562, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Physical Therapy, the nomination of JILL WAKABAYASHI, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 563, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Psychology, the nomination of LISA CHUN FAT, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 564, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Psychology, the nomination of BRIAN COMBS, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 565, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Dental Examiners, the nomination of RODNEY CHING, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 566, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Dental Examiners, the nomination of PAUL GUEVARA, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 567, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Dental Examiners, the nomination of MARIANNE TIMMERMAN, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 568, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Dental Examiners, the nomination of COY REBMANN, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 569, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Dental Examiners, the nomination of CANDACE WADA, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 570, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Speech Pathology and Audiology, the nomination of SHANNON CHING, term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 571, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Speech Pathology and Audiology, the nomination of VALERY OBRIEN, term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 572, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Speech Pathology and Audiology, the nomination of JUNE UYEHARA ISONO, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 573, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Veterinary Examiners, the nomination of JULIE ADRIAN, term to expire June 30, 2015, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 574, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Veterinary Examiners, the nomination of JULIE ADRIAN, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 575, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Professional Engineers, Architects, Surveyors, and Landscape Architects, the nomination of ALAN INABA, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 576, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Professional Engineers, Architects, Surveyors, and Landscape Architects, the nomination of RON IWAMOTO, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 577, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Professional Engineers, Architects, Surveyors, and Landscape Architects, the nomination of CLAYTON PANG, term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 578, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Professional Engineers, Architects, Surveyors, and Landscape Architects, the nomination of MARC VENTURA, term to expire June 30, 2016, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 579, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Professional Engineers, Architects, Surveyors, and Landscape Architects, the nomination of JOYCE NOE, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 580, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Medical Board, the nomination of PETER HALFORD, MD, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 581, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Medical Board, the nomination of DARREN EGAMI, MD, term to expire June 30, 2018, was

referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 582, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Medical Board, the nomination of PALASI-SAM PULETASI, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 583, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Medical Board, the nomination of JONE GEIMER-FLANDERS, DO, term to expire June 30, 2015, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 584, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Medical Board, the nomination of JONE GEIMER-FLANDERS, DO, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 585, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Medical Board, the nomination of GERARD AKAKA, MD, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 586, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Medical Board, the nomination of SHARON BINTLIFF, MD, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 587, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Motor Vehicle Industry Licensing Board, the nomination of WAYNE DE LUZ, term to expire June 30, 2015, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 588, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Motor Vehicle Industry Licensing Board, the nomination of WAYNE DE LUZ, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 589, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Motor Vehicle Industry Licensing Board, the nomination of CARL D. JOHNSEN, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 590, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Motor Vehicle Industry Licensing Board, the nomination of RUSSELL WONG, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 591, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Motor Vehicle Industry Licensing Board, the nomination of BYRON HANSEN, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 592, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Real Estate Commission, the nomination of ALETA KLEIN, term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 593, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Board of Barbering and Cosmetology, the nomination of ANNE TOKUNAGA, term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 594, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Board of Barbering and Cosmetology,

the nomination of ANGELA HOWARD, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 595, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Board of Chiropractic Examiners, the nomination of ROBERT KLEIN, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 596, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Board of Nursing, the nomination of JUDY KODAMA, term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 597, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Board of Nursing, the nomination of MAY KEALOHA, term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 598, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Board of Nursing, the nomination of LYLE KAUIHOU, term to expire June 30, 2016, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 599, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Board of Nursing, the nomination of OLIVIA KIM, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 600, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Pest Control Board, the nomination of TERRANCE MANAGO, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 601, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Pest Control Board, the nomination of DAVID LAU, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 602, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Teacher Standards Board, the nomination of BRANDEN KAWAZOE, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Education.

Gov. Msg. No. 603, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Teacher Standards Board, the nomination of ROXANE STEWART, term to expire June 30, 2016, was referred to the Committee on Education.

Gov. Msg. No. 604, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Teacher Standards Board, the nomination of LESLIE MURASHIGE, term to expire June 30, 2015, was referred to the Committee on Education.

Gov. Msg. No. 605, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Teacher Standards Board, the nomination of LESLIE MURASHIGE, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Education.

Gov. Msg. No. 606, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Teacher Standards Board, the nomination of KARIANE PARK TOYAMA, term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Education.

Gov. Msg. No. 607, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Endangered Species Recovery Committee, the nomination of ERIC VANDERWERF, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Energy and Environment.

Gov. Msg. No. 608, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Endangered Species Recovery Committee, the nomination of SAMUEL GON, term to expire June 30,

2019, was referred to the Committee on Energy and Environment.

Gov. Msg. No. 609, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Board of Barbering and Cosmetology, the nomination of CHRISTOBAL QUINTANA, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 610, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawaii Teacher Standards Board, the nomination of STEVE NAKASATO, term to expire June 30, 2016, was referred to the Committee on Education.

HOUSE COMMUNICATION

The following communication from the House (Hse. Com. No. 346) was read by the Clerk and was disposed of as follows:

Hse. Com. No. 346, transmitting H.C.R. No. 155, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on March 31, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 155, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE JUDICIAL COUNCIL TO APPOINT A COMMITTEE TO REVIEW AND RECOMMEND REVISIONS TO THE HAWAII PENAL CODE," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Wakai, for the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1172) recommending that S.C.R. No. 162 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 162, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A FINANCIAL AUDIT OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY EXPENDITURES IN THE STATE EXECUTIVE BRANCH," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Wakai, for the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1173) recommending that S.C.R. No. 77 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 77, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM TO PRIORITIZE THE DEVELOPMENT OF KAPOLEI INTO A JOB CENTER IN SUPPORT OF THE STATE AND THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU'S POLICIES TO DEVELOP KAPOLEI INTO OAHU'S "SECONDARY URBAN CENTER"," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Ruderman and Shimabukuro, for the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1174) recommending that S.R. No. 119 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.R. No. 119, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING FEDERAL AND STATE AGENCIES TO CONSULT WITH HAWAII SMALL SCALE FARMERS, HAWAII SMALL SCALE PRODUCERS, AND AFFECTED PARTIES ON THE OFFSETTING OF COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE FOOD SAFETY

MODERNIZATION ACT,” was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Ruderman and Shimabukuro, for the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1175) recommending that S.C.R. No. 184 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.C.R. No. 184, entitled: “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING FEDERAL AND STATE AGENCIES TO CONSULT WITH HAWAII SMALL SCALE FARMERS, HAWAII SMALL SCALE PRODUCERS, AND AFFECTED PARTIES ON THE OFFSETTING OF COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE FOOD SAFETY MODERNIZATION ACT,” was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1176) recommending that S.C.R. No. 185, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 185, S.D. 1, entitled: “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO ORGANIZE AND COORDINATE OUT-OF-SCHOOL PROGRAMS FOR KINDERGARTEN THROUGH TWELFTH GRADE AND IDENTIFY FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES FOR CURRENT AND FUTURE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION OUT-OF-SCHOOL PROGRAMS,” was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1177) recommending that S.R. No. 120, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 120, S.D. 1, entitled: “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO ORGANIZE AND COORDINATE OUT-OF-SCHOOL PROGRAMS FOR KINDERGARTEN THROUGH TWELFTH GRADE AND IDENTIFY FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES FOR CURRENT AND FUTURE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION OUT-OF-SCHOOL PROGRAMS,” was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1178) recommending that S.C.R. No. 99, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 99, S.D. 1, entitled: “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO ALLOW TEACHERS TO USE PURCHASING CARDS WHEN PURCHASING SCHOOL SUPPLIES AND OTHER RELATED CURRICULUM SUPPORT SUPPLIES,” was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1179) recommending that S.R. No. 53, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 53, S.D. 1, entitled: “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO ALLOW TEACHERS TO USE PURCHASING CARDS WHEN PURCHASING SCHOOL SUPPLIES AND OTHER RELATED CURRICULUM SUPPORT SUPPLIES,” was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1180) recommending that S.C.R. No. 94 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 94, entitled: “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE COMMITTEE ON WEIGHTS AND THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO CONSIDER THE UNIQUE NEEDS OF REMOTE SCHOOLS WHEN REEVALUATING THE WEIGHTED STUDENT FORMULA,” was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1181) recommending that S.R. No. 48 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 48, entitled: “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE COMMITTEE ON WEIGHTS AND THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO CONSIDER THE UNIQUE NEEDS OF REMOTE SCHOOLS WHEN REEVALUATING THE WEIGHTED STUDENT FORMULA,” was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1182) recommending that S.C.R. No. 113 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 113, entitled: “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO TELEVISION OR MAKE AVAILABLE ONLINE ITS MEETINGS,” was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1183) recommending that S.R. No. 64 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 64, entitled: “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO TELEVISION OR MAKE AVAILABLE ONLINE ITS MEETINGS,” was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1184) recommending that S.C.R. No. 110 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 110, entitled: “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO CONSOLIDATE ITS LEILEHUA-MILILANI-WAIALUA COMPLEX AREA ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE AND SUPPORT SERVICES FACILITIES AND USE THESE EXISTING LOCATIONS TO GENERATE INCOME FOR CONSTRUCTION, REPAIR, RETROFITTING, AND MAINTENANCE OF SCHOOL FACILITIES,” was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1185) recommending that S.R. No. 61 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 61, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO CONSOLIDATE ITS LEILEHUA-MILILANI-WAIALUA COMPLEX AREA ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE AND SUPPORT SERVICES FACILITIES AND USE THESE EXISTING LOCATIONS TO GENERATE INCOME FOR CONSTRUCTION, REPAIR, RETROFITTING, AND MAINTENANCE OF SCHOOL FACILITIES," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1186) recommending that S.C.R. No. 187 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 187, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO ESTABLISH A PILOT YOUTH DEVELOPMENT FLAG RUGBY PROGRAM AIMED AT REDUCING RISKY BEHAVIORS AND INCARCERATION RATES AMONG NATIVE HAWAIIAN AND PACIFIC ISLANDER YOUTH," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1187) recommending that S.R. No. 122 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 122, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO ESTABLISH A PILOT YOUTH DEVELOPMENT FLAG RUGBY PROGRAM AIMED AT REDUCING RISKY BEHAVIORS AND INCARCERATION RATES AMONG NATIVE HAWAIIAN AND PACIFIC ISLANDER YOUTH," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1188) recommending that S.C.R. No. 188 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 188, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE STATE PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL COMMISSION TO CONTINUE EFFORTS TO ADDRESS PUBLIC SCHOOL CAPACITY ISSUES THROUGH CHARTER SCHOOL APPLICANTS AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS ON HOW TO STRENGTHEN THESE EFFORTS," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1189) recommending that S.R. No. 123 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 123, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE STATE PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL COMMISSION TO CONTINUE EFFORTS TO ADDRESS PUBLIC SCHOOL CAPACITY ISSUES THROUGH CHARTER SCHOOL APPLICANTS AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS ON HOW TO STRENGTHEN THESE EFFORTS," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Shimabukuro and Thielen, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1190) recommending that S.R. No. 24, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1190 and S.R. No. 24, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AHA MOKU ADVISORY COMMITTEE TO ENGAGE STAKEHOLDERS IN ORDER TO DEVELOP AND ADOPT RULES FOR ITS OPERATION AND ADMINISTRATION," was deferred until Thursday, April 2, 2015.

Senators Shimabukuro and Thielen, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1191) recommending that S.C.R. No. 55, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1191 and S.C.R. No. 55, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AHA MOKU ADVISORY COMMITTEE TO ENGAGE STAKEHOLDERS IN ORDER TO DEVELOP AND ADOPT RULES FOR ITS OPERATION AND ADMINISTRATION," was deferred until Thursday, April 2, 2015.

Senator Kahele, for the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1192) recommending that S.C.R. No. 78, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1192 and S.C.R. No. 78, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII SISTER-STATE COMMITTEE TO EVALUATE AND DEVELOP RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE INITIATION OF A SISTER-STATE RELATIONSHIP WITH THE STATE OF GOA IN THE COUNTRY OF INDIA AND FORWARD ITS RECOMMENDATION TO THE LEGISLATURE, PURSUANT TO SECTION 229-3, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES, FOR FURTHER ACTION," was deferred until Thursday, April 2, 2015.

Senator Kahele, for the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1193) recommending that S.C.R. No. 201, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1193 and S.C.R. No. 201, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII SISTER-STATE COMMITTEE TO EVALUATE AND DEVELOP RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE INITIATION OF A SISTER STATE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE STATE OF HAWAII AND THE PREFECTURE OF HOKKAIDO, JAPAN, AND FORWARD ITS RECOMMENDATION TO THE LEGISLATURE, PURSUANT TO SECTION 229-3, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES, FOR FURTHER ACTION," was deferred until Thursday, April 2, 2015.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1194) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of BRIGADIER GENERAL ARTHUR LOGAN as Adjutant General of the Department of Defense, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 517.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1194 and Gov. Msg. No. 517 was deferred until Thursday, April 2, 2015.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1195) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of COLONEL KENNETH HARA as Deputy Adjutant General of the Department of Defense, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 518.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1195 and Gov. Msg. No. 518 was deferred until Thursday, April 2, 2015.

ORDER OF THE DAY

ADOPTION OF RESOLUTIONS

MATTERS DEFERRED FROM TUESDAY, MARCH 31, 2015

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1167 (S.R. No. 34, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 34, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION COMMEMORATING THE THIRTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF HAWAII'S SISTER-STATE RELATIONSHIP WITH THE GUANGDONG PROVINCE," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1168 (S.C.R. No. 158):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.C.R. No. 158, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO EXAMINE IF AND HOW OTHER STATES REGULATE TOUR OPERATORS WITHIN THEIR JURISDICTION," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1169 (S.C.R. No. 48):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 48, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DIVISION OF AQUATIC RESOURCES AND DIVISION OF CONSERVATION AND RESOURCES ENFORCEMENT TO COLLABORATE WITH FEDERAL PARTNER AGENCIES TO PROTECT IMPORTANT STATE MARINE RESOURCES," was adopted.

THIRD READING

H.B. No. 126, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, H.B. No. 126, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT COST ITEMS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

H.B. No. 173, H.D. 1, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, H.B. No. 173, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REPEAL OF FUNDS AND ACCOUNTS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

REFERRAL OF A HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

The President made the following committee assignments of a House concurrent resolution received on Tuesday, March 31, 2015:

H.C.R. No: Referred to:

H.C.R. No. 224 Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Government Operations

RE-REFERRAL OF A SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

The Chair re-referred the following Senate concurrent resolution that was offered:

S.C.R. No: Re-referred to:

S.C.R. No. 154 Committee on Hawaiian Affairs

RE-REFERRAL OF A SENATE RESOLUTION

The Chair re-referred the following Senate resolution that was offered:

S.R. No: Re-referred to:

S.R. No. 96 Committee on Hawaiian Affairs

At this time, Senator Shimabukuro invited the members to a luncheon in honor of Art Frank and Al Lewis that afternoon in Conference Room 224.

Senator Baker rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

"This has to do with our Easter baskets. We thank you all for making your donation and appreciate those who are going to continue to bring them by our office. I would invite you all to join us in the chamber level tomorrow afternoon, April 2nd, between 1:50 and 2:15 for pictures with the baskets and the Easter bunny. I cannot tell you who the Easter bunny is going to be, but it will be a House person, since it is Rep. Belatti's office who has the costume, so please join us tomorrow afternoon.

"And also, as we are in the throes of our fundraiser for the food bank, we invite you to join our office to raise funds for the Maui Food Bank and have a sweet deal: You can get a dozen Krispy Kreme doughnuts for \$12.00. Presale this week and next week, and then you can pick them up April 14th, and we invite you to share in something that Maui has that O'ahu doesn't have yet: Krispy Kremes. Aloha."

The Chair then made the following announcement:

"The deadline to file standing committee reports on Senate concurrent resolutions and Senate resolutions that need to move laterally to the final Senate committee is 3:00 p.m. today ... That's April Fools; it's 9:00 p.m."

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried unanimously, the Senate authorized the adoption of standing committee reports recommending that Senate concurrent resolutions and Senate resolutions be referred to committees of last referral. In consequence thereof, and subsequent to its recessing at 12:07 p.m., the Senate took the following actions on the following resolutions and standing committee reports:

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1196) recommending that S.C.R. No. 143 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 143, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU IN COORDINATION WITH THE HONOLULU AUTHORITY FOR RAPID TRANSPORTATION TO DEVELOP A PLAN

TO GENERATE REVENUE FOR OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE OF RAIL,” was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1197) recommending that S.R. No. 86 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 86, entitled: “SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU IN COORDINATION WITH THE HONOLULU AUTHORITY FOR RAPID TRANSPORTATION TO DEVELOP A PLAN TO GENERATE REVENUE FOR OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE OF RAIL,” was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1198) recommending that S.C.R. No. 138 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 138, entitled: “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO CONDUCT A STUDY REGARDING THE FEASIBILITY AND COST OF CONSTRUCTING A SMALL COMMERCIAL BOAT HARBOR AND SMALL COMMERCIAL AIRPORT IN SOUTH PUNA,” was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1199) recommending that S.C.R. No. 85, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 85, S.D. 1, entitled: “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR AND DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO INCLUDE IN THE 2017-2018 SUPPLEMENTAL CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM REQUEST IMPROVEMENTS TO CRUISE SHIP PASSENGER TERMINALS AT NAWILIWILI HARBOR IN KAUAI, HONOLULU HARBOR IN OAHU, KAHULUI HARBOR IN MAUI, AND HILO HARBOR IN HAWAII,” was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Shimabukuro and Ruderman, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Agriculture, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1200) recommending that S.R. No. 107, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.R. No. 107, S.D. 1, entitled: “SENATE RESOLUTION ACKNOWLEDGING THE POSITIVE IMPACT OF THE TARO SECURITY AND PURITY TASK FORCE AND SUPPORTING THE REFORMATION OF THE TASK FORCE AS A LEGISLATIVELY ENABLED BODY, SHOULD THE TARO FARMING COMMUNITY DETERMINE THE NEED TO DO SO,” was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Shimabukuro and Ruderman, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Agriculture, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1201) recommending that

S.C.R. No. 171, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.C.R. No. 171, S.D. 1, entitled: “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ACKNOWLEDGING THE POSITIVE IMPACT OF THE TARO SECURITY AND PURITY TASK FORCE AND SUPPORTING THE REFORMATION OF THE TASK FORCE AS A LEGISLATIVELY ENABLED BODY, SHOULD THE TARO FARMING COMMUNITY DETERMINE THE NEED TO DO SO,” was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Shimabukuro and Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1202) recommending that S.R. No. 105, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.R. No. 105, S.D. 1, entitled: “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII STATE LEGISLATURE’S KEIKI CAUCUS TO CONSULT THE LEGACY COALITION TO FORM A WORKING GROUP TO DETERMINE HOW THE LEGACY COALITION CAN BEST ASSIST THE COURTS AND NATIVE HAWAIIAN CHILDREN IN MATTERS RELATING TO CHILD CUSTODY AND NATIVE HAWAIIAN CHILDREN WHO HAVE BEEN REMOVED FROM THEIR HOMES,” was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Shimabukuro and Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1203) recommending that S.C.R. No. 169, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.C.R. No. 169, S.D. 1, entitled: “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII STATE LEGISLATURE’S KEIKI CAUCUS TO CONSULT THE LEGACY COALITION TO FORM A WORKING GROUP TO DETERMINE HOW THE LEGACY COALITION CAN BEST ASSIST THE COURTS AND NATIVE HAWAIIAN CHILDREN IN MATTERS RELATING TO CHILD CUSTODY AND NATIVE HAWAIIAN CHILDREN WHO HAVE BEEN REMOVED FROM THEIR HOMES,” was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1204) recommending that S.C.R. No. 92 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 92, entitled: “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO PROVIDE INFORMATION ON THE NUMBER OF INSTANCES WHERE A MINOR PARENT OR PARENTS AND THEIR CHILDREN RECEIVE PUBLIC ASSISTANCE,” was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1205) recommending that S.R. No. 46 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and

S.R. No. 46, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO PROVIDE INFORMATION ON THE NUMBER OF INSTANCES WHERE A MINOR PARENT OR PARENTS AND THEIR CHILDREN RECEIVE PUBLIC ASSISTANCE," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1206) recommending that S.C.R. No. 130, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 130, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION CONVENING A WORKING GROUP TO DEVELOP MORE COLLABORATIVE INFORMATION AND DECISION-MAKING POLICIES AND PROCEDURES FOR COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT AS IT RELATES TO COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICTS," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1207) recommending that S.R. No. 78, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 78, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION CONVENING A WORKING GROUP TO DEVELOP MORE COLLABORATIVE INFORMATION AND DECISION-MAKING POLICIES AND PROCEDURES FOR COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT AS IT RELATES TO COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICTS," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1208) recommending that S.C.R. No. 82 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 82, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NONEXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING A PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS FRONTING THE PROPERTY IDENTIFIED AS TAX MAP KEY: (1) 3-6-001:017, WAIKIKI, HONOLULU, OAHU," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Nishihara and Espero, for the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1209) recommending that S.R. No. 29 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.R. No. 29, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE HONOLULU AUTHORITY FOR RAPID TRANSPORTATION TO INCORPORATE A BUS RAPID TRANSIT SYSTEM INTO ITS RAIL TRANSIT PLANNING TO CONNECT CERTAIN PARTS OF OAHU WITH THE RAIL TRANSIT SYSTEM," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Nishihara and Espero, for the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1210) recommending that S.C.R. No. 65 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.C.R. No. 65, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE HONOLULU AUTHORITY FOR RAPID TRANSPORTATION TO INCORPORATE A BUS RAPID TRANSIT SYSTEM INTO ITS RAIL TRANSIT PLANNING TO CONNECT CERTAIN PARTS OF OAHU WITH THE RAIL TRANSIT SYSTEM," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Nishihara and Espero, for the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1211) recommending that S.R. No. 27 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.R. No. 27, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE HONOLULU AUTHORITY FOR RAPID TRANSPORTATION TO IDENTIFY AND IMPLEMENT COST CUTTING PRACTICES," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Nishihara and Espero, for the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1212) recommending that S.C.R. No. 63 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.C.R. No. 63, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE HONOLULU AUTHORITY FOR RAPID TRANSPORTATION TO IDENTIFY AND IMPLEMENT COST CUTTING PRACTICES," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1213) recommending that S.C.R. No. 111, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 111, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO STUDY ISSUES RELATING TO SELF-GOVERNANCE AND DISPUTE RESOLUTION UNDER HAWAII'S CURRENT CONDOMINIUM LAW," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1214) recommending that S.R. No. 83 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 83, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO CONDUCT A STUDY REGARDING THE FEASIBILITY AND COST OF CONSTRUCTING A SMALL COMMERCIAL BOAT HARBOR AND SMALL COMMERCIAL AIRPORT IN SOUTH PUNA," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Espero and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1215) recommending that S.R. No. 45 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.R. No. 45, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY TO PROVIDE AN ITEMIZED ACCOUNTING OF THE \$1,000,000 THAT THE JUSTICE REINVESTMENT INITIATIVE SET ASIDE IN 2012 FOR COMMUNITY-BASED PROGRAMS AND THE \$3,400,000 SET ASIDE IN 2013 FOR EXPANDING TREATMENT PROGRAMS AND VICTIMS' SERVICES AND INITIATING PLANS TO ESTABLISH A RESEARCH AND PLANNING OFFICE," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Gabbard and Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Government Operations, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1216) recommending that S.C.R. No. 140 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.C.R. No. 140, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING ALL STATE AGENCIES TO RETROFIT STREET LIGHTS AND OTHER OUTDOOR LAMP LIGHTING FIXTURES WITH ENERGY EFFICIENT LIGHT-EMITTING DIODE BULBS, WHERE APPROPRIATE," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Gabbard and Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Government Operations, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1217) recommending that S.R. No. 84 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.R. No. 84, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING ALL STATE AGENCIES TO RETROFIT STREET LIGHTS AND OTHER OUTDOOR LAMP LIGHTING FIXTURES WITH ENERGY EFFICIENT LIGHT-EMITTING DIODE BULBS, WHERE APPROPRIATE," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1218) recommending that S.C.R. No. 128, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 128, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY TO FORM A WORKING GROUP TO EXAMINE SMARTER SENTENCING TO IMPROVE THE QUALITY AND RELIABILITY OF STATE CRIMINAL SENTENCING PRACTICES," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1219) recommending that S.R. No. 76, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 76, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY TO FORM A WORKING GROUP TO EXAMINE SMARTER SENTENCING TO IMPROVE THE QUALITY AND RELIABILITY OF STATE CRIMINAL SENTENCING

PRACTICES," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Espero, for the majority of the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1220) recommending that S.C.R. No. 52, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 52, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION PETITIONING CONGRESS FOR A LIMITED AMENDMENTS CONVENTION TO RESTORE FREE AND FAIR ELECTIONS BY ADDRESSING CONCERNS RAISED BY THE DECISION OF THE UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT IN *CITIZENS UNITED V. FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION*, 558 U.S. 310 (2010) AND RELATED CASES AND ADDRESS WHETHER MONEY SPENT ON CANDIDATE ELECTIONS AND BALLOT MEASURES SHOULD CONSTITUTE "SPEECH" UNDER THE FIRST AMENDMENT," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Espero and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1221) recommending that S.C.R. No. 122 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.C.R. No. 122, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT AN AUDIT TO DETERMINE THE EXISTENCE OF POTENTIAL PATTERNS OF ABUSE IN THE USE OF STATE AND FEDERAL LEAVE BENEFITS BY ADULT CORRECTIONS OFFICERS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1222) recommending that S.C.R. No. 135 be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 135, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP REGARDING PROCESS SERVERS," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1223) recommending that S.C.R. No. 79, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 79, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL AND DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO CONDUCT A STUDY ON THE STATUS OF THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE RECOMMENDATIONS MADE IN THE *FINAL REPORT OF THE COMPACTS OF FREE ASSOCIATION TASK FORCE PURSUANT TO S.R. NO. 142, S.D. 1, REGULAR SESSION OF 2007*," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1224) recommending that S.C.R. No. 90 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 90, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY TO CONTINUE AND EXPAND ITS STRUCTURED COMMUNITY PLACEMENT PROGRAMS TO ASSIST IN TRANSITIONING FORMERLY INCARCERATED FEMALE INMATES BACK INTO SOCIETY," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the majority of the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1225) recommending that S.C.R. No. 149, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 149, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A FINANCIAL AUDIT OF COMMISSARY OPERATIONS AT OUT-OF-STATE CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES CONTRACTED TO HOUSE HAWAII INMATES," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1226) recommending that S.C.R. No. 80, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 80, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII COLLEGE OF TROPICAL AGRICULTURE AND HUMAN RESOURCES, AND HAWAII FARMERS UNION UNITED TO COLLABORATE TO ESTABLISH A NUTRIENT RECYCLING CENTER PILOT PROJECT," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1227) recommending that S.C.R. No. 75, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 75, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA DEPARTMENT OF KINESIOLOGY AND REHABILITATION SCIENCE CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO DEVELOP AN IMPLEMENTATION STRATEGY TO REQUIRE YOUTH SPORTS ORGANIZATIONS TO INITIATE AND IMPLEMENT CONCUSSION MANAGEMENT PLANS," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1228) recommending that S.C.R. No. 183, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Education.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 183, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE EXECUTIVE OFFICE ON AGING TO ESTABLISH A WORKING GROUP TO REVIEW ADULT EDUCATION SERVICES AND THE

POTENTIAL TO PROVIDE NEW LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES TO SENIOR CITIZENS," was referred to the Committee on Education.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1229) recommending that S.R. No. 118, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Education.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 118, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE EXECUTIVE OFFICE ON AGING TO ESTABLISH A WORKING GROUP TO REVIEW ADULT EDUCATION SERVICES AND THE POTENTIAL TO PROVIDE NEW LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES TO SENIOR CITIZENS," was referred to the Committee on Education.

Senators Chun Oakland and Green, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1230) recommending that S.C.R. No. 105 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.C.R. No. 105, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES AND DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO NOT CONSIDER CERTAIN BENEFITS UNDER TITLE II OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT AS INCOME WHEN DETERMINING MEDICAID ELIGIBILITY AND TO ADOPT RULES TO ALLOW A PROVIDER OF MEDICAID ADULT DAY HEALTH SERVICES TO BILL IN FIFTEEN MINUTE INCREMENTS," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Chun Oakland and Green, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1231) recommending that S.R. No. 59 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.R. No. 59, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES AND DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO NOT CONSIDER CERTAIN BENEFITS UNDER TITLE II OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT AS INCOME WHEN DETERMINING MEDICAID ELIGIBILITY AND TO ADOPT RULES TO ALLOW A PROVIDER OF MEDICAID ADULT DAY HEALTH SERVICES TO BILL IN FIFTEEN MINUTE INCREMENTS," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Chun Oakland and Kidani, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Education, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1232) recommending that S.C.R. No. 66, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.C.R. No. 66, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, AND EXECUTIVE OFFICE ON EARLY LEARNING TO COLLABORATE AND EXPLORE THE FEASIBILITY OF EXPANDING THE EARLY HEAD START PROGRAM TO INCLUDE A BROADER RANGE OF INCOMES," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Chun Oakland and Thielen, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Water and Land, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1233) recommending that S.C.R. No. 136, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.C.R. No. 136, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING AN UPDATE OF THE STATE HOUSING FUNCTIONAL PLAN," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Chun Oakland and Green, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1234) recommending that S.C.R. No. 107, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.C.R. No. 107, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CONVENING OF A FAMILY CAREGIVERS WORKING GROUP TO EXAMINE AND ASSESS LEGISLATION RELATING TO THE ROLE OF CAREGIVERS OF PATIENTS DISCHARGED FROM HOSPITALS," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Kahele and Thielen, for the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1235) recommending that S.C.R. No. 83 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.C.R. No. 83, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE ALOHA TOWER DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION TO DEVELOP A PLAN TO RELOCATE, RENOVATE, UPGRADE, REOPEN, OR DEMOLISH THE HAWAII MARITIME MUSEUM BUILDING AND THE NEARBY AREAS SO THAT PIER 7 MAY SERVE AS AN ATTRACTION OF THE ALOHA TOWER COMPLEX," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Kahele and Thielen, for the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Water and Land, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1236) recommending that S.R. No. 38 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.R. No. 38, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE ALOHA TOWER DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION TO DEVELOP A PLAN TO RELOCATE, RENOVATE, UPGRADE, REOPEN, OR DEMOLISH THE HAWAII MARITIME MUSEUM BUILDING AND THE NEARBY AREAS SO THAT PIER 7 MAY SERVE AS AN ATTRACTION OF THE ALOHA TOWER COMPLEX," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Gabbard and Green, for the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1237) recommending that S.C.R. No. 155, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.C.R. No. 155, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF

HEALTH TO PROMPTLY EXAMINE ALL ALLEGED VIOLATIONS IN THE SOLID WASTE RECYCLING INDUSTRY AND TO EQUITABLY ENFORCE PERTINENT LAWS AND RULES," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Gabbard and Green, for the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1238) recommending that S.C.R. No. 69 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.C.R. No. 69, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO IMPLEMENT A RADIATION MONITORING PILOT PROJECT," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1239) recommending that S.R. No. 128, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 128, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE AGRIBUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION TO DEVELOP A PLAN TO ACQUIRE THE DAM AND SPILLWAY OF LAKE WILSON FOR HYDROELECTRICITY," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1240) recommending that S.C.R. No. 193, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 193, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE AGRIBUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION TO DEVELOP A PLAN TO ACQUIRE THE DAM AND SPILLWAY OF LAKE WILSON FOR HYDROELECTRICITY," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1241) recommending that S.R. No. 82 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 82, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO ESTABLISH THE HAWAII GOOD AGRICULTURAL PRACTICES PROGRAM," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1242) recommending that S.C.R. No. 137 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 137, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO ESTABLISH THE HAWAII GOOD AGRICULTURAL PRACTICES PROGRAM," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1243) recommending that S.C.R. No. 81, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 81, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING A PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT LAHAINA, MAUI FOR SEAWALL ENCROACHMENT PURPOSES AND AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT FOR THE RIGHT, PRIVILEGE, AND AUTHORITY TO USE, MAINTAIN, REPAIR, AND REPLACE AN EXISTING SEAWALL OVER, UNDER, AND ACROSS STATE-OWNED LAND IN LAHAINA, MAUI," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1244) recommending that S.C.R. No. 163, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 163, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF FOUR TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENTS COVERING PORTIONS OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT STABLE ROAD BEACH, STABLE ROAD, SPRECKELSVILLE, WAILUKU, MAUI, FOR THE USE, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR OF FOUR EXISTING ROCK GROINS," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Government Operations, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1245) recommending that S.C.R. No. 54, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 54, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY REGARDING THE NEED TO INCREASE THE DOLLAR THRESHOLD THAT DETERMINES WHETHER A SMALL PURCHASE IS EXEMPT FROM SMALL PURCHASE PROCUREMENT PROCEDURES," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Government Operations, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1246) recommending that S.R. No. 23, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 23, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY REGARDING THE NEED TO INCREASE THE DOLLAR THRESHOLD THAT DETERMINES WHETHER A SMALL PURCHASE IS EXEMPT FROM SMALL PURCHASE PROCUREMENT PROCEDURES," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Dela Cruz and Taniguchi, for the Committee on Government Operations and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1247) recommending that S.C.R. No. 198, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and

S.C.R. No. 198, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII SYSTEM AND THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES TO DEVELOP A PLAN TO MOVE THE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII SYSTEM FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA CAMPUS TO OTHER STATE-OWNED BUILDINGS," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Dela Cruz and Taniguchi, for the Committee on Government Operations and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1248) recommending that S.R. No. 133, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.R. No. 133, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII SYSTEM AND THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES TO DEVELOP A PLAN TO MOVE THE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII SYSTEM FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA CAMPUS TO OTHER STATE-OWNED BUILDINGS," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Government Operations, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1249) recommending that S.C.R. No. 190, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 190, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES TO INVENTORY ALL OPEN CONTRACTS SINCE 2010 TO THE PRESENT FOR ALL STATE AGENCIES AND ASSIST THE AGENCIES WITH CLOSING AND RESOLVING ANY DISPUTES," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Government Operations, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1250) recommending that S.R. No. 125, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 125, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES TO INVENTORY ALL OPEN CONTRACTS SINCE 2010 TO THE PRESENT FOR ALL STATE AGENCIES AND ASSIST THE AGENCIES WITH CLOSING AND RESOLVING ANY DISPUTES," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Government Operations, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1251) recommending that S.C.R. No. 88, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 88, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE INFORMATION PRIVACY AND SECURITY COUNCIL, IN COOPERATION WITH THE STATE CHIEF INFORMATION OFFICER COUNCIL, TO ASSESS EXISTING PROCEDURES OF NOTIFICATION FOLLOWING THE BREACH OF PERSONAL INFORMATION," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Government Operations, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1252) recommending that S.R. No. 41, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 41, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE INFORMATION PRIVACY AND SECURITY COUNCIL, IN COOPERATION WITH THE STATE CHIEF INFORMATION OFFICER COUNCIL, TO ASSESS EXISTING PROCEDURES OF NOTIFICATION FOLLOWING THE BREACH OF PERSONAL INFORMATION," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Green and Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1253) recommending that S.R. No. 58 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.R. No. 58, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO CONSIDER AN ALTERNATE METHODOLOGY FOR ESTABLISHING THE BASIC PROSPECTIVE PAYMENT SYSTEM RATES FOR INTERMEDIATE CARE FACILITIES FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH INTELLECTUAL DISABILITIES, TO REBASE THE RATES AT LEAST EVERY TWO FISCAL YEARS, AND TO INCREASE BED RESERVATION DAYS TO TWENTY-FOUR DAYS PER CALENDAR YEAR FOR HOSPITALIZATION AND OTHER ABSENCES OF RESIDENTS FROM INTERMEDIATE CARE FACILITIES FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH INTELLECTUAL DISABILITIES," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green and Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1254) recommending that S.C.R. No. 104 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.C.R. No. 104, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO CONSIDER AN ALTERNATE METHODOLOGY FOR ESTABLISHING THE BASIC PROSPECTIVE PAYMENT SYSTEM RATES FOR INTERMEDIATE CARE FACILITIES FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH INTELLECTUAL DISABILITIES, TO REBASE THE RATES AT LEAST EVERY TWO FISCAL YEARS, AND TO INCREASE BED RESERVATION DAYS TO TWENTY-FOUR DAYS PER CALENDAR YEAR FOR HOSPITALIZATION AND OTHER ABSENCES OF RESIDENTS FROM INTERMEDIATE CARE FACILITIES FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH INTELLECTUAL DISABILITIES," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Green and Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1255) recommending that S.R. No. 57 be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.R. No. 57, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE REESTABLISHMENT OF THE WORKING GROUP TO

EXAMINE SOCIAL DETERMINANTS OF HEALTH AND RISK ADJUSTMENT FOR MEDICAID, GAP-GROUP, AND UNINSURED INDIVIDUALS," was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senators Green and Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1256) recommending that S.C.R. No. 103 be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.C.R. No. 103, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE REESTABLISHMENT OF THE WORKING GROUP TO EXAMINE SOCIAL DETERMINANTS OF HEALTH AND RISK ADJUSTMENT FOR MEDICAID, GAP-GROUP, AND UNINSURED INDIVIDUALS," was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1257) recommending that S.R. No. 65 be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 65, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING FOOD SERVICE FACILITIES IN THE STATE THAT OFFER A CHILDREN'S MENU OF MEAL OPTIONS, OR A MEAL THAT IS REPRESENTED AS A CHILDREN'S MEAL, TO SERVE CHILDREN'S MEALS WITH HIGHER NUTRITIONAL QUALITY AND INCLUDE ONLY BOTTLED WATER OR LOW-FAT MILK AS THE DEFAULT BEVERAGE IN THE MEAL OR MENU OPTION," was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1258) recommending that S.C.R. No. 114 be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 114, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING FOOD SERVICE FACILITIES IN THE STATE THAT OFFER A CHILDREN'S MENU OF MEAL OPTIONS, OR A MEAL THAT IS REPRESENTED AS A CHILDREN'S MEAL, TO SERVE CHILDREN'S MEALS WITH HIGHER NUTRITIONAL QUALITY AND INCLUDE ONLY BOTTLED WATER OR LOW-FAT MILK AS THE DEFAULT BEVERAGE IN THE MEAL OR MENU OPTION," was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1259) recommending that S.R. No. 95 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 95, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO REVIEW AND ANALYZE ALL ORAL HEALTH INITIATIVES CURRENTLY UNDERWAY IN THE STATE, INCLUDING THE CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL PROGRAM, AND PREPARE A PROGRESS REPORT ON EACH INITIATIVE," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1260) recommending that S.C.R. No. 153 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 153, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO REVIEW AND ANALYZE ALL ORAL HEALTH INITIATIVES CURRENTLY UNDERWAY IN THE STATE, INCLUDING THE CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL PROGRAM, AND PREPARE A PROGRESS REPORT ON EACH INITIATIVE," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Kidani and Ruderman, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Agriculture, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1261) recommending that S.C.R. No. 191, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.C.R. No. 191, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO ESTABLISH A VOLUNTARY FARM TO SCHOOL PROGRAM," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Kidani and Ruderman, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Agriculture, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1262) recommending that S.R. No. 126, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.R. No. 126, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO ESTABLISH A VOLUNTARY FARM TO SCHOOL PROGRAM," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Kidani and Thielen, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Water and Land, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1263) recommending that S.C.R. No. 195, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.C.R. No. 195, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, STATE PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL COMMISSION, AND HAWAII PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS NETWORK TO DEVELOP A PLAN TO COMMISSION A NEW STUDY SUGGESTING UPDATES TO THE SCHOOL IMPACT FEE FORMULA AND DIFFERENTIATING THE LAND REQUIREMENTS FOR GREENFIELD DEVELOPMENT AND REDEVELOPMENT OF URBAN AREAS," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Kidani and Thielen, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Water and Land, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1264) recommending that S.R. No. 130, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.R. No. 130, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, STATE PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL COMMISSION, AND

HAWAII PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS NETWORK TO DEVELOP A PLAN TO COMMISSION A NEW STUDY SUGGESTING UPDATES TO THE SCHOOL IMPACT FEE FORMULA AND DIFFERENTIATING THE LAND REQUIREMENTS FOR GREENFIELD DEVELOPMENT AND REDEVELOPMENT OF URBAN AREAS," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1265) recommending that S.C.R. No. 100 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 100, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU, IN CONSULTATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA COLLEGE OF EDUCATION, TO PREPARE A STUDY THAT EXAMINES AND PROVIDES RECOMMENDATIONS ON IMPROVING THE RETENTION OF TEACHERS WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1266) recommending that S.R. No. 54 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 54, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU, IN CONSULTATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA COLLEGE OF EDUCATION, TO PREPARE A STUDY THAT EXAMINES AND PROVIDES RECOMMENDATIONS ON IMPROVING THE RETENTION OF TEACHERS WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1267) recommending that S.R. No. 33 be referred to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 33, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION DECLARING APRIL 24 AS A DAY OF REMEMBRANCE IN RECOGNITION AND COMMEMORATION OF THE ARMENIAN GENOCIDE OF 1915," was referred to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1268) recommending that S.C.R. No. 73 be referred to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 73, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION DECLARING APRIL 24 AS A DAY OF REMEMBRANCE IN RECOGNITION AND COMMEMORATION OF THE ARMENIAN GENOCIDE OF 1915," was referred to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts.

ADJOURNMENT

At 9:00 p.m., the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Thursday, April 2, 2015.

FORTIETH DAY

Thursday, April 2, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:34 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present.

The President announced that she had read and approved the Journal of the Thirty-Ninth Day.

Senator Inouye introduced Auntie Momi Lum, wife of the late Major General Lum, who served as Adjutant General under Governor George R. Ariyoshi. Auntie Momi Lum was present in the gallery with her daughter, Angela Thomas, who is also Senator Inouye's office manager.

Senator Espero welcomed Mr. Domingo Ambrosio, president of the Councilors League of the Philippines – Ilocos Norte Chapter, and his wife, Mrs. Ambrosio; and Cesar Bonilla and Rose Cayan-Aquino from the O'ahu Filipino Community Council.

Senator Nishihara recognized Puanani Crabbe from the Hawai'i Health Connector, who was present in the gallery.

Senator Wakai recognized the United States Small Business Administration's State of Hawai'i Small Business Award recipients, and presented the following remarks:

"Thank you, Madam President and colleagues. Joining us on the floor today are the faces of those who drive our economy and allow us to provide services to the public. These are the faces who have courageously created small businesses throughout the state.

"The U.S. Small Business Administration has offered millions of dollars in loans, contracts, counseling services, and other forms of assistance to a variety of small businesses. This organization was founded in 1953. SBA was created in response to the pressures of the Great Depression and the aftermath of World War II. The Hawaii District Office oversees the delivery of SBA's programs throughout Hawai'i, Guam, American Samoa, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, the Federated States of Micronesia, and the Marshall Islands as well as Palau.

"Each year, the SBA honors those who have distinguished themselves as true leaders of the business community. With so many winners, I've asked fellow senators to introduce the winners from their respective districts.

"So on behalf of you, Senate President Kim, I present the 2015 SBA Small Business Media Advocate of the Year, Bob Sigall. Mr. Sigall is a consultant, journalist, entrepreneur, teacher, and mentor who owns Creative-1, a marketing and management consulting firm started in 1985.

"After earning his master's degree at the University of Hawai'i at Mānoa, Mr. Sigall helped more than 1,000 local companies with their marketing, finance, strategy, and management needs. Through Small Business Hawaii, he has worked on legislation and written supporting testimony, prepared business training curriculum, and created conferences for young entrepreneurs. He also serves on the SBA's women and business committee to open doors and expand opportunities for aspiring female entrepreneurs. Congratulations, Mr. Sigall, for your outstanding contributions."

Senator Thielen rose to present the following remarks:

"Thank you, Madam President. It is my honor today to introduce the 2015 Small Business Advocate for the State of Hawai'i for Financial Services, and that is Louis Perez III.

"This award goes to an individual who has shown effective support for small businesses through the distribution of financial services, including financial literacy, credit, and access to capital. Mr. Perez has an incredible passion for helping small businesses; connecting socially and economically disadvantaged individuals is particularly rewarding to him.

"He is the managing director for AKAMAI Capital LLC, a subsidiary of the AKAMAI Foundation that furthers community economic development and business training. As the investment arm, AKAMAI uses the tools of investment trading, asset management, merchant banking, and venture capital to provide training and employment to select graduates from the foundation's educational programs.

"Mr. Perez is a frequent speaker, trainer, and panelist for entrepreneurial programs such as the Small Business Emerging Leaders Initiative and the Community Development Venture Capital Fund. He's also provided briefings to the State Legislature; the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco; the White House Initiative on Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders; Ford Foundation; and Native Hawaiian Convention on investment capital, community lending, and topics impacting the local Hawaiian community.

"He was nominated by Naomi Masuno of Bank of Hawaii; thank you very much. Mr. Perez is joined by his wife, Lisa Marie Perez; Johnny Chankhamany, president of the AKAMAI Foundation; Todd Shishido, cofounder, Native Hawaiian Legal Defense & Education Fund; and Herb Lee, the executive director of the Pacific American Foundation."

Senator Kouchi rose to present the following remarks:

"Thank you, Madam President. Before I introduce Kaua'i's recipient, I do want to extend a big mahalo to Jane Sawyer: Our quarterly chamber dinner last Tuesday night was also a time when we recognized Bruce Grantham and Randall Francisco, who were two other SBA award winners, and she was there to personally acknowledge and recognize all of those from Kaua'i.

"But today on the floor, we have a Small Business Advocate for Home-Based Business award, which honors an individual who assists small businesses through great advocacy and support. The 2015 award recipient is Jerry Ornellas. It says here, Jerry, that you are a prominent community leader and that you have supported farming statewide through efforts with the Kaua'i Economic Development Board, Kaua'i Farm Bureau, East Kaua'i Water Users' Cooperative, State Board of Agriculture, and the Hawai'i SBDC advisory board. You're a fixture at the Capitol, advocating for all of the farmers on Kaua'i. I know you've also assisted the West Kaua'i water users who didn't know how to advocate to get the kind of irrigation support that you have gotten for the East Kaua'i water users, and so you've extended yourself tremendously.

"Jerry is a lifelong farmer and understands the challenges that the industry faces in a changing modern society. He shared a secret with everyone in attendance at the chamber dinner on Tuesday night: If you want to make \$1 million farming, you need to start with \$10 million. An example of Jerry's advocacy for small businesses and farming is the GoFarm program with the Kaua'i Community College and the Farm Bureau. The mission of GoFarm Hawai'i is to enhance Hawai'i's food security and economy through the increase of local agricultural producers.

"Please join me in recognizing and congratulating 2015 SBA Small Business Advocate for Home-Based Businesses award recipient Jerry Ornellas."

Senator Galuteria rose to present the following remarks:

"Thank you, Madam President. Our 2015 SBA Advocate for the State of Hawai'i for Minority Small Business – which advocates to increase the awareness of contributions of small businesses to the economy – is my friend, Jean Jeremiah. Mahalo, thank you.

"As the administrator at the Hawai'i office of SCORE, Jean is the key to the delivery of the nonprofit mission of SBA's volunteer mentors, who are dedicated to entrepreneurial support and growth of success of small business nationwide. In her role as administrator, Jean matches clients to the appropriate counselor and extends her reach into the community to promote optimal services and support. Very customer-focused, she established outreach locations with Oahu WorkLinks, Kapi'olani Community College, contacts on Maui island and in Kapolei; and for our Women's Caucus, you'll appreciate this – she helped to establish the SCORE Women's Initiative, a mentoring project for women in any stage of business ownership.

"She's worked to plan and conduct training and network events for the Filipino Chamber, for the Oahu Filipino Community Council, the Filipino consulate, the Filipino Business Women Association, just to name a few. Her outstanding efforts have far exceeded the expectations of any part-time administrator, and we appreciate that. So colleagues, it's my honor, as the Legislature's tallest Filipino, to welcome our 2015 SBA Advocate for Small Minority Business, Jean Jeremiah. Thank you, Jean. Mahalo plenty."

Senator Ihara rose to present the following remarks:

"Madam President, SBA's Young Entrepreneur of the Year award honors individuals who have demonstrated strong entrepreneurial and business skills by the successful operation and ownership of a small business for at least three years before reaching the age of 35. I'd like to introduce the 2015 awardee, Sean Fong of Hawaiian Turfgrass Inc.

"Originally from Hilo, Sean started his business on a 6,000-square-foot parcel of land with a secondhand mulcher and an old pickup truck. Today he owns a licensed and bonded sod farm, is a certified landscape contractor, and can provide and install a specialized selection of superior turf products. He also networks with industry leaders worldwide. He just finalized, at under 35 years of age, a joint purchase of 67 acres to continue the phenomenal growth of his enterprise, and looks forward to increasing his current staff to eight. Please join me again in congratulating Sean Fong, 2015 Young Entrepreneur of the Year."

Senator Nishihara rose to present the following remarks:

"Thank you. At this time, I'd like to honor the 2015 SBA Family-Owned Small Business of the Year. For over a century, Nii Superette has been serving Waipahu and the leeward coast of O'ahu. The Pink Palace of Waipahu, as it is fondly called, offers a wide selection of local favorites of hard-working, loyal customers seeking groceries, refreshments, and other household items. From eggs to Spam to Heineken and Samurai sherbet, or a 50-pound sack of chicken feed, the fourth-generation family members at Nii Superette offer goods and service with a smile at affordable prices.

"Stephen Nii now holds the title of president of the family-owned business and honors the legacy of his great-grandfather, Kaneichi; grandfather Shoso; and uncle Norman, who have preceded him in the challenging role over the last century.

"Since humble beginnings over 100 years ago, through economic and social change, the superette has been a community hub and survived fiscal hardships. Since 2009,

Stephen has been applying long-held traditions with a contemporary business spin to increase the store's warehousing capacity, update pricing to competitive advantage, modify retail space, and adjust product lines to match the consumer trends. He has invested in a new point of sale system to support inventory and product trends, and continues to develop the website, www.niisuperette.com, for customers. The results increase profit margins and improve working conditions and employee morale.

"Nii has also welcomed five new staff, offered better wages and health care coverages by working with the Hawai'i Health Connector, and he also believes that creating solid relationships with customers and vendors in the community can help one survive the day-to-day challenges of running a business.

"At this time, I'd like to also draw your attention to the gallery: We have his mother, Fumiko Nii. Thank you."

Senator Slom rose to present the following remarks:

"Thank you and good morning. Thank you, Senate President. You know, I'm in my element today with all these wonderful small business leaders around us and awardees. And actually, everyone who's in small business who can weather the business climate in Hawai'i is an awardee. But I'm particularly honored today to make an award for the SBA 2015 Exporter of the Year. We always talk about how Hawai'i is dependent on imports and how we have to bring everything into the state, but we have dedicated individuals, men and women, who are actually in the export business, and one of those is Robert Stehlik of Blue Planet Surf Gear LLC, dba Blue Planet Surf Shop.

"He founded Blue Planet Surf Gear in 1993 as a clothing line, selling to customers both in Hawai'i and in Japan. He started with the sale of T-shirts and shorts at the Aloha Stadium Swap Meet – I think I bought some of those that day. The first store that he opened was in Maui in 1995, and the second location was at Aloha Tower Marketplace, the third being Kapahulu Avenue.

"The Ward Avenue shop that opened in 2010 marked a change in his strategy: The direction was now focusing on manufacturing, distribution, and wholesale retail sales of surfboards and standup paddleboards. Now recognized as the standup paddleboard headquarters for locals and tourists alike – and Madam President, maybe you and I can do some tandem standup after session today – Blue Planet Surf provides rentals, lessons, clinics, and repairs, and generates revenues that have increased 57 percent since 2013.

"Robert has weathered economic downturns and has had many challenges and market competition for 21 years, an accomplishment that he credits to the skills and savvy gained with the International Entrepreneurs' Organization, or the IEO. He's also worked with the SBA to finance expansion and exporting ventures. He also mentors staff to establish their own innovative ventures, partners with local companies to jointly market products and services and the aloha spirit to visitors. Robert Stehlik.

"And in the gallery, we have Kevin Fung and the nominators from Bank of Hawaii, Anne Blasque and Jared Kobashigawa. Thank you to all of you."

Senator Green rose to present the following remarks:

"Thank you, Madam President. Eric Tanouye is our 2015 U.S. Small Business Administration Entrepreneurial Success award winner. He's a fantastic guy. He basically runs a business on the Big Island: Green Point Nursery is located in Kea'au, on the east side. It's the state's premier producer and exporter of anthuriums, which my mother appreciates very greatly; there are tropical flowers and foliage there.

"They were originally founded in 1977, by Harold Tanouye and currently operated by the second- and third-generation family members. Green Point Nursery remains a leader in the ag industry for quality, ongoing innovation, marketing, and sustainability. In the 1990s, Green Point used SBA financing to build greenhouses and acquire equipment to expand their flower production at a time when bacterial blight was threatening their livelihood on the Big Island. Vice President Eric Tanouye has worked tirelessly to create industry standards for increasing production through what's called 'cinder growing media,' irrigation systems, and hermetically sealed bags for shipping and negotiating freight packages.

"This small business that began with just two employees now has created more than 50 stable jobs in the East Hawai'i community, so congratulations, Eric. He's also created various other opportunities for other growers of the same plant variety on Hawai'i island; that's also a credit to his family's business.

"Eric Tanouye has been able to increase revenues and net worth through his market knowledge and perseverance, and he was instrumental in diversifying his product line, working with trade organizations and small growers, florists, and shippers. He has continued productive involvement with big organizations – the USDA Pacific Basin Ag Research Center, the UH College of Tropical Ag, and many other agricultural, visitor, and business organizations. He came very, very highly recommended by Senator Ruderman, who is fond of him as well.

"We're joined today by his wife, Lolita, and son Chris. Congratulations. And I'd be remiss if I didn't say that he was nominated by Amy Honda and Roberta Chu. Thank you very much, Eric."

Senator Kahele rose to present the following remarks:

"Mahalo, Madam President. Colleagues, Island Naturals first opened its doors in Hilo in 1997, becoming the premier natural foods grocer on Hawai'i Island with one location and 40 employees. They have now grown to three locations and 150 employees in Hilo, Pāhoa, and Kailua-Kona. Recognized for high-quality natural and organically grown foods, many of which are locally produced, their sales have also increased more than 40 percent over the last three years. With that, please help me congratulate the winner of the 2015 Small Business Person of the Year for the State of Hawai'i, our colleague Senator Russell Ruderman. Congratulations, Russell."

Senator Wakai rose and stated:

"Thank you, Senator Kahele and members. It's great to know that we have a colleague who knows how to make great laws and also make money for all of us. Congratulations to all of our winners who are joining us here on the floor, but we have a number of business leaders in our gallery. You heard from some of them, but I want to point out a couple more: they are District Director of the Small Business Administration Jane Sawyer; joining her are nominators Josephine Alonso and Lawrence Pai, and Bank of Hawaii is represented by Executive Vice President Dana Takushi and Senior Vice President Roberta Chu. And we have representatives from Central Pacific Bank as well as American Savings Bank. Thank you very much. Congratulations to all of our winners and everyone involved in the Small Business Administration."

At 11:58 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 12:04 p.m.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senators Espero and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the

Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1269) recommending that S.C.R. No. 150 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1269 and S.C.R. No. 150, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION TO REPORT CRIMES OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE UNDER THE UNIFORM CRIME REPORTING SYSTEM," was deferred until Monday, April 6, 2015.

Senators Espero and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1270) recommending that S.R. No. 92 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1270 and S.R. No. 92, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION TO REPORT CRIMES OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE UNDER THE UNIFORM CRIME REPORTING SYSTEM," was deferred until Monday, April 6, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1271) recommending that S.C.R. No. 40, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1271 and S.C.R. No. 40, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CAMPAIGN SPENDING COMMISSION TO STUDY AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS REGARDING A \$250 CAP ON CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS AND ON ESTABLISHING A PROCESS FOR THE REFUNDING OF CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS," was deferred until Monday, April 6, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1272) recommending that S.C.R. No. 98, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1272 and S.C.R. No. 98, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE JUDICIARY TO CONDUCT A STUDY TO IDENTIFY TRAFFIC OFFENSES AND CRIMES, PETTY MISDEMEANOR OFFENSES, AND MISDEMEANOR OFFENSES THAT CAUSE A DISPROPORTIONATE WORKLOAD FOR THE JUDICIARY AND THAT MAY BE APPROPRIATE FOR DECRIMINALIZATION AS INFRACTIONS," was deferred until Monday, April 6, 2015.

Senator Kahele, for the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1273) recommending that S.C.R. No. 102, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1273 and S.C.R. No. 102, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE PEOPLE OF KOREA TO ENGAGE IN DIALOGUE REGARDING THE PEACEFUL REUNIFICATION OF THE KOREAN PENINSULA," was deferred until Monday, April 6, 2015.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1274) recommending that S.R. No. 36, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1274 and S.R. No. 36, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT 'ĪLIAHI,

HAWAIIAN SANDALWOOD,” was deferred until Monday, April 6, 2015.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1275) recommending that S.C.R. No. 76, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1275 and S.C.R. No. 76, S.D. 1, entitled: “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT ‘ILIAHI, HAWAIIAN SANDALWOOD,” was deferred until Monday, April 6, 2015.

Senators Thielen and Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1276) recommending that S.R. No. 121, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1276 and S.R. No. 121, S.D. 1, entitled: “SENATE RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE OFFICE OF PLANNING, LAND USE COMMISSION, HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY, HAWAII HOUSING FINANCE AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION, AND COUNTY PLANNING DEPARTMENTS TO ADOPT AND IMPLEMENT RECOMMENDATIONS HIGHLIGHTED IN THE BUILDING HEALTHY PLACES TOOLKIT REPORT BY THE URBAN LAND INSTITUTE, OR SIMILAR POLICIES THAT PROVIDE A COMPREHENSIVE APPROACH TO LAND USE AND DEVELOPMENT THAT STRENGTHEN COMMUNITY HEALTH AND SMART GROWTH PRINCIPLES,” was deferred until Monday, April 6, 2015.

Senators Thielen and Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1277) recommending that S.C.R. No. 186, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1277 and S.C.R. No. 186, S.D. 1, entitled: “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE OFFICE OF PLANNING, LAND USE COMMISSION, HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY, HAWAII HOUSING FINANCE AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION, AND COUNTY PLANNING DEPARTMENTS TO ADOPT AND IMPLEMENT RECOMMENDATIONS HIGHLIGHTED IN THE BUILDING HEALTHY PLACES TOOLKIT REPORT BY THE URBAN LAND INSTITUTE, OR SIMILAR POLICIES THAT PROVIDE A COMPREHENSIVE APPROACH TO LAND USE AND DEVELOPMENT THAT STRENGTHEN COMMUNITY HEALTH AND SMART GROWTH PRINCIPLES,” was deferred until Monday, April 6, 2015.

Senator Gabbard, for the majority of the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1278) recommending that S.C.R. No. 164, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1278 and S.C.R. No. 164, S.D. 1, entitled: “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CONVENING OF A CLIMATE CHANGE AND HEALTH WORKING GROUP TO ASSESS THE SCOPE AND RISKS OF CLIMATE CHANGE ON THE HEALTH OF HAWAII’S RESIDENTS AND TO DEVELOP A STRATEGIC PLAN TO ADDRESS CLIMATE CHANGE RISKS TO HEALTH STATEWIDE,” was deferred until Monday, April 6, 2015.

Senator Gabbard, for the majority of the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1279) recommending that S.R. No. 100, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1279 and S.R. No. 100, S.D. 1, entitled: “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CONVENING OF A CLIMATE CHANGE AND HEALTH WORKING GROUP TO ASSESS THE SCOPE AND RISKS OF CLIMATE CHANGE ON THE HEALTH OF HAWAII’S RESIDENTS AND TO DEVELOP A STRATEGIC PLAN TO ADDRESS CLIMATE CHANGE RISKS TO HEALTH STATEWIDE,” was deferred until Monday, April 6, 2015.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1280) recommending that S.C.R. No. 106, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1280 and S.C.R. No. 106, S.D. 1, entitled: “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION CONVENING A TASK FORCE TO IDENTIFY PARCELS OF URBAN SHORELINE IN KAKA’AKO MAKAI IN COORDINATION WITH THE “LEI OF GREEN” POLICY RECOGNIZED IN THE KAKA’AKO MAKAI VISION AND GUIDING PRINCIPLES AND THE MASTER PLAN FOR KAKA’AKO MAKAI ADOPTED BY THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY IN 2011,” was deferred until Monday, April 6, 2015.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Government Operations, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1281) recommending that S.R. No. 101, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1281 and S.R. No. 101, S.D. 1, entitled: “SENATE RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE CO-NAMING OF A SECTION OF 33RD STREET IN NEW YORK CITY TO FATHER DAMIEN WAY IN HONOR OF SAINT DAMIEN DE VEUSTER,” was deferred until Monday, April 6, 2015.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Government Operations, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1282) recommending that S.C.R. No. 165, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1282 and S.C.R. No. 165, S.D. 1, entitled: “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE CO-NAMING OF A SECTION OF 33RD STREET IN NEW YORK CITY TO FATHER DAMIEN WAY IN HONOR OF SAINT DAMIEN DE VEUSTER,” was deferred until Monday, April 6, 2015.

Senators Dela Cruz and Taniguchi, for the Committee on Government Operations and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1283) recommending that S.R. No. 103, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1283 and S.R. No. 103, S.D. 1, entitled: “SENATE RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES A TASK FORCE TO PLAN AND COORDINATE THE CELEBRATION OF THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF THE HAWAII STATE CAPITOL,” was deferred until Monday, April 6, 2015.

Senators Dela Cruz and Taniguchi, for the Committee on Government Operations and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a joint report (Stand. Com.

Rep. No. 1284) recommending that S.C.R. No. 167, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1284 and S.C.R. No. 167, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES A TASK FORCE TO PLAN AND COORDINATE THE CELEBRATION OF THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF THE HAWAII STATE CAPITOL," was deferred until Monday, April 6, 2015.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Government Operations, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1285) recommending that S.R. No. 14 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1285 and S.R. No. 14, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO ORDER THE EXCLUSIVE DISPLAY OF THE FLAG OF HAWAII OVER STATE BUILDINGS ON JANUARY 17 OF EACH YEAR," was deferred until Monday, April 6, 2015.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Government Operations, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1286) recommending that S.C.R. No. 39 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1286 and S.C.R. No. 39, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO ORDER THE EXCLUSIVE DISPLAY OF THE FLAG OF HAWAII OVER STATE BUILDINGS ON JANUARY 17 OF EACH YEAR," was deferred until Monday, April 6, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1287) recommending that S.R. No. 19, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1287 and S.R. No. 19, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DRUG ENFORCEMENT ADMINISTRATION TO INITIATE RESCHEDULING PROCEEDINGS TO REMOVE MARIJUANA FROM SCHEDULE I OF THE FEDERAL CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT," was deferred until Monday, April 6, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1288) recommending that S.C.R. No. 45, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1288 and S.C.R. No. 45, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DRUG ENFORCEMENT ADMINISTRATION TO INITIATE RESCHEDULING PROCEEDINGS TO REMOVE MARIJUANA FROM SCHEDULE I OF THE FEDERAL CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT," was deferred until Monday, April 6, 2015.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1289) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of KEKOA KALUHIWA as Deputy to the Chairperson of the Department of Land and Natural Resources, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 515.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1289 and Gov. Msg. No. 515 was deferred until Monday, April 6, 2015.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1290) recommending

that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Land and Natural Resources of the following:

ULALIA WOODSIDE, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 540;

CHRISTOPHER J. YUEN, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 541; and

KEITH K. DOWNING, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 542.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1290 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 540, 541, and 542 was deferred until Monday, April 6, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1291) recommending that H.B. No. 1090, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1291 and H.B. No. 1090, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENTS," was deferred until Monday, April 6, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1292) recommending that H.B. No. 269 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 269, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PSYCHOLOGY," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Monday, April 6, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1293) recommending that H.B. No. 928 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 928, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONSUMER ADVOCATE," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Monday, April 6, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1294) recommending that H.B. No. 15, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 15, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Monday, April 6, 2015.

ORDER OF THE DAY

ADVISE AND CONSENT

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1194 (Gov. Msg. No. 517):

Senator Espero moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1194 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Baker and carried.

Senator Espero then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of BRIGADIER GENERAL ARTHUR LOGAN as Adjutant General of the Department of Defense, term to expire December 3, 2018, seconded by Senator Baker.

Senator Espero rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

“Thank you, Madam President, colleagues, and guests. This morning we will be voting on the confirmation of Arthur Joe Logan as the adjutant general of the Department of Defense, GM 517.

“Your PSM Committee finds that Brigadier General Logan’s background, experience, and commitment to public service qualify him for this important position. General Logan has extensive experience in the military and law enforcement with 33 years of cumulative experience. He was a member of the Honolulu Police Department for 20 years and is an officer with the Hawaii Army National Guard. As a police officer, he became a detective in the robbery detail and collaborated often with federal agencies such as the FBI, ATF, Customs, IRS, and DEA. During his 13 years in the National Guard, he was the counterdrug coordinator at the Hawaii National Guard, United States Army Commander of the Regional Police Advisory Command-Central in Afghanistan, and former chief of staff of the Hawaii Army National Guard. Since October 2013, General Logan has served as the director responsible for the operations, training, and mobilization of the Hawaii Army National Guard, overseeing an annual budget of \$26 million; developing and approving all operations, disaster response, and contingency plans; and supervising the production of situational and informational reports.

“Brigadier General Logan received a bachelor of arts degree in justice administration from Hawai’i Pacific University and a master’s degree in strategic studies from the United States Army War College. He has received numerous awards and decorations, including the Legion of Merit, the United States Army Bronze Star, United States Army Meritorious Service Medal, Army Commendation Medal, Afghanistan Campaign Medal, Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal, and Humanitarian Medal. General Logan has served as the president and vice president of the Hawaii National Guard Association and has been active in the National Guard Association of the United States, Military Officers Association of America, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Association of the United States Army, and Contingency Planners of the Pacific.

“Your committee finds that Brigadier General Logan has excellent credentials and has demonstrated a high level of understanding of the state’s emergency management and homeland security needs. His years of military service, accomplishments, and leadership experience indicate that he is capable and ready to serve as the adjutant general in peacetime and during times of emergency.

“Your committee has found the nominee to be qualified for the position of adjutant general and recommends that the Senate advise and consent to this nomination.”

Senator Inouye rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

“General Logan comes from a family of service, and in particular, with the Hawaii National Guard. It is fitting that General Logan should rise to the rank of leadership. General Logan has two brothers: Stephen and Mark, who are both colonels in the Guard. And his wife, Madam President, is from my district, and her family, from North Kohala. Please join me in the advise and consent of General Logan. Thank you.”

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Ruderman).

At this time, Senator Espero introduced newly confirmed Adjutant General Arthur Logan, who was present in the gallery

with his wife, Gaylene; his son, Jordan; his brother Colonel Mark Logan and his wife, Blossom; his brother Colonel Stephen Logan and his wife, Darcie; and supporters from the Hawai’i Department of Defense.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1195 (Gov. Msg. No. 518):

Senator Espero moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1195 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Baker and carried.

Senator Espero then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of COLONEL KENNETH HARA as Deputy Adjutant General of the Department of Defense, term to expire December 3, 2018, seconded by Senator Baker.

Senator Baker rose to speak in strong support of the nominee as follows:

“Madam President, your Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs held a public hearing on March 17 and reviewed the personal history, résumé, and statement submitted by Colonel Kenneth Hara. We found that he possesses the requisite qualifications to become deputy adjutant general of the Department of Defense.

“In fact, Madam President and colleagues, he is well-qualified for this new assignment. With more than 30 years of military service, Colonel Hara’s background and extensive military and leadership experiences include three combat deployments to Iraq and Afghanistan. He was also the lead planner of the Hawaii National Guard’s engineering civic action program that rebuilt four buildings in the Marasbaras National High School in Tacloban, Philippines.

“Colonel Hara has served as battalion commander, deputy G3 of the Hawaii National Guard, and deputy commander and commander of the 29th Infantry Brigade Combat Team. Since 2013, he has served as the Chief of the Joint Staff of the Hawaii National Guard, where he is responsible for developing, implementing, and communicating Hawaii National Guard policies; managing the Hawaii National Guard Joint Staff; advising the adjutant general regarding Hawaii National Guard training, missions, and functions; collaborating with intergovernmental groups and government officials on emergency matters; and assisting with strategic communications, strategy, plans, and execution.

“Colonel Hara received a bachelor of arts degree in human services from Hawai’i Pacific University and a master’s degree in strategic studies from the United States Army War College. He’s received numerous awards and decorations including the Legion of Merit, the Bronze Star Medal, and the Hawaii National Guard Association Field Grade Officer of the Year. Colonel Hara has also been active in his community.

“Madam President and colleagues, your Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs found that Colonel Hara has outstanding credentials and is exceptionally well-qualified to be the state’s deputy adjutant general. His years of military service, his accomplishments and leadership experience, demonstrate that he is well-prepared to lead and support Adjutant General Arthur Logan. So Madam President, on behalf of your committee, I ask for a unanimous vote of my colleagues and that, in fact, the Senate advise and consent to Governor’s Message 518. Mahalo.”

Senator Inouye rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

“Colonel Hara is fitting, as well, and he should rise to the rank of leadership, and you must bear with me. Colonel Kenneth Hara comes from Hilo and is a graduate of Waiākea High School and a long line of career in the National Guardsmen.

"Three generations of the Haras have served our country in the National Guard and other branches of our military. Colonel Hara is one of four sons of the late Lieutenant Colonel Henry Hara, who was one of my greatest supporters in my early career in politics. Lieutenant Colonel Hara was a battalion commander in Hilo. Henry and his wife had four sons: Gary, Dennis, Larry, and Kenneth. Gary is a major general stationed at Fort Shafter with USARPAC. The second son, Dennis, is a retired command sergeant major previously assigned to Joint Forces headquarters in Honolulu. Larry is a master sergeant with the Army National Guard in Hilo. And last but not least, the fourth son, Kenneth, stands before us today nominated to be our next deputy adjutant general.

"Colonel Hara's wife is Myoung. Kenneth's father had two brothers: Horace and Harry Hara. Brother Horace ended his career as a colonel in the Hawaii Army National Guard. Horace's son, Darren, was an Air Force pilot who retired as a major, and Harry's daughter, Donna (Hara) Kim, is with the Air Guard in Hilo. Darren and Donna are first cousins of our new deputy adjutant general.

"But this is not the last of the Haras and their military careers. The younger generation is serving our country as well. Ryan Hara, son of brother Larry, is currently in the Army working with Black Hawk helicopters, and Kenneth's son, Justin, has just completed basic training with the National Guard.

"What amazing families and how proud they must be of their legacy of service to our country and our state. I applaud you and your families, including General Logan as well, and I'm happy to stand in support of your nominations today. Thank you, Madam President; thank you, colleagues."

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Ruderman).

At this time, Senator Baker introduced newly confirmed Deputy Adjutant General Kenneth Hara, who was accompanied in the gallery by his wife, Myoung; his brother, Major General Gary Hara; and his sister-in-law Dianne.

At 12:18 p.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 12:24 p.m. with the Vice President in the Chair.

ADOPTION OF RESOLUTIONS

MATTERS DEFERRED FROM WEDNESDAY, APRIL 1, 2015

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1190 (S.R. No. 24, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.R. No. 24, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AHA MOKU ADVISORY COMMITTEE TO ENGAGE STAKEHOLDERS IN ORDER TO DEVELOP AND ADOPT RULES FOR ITS OPERATION AND ADMINISTRATION," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1191 (S.C.R. No. 55, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.C.R. No. 55, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AHA MOKU ADVISORY COMMITTEE TO ENGAGE STAKEHOLDERS IN ORDER TO DEVELOP AND ADOPT RULES FOR ITS OPERATION AND ADMINISTRATION," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1192 (S.C.R. No. 78, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 78, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII SISTER-STATE COMMITTEE TO EVALUATE AND DEVELOP RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE INITIATION OF A SISTER-STATE RELATIONSHIP WITH THE STATE OF GOA IN THE COUNTRY OF INDIA AND FORWARD ITS RECOMMENDATION TO THE LEGISLATURE, PURSUANT TO SECTION 229-3, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES, FOR FURTHER ACTION," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1193 (S.C.R. No. 201, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 201, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII SISTER-STATE COMMITTEE TO EVALUATE AND DEVELOP RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE INITIATION OF A SISTER STATE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE STATE OF HAWAII AND THE PREFECTURE OF HOKKAIDO, JAPAN, AND FORWARD ITS RECOMMENDATION TO THE LEGISLATURE, PURSUANT TO SECTION 229-3, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES, FOR FURTHER ACTION," was adopted.

At this time, Senator Baker thanked the members for their support of the Easter basket drive to benefit the Institute for Human Services.

Senator English rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

"Members, I want to thank Senator Chun Oakland for distributing the wonderful gifts on our desks, and I just have to point out that some of us got Snickers and some of us got M&M's. For those of us who got the Snickers, if you recall the Snickers commercial where we turn into these raging animals until we eat our Snickers, can I advise everyone to please eat your Snickers and be nice over Easter. Thank you."

Senator Gabbard rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

"I just want to correct the record: You'll notice that I do have a tie on. I would also like to – in response to the previous speaker – I would love to enjoy my egg, but it's been stolen by the senator from Kailua-Kona. So I would like to direct the Sergeant-at-Arms to please arrest him for theft at the close of the session today. Thank you."

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:27 p.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Monday, April 6, 2015.

FORTY-FIRST DAY

Monday, April 6, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:38 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present.

The President announced that she had read and approved the Journal of the Fortieth Day.

Senator Harimoto, on behalf of Senate President Kim, welcomed fifth grade students from Webling Elementary School, who were present in the gallery with their teacher, Mr. Jason-Brian Ogawa; and parent chaperone Mrs. Moriki.

Senator Kouchi recognized visitors from Kaua'i who were present in the gallery: Kumu Hula Leina'ala Pavao Jardin of the award-winning Halau Ka Lei Mokihana o Leina'ala and recipient of the YWCA's 2014 Na Wahine Alakai Women's Leadership Award; and Jayna Shaffer, 2010 Miss Kaua'i Filipina and the halau's representative in the Miss Aloha Hula competition at the 2015 Merrie Monarch Festival.

Senator English noted the presence of 'Ōiwi TV representatives in the gallery including Chief Executive Officer and Founder Nā'ālehu Anthony, Bryson Hoe, and Race Skelton; and remarked that 'Ōiwi TV had been broadcasting coverage of the worldwide voyage of the *Hōkūle'a*.

Senator Shimabukuro welcomed former United States Senator Daniel Akaka, who was present in the gallery with Lopaka Baptiste, former staff member for Senator Akaka in Washington, D.C., and current staff member for Senator Shimabukuro. Senator Shimabukuro also recognized Rachel Kailianu-Conner and DeMont Conner from Nānākuli, as well as Momi and Jimmy Keaulana and others from the Keaulana family.

Senator Galuteria acknowledged the presence of Office of Hawaiian Affairs Chair Robert Lindsey in the gallery.

Senator Kahele congratulated the Polynesian Voyaging Society on the 40th anniversary of the launch of the *Hōkūle'a*, and presented the following remarks:

"Thank you, Madam President. The Polynesian Voyaging Society launched its first voyaging canoe, the *Hōkūle'a*, from the sacred shores of Hakipu'u in Kāne'ohe Bay on the island of O'ahu on March 8, 1975. Its design was a replica based on oral traditions, sketches, and petroglyphs of ancient canoes of the Pacific Islands.

"In the 1970s, artist and author Herb Kāne dreamed of building a double-hulled sailing canoe for the first time in centuries. The idea brought together people of diverse backgrounds and professions to form the Polynesian Voyaging Society, founded in 1973 by Herb Kāne, Ben Finney, and Tommy Holmes.

"Mau Piailug bravely shared his knowledge of wayfinding with people outside of his family, island, and Micronesia. The successful arrival of *Hōkūle'a* in Tahiti in 1976 via traditional, non-instrument navigation marked a renewal of traditional voyaging and wayfinding, and her safe return home by an equally dedicated crew has inspired generations to be proud of their Pacific heritage and to continue to seek inclusive island wisdom of sustainability, responsibility, and mutual respect and caring. Today we honor some of the first crew members who are here with us today who made that first voyage.

"Madam President, with your permission, I yield my time to my fellow colleague, Senator Galuteria, who also had the

privilege to sail on the *Hōkūle'a*, for the introduction of our first honoree."

Senator Galuteria rose to present the following remarks:

"Thank you, Madam President and colleagues. It indeed was a vibrant time of my life; it continues to be, as I take a look across the Senate floor and see many of my colleagues that I had the esteemed pleasure to sail with, with the exception of Dr. Ben Young. I sailed, I believe, with one of his offspring. I did sail with every one of the gentlemen and lady here today. Aloha and welcome to the State Senate.

"Dr. Ben Finney, the son of a United States Navy pilot, grew up in San Diego, California. He earned his B.A. in history, economics, and anthropology at the University of California. In 1958, after serving in the U.S. Navy, he worked in the steel and aerospace industry, and he came to Hawai'i and earned his M.A. in anthropology at the University of Hawai'i. His master's thesis, 'Hawaiian Surfing: A Study of Cultural Change,' became the basis for *Surfing: The Sport of Hawaiian Kings*, a book which Ben co-authored in 1966. Ben Finney earned his PhD in anthropology at Harvard University in 1964.

"In 1973, colleagues, Ben co-founded the Polynesian Voyaging Society with Herb Kāne and Tommy Holmes – whose spirits we remember today – intending to learn and prove the purposefulness and skills of Hawaiian and Polynesian voyagers. Ben served as PVS's first president and sailed aboard *Hōkūle'a* during the first voyage to Tahiti in 1976, the 1985 voyage to Aotearoa, and the 1992 voyage to Rarotonga. And I was a member of the crew during that voyage as well, as we made our way to Ra'iātea and Taputapuātea on a very, very significant historic voyage that opened up that passage to Ra'iātea after 400 years. It's at this time that we say 'aloha no' to Ben for his good works."

Senator Inouye rose to present the following remarks:

"Thank you, Madam President. It's indeed my pleasure to introduce our representative, Milton 'Shorty' G. Bertelmann. Milton 'Shorty' Bertelmann, the older brother of Kapena Clay Bertelmann, first saw *Hōkūle'a* in 1975 when she sailed into Kawaihae Harbor while he was helping to rebuild the walls of Pu'ukoholā Heiau. Soon after that, he met Mau Piailug and Nainoa Thompson. Bertelmann sailed from Hawai'i to Tahiti in 1976, when he began to learn traditional, observational navigation from Piailug.

"In 1980 and 1985, from Hawai'i to Tahiti, he served as captain on *Hōkūle'a*. He continued on the Voyage of Rediscovery from the Cook Islands to Aotearoa in 1985, from Samoa to the Cook Islands in 1986, and from Rangiroa to Hawai'i in 1987, serving as captain on each of these legs.

"Shorty and his brother Clay established Na Kalai Wa'a Moku o Hawai'i, a nonprofit voyaging and education organization on the west side of Hawai'i island, to preserve, protect, and perpetuate Hawaiian culture and contribute to a safe and healthy future for Hawai'i. From 1994 to 1995, Shorty and Clay led the effort to build the 54-foot voyaging canoe *Makali'i* to serve the Big Island. Later, they also built the voyaging canoe *Alingano Maisu* as a mahalo for Piailug's gifts of knowledge.

"In 2007, after sailing the *Alingano Maisu* to Piailug's home island of Satawal, Shorty and four other Hawaiian navigators who had proven their mastery of non-instrument sailing and navigation were inducted in Pwo by Piailug. Mahalo to Shorty Bertelmann."

Senator Shimabukuro rose to present the following remarks:

“Thank you, Madam President. It’s my honor to introduce Richard ‘Buffalo’ Keaulana. A commanding Hawaiian surfer from Mākaha, O‘ahu; winner of the 1960 Makaha International; and often referred to as the ‘Mayor of Mākaha,’ Richard Keaulana was born in 1935 in Honolulu and moved with his family to Mākaha, on O‘ahu’s west side, at age five. He learned to surf as a child in Waikīkī and made his first surfboard by taking a machete to a blank assembled from glued-together railroad ties.

“Keaulana worked in Waikīkī as a beach boy in the 1950s and earned his nickname ‘Buffalo’ for his generously proportioned head and shaggy reddish-brown hair. A perennial favorite in the Makaha International contest, Keaulana placed third in 1957, second in 1958, and first in 1960. He was also regarded as the world’s best bodysurfer.

“Buffalo was appointed head lifeguard at Mākaha in 1969, a post he held until 1995. The Buffalo Big Board Classic debuted in 1977, a surf contest and beach party that immediately became a local institution. Keaulana is married with six children, including big-wave expert Brian and three-time longboard world champion Rusty. Let’s give a round of applause again to Buffalo Keaulana.”

Senator Kouchi rose to present the following remarks:

“Thank you, Madam President. It’s my pleasure to introduce John Kruse. An original crewmember aboard *Hōkūle‘a*, John is today a pillar of the canoe community on Kaua‘i. He continues to lead work on the Garden Isle’s own sailing canoe, *Namahoe*. A leader of Kaua‘i’s canoe-building ‘ohana, John has a way of making nearly every sailing anecdote an adage. A Hawaiian treasure, John has spent much of his life sailing and now continues to build sailing canoes as part of Kaua‘i’s wayfinding legacy. To him, voyaging means the world. ‘When we built the canoe, it touched everybody,’ he said. ‘Families would come to watch us work and be staring at the canoe, because to them, it was the embodiment of what their elders told them.’ Again, John Kruse.”

Senator Tokuda rose to present the following remarks:

“Thank you, Madam President. It’s my honor to introduce William ‘Billy’ Richards. Billy Richards serves as a director on several public service, Native Hawaiian, and educational boards, including Paepae O He‘eia, Bishop Museum Association Council, and ‘Aha Kāne. He has held management positions in both the public and private sector, primarily in the field of aquaculture. He spent close to two decades at the Oceanic Institute, a private nonprofit research organization. Currently, Billy is the director of communications for Partners in Development Foundation, a public not-for-profit company that serves the Native Hawaiian community – and our public at large – through social and educational programs. Thank you very much; I’ve visited a few of them. He has been involved with Hawai‘i’s voyaging community since 1975, and has voyaged aboard the wa‘a kaulua (double-hulled voyaging canoes) *Hōkūle‘a*, *Hawai‘iloa*, *Makali‘i*, and *Hōkūalaka‘i* throughout the Pacific. He is presently the president of the Friends of Hōkūle‘a & Hawai‘iloa and serves as the co-chair of Ohana Wa‘a, a round-table collaborative of voyaging organizations from all the Hawaiian Islands. At this time, let’s once again give him a round of applause.”

Senator Kidani rose to present the following remarks:

“Mahalo, Madam President. It is my humble honor to introduce Charles Nainoa Thompson. Over the past 35 years, Nainoa Thompson has inspired and led a revival of the traditional arts associated with long-distance ocean voyaging in Hawai‘i and throughout Polynesia. He is the first Hawaiian to

practice the art of wayfinding on long-distance ocean voyages since such voyaging ended in Hawai‘i around the 14th century.

“He studied traditional, non-instrument navigation under Micronesian master navigator Pius ‘Mau’ Pailug of Satawal, Yap, and was inducted into Pwo by Pailug in 2007 with four other Hawaiian traditional navigators. Thompson now teaches a system of wayfinding, or non-instrument navigation, that he developed by synthesizing traditional principles of ancient Pacific navigation and modern science.

“Thompson is a graduate of Punahou School and the University of Hawai‘i, where he earned a B.A. in ocean science. He is a licensed commercial boat pilot and certified advanced diver as well as the current president of the Polynesian Voyaging society, leading the Mālama Honua Worldwide Voyage. Mahalo nui, Nainoa, for your very impressive leadership; thank you.”

Senator Baker rose to present the following remarks:

“Thank you, Madam President. Colleagues, it’s my great pleasure to have the opportunity to introduce to you Abraham ‘Snake’ Ah Hee. I didn’t know he had a first name; I’ve only known him by ‘Snake’. He was born in Lāhainā on March 18, 1946. He lived for a time with his great-grandfather in a house on the ocean outside of town. It was there that he really developed some of his skills. He says, ‘It was a fishing family ... We had nets and canoes, and ever since I was a small kid, my dad took me fishing. I learned the different areas to fish, how to find the fish, how the current moves, how to steer a canoe using Japanese oars.’ Real local knowledge kinds of ocean knowledge.

“Snake graduated from Lahainaluna High School in 1964 and worked as a lifeguard at some of our famous hotels on the west side. He joined the National Guard and was called into active duty in 1968 to serve a tour in Vietnam.

“Snake has five children, three girls and two boys: Malia Mahealani, Nainoa Chad, Makalea Rose, Mau Nukuhiva, and David. So it’s not an accident that the names of Nainoa, Chad, and Mau appear in his family. ‘*Hōkūle‘a* brought all her crew together,’ Snake said. ‘We’re like a family of brothers and sisters. I can go anywhere in Hawai‘i and stay with my ‘ohana.’

“In 1975, Snake heard about the *Hōkūle‘a* and that she would sail to Tahiti; shortly thereafter, he became a member of that first crew. He says, ‘That trip gave me a real good feeling inside. It was a good thing for my generation. The canoe makes us strong in mind and spirit – close to our culture. If not for the canoe I won’t say that our culture would be lost, but it would be weaker.’ And I think we can all agree with that.

“The *Hōkūle‘a* and her sister *Hikianalia* have really demonstrated the strength of the culture of Hawai‘i, and, Snake, we so appreciate the fact that you’re a mentor and a role model for lots of Lāhainā youth as well as others throughout our state. So thank you so very much for your leadership and your participation.”

Senator Dela Cruz rose to present the following remarks:

“Thank you, Madam President. Kainoa Lee has had love and passion for the ocean his whole life, but in the beginning, he was actually not interested in sailing on the *Hōkūle‘a*; it was his wife, Pat, who was the one who signed him up for a workshop at Kualoa to get acquainted with sailing. Kainoa became part of *Hōkūle‘a*’s first crew on the leg from Tahiti to Hawai‘i, which took only 22 days. The quote he remembers most from Mau Pailug that helped him prepare for the journey home is: ‘If you cannot live on land, you will not survive the ocean.’ Since then, Kainoa has sailed on many voyages and continues to support

the crews in the Mālama Honua Worldwide Voyage. Let's give him a round of applause."

Senator Riviere rose to present the following remarks:

"It's my privilege to introduce to the audience and the members today Kimo Lyman. Kimo Lyman is from Mokulē'ia, O'ahu. He worked in the fire department in Waialua, and he's a veteran of many of the *Hōkūle'a*'s voyages, beginning back in 1976, when he was the instrument navigator from Tahiti to Hawai'i. He voyaged on *Hōkūle'a* from Tahiti to Hawai'i in 1980; from Aotearoa to Sāmoa in 1986; and from the Cook Islands to Hawai'i in 1992, that time as co-navigator, without instruments. And he also sailed on the *Hawai'iloa* from Hawai'i to Tahiti and from Tahiti to the Marquesas to Hawai'i in 1995. He's been voyaging since he was 16, and obviously he's done well.

"Navigating without instruments on the voyage to Hawai'i in 1992 was a new challenge for Kimo. He said the biggest difference between instrument and non-instrument navigation is a psychological one: The instrument navigator can depend on his compass, his sextant, almanac, tables, and charts to give him his direction and his position, even when the sun or the stars aren't visible at the right time. Without instruments, on the other hand, the navigator must continually keep track of the progress of his vessel in his head and in his mind, and he's got to pay attention and bring that ship home. So, ladies and gentlemen, Kimo Lyman."

Senator Nishihara rose to present the following remarks:

"Thank you, Madam President. It gives me great pleasure to introduce Gordon Pi'ianai'a. Gordon Pi'ianai'a has always felt at home while at sea. His career at sea began shortly after he graduated from the Kamehameha School for Boys and he entered the Navy. He then went on to finish his undergraduate studies at California Maritime Academy and completed his final year of college at sea traveling around the world onboard the CMA's training ship, the *Golden Bear*.

"Gordon received his master's degree in geography from the University of Hawai'i. He retired from the U.S. Navy as an officer and from the Kamehameha Schools as director of the Hawaiian Studies Institute. Gordon started sailing on the *Hōkūle'a* in 1976 and has served as captain on numerous legs while sailing on part of each of the voyages from 1980 through 2014. Thank you, Gordon."

Senator English rose to present the following remarks:

"Penny Martin is one of only two women who took part in *Hōkūle'a*'s first voyage in 1976. Although there was some indecision as to whether women should be included on the initial voyage, Penny and fellow crewmember Keani Reiner worked hard and trained hard to earn their spots on the return leg from Tahiti to Hawai'i.

"Penny and her husband, Dave, have raised two sons, Kealiaukai and Conrad, on their Kalama'ula Homestead beachfront home. Penny was born and raised in Kalama'ula, Moloka'i, and in 1970, graduated from Kamehameha Schools. 'The real journey begins when you come back from the voyage and start applying and sharing the lessons learned,' she said. 'Coming home is not the end; it's the beginning.'

"Penny works for Papahāna Kūāōla's Lelekananu project, where she teaches culture-based environmental education. Penny has worked for decades on Moloka'i, where she has taught elementary and high school students and developed curricula with educators. She is the recipient of a number of awards, including the 2015 Mālama Honua award to be presented at this year's Moloka'i Earth Day celebration.

"'I am so appreciative of all the people that helped to make *Hōkūle'a* and voyaging possible,' she said. 'I still cannot believe how lucky I am to have sailed in 1976 with all of those awesome people. I never imagined that *Hōkūle'a* would continue sailing and birth a revival of Polynesian voyaging spanning 40 years with no end in sight. Happy birthday, *Hōkūle'a* ... Eo *Hōkūle'a*!'"

Senator Wakai rose to present the following remarks:

"Thank you, Madam President. Well, we all need a doctor; we have one here in the Senate, and the *Hōkūle'a* had one as well. Ladies and gentlemen, I introduce you to Dr. Ben Young.

"Dr. Young was a crewmember on the first voyage in 1976, serving as the crew's doctor on the return trip from Tahiti. In the early years of the Polynesian Voyaging Society, Dr. Young served a leading role in organizing for *Hōkūle'a*'s planned return to Tahiti. Dr. Young also authored the article 'Psychological Effects of Long Ocean Voyages' from observations made during the initial Tahiti voyage. The article is still used to educate new crewmembers on how to recognize and plan for the psychological effects that could be experienced during long voyages. Dr. Young, thank you for being a hero and for taking care of all your fellow heroes."

Senator Kahele then rose and stated:

"Thank you, Madam President. *Hōkūle'a* continues to bring people together from all walks of life. The winds of her crew's mentors and ancestors have carried her more than 150,000 nautical miles throughout the Pacific Ocean during the past 40 years. *Hōkūle'a* is more than a voyaging canoe: She represents a design shared by the people of Hawai'i, the Pacific, and the world to perpetuate and protect our cherished values and places from disappearing.

"Forty years from her first splash into the sea, with navigators who are using the same traditional knowledge and techniques that steered their ancestors before them, *Hōkūle'a* will continue to voyage beyond the Pacific on her Mālama Honua voyage, to include approximately 47,000 nautical miles, 85 ports, and 26 nations. The voyage, which began in Hawai'i in 2013 and will continue through 2017, seeks to engage all of Island Earth – practicing how to live sustainably while sharing Polynesian culture, learning from the past and from each other, creating global relationships, and discovering the wonders of this precious place we call home.

"*Hōkūle'a* continues to be Hawai'i's canoe – a floating classroom for Hawai'i and Island Earth – building on the awareness and understanding generated from her historic launching in 1975, the courageous sailing of her first deep-sea crews in 1976, and the creation of future leaders and educators who have grown up with the knowledge that each crew member on our respective wa'a, islands, and planet share the honored kuleana of caring for each other and our homes.

"And it is with great pleasure that the Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, recognizes and honors the Polynesian Voyaging Society on the 40th anniversary of the launch of the voyaging canoe *Hōkūle'a*, the members of the first crews who sailed her from Hawai'i to Tahiti and back in 1976, the many volunteers and employees who supported her many sails over the past 40 years, and the University of Hawai'i's Honolulu Community College and its Marine Education and Training Center, which have helped to house and care for her. We also extend our best wishes for the safety and success in their journey on their Mālama Honua, the Worldwide Voyage.

"In the gallery, we have several additional guests from the Polynesian Voyaging Society for this special floor presentation. In the gallery, we have Mila Finney, Ben Finney's wife. We

also have Cecelia Lindo, one of the first staff of PVS; Ha'aheo Mansfield, one of the first staff of PVS; Bert Kaihe Barber, one of the first volunteers for PVS and *Hōkūle'a*; Robert Perkins, director of the Marine Education and Training Center, where *Hōkūle'a* and PVS are housed; Laura Thompson, Polynesian Voyaging Society board member, wife of Pinky Thompson, and mother of Nainoa Thompson; Clyde Nāmu'o, CEO of Polynesian Voyaging Society; Dennis Kawaharada, Kapi'olani Community College, English faculty and long-time PVS documenter; Neil Hannahs, PVS board chair; Marisa Hayase, PVS communications director; Lilikalā Kame'eleihiwa, PVS board member; Billy Ornellas, PVS board member; Erika Lacro, chancellor of Honolulu Community College. Also, I would like to recognize those who are here in spirit and who have passed on: Kawika Kapahulehua, Tommy Holmes, and Paige Barber."

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

The Senate reconvened at 12:25 p.m.

At this time, Senator Baker acknowledged the presence of former Governor John Waihe'e in the gallery.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 611 to 717) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Gov. Msg. No. 611, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Advisory Committee on Pesticides, the nomination of REY ITO, term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Gov. Msg. No. 612, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Advisory Committee on Pesticides, the nomination of MICHAEL BOTHA, term to expire June 30, 2016, was referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Gov. Msg. No. 613, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Defender Council, the nomination of THOMAS OTAKE, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Gov. Msg. No. 614, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the High Technology Development Corporation, the nomination of JOHN MORTON, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology.

Gov. Msg. No. 615, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the High Technology Development Corporation, the nomination of DEREK C. LAU, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology.

Gov. Msg. No. 616, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the High Technology Development Corporation, the nomination of FREDERICK DELSE, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology.

Gov. Msg. No. 617, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the High Technology Development Corporation, the nomination of RACE A. RANDLE, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology.

Gov. Msg. No. 618, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the High Technology Development Corporation, the nomination of RAJ BUDHABHATTI, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology.

Gov. Msg. No. 619, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Community-Based Economic Development Advisory Council, the nomination of RACHEL JAMES, term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology.

Gov. Msg. No. 620, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Green Infrastructure Authority, the nomination of JEFFREY MIKULINA, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology.

Gov. Msg. No. 621, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Massage Therapy, the nomination of GEORGE DAVIS, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 622, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Massage Therapy, the nomination of PAULA BEHNKEN, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 623, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Naturopathic Medicine, the nomination of HEATHER BELL, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 624, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Veterinary Examiners, the nomination of JENEE ODANI, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 625, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Cable Advisory Board, the nomination of TIMOTHY O. BRYAN, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 626, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Boxing Commission of Hawaii, the nomination of NANTE MANANGAN, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 627, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Advisory Board on Veterans' Services, the nomination of MICHAEL LILLY, term to expire June 30, 2015, was referred to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs.

Gov. Msg. No. 628, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Advisory Board on Veterans' Services, the nomination of MICHAEL LILLY, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs.

Gov. Msg. No. 629, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Advisory Board on Veterans' Services, the nomination of WILBERT PEREIRA, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs.

Gov. Msg. No. 630, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Advisory Board on Veterans' Services, the nomination of JAMES TRAXLER, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs.

Gov. Msg. No. 631, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Advisory Council on Emergency Management, the nomination of COLTON CHING, term to

expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs.

Gov. Msg. No. 632, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Certification of Operating Personnel in Wastewater Treatment Plants, the nomination of ROBERT SOUZA, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 633, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Certification of Public Water System Operators, the nomination of GLENN AH YAT, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 634, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Center for Nursing Advisory Board, the nomination of ELIZABETH HOBAN, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts.

Gov. Msg. No. 635, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Center for Nursing Advisory Board, the nomination of SUSAN LEE, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts.

Gov. Msg. No. 636, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Crime Victim Compensation Commission, the nomination of MARTHA ROSS, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs.

Gov. Msg. No. 637, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Crime Victim Compensation Commission, the nomination of MARI MCCAIG, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs.

Gov. Msg. No. 638, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Disability and Communication Access Board, the nomination of ANN CHINEN ITO, term to expire June 30, 2016, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 639, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Disability and Communication Access Board, the nomination of PAULINE AUGHE, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 640, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Disability and Communication Access Board, the nomination of ED CHEVY, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 641, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Disability and Communication Access Board, the nomination of DOUGLAS MOISES, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 642, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Disability and Communication Access Board, the nomination of MISELLA TOMITA, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 643, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Disability and Communication Access Board, the nomination of YOLANDA PHELAN, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 644, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Disability and Communication Access Board, the nomination of ROBIN K. INABA, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 645, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Medical Advisory Board, the nomination of OSCAR DELLINGER, MD, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Gov. Msg. No. 646, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Environmental Council, the nomination of ROBERT PARSONS, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Energy and Environment.

Gov. Msg. No. 647, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Advisory Commission on Drug Abuse and Controlled Substances, the nomination of CHAD KOYANAGI, term to expire June 30, 2015, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 648, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Advisory Commission on Drug Abuse and Controlled Substances, the nomination of CHAD KOYANAGI, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 649, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Advisory Commission on Drug Abuse and Controlled Substances, the nomination of CASHMIRE LOPEZ, term to expire June 30, 2015, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 650, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Advisory Commission on Drug Abuse and Controlled Substances, the nomination of CASHMIRE LOPEZ, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 651, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Advisory Commission on Drug Abuse and Controlled Substances, the nomination of EDWARD MERSEREAU, term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 652, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Advisory Commission on Drug Abuse and Controlled Substances, the nomination of LORI FERREIRA, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 653, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Advisory Commission on Drug Abuse and Controlled Substances, the nomination of HEATHER LUSK, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 654, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Early Intervention Coordinating Council, the nomination of BERNADETTE LANE, term to expire June 30, 2015, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 655, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Early Intervention Coordinating Council, the nomination of BERNADETTE LANE, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 656, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Early Intervention Coordinating Council, the nomination of CARRIELYNN A PISCOTTO, term to expire June 30, 2015, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 657, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Early Intervention Coordinating Council, the nomination of CARRIELYNN A PISCOTTO, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 658, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Early Intervention Coordinating Council, the nomination of KERI KOBAYASHI, term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 659, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Early Intervention Coordinating

Council, the nomination of DR. DANIEL BUEHLER, term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 660, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Early Intervention Coordinating Council, the nomination of TOBY PORTNER, term to expire June 30, 2016, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 661, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Early Intervention Coordinating Council, the nomination of PETER TRANG, term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 662, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Early Intervention Coordinating Council, the nomination of ASHLEY DIAZ, term to expire June 30, 2015, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 663, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Early Intervention Coordinating Council, the nomination of ASHLEY DIAZ, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 664, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Early Intervention Coordinating Council, the nomination of SABRINA K. GOLIS, term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 665, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Health Planning Council, Tri-Isle Subarea, the nomination of MAUREEN NAGANUMA, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 666, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Health Planning Council, West Oahu Subarea, the nomination of JILL TAMASHIRO, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 667, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Policy Advisory Board for Elder Affairs, the nomination of JAMES CISLER, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Gov. Msg. No. 668, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Policy Advisory Board for Elder Affairs, the nomination of PATRICK DUARTE, term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Gov. Msg. No. 669, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Policy Advisory Board for Elder Affairs, the nomination of ANTHONY LENZER, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Gov. Msg. No. 670, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Policy Advisory Board for Elder Affairs, the nomination of MARILYN SEELY, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Gov. Msg. No. 671, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Policy Advisory Board for Elder Affairs, the nomination of TRACEY WILTGEN, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Gov. Msg. No. 672, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Policy Advisory Board for Elder Affairs, the nomination of LAUREL COLEMAN, MD, term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Gov. Msg. No. 673, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Policy Advisory Board for Elder Affairs, the

nomination of F. ADELE RUGG, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Gov. Msg. No. 674, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Radiologic Technology Board, the nomination of LORI OKUDA, term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 675, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Council on Developmental Disabilities, the nomination of NATALIE KAMA, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 676, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Council on Developmental Disabilities, the nomination of LIZA T.H. YOGI, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 677, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Council on Developmental Disabilities, the nomination of TIMOTHY RENKEN, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 678, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Council on Developmental Disabilities, the nomination of AARON KEMP, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 679, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Council on Developmental Disabilities, the nomination of SANTO TRIOLO, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 680, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Council on Developmental Disabilities, the nomination of ALBERT PEREZ, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 681, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Council on Developmental Disabilities, the nomination of JEFFREY OKAMOTO, MD, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 682, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Council on Developmental Disabilities, the nomination of JOSEPHINE WOLL, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 683, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Council on Developmental Disabilities, the nomination of LORI ABE, term to expire June 30, 2016, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 684, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Council on Developmental Disabilities, the nomination of RICKY SHIMOKAWA, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 685, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Council on Mental Health, the nomination of CYNTHIA DANG, term to expire June 30, 2016, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 686, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Council on Mental Health, the nomination of ALFRED ARESNDORF, term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 687, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Council on Mental Health, the nomination of FRANCES ELAINE LYONS, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 688, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Statewide Health Coordinating Council, the nomination of VERONICA ROCHA, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 689, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Statewide Health Coordinating Council, the nomination of HAROLD WALLACE, JR., term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 690, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Commission on Fatherhood, the nomination of DANIEL KITTREDGE, term to expire June 30, 2016, was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Gov. Msg. No. 691, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Commission on the Status of Women, the nomination of LESLIE WILKINS, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Gov. Msg. No. 692, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Commission on the Status of Women, the nomination of LISA ELLEN SMITH, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Gov. Msg. No. 693, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Commission on the Status of Women, the nomination of SHERRY CAMPAGNA, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Gov. Msg. No. 694, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Commission on the Status of Women, the nomination of CYD L. HOFFELD, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Gov. Msg. No. 695, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Juvenile Justice State Advisory Council, the nomination of DEXTER ARTIENDA, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Gov. Msg. No. 696, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Workforce Development Council, the nomination of MIN KIM, term to expire June 30, 2015, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Gov. Msg. No. 697, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Workforce Development Council, the nomination of MIN KIM, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Gov. Msg. No. 698, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Workforce Development Council, the nomination of ERIC SEELEMAN, term to expire June 30, 2015, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Gov. Msg. No. 699, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Workforce Development Council, the nomination of ERIC SEELEMAN, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Gov. Msg. No. 700, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Workforce Development Council, the nomination of LEO CAIRES, term to expire June 30, 2015, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Gov. Msg. No. 701, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Workforce Development Council, the nomination of LEO CAIRES, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Gov. Msg. No. 702, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Kokee State Park Advisory Council, the nomination of MICHAEL GIVENS, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Water and Land.

Gov. Msg. No. 703, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Kokee State Park Advisory Council, the nomination of MADELINE GUYETT, term to expire June 30, 2015, was referred to the Committee on Water and Land.

Gov. Msg. No. 704, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Kokee State Park Advisory Council, the nomination of MADELINE GUYETT, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Water and Land.

Gov. Msg. No. 705, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Natural Area Reserves System Commission, the nomination of MARIE BRUEGMANN, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Water and Land.

Gov. Msg. No. 706, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Natural Area Reserves System Commission, the nomination of RONALD RAPANOT, SR., term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Water and Land.

Gov. Msg. No. 707, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Corrections Population Management Commission, the nomination of ANDERSON HEE, term to expire June 30, 2015, was referred to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs.

Gov. Msg. No. 708, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Corrections Population Management Commission, the nomination of ANDERSON HEE, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs.

Gov. Msg. No. 709, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Medical Advisory Board, the nomination of KLEBERT JONES, MD, term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Gov. Msg. No. 710, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Medical Advisory Board, the nomination of ALAN STEIN, MD, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Gov. Msg. No. 711, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Medical Advisory Board, the nomination of JOHN CORBOY, MD, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Gov. Msg. No. 712, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Medical Advisory Board, the nomination of JUDITH DICKERT, MD, term to expire June 30, 2015, was referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Gov. Msg. No. 713, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Medical Advisory Board, the nomination of JUDITH DICKERT, MD, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Gov. Msg. No. 714, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Emergency Medical Services Advisory Committee, the nomination of REZA DANESH, MD, term to expire June 30, 2015, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 715, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Emergency Medical Services Advisory Committee, the nomination of REZA DANESH, MD, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 716, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Language Access Advisory Council, the nomination of TERRINA WONG, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 717, letter dated April 2, 2015, correcting the term for the nomination to Gov. Msg. No. 548, Gubernatorial

Nominee to the Board of Regents of the University of Hawaii, ERNEST WILSON, JR., term to expire amended to June 30, 2020, was placed on file.

DEPARTMENTAL COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications (Dept. Com. Nos. 80 to 82) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Dept. Com. No. 80, from the County Clerk, County of Hawai'i, dated March 20, 2015, transmitting Resolution 112-15, which was adopted by the Council of the County of Hawai'i on March 18, 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 81, from the Office of the Auditor dated March 31, 2015, transmitting the Financial Statement Audit Reports for Fiscal Year 2014 for the Department of Accounting and General Services, State Motor Pool Revolving Fund; Department of Transportation, Airports Division; and the Hawai'i Public Housing Authority pursuant to Article VII, Section 10, Hawai'i State Constitution, and as authorized by Chapter 23, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 82, from the Office of the Ombudsman dated March 31, 2015, transmitting Report No. 45 pursuant to Section 96-16, HRS.

HOUSE COMMUNICATION

The following communication from the House (Hse. Com. No. 347) was read by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Hse. Com. No. 347, informing the Senate that on April 2, 2015, the House disagreed to the amendments proposed by the Senate to the following House bills:

H.B. No. 126 (S.D. 1); and
H.B. No. 173, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1).

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1295) recommending that S.C.R. No. 42 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1295 and S.C.R. No. 42, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO REVIEW ITS ORDINANCES REGARDING THE MINIMUM DISTANCE WITHIN WHICH VEHICLES CAN PARK FROM INTERSECTIONS AND DRIVEWAYS," was deferred until Tuesday, April 7, 2015.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1296) recommending that S.R. No. 17 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1296 and S.R. No. 17, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO REVIEW ITS ORDINANCES REGARDING THE MINIMUM DISTANCE WITHIN WHICH VEHICLES CAN PARK FROM INTERSECTIONS AND DRIVEWAYS," was deferred until Tuesday, April 7, 2015.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1297) recommending that S.C.R. No. 84 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1297 and S.C.R. No. 84, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING DRIVER EDUCATION AND LICENSING PROGRAMS TO EMPHASIZE COURTEOUS AND RESPONSIBLE DRIVING, INCLUDING THE REDUCTION OF TRAFFIC CONGESTION," was deferred until Tuesday, April 7, 2015.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1298) recommending that S.R. No. 39 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1298 and S.R. No. 39, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING DRIVER EDUCATION AND LICENSING PROGRAMS TO EMPHASIZE COURTEOUS AND RESPONSIBLE DRIVING, INCLUDING THE REDUCTION OF TRAFFIC CONGESTION," was deferred until Tuesday, April 7, 2015.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1299) recommending that S.C.R. No. 194, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1299 and S.C.R. No. 194, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO DEVELOP A PLAN FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A PORTS AUTHORITY FOR AIRPORTS AND HARBORS," was deferred until Tuesday, April 7, 2015.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1300) recommending that S.R. No. 129, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1300 and S.R. No. 129, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO DEVELOP A PLAN FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A PORTS AUTHORITY FOR AIRPORTS AND HARBORS," was deferred until Tuesday, April 7, 2015.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1301) recommending that S.C.R. No. 47, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1301 and S.C.R. No. 47, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO PROMOTE AWARENESS AND SAFETY OF PEDESTRIANS WHO ARE BLIND AND VISUALLY IMPAIRED," was deferred until Tuesday, April 7, 2015.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1302) recommending that S.R. No. 21, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1302 and S.R. No. 21, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO PROMOTE AWARENESS AND SAFETY OF PEDESTRIANS WHO ARE BLIND AND VISUALLY IMPAIRED," was deferred until Tuesday, April 7, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1303) recommending that H.B. No. 268, H.D. 2, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1303 and H.B. No. 268, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTISTRY," was deferred until Tuesday, April 7, 2015.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1304) recommending that S.C.R. No. 172, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1304 and S.C.R. No. 172, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII BOARD OF EDUCATION TO REDUCE RELIANCE ON STANDARDIZED TESTING AND STRIVE

TOWARDS A DIFFERENT METHOD OF MEASURING ACCOUNTABILITY IN THE EDUCATION SYSTEM,” was deferred until Tuesday, April 7, 2015.

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1305) recommending that S.R. No. 87, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1305 and S.R. No. 87, S.D. 1, entitled: “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO SUGGEST DEFINITIONS FOR SMALL AND LARGE FARMS AND BONA FIDE FARMER,” was deferred until Tuesday, April 7, 2015.

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1306) recommending that S.C.R. No. 144, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1306 and S.C.R. No. 144, S.D. 1, entitled: “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO SUGGEST DEFINITIONS FOR SMALL AND LARGE FARMS AND BONA FIDE FARMER,” was deferred until Tuesday, April 7, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1307) recommending that H.B. No. 253, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1307 and H.B. No. 253, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VACCINATIONS,” was deferred until Wednesday, April 8, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1308) recommending that H.B. No. 1007, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1308 and H.B. No. 1007, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE DRIVER LICENSING,” was deferred until Wednesday, April 8, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1309) recommending that H.B. No. 561, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 561, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOCIAL MEDIA,” passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Wednesday, April 8, 2015.

Senators Espero and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1310) recommending that H.B. No. 888, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 888, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS,” passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Wednesday, April 8, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1311) recommending

that H.B. No. 73, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 73, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE BONDS,” passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Wednesday, April 8, 2015.

ORDER OF THE DAY

ADVISE AND CONSENT

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1289 (Gov. Msg. No. 515):

Senator Thielen moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1289 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Galuteria and carried.

Senator Thielen then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of KEKOA KALUHIWA as Deputy to the Chairperson of the Department of Land and Natural Resources, term to expire December 3, 2018, seconded by Senator Galuteria.

Senator Thielen rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

“Thank you, Madam President. Your Committee on Water and Land held a hearing to discuss the nomination, and Kekoa Kaluhiwa—some background on him—received a master’s degree in public administration from the University of Hawai‘i at Mānoa. He received a bachelor of arts in political science with a minor in society & justice from the University of Washington and was a master’s degree candidate and Housing and Urban Development Fellow at the Daniel J. Evans School of Public Affairs at the University of Washington.

“Mr. Kaluhiwa began his own business and was a principal with Kuano‘o Communications LLC, where he helped clients to understand the unique cultural and environmental challenges of doing business in Hawai‘i. He was the director of external affairs for First Wind Energy, an intern and then executive assistant in the Office of United States Senator Daniel K. Akaka, and a graduate intern with the Land Assets Division of Kamehameha Schools.

“In our discussions with Mr. Kaluhiwa, he said many things, but one which struck me is he talked about, in his personal statement: ‘From an early age, my kūpuna and parents taught me the importance of being humble, compassionate, respectful, and to lead by example.’ As he joins the DLNR ‘ohana, he aspires to be a good listener, a collaborator, and a servant leader. Your Committee on Water and Land voted unanimously to recommend advise and consent.”

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

At this time, Senator Thielen introduced newly confirmed Deputy Director Kekoa Kaluhiwa, who was present in the gallery with his wife, Cheryl; his son, Kamakoa; his parents, Roland and Bernadine Kaluhiwa; his sisters Anela Keopuhiwa and Maile Kamana; his godparents, Frank and Natalie Ramos; and other family members and friends.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1290 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 540, 541, and 542):

Senator Thielen moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1290 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Galuteria and carried.

Senator Thielen then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Land and Natural Resources of the following:

ULALIA WOODSIDE, term to expire June 30, 2017 (as amended by Gov. Msg. No. 543) (Gov. Msg. No. 540);

CHRISTOPHER J. YUEN, term to expire June 30, 2017 (term amended to June 30, 2018 by Gov. Msg. No. 544) (Gov. Msg. No. 541); and

KEITH K. DOWNING, term to expire June 30, 2017 (Gov. Msg. No. 542),

seconded by Senator Galuteria.

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Senator Galuteria then introduced Keith Keone Downing, newly confirmed member of the Board of Land and Natural Resources, who was present in the gallery.

The Chair acknowledged George Kam, who was present in the gallery.

ADOPTION OF RESOLUTIONS

MATTERS DEFERRED FROM THURSDAY, APRIL 2, 2015

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1269 (S.C.R. No. 150):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.C.R. No. 150, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION TO REPORT CRIMES OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE UNDER THE UNIFORM CRIME REPORTING SYSTEM," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1270 (S.R. No. 92):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.R. No. 92, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION TO REPORT CRIMES OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE UNDER THE UNIFORM CRIME REPORTING SYSTEM," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1271 (S.C.R. No. 40, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 40, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CAMPAIGN SPENDING COMMISSION TO STUDY AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS REGARDING A \$250 CAP ON CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS AND ON ESTABLISHING A PROCESS FOR THE REFUNDING OF CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1272 (S.C.R. No. 98, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 98, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE JUDICIARY TO CONDUCT A STUDY TO IDENTIFY TRAFFIC OFFENSES AND CRIMES, PETTY MISDEMEANOR OFFENSES, AND MISDEMEANOR OFFENSES THAT CAUSE A DISPROPORTIONATE WORKLOAD FOR THE JUDICIARY AND THAT MAY BE APPROPRIATE FOR DECRIMINALIZATION AS INFRACTIONS," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1273 (S.C.R. No. 102, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 102, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE PEOPLE OF KOREA TO ENGAGE IN DIALOGUE REGARDING THE PEACEFUL REUNIFICATION OF THE KOREAN PENINSULA," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1274 (S.R. No. 36, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 36, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT 'ILIAHI, HAWAIIAN SANDALWOOD," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1275 (S.C.R. No. 76, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 76, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT 'ILIAHI, HAWAIIAN SANDALWOOD," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1276 (S.R. No. 121, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.R. No. 121, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE OFFICE OF PLANNING, LAND USE COMMISSION, HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY, HAWAII HOUSING FINANCE AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION, AND COUNTY PLANNING DEPARTMENTS TO ADOPT AND IMPLEMENT RECOMMENDATIONS HIGHLIGHTED IN THE BUILDING HEALTHY PLACES TOOLKIT REPORT BY THE URBAN LAND INSTITUTE, OR SIMILAR POLICIES THAT PROVIDE A COMPREHENSIVE APPROACH TO LAND USE AND DEVELOPMENT THAT STRENGTHEN COMMUNITY HEALTH AND SMART GROWTH PRINCIPLES," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1277 (S.C.R. No. 186, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.C.R. No. 186, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE OFFICE OF PLANNING, LAND USE COMMISSION, HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY, HAWAII HOUSING FINANCE AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION, AND COUNTY PLANNING DEPARTMENTS TO ADOPT AND IMPLEMENT RECOMMENDATIONS HIGHLIGHTED IN THE BUILDING HEALTHY PLACES TOOLKIT REPORT BY THE URBAN LAND INSTITUTE, OR SIMILAR POLICIES THAT PROVIDE A COMPREHENSIVE APPROACH TO LAND USE AND DEVELOPMENT THAT STRENGTHEN COMMUNITY HEALTH AND SMART GROWTH PRINCIPLES," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1278 (S.C.R. No. 164, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 164, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CONVENING OF A CLIMATE CHANGE AND HEALTH WORKING GROUP TO ASSESS THE SCOPE AND RISKS OF CLIMATE CHANGE ON THE HEALTH OF HAWAII'S RESIDENTS

AND TO DEVELOP A STRATEGIC PLAN TO ADDRESS CLIMATE CHANGE RISKS TO HEALTH STATEWIDE,” was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1279 (S.R. No. 100, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 100, S.D. 1, entitled: “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CONVENING OF A CLIMATE CHANGE AND HEALTH WORKING GROUP TO ASSESS THE SCOPE AND RISKS OF CLIMATE CHANGE ON THE HEALTH OF HAWAII’S RESIDENTS AND TO DEVELOP A STRATEGIC PLAN TO ADDRESS CLIMATE CHANGE RISKS TO HEALTH STATEWIDE,” was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1280 (S.C.R. No. 106, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 106, S.D. 1, entitled: “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION CONVENING A TASK FORCE TO IDENTIFY PARCELS OF URBAN SHORELINE IN KAKA’AKO MAKAI IN COORDINATION WITH THE “LEI OF GREEN” POLICY RECOGNIZED IN THE KAKA’AKO MAKAI VISION AND GUIDING PRINCIPLES AND THE MASTER PLAN FOR KAKA’AKO MAKAI ADOPTED BY THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY IN 2011,” was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1281 (S.R. No. 101, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 101, S.D. 1, entitled: “SENATE RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE CO-NAMING OF A SECTION OF 33RD STREET IN NEW YORK CITY TO FATHER DAMIEN WAY IN HONOR OF SAINT DAMIEN DE VEUSTER,” was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1282 (S.C.R. No. 165, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 165, S.D. 1, entitled: “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE CO-NAMING OF A SECTION OF 33RD STREET IN NEW YORK CITY TO FATHER DAMIEN WAY IN HONOR OF SAINT DAMIEN DE VEUSTER,” was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1283 (S.R. No. 103, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.R. No. 103, S.D. 1, entitled: “SENATE RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES A TASK FORCE TO PLAN AND COORDINATE THE CELEBRATION OF THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF THE HAWAII STATE CAPITOL,” was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1284 (S.C.R. No. 167, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.C.R. No. 167, S.D. 1, entitled: “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES A TASK FORCE TO PLAN AND COORDINATE THE CELEBRATION OF THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF THE HAWAII STATE CAPITOL,” was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1285 (S.R. No. 14):

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

No. 14, entitled: “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO ORDER THE EXCLUSIVE DISPLAY OF THE FLAG OF HAWAII OVER STATE BUILDINGS ON JANUARY 17 OF EACH YEAR,” was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1286 (S.C.R. No. 39):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 39, entitled: “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO ORDER THE EXCLUSIVE DISPLAY OF THE FLAG OF HAWAII OVER STATE BUILDINGS ON JANUARY 17 OF EACH YEAR,” was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1287 (S.R. No. 19, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 19, S.D. 1, entitled: “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DRUG ENFORCEMENT ADMINISTRATION TO INITIATE RESCHEDULING PROCEEDINGS TO REMOVE MARIJUANA FROM SCHEDULE I OF THE FEDERAL CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT,” was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1288 (S.C.R. No. 45, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 45, S.D. 1, entitled: “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DRUG ENFORCEMENT ADMINISTRATION TO INITIATE RESCHEDULING PROCEEDINGS TO REMOVE MARIJUANA FROM SCHEDULE I OF THE FEDERAL CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT,” was adopted.

THIRD READING

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1291 (H.B. No. 1090, H.D. 2, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1291 was adopted and H.B. No. 1090, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENTS,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

H.B. No. 269:

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, H.B. No. 269, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PSYCHOLOGY,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

H.B. No. 928:

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, H.B. No. 928, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONSUMER ADVOCATE,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

H.B. No. 15, H.D. 1, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, H.B. No. 15, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

At this time, Senator Kouchi rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

"I apologize. You took that motion for the three nominees to the Land board so quickly, I missed my opportunity to speak in support. Thank goodness we have a second chance at the end of the agenda.

"But on a serious note, I did want to note, especially with the nomination and confirmation of Keone Downing – lost in all of the shuffle of the confirmation proceedings of Carleton Ching were the words of the governor, who said his commitment was to the environment and to protect the resources and to judge him by all of his actions, including the members he was going to nominate to serve on the Land board. And I believe by re-nominating, or sending back Chris Yuen, with Keone's name, he has delivered on that commitment to the people of Hawai'i to where his heart is, and I look forward to working with Keone and the rest of the Land board members to make a better Hawai'i. Thank you."

Senator Keith-Agaran, Chair of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, requested a waiver of the notice requirement pursuant to Senate Rule 21 for H.B. No. 1491, H.D. 2.

Senator Keith-Agaran noted:

"This bill proposes amendments to campaign finance laws that will increase transparency and accountability, and I inadvertently missed including this on the agenda that was going to be heard either today or on Wednesday."

The Chair granted the waiver.

Senator Keith-Agaran announced that the Committee on Judiciary and Labor would be holding a public hearing on H.B. No. 1491, H.D. 2 on Wednesday, April 8, 2015, at 9:15 a.m. in Conference Room 016.

Senator Thielen rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

"Also, we moved so quickly through the nominations, I just wanted to note for the record that Chris Yuen, who was nominated for the Land board, is on the Big Island and was unable to join us today, and Ulalia Woodside, similarly, had a previous commitment for a day-long meeting at her work and could not join us today. But I didn't want to pass up the opportunity: As my fellow senator from Mililani often likes to toast people from her hometown, Ms. Woodside is from my hometown of Waimānalo."

Senator Baker thanked the members for their generous participation in the Easter basket drive to benefit residents at the Institute for Human Services.

Senator Galuteria announced that the Annual Kūpuna Power Day would be taking place later that week in the Capitol Rotunda on Wednesday, April 8, 2015.

The Chair then made the following announcement:

"If there are no objections from the members, the Senate internal timetable is amended to extend the deadline for the governor to submit advise and consent messages to the Senate to Wednesday, April 8."

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:37 p.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Tuesday, April 7, 2015.

FORTY-SECOND DAY

Tuesday, April 7, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:37 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present with the exception of Senators Kahele and Keith-Agaran who were excused.

The President announced that she had read and approved the Journal of the Forty-First Day.

Senator Kouchi introduced Sabrina Nasir, CIP specialist for the Committee on Ways and Means, and thanked her for her hard work. Senator Kouchi also welcomed Jasmine and Ivan Chong, parents of Jesselyn Chong, a session staffer in his office.

Senator Baker recognized and honored Legacy of Life Hawai'i, and presented the following remarks:

"Colleagues, April is National Donate Life Month. During this time, there are many local, regional, and national activities to help encourage Americans to register as organ, eye, and tissue donors. This is also our opportunity to celebrate those who have saved lives through their gift of organ or tissue donation.

"A wonderful local organization, Legacy of Life, is dedicated to saving and restoring lives by recovering organs and tissue for transplantation. Its dedicated staff honors those who have given that precious gift of life and helps to educate the public about the urgent need for more people to become donors. It can be as easy as checking a box for your driver's license designation of yourself as an organ/tissue donor and informing your family of your wishes.

"Today we are joined by families of some of those who became life-giving donors. Through donation, the individuals we recognize today helped to restore and save many lives.

"Let me begin our introductions by sharing with you a story from Maui. At eight years old, Kekoa Nelson was a gifted young man excelling in math and beating his uncles at chess. He loved the ocean, riding his bicycle, and rollerblading. He was a great storyteller and quite the charmer, I'm told. But his life was cut short. Even then, he continued to impact and change the lives of others through the gift of his kidneys, lungs, and heart valves. Kekoa's parents, Frances and Michael Nelson, are here with us today.

"Frances and Michael have made it their mission to educate the Maui community about the need for and importance of organ and tissue donation. They've built a cadre of volunteers who educate others at our schools, the county fair, community health fairs, and with the Department of Motor Vehicles. It is indeed my pleasure and great honor to recognize Kekoa and his parents, Frances and Michael. Mahalo nui loa for your legacy of life and for all your efforts to reach out to others. Yes, let's give them another round of applause."

Senator Chun Oakland rose to present the following remarks:

"Thank you, Madam President. We are very honored to have with us David and Penny Magelssen, the parents of donor and policer officer Jens Magelssen.

"Honolulu Police Officer Jens Magelssen became an organ donor after a tragic accident took his life. He is remembered as a kind, quiet man; upstanding officer; a good son; and a loving, attentive father. His gift of life for others brings comfort to his family. We're pleased to recognize Officer Magelssen and his

'ohana. Thank you so much for being here; I know it's very hard, and you have contributed so much – your whole 'ohana."

Senator Green rose to present the following remarks:

"Thank you, Madam President. Let me just say, before we get to the script, we recognize a lot of people here. The thought that these people lost their loved ones ...

"Madam President, it's my pleasure to recognize the De Rego family from the Big Island, represented by mother Shirley De Rego and brother Lamar De Rego.

"The youngest of Shirley's seven children was a vivacious young man named Duke, who lived life to the fullest. Duke, a freshman at Honoka'a High School, was always happy and loved to help others. He enjoyed playing football and baseball. He was their family's hero. His donation of kidneys and a liver saved the lives of three people. He donated his corneas to give sight to two others.

"Shirley De Rego has also lost another son in a drowning years earlier, and in her two sons' names, she founded the Alex and Duke De Rego Foundation to create awareness for the importance of organ and tissue donation and provide young people with the skills to safeguard their lives as well as the lives of others through community education. Mahalo to Shirley De Rego and their 'ohana for this lasting legacy to better our community, and God bless you guys. Madam President, let's give them a round of applause."

Senator Baker then rose and stated:

"Thank you, Madam President. Colleagues, last year, organ donation saved more than 27,000 lives nationally, and eye and tissue transplants restored the quality of life to more than a million people. But the need continues to grow. Currently, there are 123,000 men, women, and children in need of life-saving organs, including 450 right here in Hawai'i.

"During this Donate Life Month, please join us in remembering Kekoa Nelson, Jens Magelssen, and Duke De Rego as heroes who saved lives, and let us salute their families for their efforts in advocating for organ and tissue donation and the life-saving and restorative gift it gives.

"Madam President, joining us in the gallery this morning are some of the Legacy of Life Hawai'i 'ohana. We have Gerald Cabrera, uncle of Kekoa Nelson; Faith Walker and Ruth Magelssen, sisters of Jens Magelssen; Rob Griffin, Jens's brother-in-law; the Duke De Rego 'ohana; and the staff of Legacy of Life, including CEO Steven Kula. Please all rise to accept our warmest aloha. We thank all of you in the gallery who have joined us today for helping us to recognize your loved ones and for all who donate the gift of life."

At 11:47 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 11:54 a.m.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 718 to 749 and 1103) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Gov. Msg. No. 718, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Agriculture, the nomination of SIMON RUSSELL, term to expire June 30, 2016, was referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Gov. Msg. No. 719, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Agribusiness

Development Corporation, the nomination of DENISE ALBANO, term to expire June 30, 2016, was referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Gov. Msg. No. 720, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Agribusiness Development Corporation, the nomination of LLOYD HARAGUCHI, term to expire June 30, 2015, was referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Gov. Msg. No. 721, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Agribusiness Development Corporation, the nomination of LLOYD HARAGUCHI, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Gov. Msg. No. 722, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Agribusiness Development Corporation, the nomination of MARGARITA HOPKINS, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Gov. Msg. No. 723, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Agribusiness Development Corporation, the nomination of YUKIO KITAGAWA, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Gov. Msg. No. 724, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Housing Finance and Development Corporation, the nomination of EDWIN S. TAIRA, term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Gov. Msg. No. 725, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Housing Finance and Development Corporation, the nomination of RONA S.Y. FUKUMOTO, term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Gov. Msg. No. 726, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Housing Finance and Development Corporation, the nomination of AUDREY ABE, term to expire June 30, 2016, was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Gov. Msg. No. 727, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Housing Finance and Development Corporation, the nomination of MELVIN Y.C. KAHELE, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Gov. Msg. No. 728, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Electricians and Plumbers, the nomination of MATTHEW BRADY, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 729, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Electricians and Plumbers, the nomination of PHILLIP LUCERO, term to expire June 30, 2015, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 730, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Electricians and Plumbers, the nomination of PHILLIP LUCERO, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 731, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Electricians and Plumbers, the nomination of VERNON TA'A, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 732, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Examiners in Optometry, the nomination of GAYLE C. CHANG, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 733, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Examiners in Optometry, the nomination of DR. GEFREY E. REYNOLDS, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 734, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Examiners in Optometry, the nomination of DR. JERE H. E. LOO, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 735, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Examiners in Optometry, the nomination of DR. SEULYN K.L. AU, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 736, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Elevator Mechanics Licensing Board, the nomination of LAWRENCE MORINAGA, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 737, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Motor Vehicle Repair Industry Board, the nomination of KEVIN HENDRICKS, term to expire June 30, 2015, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 738, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Motor Vehicle Repair Industry Board, the nomination of KEVIN HENDRICKS, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 739, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Motor Vehicle Repair Industry Board, the nomination of ROBERT FIGAROA, JR., term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 740, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawaiian Homes Commission, the nomination of DOREEN CANTO, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs.

Gov. Msg. No. 741, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawaiian Homes Commission, the nomination of KATHLEEN P. CHIN, term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs.

Gov. Msg. No. 742, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawaiian Homes Commission, the nomination of MICHAEL KAHIKINA, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs.

Gov. Msg. No. 743, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawaiian Homes Commission, the nomination of RENWICK V. TASSIL, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs.

Gov. Msg. No. 744, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Health Planning Council, Honolulu Subarea, the nomination of DEBORAH JUAREZ, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 745, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Health Planning Council, Honolulu

Subarea, the nomination of JOSEPH BURKE, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 746, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Health Planning Council, Honolulu Subarea, the nomination of ROBERTA LOVELY, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 747, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Trustees of the Deferred Compensation Plan, the nomination of RODERICK K. BECKER, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Gov. Msg. No. 748, informing the Senate that on April 1, 2015, the Governor withdrew the nomination of CHRISTOBAL QUINTANA to the State Board of Barbering and Cosmetology, under Gov. Msg. No. 609 dated March 30, 2015, from consideration by the Senate, was placed on file.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 748, the nomination listed under Gov. Msg. No. 609 was returned.

Gov. Msg. No. 749, informing the Senate that on April 1, 2015, the Governor withdrew the nomination of LYLE KAUIHOU to the State Board of Nursing, under Gov. Msg. No. 598 dated March 30, 2015, from consideration by the Senate, was placed on file.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 749, the nomination listed under Gov. Msg. No. 598 was returned.

Gov. Msg. No. 1103, informing the Senate that on April 1, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 103, S.D. 1 as Act 3, entitled: "RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET," was placed on file.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1312) recommending that S.C.R. No. 19, S.D. 1 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1312 and S.C.R. No. 19, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING A PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT WAIMANALO, KOOLAUPOKO, OAHU, FOR THE USE, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR OF THE EXISTING SEAWALL AND STEPS," was deferred until Wednesday, April 8, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1313) recommending that S.C.R. No. 11, S.D. 1 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1313 and S.C.R. No. 11, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SALE OF THE LEASED FEE INTEREST IN 94-944 MEHEULA PARKWAY, NO. 153, MILILANI, HAWAII," was deferred until Wednesday, April 8, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1314) recommending that S.C.R. No. 9 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1314 and S.C.R. No. 9, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SALE OF THE LEASED FEE INTEREST IN 41-575 INOAOLE STREET, WAIMANALO, HAWAII," was deferred until Wednesday, April 8, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1315) recommending that S.C.R. No. 24, S.D. 1 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1315 and S.C.R. No. 24, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM LEASE AND NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT FOR PIER PILINGS ENCROACHMENT PURPOSES AT PULAWAI, ON THE ISLAND OF LANAI," was deferred until Wednesday, April 8, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1316) recommending that H.B. No. 775, H.D. 1, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1316 and H.B. No. 775, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," was deferred until Wednesday, April 8, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1317) recommending that H.B. No. 562, H.D. 2, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1317 and H.B. No. 562, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CROSSWALKS," was deferred until Wednesday, April 8, 2015.

Senators Gabbard and Espero, for the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1318) recommending that S.C.R. No. 49, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1318 and S.C.R. No. 49, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CLEAN UP AND INVESTIGATION OF ILLEGAL DUMPING AND ILLEGAL STRUCTURES AT 1700 LAUMAILE STREET IN KALIHI AND THE DEVELOPMENT AND IMPLEMENTATION OF MEASURES TO PREVENT ILLEGAL DUMPING AND ILLEGAL STRUCTURES IN THE AREA," was deferred until Wednesday, April 8, 2015.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1319) recommending that S.C.R. No. 97, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1319 and S.C.R. No. 97, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO ESTABLISH A HAWAII PUBLIC SCHOOLS FINANCIAL LITERACY TASK FORCE," was deferred until Wednesday, April 8, 2015.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1320) recommending that S.R. No. 51, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1320 and S.R. No. 51, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO ESTABLISH A HAWAII PUBLIC SCHOOLS FINANCIAL LITERACY TASK FORCE," was deferred until Wednesday, April 8, 2015.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1321) recommending that S.C.R. No. 93 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1321 and S.C.R. No. 93, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO REVIEW WHETHER THE STUDENT

REPRESENTATIVE TO THE BOARD SHOULD BE GIVEN VOTING RIGHTS,” was deferred until Wednesday, April 8, 2015.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1322) recommending that S.R. No. 47 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1322 and S.R. No. 47, entitled: “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO REVIEW WHETHER THE STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE TO THE BOARD SHOULD BE GIVEN VOTING RIGHTS,” was deferred until Wednesday, April 8, 2015.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1323) recommending that S.C.R. No. 96 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1323 and S.C.R. No. 96, entitled: “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO REVIEW THE FEASIBILITY OF CONTINUING THE LAHAINALUNA HIGH SCHOOL BOARDING PROGRAM,” was deferred until Wednesday, April 8, 2015.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1324) recommending that S.R. No. 50 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1324 and S.R. No. 50, entitled: “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO REVIEW THE FEASIBILITY OF CONTINUING THE LAHAINALUNA HIGH SCHOOL BOARDING PROGRAM,” was deferred until Wednesday, April 8, 2015.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1325) recommending that S.C.R. No. 108 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1325 and S.C.R. No. 108, entitled: “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO ESTABLISH WEEKLY MINIMUM STANDARDS FOR TIME DEDICATED TO PHYSICAL EDUCATION IN ELEMENTARY, INTERMEDIATE, AND MIDDLE SCHOOLS,” was deferred until Wednesday, April 8, 2015.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1326) recommending that S.R. No. 60 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1326 and S.R. No. 60, entitled: “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO ESTABLISH WEEKLY MINIMUM STANDARDS FOR TIME DEDICATED TO PHYSICAL EDUCATION IN ELEMENTARY, INTERMEDIATE, AND MIDDLE SCHOOLS,” was deferred until Wednesday, April 8, 2015.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1327) recommending that S.R. No. 80 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1327 and S.R. No. 80, entitled: “SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA COLLEGE OF TROPICAL AGRICULTURE AND HUMAN RESOURCES CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO DEVELOP A COORDINATED FRAMEWORK OF SUPPORT FOR PRESCHOOL THROUGH POST-

SECONDARY AGRICULTURE EDUCATION,” was deferred until Wednesday, April 8, 2015.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1328) recommending that S.C.R. No. 133 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1328 and S.C.R. No. 133, entitled: “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA COLLEGE OF TROPICAL AGRICULTURE AND HUMAN RESOURCES CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO DEVELOP A COORDINATED FRAMEWORK OF SUPPORT FOR PRESCHOOL THROUGH POST-SECONDARY AGRICULTURE EDUCATION,” was deferred until Wednesday, April 8, 2015.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1329) recommending that S.R. No. 81, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1329 and S.R. No. 81, S.D. 1, entitled: “SENATE RESOLUTION EXPRESSING STRONG SUPPORT FOR THE FACULTY AND STUDENTS OF THE CLASSICS DIVISION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES OF EUROPE AND THE AMERICAS AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA,” was deferred until Wednesday, April 8, 2015.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1330) recommending that S.C.R. No. 134, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1330 and S.C.R. No. 134, S.D. 1, entitled: “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION EXPRESSING STRONG SUPPORT FOR THE FACULTY AND STUDENTS OF THE CLASSICS DIVISION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES OF EUROPE AND THE AMERICAS AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA,” was deferred until Wednesday, April 8, 2015.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1331) recommending that S.C.R. No. 109, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1331 and S.C.R. No. 109, S.D. 1, entitled: “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION DESIGNATING THE MONTH OF OCTOBER OF EACH YEAR AS “FARM TO SCHOOL MONTH” IN HAWAII TO STRENGTHEN AND SUPPORT FARM TO SCHOOL INITIATIVES IN HAWAII’S SCHOOLS,” was deferred until Wednesday, April 8, 2015.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1332) recommending that H.B. No. 205, H.D. 1, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1332 and H.B. No. 205, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATED TO AGRICULTURE,” was deferred until Wednesday, April 8, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1333) recommending that H.B. No. 354, H.D. 2, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1333 and H.B. No. 354, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN

ACT RELATING TO NURSES,” was deferred until Wednesday, April 8, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1334) recommending that H.B. No. 1368, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1334 and H.B. No. 1368, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE KING KAMEHAMEHA CELEBRATION COMMISSION,” was deferred until Thursday, April 9, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1335) recommending that H.B. No. 1497, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1335 and H.B. No. 1497, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR,” was deferred until Thursday, April 9, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1336) recommending that H.B. No. 140, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1336 and H.B. No. 140, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR CHAMINADE UNIVERSITY OF HONOLULU,” was deferred until Thursday, April 9, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1337) recommending that H.B. No. 241, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1337 and H.B. No. 241, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST SEAWATER AIR CONDITIONING PROJECTS ON OAHU,” was deferred until Thursday, April 9, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1338) recommending that H.B. No. 715, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1338 and H.B. No. 715, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOW-SPEED ELECTRIC BICYCLES,” was deferred until Thursday, April 9, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1339) recommending that H.B. No. 1273, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1339 and H.B. No. 1273, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY,” was deferred until Thursday, April 9, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1340) recommending that H.B. No. 623, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1340 and H.B. No. 623, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE STANDARDS,” was deferred until Thursday, April 9, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1341) recommending that H.B. No. 1286, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1341 and H.B. No. 1286, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY,” was deferred until Thursday, April 9, 2015.

Senators Baker and Tokuda, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1342) recommending that H.B. No. 1219, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1219, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION,” passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Thursday, April 9, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1343) recommending that H.B. No. 171, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 171, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE HURRICANE RESERVE TRUST FUND,” passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Thursday, April 9, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1344) recommending that H.B. No. 172, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 172, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE EMERGENCY AND BUDGET RESERVE FUND,” passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Thursday, April 9, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1345) recommending that H.B. No. 707, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 707, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NON-GENERAL FUNDS,” passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Thursday, April 9, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1346) recommending that H.B. No. 1186, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1186, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS,” passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Thursday, April 9, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1347) recommending that H.B. No. 79, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 79, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NON-GENERAL FUNDS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Thursday, April 9, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1348) recommending that H.B. No. 78 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 78, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NON-GENERAL FUNDS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Wednesday, April 8, 2015.

ORDER OF THE DAY

ADOPTION OF RESOLUTIONS

MATTERS DEFERRED FROM MONDAY, APRIL 6, 2015

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1295 (S.C.R. No. 42):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 42, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO REVIEW ITS ORDINANCES REGARDING THE MINIMUM DISTANCE WITHIN WHICH VEHICLES CAN PARK FROM INTERSECTIONS AND DRIVEWAYS," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1296 (S.R. No. 17):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 17, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO REVIEW ITS ORDINANCES REGARDING THE MINIMUM DISTANCE WITHIN WHICH VEHICLES CAN PARK FROM INTERSECTIONS AND DRIVEWAYS," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1297 (S.C.R. No. 84):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 84, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING DRIVER EDUCATION AND LICENSING PROGRAMS TO EMPHASIZE COURTEOUS AND RESPONSIBLE DRIVING, INCLUDING THE REDUCTION OF TRAFFIC CONGESTION," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1298 (S.R. No. 39):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 39, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING DRIVER EDUCATION AND LICENSING PROGRAMS TO EMPHASIZE COURTEOUS AND RESPONSIBLE DRIVING, INCLUDING THE REDUCTION OF TRAFFIC CONGESTION," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1299 (S.C.R. No. 194, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 194, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF

TRANSPORTATION TO DEVELOP A PLAN FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A PORTS AUTHORITY FOR AIRPORTS AND HARBORS," was adopted, with Senator Slom voting "No."

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1300 (S.R. No. 129, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 129, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO DEVELOP A PLAN FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A PORTS AUTHORITY FOR AIRPORTS AND HARBORS," was adopted, with Senator Slom voting "No."

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1301 (S.C.R. No. 47, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 47, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO PROMOTE AWARENESS AND SAFETY OF PEDESTRIANS WHO ARE BLIND AND VISUALLY IMPAIRED," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1302 (S.R. No. 21, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 21, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO PROMOTE AWARENESS AND SAFETY OF PEDESTRIANS WHO ARE BLIND AND VISUALLY IMPAIRED," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1304 (S.C.R. No. 172, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 172, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII BOARD OF EDUCATION TO REDUCE RELIANCE ON STANDARDIZED TESTING AND STRIVE TOWARDS A DIFFERENT METHOD OF MEASURING ACCOUNTABILITY IN THE EDUCATION SYSTEM," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1305 (S.R. No. 87, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 87, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO SUGGEST DEFINITIONS FOR SMALL AND LARGE FARMS AND BONA FIDE FARMER," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1306 (S.C.R. No. 144, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 144, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO SUGGEST DEFINITIONS FOR SMALL AND LARGE FARMS AND BONA FIDE FARMER," was adopted.

THIRD READING

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1303 (H.B. No. 268, H.D. 2, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Shimabukuro, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1303 was adopted and H.B. No. 268, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTISTRY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23. Noes, none. Excused, 2 (Kahele, Keith-Agaran).

Senator Tokuda, Chair of the Committee on Ways and Means, requested a waiver of the notice requirement pursuant to Senate Rule 21 for S.C.R. No. 129 and S.R. No. 77.

Senator Tokuda noted:

“The reso mirrors a bill we had to require budget submissions to also include cost of repair and maintenance and plans for repair and maintenance.”

The Chair granted the waiver.

Senator Tokuda announced that the Committee on Ways and Means would be holding a public hearing on S.C.R. No. 129 and S.R. No. 77 on Wednesday, April 8, 2015, at 9:00 a.m. in Conference Room 211.

Senator Thielen, Chair of the Committee on Water and Land, requested a waiver of the notice requirement pursuant to Senate Rule 21 for H.B. No. 1168, H.D. 1.

Senator Thielen noted:

“The bill authorizes the boating special fund to be used for paying the hiring of full- or part-time positions for planning, developing, managing, operating, and maintaining lands and improvements under the control of the Boating and Ocean Recreation Division, and I’m requesting the waiver due to some scheduling issues up until now.”

The Chair granted the waiver.

Senator Thielen announced that the Committee on Water and Land and Committee on Ways and Means would be holding a joint public hearing on H.B. No. 1168, H.D. 1 on Thursday, April 9, 2015, at 8:55 a.m. in Conference Room 211.

Senator Gabbard informed the members that the Senate did not yet have any confirmed acts for the Annual Capitol Idol talent show to benefit the Hawai‘i Foodbank, and urged the members’ participation.

Senator Galuteria announced that the Annual Kūpuna Power Day would take place the following day in the Capitol Rotunda to empower seniors with information about resources available to them from their government, with entertainment by Jimmy Borges, Danny Kaleikini, Nina Keali‘iwahamana, and Marlene Sai, as well as a presentation of the first Kahikina Award for senior service, named after former United States Senator Daniel Kahikina Akaka.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:01 p.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Wednesday, April 8, 2015.

FORTY-THIRD DAY

Wednesday, April 8, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:37 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present.

The President announced that she had read and approved the Journal of the Forty-Second Day.

Senator Espero noted that his son Sean, a captain in the Marine Corps, was celebrating his thirty-first birthday; and his parents, Victor and Paulina Espero, who were present in the gallery, were celebrating their fifty-eighth wedding anniversary.

Senator Kidani celebrated the fortieth anniversary of the Center for Philippine Studies at the University of Hawai'i at Mānoa, and presented the following remarks:

"Thank you, Madam President. This year, the University of Hawai'i marks the fortieth anniversary of the establishment of the Center for Philippine Studies. President Kim will represent this body in extending official congratulations from the Senate at the official anniversary celebration at the Filipino Community Center in Waipahu this Saturday.

"There might not be a Center for Philippine Studies at UH if it were not for the initiative and foresight of our guest this morning: Please welcome Dr. Belinda Aquino. Dr. Aquino is a professor emerita of political science and Asian studies, and a well-regarded international authority on contemporary Philippine affairs. Some refer to her area of expertise as 'Filipinology,' a discipline that has been the subject of serious scholarly research since the Philippines became a U.S. colony in the 1900s.

"Our guest earned her B.A. in English from the University of the Philippines; came to UH as an East-West Center Scholar, where she received her M.A.; and was awarded a Ph.D. from Cornell University as a Ford Foundation Scholar.

"Under Dr. Aquino's leadership, the University of Hawai'i established a program, and then a center, for Philippine studies in 1975. In the succeeding four decades, the center has become a vibrant and integral part of the UH Asian studies program. Teachers and researchers there have fostered a deep and comprehensive understanding of Philippine history and culture among three generations of Filipinos and non-Filipinos alike. The breadth and depth of Dr. Aquino's knowledge, perspective, and insight into the contemporary Filipino experience add to the understanding of our own varied histories and Hawai'i's rich cultural environment.

"She continues to write and conduct research, and publishes regularly in journals and periodicals worldwide. She focuses on modern-day politics and the developing middle class in the Philippines as well as social issues that Filipinos face throughout the U.S., including Hawai'i.

"Most of us know Dr. Aquino as 'Lindy.' While Lindy may not be a frequent visitor to the Capitol, we do know that she has a finger on the political pulse of Hawai'i, through her wide and diverse circle of friends and associates at UH and throughout the community. We are privileged to recognize Lindy for her pioneering work in Philippine studies and for seizing the moment 40 years ago, when she founded the UH Center for Philippine Studies. Thank you, Lindy, for helping us learn and understand how Filipinos enrich our island lives.

"Madam President, with us in the gallery this morning are friends and supporters of Dr. Aquino. May I introduce Elsa

Talavera; Gerhart Walch; Lily Galang; Vina Lanzona; and from your staff, Madam President, Cecile Yasay; and, a more familiar face, Dr. Amy Agbayani, assistant vice chancellor for student diversity at UH Mānoa."

Senator Taniguchi commended and congratulated the 2014-2015 University of Hawai'i Rainbow Wahine basketball team on becoming the 2015 Big West Conference Champions, and presented the following remarks:

"Thank you, Madam President. The Senate is always pleased to recognize the outstanding accomplishments of Hawai'i's student athletes, who exemplify the spirit of good sportsmanship and who thrive as a result of their hard work and perseverance. Accordingly, today, the Senate recognizes the University of Hawai'i Rainbow Wahine basketball team for having won the 2015 Big West Conference Championship.

"Our Rainbow Wahine entertained us throughout the season with their exciting brand of basketball, culminating in the capture of the Big West Conference regular season title. The conference title was the Rainbow Wahine's first since winning the Western Athletic Conference crown in 1998. Milestones the Wahine achieved included a 15-game win streak and a 20-win season. They also made their third appearance in the Women's NIT.

"Head Coach Laura Beeman took the reins three seasons ago with a purpose and conveyed a simple message: It's not okay to be okay. She came to win, and her players clearly understood. They responded by ascending from the bottom of the Western Athletic Conference to the top of the Big West. Coach Beeman earned 2015 Coach of the Year honors after leading the Rainbow Wahine to their first conference crown. Senior Shawna-Lei Kuehu was named First Team, All-Big West, while fellow senior Ashleigh Karaitiana was voted to the second team. Freshman Megan Huff earned Best Sixth Player honors and was also chosen to the all-freshman team. Junior Destiny King also earned honorable mention honors.

"Individual accolades aside, it took a considerable amount of teamwork, resilience, and confidence to become as special a group that Hawai'i has had in a long time. Today the Senate commends and congratulates the 2014-2015 University of Hawai'i Rainbow Wahine basketball team, and extends its warmest aloha and best wishes for many more successful seasons in the years ahead. Would you please join me in giving the team and coaches a warm round of applause?

"Unfortunately, Coach Beeman could not be here today with us, as she is busy recruiting on the mainland, but on the floor, we do have Associate Head Coach Mary Wooley, senior guard Shawna-Lei Kuehu, senior guard Morgan Mason, and Athletics Director Ben Jay. In the gallery, I'd like to recognize junior guard/forward Destiny King, junior guard Marissa Wimbley, Director of Operations for Wahine basketball Wendy Anae, and Video Coordinator Scott Young."

Senator Taniguchi then introduced a group of fourth grade students from Abraham Lincoln Elementary School, who were present in the gallery.

At 11:47 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 11:56 a.m.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 750 to 772) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Gov. Msg. No. 750, submitting for consideration and confirmation as Chairperson of the Department of Land and Natural Resources, the nomination of SUZANNE CASE, term to expire December 31, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Water and Land.

Gov. Msg. No. 751, informing the Senate that on April 7, 2015, the Governor withdrew the nomination of RAJ BUDHABHATTI to the Board of Directors of the High Technology Development Corporation, under Gov. Msg. No. 618 dated April 3, 2015, from consideration by the Senate, was placed on file.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 751, the nomination listed under Gov. Msg. No. 618 was returned.

Gov. Msg. No. 752, informing the Senate that on April 7, 2015, the Governor withdrew the nomination of HEATHER BELL to the Board of Naturopathic Medicine, under Gov. Msg. No. 623 dated March 30, 2015, from consideration by the Senate, was placed on file.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 752, the nomination listed under Gov. Msg. No. 623 was returned.

Gov. Msg. No. 753, informing the Senate that on April 7, 2015, the Governor withdrew the nomination of DOUGLAS MOISES to the Disability and Communication Access Board, under Gov. Msg. No. 641 dated March 31, 2015, from consideration by the Senate, was placed on file.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 753, the nomination listed under Gov. Msg. No. 641 was returned.

Gov. Msg. No. 754, informing the Senate that on April 7, 2015, the Governor withdrew the nomination of MICHAEL GIVENS to the Kokee State Park Advisory Council, under Gov. Msg. No. 702 dated April 3, 2015, from consideration by the Senate, was placed on file.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 754, the nomination listed under Gov. Msg. No. 702 was returned.

Gov. Msg. No. 755, letter dated April 2, 2015, correcting the spelling of the Gubernatorial Nominee's name on Gov. Msg. No. 733 (name amended to DR. GEOFFREY E. REYNOLDS), was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 756, letter dated April 7, 2015, correcting the name of the committee on Gov. Msg. No. 625 (Cable Advisory Board amended to Cable Advisory Committee), was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 757, letter dated April 7, 2015, correcting the spelling of the Gubernatorial Nominee's name on Gov. Msg. No. 686 (name amended to ALFRED ARENSDORF), was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 758, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Enhanced 911 Board, the nomination of JOHN JAKUBCZAK, term to expire June 30, 2016, was referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

Gov. Msg. No. 759, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Enhanced 911 Board, the nomination of KIMAN WONG, term to expire June 30, 2015, was referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

Gov. Msg. No. 760, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Enhanced 911 Board, the nomination of KIMAN WONG, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

Gov. Msg. No. 761, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Stadium Authority, the nomination of KEITH Y. AMEMIYA, term to expire June 30, 2018, was

referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology.

Gov. Msg. No. 762, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Foundation on Culture and the Arts, the nomination of DEAN SAKAMOTO, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts.

Gov. Msg. No. 763, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Foundation on Culture and the Arts, the nomination of JANE CLEMENT, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts.

Gov. Msg. No. 764, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Foundation on Culture and the Arts, the nomination of KAREN POLIVKA, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts.

Gov. Msg. No. 765, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Foundation on Culture and the Arts, the nomination of NOELLE KAHANU, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts.

Gov. Msg. No. 766, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Foundation on Culture and the Arts, the nomination of PATRICIA HAMAMOTO, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts.

Gov. Msg. No. 767, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Small Business Regulatory Review Board, the nomination of ANTHONY B. BORGE, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology.

Gov. Msg. No. 768, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Small Business Regulatory Review Board, the nomination of GARTH YAMANAKA, term to expire June 30, 2015, was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology.

Gov. Msg. No. 769, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Small Business Regulatory Review Board, the nomination of GARTH YAMANAKA, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology.

Gov. Msg. No. 770, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Small Business Regulatory Review Board, the nomination of NANCY ATOMSPERA-WALCH, term to expire June 30, 2016, was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology.

Gov. Msg. No. 771, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Small Business Regulatory Review Board, the nomination of PHILLIP KASPER, term to expire June 30, 2016, was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology.

Gov. Msg. No. 772, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Small Business Regulatory Review Board, the nomination of ROBERT CUNDIFF, term to expire June 30, 2016, was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology.

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the House (Hse. Com. Nos. 348 to 350) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Hse. Com. No. 348, informing the Senate that on April 7, 2015, the House disagreed to the amendments proposed by the Senate to the following House bills:

H.B. No. 15, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1); and
H.B. No. 1090, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2),

was placed on file.

Hse. Com. No. 349, returning S.B. No. 388, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 7, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 388 (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POLICE DEPARTMENTS," was deferred until Friday, April 10, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 350, returning S.B. No. 1113, S.D. 2, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 7, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 1113, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BACKGROUND CHECKS," was deferred until Friday, April 10, 2015.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1349) recommending that S.C.R. No. 181, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1349 and S.C.R. No. 181, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING AN INTERISLAND FERRY SYSTEM SIMILAR TO THE FERRY SYSTEMS OPERATED BY WASHINGTON STATE AND OTHER JURISDICTIONS," was deferred until Thursday, April 9, 2015.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1350) recommending that S.R. No. 116, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1350 and S.R. No. 116, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING AN INTERISLAND FERRY SYSTEM SIMILAR TO THE FERRY SYSTEMS OPERATED BY WASHINGTON STATE AND OTHER JURISDICTIONS," was deferred until Thursday, April 9, 2015.

Senators Gabbard, Green, and Espero, for the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Health and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1351) recommending that S.C.R. No. 174, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1351 and S.C.R. No. 174, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY, HONOLULU BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY, AND NAVY TO EXPEDITIOUSLY IMPLEMENT THE RECOMMENDATIONS SUBMITTED TO THE LEGISLATURE BY THE RED HILL FUEL STORAGE FACILITY TASK FORCE," was deferred until Thursday, April 9, 2015.

Senators Gabbard, Green, and Espero, for the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Health and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1352)

recommending that S.R. No. 109, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1352 and S.R. No. 109, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY, HONOLULU BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY, AND NAVY TO EXPEDITIOUSLY IMPLEMENT THE RECOMMENDATIONS SUBMITTED TO THE LEGISLATURE BY THE RED HILL FUEL STORAGE FACILITY TASK FORCE," was deferred until Thursday, April 9, 2015.

Senators Gabbard, Green, and Espero, for the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Health and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1353) recommending that S.C.R. No. 57, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1353 and S.C.R. No. 57, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION EXPANDING THE TASK FORCE STUDY OF THE EFFECTS OF THE JANUARY 2014 FUEL TANK LEAK AT THE RED HILL UNDERGROUND FUEL STORAGE FACILITY, ESTABLISHED UNDER SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 73, H.D. 1, REGULAR SESSION OF 2014, TO INCLUDE AN ADDITIONAL TWENTY-SIX UNDERGROUND FUEL STORAGE TANKS IN THE STATE OWNED BY THE UNITED STATES MILITARY," was deferred until Thursday, April 9, 2015.

Senators Shimabukuro and Taniguchi, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1354) recommending that S.C.R. No. 156, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1354 and S.C.R. No. 156, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT AND THE COLLEGE OF HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE TO ESTABLISH A WORKING GROUP TO CONSIDER THE RESTRUCTURING OF THE COLLEGE OF HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE AND EXAMINE THE EXPANSION OF HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE INSTRUCTION THROUGHOUT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII SYSTEM," was deferred until Thursday, April 9, 2015.

Senators Shimabukuro and Taniguchi, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1355) recommending that S.R. No. 97, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1355 and S.R. No. 97, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT AND THE COLLEGE OF HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE TO ESTABLISH A WORKING GROUP TO CONSIDER THE RESTRUCTURING OF THE COLLEGE OF HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE AND EXAMINE THE EXPANSION OF HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE INSTRUCTION THROUGHOUT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII SYSTEM," was deferred until Thursday, April 9, 2015.

Senator Shimabukuro, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1356) recommending that S.C.R. No. 154, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1356 and S.C.R. No. 154, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO DEVELOP AND IMPLEMENT ADMINISTRATIVE RULES AND POLICIES TO FACILITATE AND ENCOURAGE TRADITIONAL HAWAIIAN BURIALS," was deferred until Thursday, April 9, 2015.

Senator Shimabukuro, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1357) recommending that S.R. No. 96, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1357 and S.R. No. 96, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO DEVELOP AND IMPLEMENT ADMINISTRATIVE RULES AND POLICIES TO FACILITATE AND ENCOURAGE TRADITIONAL HAWAIIAN BURIALS," was deferred until Thursday, April 9, 2015.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1358) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of VIRGINIA PRESSLER as Director of the Department of Health, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 507.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1358 and Gov. Msg. No. 507 was deferred until Thursday, April 9, 2015.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1359) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of KEITH YAMAMOTO as Deputy Director of the Department of Health, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 508.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1359 and Gov. Msg. No. 508 was deferred until Thursday, April 9, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1360) recommending that H.B. No. 500, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 500, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Friday, April 10, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1361) recommending that H.B. No. 271, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1361 and H.B. No. 271, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TIME SHARING," was deferred until Friday, April 10, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1362) recommending that H.B. No. 1099, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1362 and H.B. No. 1099, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OUTDOOR ADVERTISING," was deferred until Friday, April 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1363)

recommending that H.B. No. 87, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1363 and H.B. No. 87, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY," was deferred until Friday, April 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1364) recommending that H.B. No. 279, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1364 and H.B. No. 279, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL ESTATE BROKERS AND SALESPERSONS," was deferred until Friday, April 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1365) recommending that H.B. No. 393, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1365 and H.B. No. 393, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN FISHPONDS," was deferred until Friday, April 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1366) recommending that H.B. No. 1272, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1366 and H.B. No. 1272, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOVIE THEATERS," was deferred until Friday, April 10, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1367) recommending that H.B. No. 1297, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1367 and H.B. No. 1297, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE," was deferred until Friday, April 10, 2015.

ORDER OF THE DAY

ADOPTION OF RESOLUTIONS

MATTERS DEFERRED FROM TUESDAY, APRIL 7, 2015

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1312 (S.C.R. No. 19, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 19, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING A PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT WAIMANALO, KOOLAUPOKO, OAHU, FOR THE USE, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR OF THE EXISTING SEAWALL AND STEPS," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1313 (S.C.R. No. 11, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 11, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SALE OF THE LEASED FEE INTEREST IN 94-944 MEHEULA PARKWAY, NO. 153, MILILANI, HAWAII," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1314 (S.C.R. No. 9):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 9, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SALE OF THE LEASED FEE INTEREST IN 41-575 INOAOLE STREET, WAIMANALO, HAWAII," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1315 (S.C.R. No. 24, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 24, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM LEASE AND NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT FOR PIER PILINGS ENCROACHMENT PURPOSES AT PULAWAI, ON THE ISLAND OF LANAI," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1318 (S.C.R. No. 49, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.C.R. No. 49, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CLEAN UP AND INVESTIGATION OF ILLEGAL DUMPING AND ILLEGAL STRUCTURES AT 1700 LAUMAILE STREET IN KALIHI AND THE DEVELOPMENT AND IMPLEMENTATION OF MEASURES TO PREVENT ILLEGAL DUMPING AND ILLEGAL STRUCTURES IN THE AREA," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1319 (S.C.R. No. 97, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 97, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO ESTABLISH A HAWAII PUBLIC SCHOOLS FINANCIAL LITERACY TASK FORCE," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1320 (S.R. No. 51, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 51, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO ESTABLISH A HAWAII PUBLIC SCHOOLS FINANCIAL LITERACY TASK FORCE," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1321 (S.C.R. No. 93):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 93, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO REVIEW WHETHER THE STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE TO THE BOARD SHOULD BE GIVEN VOTING RIGHTS," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1322 (S.R. No. 47):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 47, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO REVIEW WHETHER THE STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE TO THE BOARD SHOULD BE GIVEN VOTING RIGHTS," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1323 (S.C.R. No. 96):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 96, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO REVIEW THE FEASIBILITY OF CONTINUING THE

LAHAINALUNA HIGH SCHOOL BOARDING PROGRAM," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1324 (S.R. No. 50):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 50, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO REVIEW THE FEASIBILITY OF CONTINUING THE LAHAINALUNA HIGH SCHOOL BOARDING PROGRAM," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1325 (S.C.R. No. 108):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 108, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO ESTABLISH WEEKLY MINIMUM STANDARDS FOR TIME DEDICATED TO PHYSICAL EDUCATION IN ELEMENTARY, INTERMEDIATE, AND MIDDLE SCHOOLS," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1326 (S.R. No. 60):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 60, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO ESTABLISH WEEKLY MINIMUM STANDARDS FOR TIME DEDICATED TO PHYSICAL EDUCATION IN ELEMENTARY, INTERMEDIATE, AND MIDDLE SCHOOLS," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1327 (S.R. No. 80):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 80, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA COLLEGE OF TROPICAL AGRICULTURE AND HUMAN RESOURCES CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO DEVELOP A COORDINATED FRAMEWORK OF SUPPORT FOR PRESCHOOL THROUGH POST-SECONDARY AGRICULTURE EDUCATION," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1328 (S.C.R. No. 133):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 133, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA COLLEGE OF TROPICAL AGRICULTURE AND HUMAN RESOURCES CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO DEVELOP A COORDINATED FRAMEWORK OF SUPPORT FOR PRESCHOOL THROUGH POST-SECONDARY AGRICULTURE EDUCATION," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1329 (S.R. No. 81, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 81, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION EXPRESSING STRONG SUPPORT FOR THE FACULTY AND STUDENTS OF THE CLASSICS DIVISION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES OF EUROPE AND THE AMERICAS AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1330 (S.C.R. No. 134, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 134, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION EXPRESSING STRONG SUPPORT FOR THE FACULTY AND STUDENTS OF THE CLASSICS

DIVISION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES OF EUROPE AND THE AMERICAS AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1331 (S.C.R. No. 109, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 109, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION DESIGNATING THE MONTH OF OCTOBER OF EACH YEAR AS 'FARM TO SCHOOL MONTH' IN HAWAII TO STRENGTHEN AND SUPPORT FARM TO SCHOOL INITIATIVES IN HAWAII'S SCHOOLS," was adopted.

THIRD READING

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1307 (H.B. No. 253, H.D. 2, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1307 was adopted and H.B. No. 253, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VACCINATIONS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1308 (H.B. No. 1007, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1308 was adopted and H.B. No. 1007, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE DRIVER LICENSING," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

H.B. No. 561, H.D. 1, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, H.B. No. 561, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOCIAL MEDIA," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

H.B. No. 888, H.D. 1, S.D. 1:

Senator Espero moved that H.B. No. 888, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran.

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

"In light of what happened recently with the shooting on King Street, which has apparently been termed 'accidental,' this bill is definitely relevant and needed, and actually, what we need is the police department to change their policy to say zero tolerance. If you drink, you do not carry a handgun, let alone a loaded handgun. So we certainly need to push forward with this measure; I ask you to support it. Thank you very much."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, H.B. No. 888, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

H.B. No. 73, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, H.B. No. 73, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE BONDS," having been read

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1316 (H.B. No. 775, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1316 was adopted and H.B. No. 775, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1317 (H.B. No. 562, H.D. 2, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1317 was adopted and H.B. No. 562, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CROSSWALKS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1332 (H.B. No. 205, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Thielen, seconded by Senator Galuteria and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1332 was adopted and H.B. No. 205, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATED TO AGRICULTURE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1333 (H.B. No. 354, H.D. 2, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1333 was adopted and H.B. No. 354, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NURSES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

H.B. No. 78:

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, H.B. No. 78, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NON-GENERAL FUNDS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Senator Baker rose to speak on a point of inquiry as follows:

"How long today does the executive have to submit Governor's Messages?"

The Chair responded:

"We are in communication with them to set a time of possibly 5:00 p.m., but we are waiting to hear if they need more time."

The Chair then made the following announcement:

"The deadline to file standing committee reports on Senate concurrent resolutions to meet tomorrow's First Crossover deadline is 8:00 p.m. tonight. The Clerk's office will distribute a list of all resolutions to be scheduled for adoption tomorrow later this evening."

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:03 p.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Thursday, April 9, 2015.

FORTY-FOURTH DAY

Thursday, April 9, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:35 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present with the exception of Senator Galuteria who was excused.

The President announced that she had read and approved the Journal of the Forty-Third Day.

Senator Baker introduced members of United Public Workers, who were present in the gallery with Florence Kong Kee and Al Lardizabal.

The Chair extended an additional welcome to the visitors.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 773 to 860) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Gov. Msg. No. 773, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Health Connector, the nomination of ANDREW GARRETT, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 774, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Health Connector, the nomination of CALVIN L. HUTTON, term to expire June 30, 2015, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 775, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Health Connector, the nomination of CALVIN L. HUTTON, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 776, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Health Connector, the nomination of IRA D. ZUNIN, MD, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 777, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Health Connector, the nomination of JOANNE H. KEALOHA, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 778, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Health Connector, the nomination of RICHARD KEENE, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 779, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Pharmacy, the nomination of CAROLYN MA, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 780, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Pharmacy, the nomination of SELMA YAMAMOTO, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 781, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Medical Board, the nomination of

PETER HOLT, MD, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 782, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Education, the nomination of HUBERT P. MINN, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Education.

Gov. Msg. No. 783, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Education, the nomination of LANCE A. MIZUMOTO, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Education.

Gov. Msg. No. 784, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Education, the nomination of MARGARET COX, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Education.

Gov. Msg. No. 785, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Early Learning Advisory Board, the nomination of ANN M. TOM, term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Education.

Gov. Msg. No. 786, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Early Learning Advisory Board, the nomination of DOUGLAS G. MERSBERG, term to expire June 30, 2016, was referred to the Committee on Education.

Gov. Msg. No. 787, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Early Learning Advisory Board, the nomination of M. NALANI MATTOX-PRIMACIO, term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Education.

Gov. Msg. No. 788, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Teacher Standards Board, the nomination of GERALD M. TERAMAE, term to expire June 30, 2015, was referred to the Committee on Education.

Gov. Msg. No. 789, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Teacher Standards Board, the nomination of GERALD M. TERAMAE, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Education.

Gov. Msg. No. 790, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Health Systems Corporation, the nomination of DR. ALISTAIR W. BAIROS, term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 791, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Health Systems Corporation, the nomination of DAVID PETERS, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 792, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Health Planning Council, Windward Oahu Subarea, the nomination of JOHN KEENE, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 793, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Health Planning Council, Windward Oahu Subarea, the nomination of OCTAVIUS GONZAGA, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 794, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Procurement Policy Nominating Committee, the nomination of MELISSA PAVLICEK, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

Gov. Msg. No. 795, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Public Housing Authority, the nomination of ALENA MEDEIROS, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Gov. Msg. No. 796, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Public Housing Authority, the nomination of JASON ESPERO, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Gov. Msg. No. 797, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Public Housing Authority, the nomination of LAURA SMITH, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Gov. Msg. No. 798, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Public Housing Authority, the nomination of LISA A. DARCY, term to expire June 30, 2016, was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Gov. Msg. No. 799, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Public Housing Authority, the nomination of NANCY CABRAL, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Gov. Msg. No. 800, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Public Housing Authority, the nomination of PONO D. SHIM, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Gov. Msg. No. 801, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Paroling Authority, the nomination of ANNELLE AMARAL, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs.

Gov. Msg. No. 802, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Paroling Authority, the nomination of MICHAEL A. TOWN, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs.

Gov. Msg. No. 803, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Council on Revenues, the nomination of DR. CARL S. BONHAM, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Gov. Msg. No. 804, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Council on Revenues, the nomination of DR. CHRISTOPHER J. GRANDY, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Gov. Msg. No. 805, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Council on Revenues, the nomination of DR. JACK P. SUYDERHOUD, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Gov. Msg. No. 806, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Highway Safety Council, the nomination of CHAD TANIGUCHI, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Gov. Msg. No. 807, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Highway Safety Council, the nomination of GORDON HONG, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Gov. Msg. No. 808, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Highway Safety Council, the

nomination of JOHN GOODY, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Gov. Msg. No. 809, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Commission for National and Community Service, the nomination of KAI DUPONTE, term to expire June 30, 2016, was referred to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts.

Gov. Msg. No. 810, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Commission for National and Community Service, the nomination of RONALDO MATA, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts.

Gov. Msg. No. 811, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Historic Places Review Board, the nomination of MATT MCDERMOTT, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts.

Gov. Msg. No. 812, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Historic Places Review Board, the nomination of ZACHARY I. BANTOLINA, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts.

Gov. Msg. No. 813, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Land Use Commission, the nomination of ARNOLD K.H. WONG, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Water and Land.

Gov. Msg. No. 814, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Land Use Commission, the nomination of DIANA VAN DE CAR, term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Water and Land.

Gov. Msg. No. 815, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Land Use Commission, the nomination of KENT M. HIRANAGA, term to expire June 30, 2016, was referred to the Committee on Water and Land.

Gov. Msg. No. 816, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Land Use Commission, the nomination of LINDA ESTES, term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Water and Land.

Gov. Msg. No. 817, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Land Use Commission, the nomination of T. AULANI WILHELM, term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Water and Land.

Gov. Msg. No. 818, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Legacy Land Conservation Commission, the nomination of MARJORIE ZIEGLER, term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Water and Land.

Gov. Msg. No. 819, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Legacy Land Conservation Commission, the nomination of THORNE ABBOTT, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Water and Land.

Gov. Msg. No. 820, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Commission on Water Resource Management, the nomination of WILLIAM BALFOUR, JR., term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Water and Land.

Gov. Msg. No. 821, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Commission on Water Resource Management, the nomination of DENISE ANTOLINI, term to expire June 30, 2015, was referred to the Committee on Water and Land.

Gov. Msg. No. 822, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Strategic

Development Corporation, the nomination of ANN H. CHUNG, term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology.

Gov. Msg. No. 823, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Strategic Development Corporation, the nomination of FRED HEMMINGS, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology.

Gov. Msg. No. 824, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Strategic Development Corporation, the nomination of MICHAEL J. O'MALLEY, term to expire June 30, 2016, was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology.

Gov. Msg. No. 825, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Tourism Authority, the nomination of CRAIG NAKAMURA, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs.

Gov. Msg. No. 826, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Tourism Authority, the nomination of FRED ATKINS, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs.

Gov. Msg. No. 827, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Tourism Authority, the nomination of GERALD L. DE MELLO, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs.

Gov. Msg. No. 828, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Tourism Authority, the nomination of RODNEY G. K. KAM, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs.

Gov. Msg. No. 829, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Tourism Authority, the nomination of SEAN DEE, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs.

Gov. Msg. No. 830, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Board of Nursing, the nomination of KATHARYN DAUB, term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 831, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Labor and Industrial Relations Appeals Board, the nomination of MARIE C. LADERTA, term to expire June 30, 2016, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Gov. Msg. No. 832, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Labor Relations Board, the nomination of KERRY KOMATSUBARA, term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Gov. Msg. No. 833, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Kaho'olawe Island Reserve Commission, the nomination of CARMEN HULU LINDSEY, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Water and Land.

Gov. Msg. No. 834, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Kaho'olawe Island Reserve Commission, the nomination of MICHELE MCLEAN, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Water and Land.

Gov. Msg. No. 835, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Kaho'olawe Island Reserve Commission, the nomination of NOA EMMETT ALULI, MD, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Water and Land.

Gov. Msg. No. 836, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Kāne'ohe Bay Regional Council, the nomination of JUDITH LEMUS, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Water and Land.

Gov. Msg. No. 837, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Kāne'ohe Bay Regional Council, the nomination of WAYNE TANAKA, term to expire June 30, 2015, was referred to the Committee on Water and Land.

Gov. Msg. No. 838, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Kāne'ohe Bay Regional Council, the nomination of WAYNE TANAKA, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Water and Land.

Gov. Msg. No. 839, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Legacy Land Conservation Commission, the nomination of THERESA MENARD, term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Water and Land.

Gov. Msg. No. 840, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Registration of the Island of O'ahu, the nomination of ELISE ANDERSON, term to expire June 30, 2015, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Gov. Msg. No. 841, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Registration of the Island of O'ahu, the nomination of ELISE ANDERSON, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Gov. Msg. No. 842, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Registration of the Island of O'ahu, the nomination of JUSTIN GRUENSTEIN, term to expire June 30, 2015, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Gov. Msg. No. 843, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Registration of the Island of O'ahu, the nomination of JUSTIN GRUENSTEIN, term to expire June 30, 2019, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Gov. Msg. No. 844, submitting for consideration and confirmation as Director of the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations, the nomination of LINDA CHU TAKAYAMA, term to expire December 3, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Gov. Msg. No. 845, submitting for consideration and confirmation as Chief Information Officer of the Department of Accounting and General Services, the nomination of TODD NACAPUY, term to expire December 3, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology.

Gov. Msg. No. 846, informing the Senate that on April 7, 2015, the Governor withdrew the nomination of MAY KEALOHA to the State Board of Nursing, under Gov. Msg. No. 597 dated March 30, 2015, from consideration by the Senate, was placed on file.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 846, the nomination listed under Gov. Msg. No. 597 was returned.

Gov. Msg. No. 847, informing the Senate that on April 7, 2015, the Governor withdrew the nomination of ASHLEY DIAZ to the Hawai'i Early Intervention Coordinating Council, under Gov. Msg. No. 662 dated March 30, 2015, from consideration by the Senate, was placed on file.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 847, the nomination listed under Gov. Msg. No. 662 was returned.

Gov. Msg. No. 848, informing the Senate that on April 7, 2015, the Governor withdrew the nomination of ASHLEY DIAZ to the Hawai'i Early Intervention Coordinating Council, under Gov. Msg. No. 663 dated March 30, 2015, from consideration by the Senate, was placed on file.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 848, the nomination listed under Gov. Msg. No. 663 was returned.

Gov. Msg. No. 849, informing the Senate that on April 7, 2015, the Governor withdrew the nomination of BERNADETTE LANE to the Hawai'i Early Intervention Coordinating Council, under Gov. Msg. No. 654 dated March 30, 2015, from consideration by the Senate, was placed on file.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 849, the nomination listed under Gov. Msg. No. 654 was returned.

Gov. Msg. No. 850, informing the Senate that on April 7, 2015, the Governor withdrew the nomination of BERNADETTE LANE to the Hawai'i Early Intervention Coordinating Council, under Gov. Msg. No. 655 dated March 30, 2015, from consideration by the Senate, was placed on file.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 850, the nomination listed under Gov. Msg. No. 655 was returned.

Gov. Msg. No. 851, informing the Senate that on April 7, 2015, the Governor withdrew the nomination of CARRIELYNN A. PISCOTTO to the Hawai'i Early Intervention Coordinating Council, under Gov. Msg. No. 656 dated March 30, 2015, from consideration by the Senate, was placed on file.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 851, the nomination listed under Gov. Msg. No. 656 was returned.

Gov. Msg. No. 852, informing the Senate that on April 7, 2015, the Governor withdrew the nomination of CARRIELYNN A. PISCOTTO to the Hawai'i Early Intervention Coordinating Council, under Gov. Msg. No. 657 dated March 30, 2015, from consideration by the Senate, was placed on file.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 852, the nomination listed under Gov. Msg. No. 657 was returned.

Gov. Msg. No. 853, informing the Senate that on April 7, 2015, the Governor withdrew the nomination of DANIEL BUEHLER to the Hawai'i Early Intervention Coordinating Council, under Gov. Msg. No. 659 dated March 30, 2015, from consideration by the Senate, was placed on file.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 853, the nomination listed under Gov. Msg. No. 659 was returned.

Gov. Msg. No. 854, informing the Senate that on April 7, 2015, the Governor withdrew the nomination of KERI KOBAYASHI to the Hawai'i Early Intervention Coordinating Council, under Gov. Msg. No. 658 dated March 30, 2015, from consideration by the Senate, was placed on file.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 854, the nomination listed under Gov. Msg. No. 658 was returned.

Gov. Msg. No. 855, informing the Senate that on April 7, 2015, the Governor withdrew the nomination of PETER TRANG to the Hawai'i Early Intervention Coordinating Council, under Gov. Msg. No. 661 dated March 30, 2015, from consideration by the Senate, was placed on file.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 855, the nomination listed under Gov. Msg. No. 661 was returned.

Gov. Msg. No. 856, informing the Senate that on April 7, 2015, the Governor withdrew the nomination of SABRINA K. GOLIS to the Hawai'i Early Intervention Coordinating Council, under Gov. Msg. No. 664 dated March 30, 2015, from consideration by the Senate, was placed on file.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 856, the nomination listed under Gov. Msg. No. 664 was returned.

Gov. Msg. No. 857, informing the Senate that on April 7, 2015, the Governor withdrew the nomination of TOBY PORTNER to the Hawai'i Early Intervention Coordinating Council, under Gov. Msg. No. 660 dated March 30, 2015, from consideration by the Senate, was placed on file.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 857, the nomination listed under Gov. Msg. No. 660 was returned.

Gov. Msg. No. 858, informing the Senate that on April 8, 2015, the Governor withdrew the nomination of LORI OKUDA to the Radiologic Technology Board, under Gov. Msg. No. 674 dated March 30, 2015, from consideration by the Senate, was placed on file.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 858, the nomination listed under Gov. Msg. No. 674 was returned.

Gov. Msg. No. 859, informing the Senate that on April 8, 2015, the Governor withdrew the nomination of LORI ABE to the State Council on Developmental Disabilities, under Gov. Msg. No. 683 dated March 31, 2015, from consideration by the Senate, was placed on file.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 859, the nomination listed under Gov. Msg. No. 683 was returned.

Gov. Msg. No. 860, letter dated April 8, 2015, correcting the term for the nomination to Gov. Msg. No. 771, Gubernatorial Nominee to the Small Business Regulatory Review Board, PHILLIP KASPER, term to expire amended to June 30, 2018, was placed on file.

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the House (Hse. Com. Nos. 351 to 362) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Hse. Com. No. 351, informing the Senate that on April 8, 2015, the House disagreed to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 268, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1), was placed on file.

Hse. Com. No. 352, transmitting H.C.R. No. 162, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 8, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 162, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO EXAMINE IF AND HOW OTHER STATES REGULATE TOUR OPERATORS WITHIN THEIR JURISDICTION," was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 353, transmitting H.C.R. No. 178, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 8, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 178, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE GOVERNOR TO DEVELOP A MODERNIZED OAHU CORRECTIONAL FACILITY WITHIN THE HALAWA CORRECTIONAL FACILITY THROUGH A PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP," was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 354, transmitting H.C.R. No. 189, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 8, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 189, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BROADBAND ASSISTANCE ADVISORY COUNCIL TO CREATE A MASTER PLAN OF PROVIDING UNIVERSAL HIGH SPEED BROADBAND ACCESS IN RESORT AREAS AND OTHER AREAS OF IMPORTANCE THROUGHOUT HAWAII, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO HONOLULU INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT AND HAWAII PUBLIC SCHOOLS," was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 355, returning S.B. No. 225, S.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 8, 2015, was placed on file.

Hse. Com. No. 356, returning S.B. No. 415, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 8, 2015, was placed on file.

Hse. Com. No. 357, returning S.B. No. 564, S.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 8, 2015, was placed on file.

Hse. Com. No. 358, returning S.B. No. 913, S.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 8, 2015, was placed on file.

Hse. Com. No. 359, returning S.B. No. 2, S.D. 2, as amended in H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 8, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 2, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PILOTAGE," was deferred until Friday, April 10, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 360, returning S.B. No. 550, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 8, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 550, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," was deferred until Friday, April 10, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 361, returning S.B. No. 987, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 8, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 987, S.D. 1, (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION," was deferred until Friday, April 10, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 362, returning S.B. No. 1131, S.D. 2, as amended in H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 8, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 1131, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT," was deferred until Friday, April 10, 2015.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS AND ADOPTION OF RESOLUTIONS

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1368) recommending that S.C.R. No. 10 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 10, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SALE OF THE LEASED FEE INTEREST

IN 41-543 INOA STREET, WAIMANALO, HAWAII," was adopted.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1369) recommending that S.C.R. No. 8, S.D. 1 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 8, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SALE OF THE LEASED FEE INTEREST IN 41-665 INOAOLE STREET, WAIMANALO, HAWAII," was adopted.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1370) recommending that S.C.R. No. 17 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 17, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT KANEOHE, KOOLAUPOKO, OAHU, FOR THE USE, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR OF THE EXISTING CRM WALL, LANDSCAPING AREA, FLOATING DOCK, AND CONCRETE PIER PURPOSES CONSTRUCTED THEREON," was adopted.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1371) recommending that S.C.R. No. 2 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 2, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT TO KAHALUU POND, INC., FOR THE USE, REPAIR, AND MAINTENANCE OF THE SEAWALL LOCATED AT KAHALUU, KOOLAUPOKO, OAHU, TMK: (1) 4-7-011: SEAWARD OF 001," was adopted.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1372) recommending that S.C.R. No. 25, S.D. 1 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 25, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM LEASE AND NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT FOR THE TIDE POOL STAIRS ENCROACHMENT PURPOSES IN THE MANELE-HULOPOE MARINE LIFE CONSERVATION DISTRICT ON THE ISLAND OF LANAI," was adopted.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1373) recommending that S.C.R. No. 15 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 15, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT KAHUKU, KOOLAULO, OAHU, FOR THE USE, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR OF THE EXISTING DRAINAGE STRUCTURE CONSTRUCTED THEREON," was adopted.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1374) recommending that S.C.R. No. 16 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 16, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT HAUULA, KOOLAULO, OAHU, FOR THE USE, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR OF PORTION OF THE EXISTING RESIDENCE, FOUNDATION, AND LANAI CONSTRUCTED THEREON," was adopted.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1375) recommending that S.C.R. No. 12 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 12, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SALE OF THE LEASED FEE INTEREST IN 95-015 KUAHELANI AVENUE, NO. 319, MILILANI, HAWAII," was adopted.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1376) recommending that S.C.R. No. 128, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 128, S.D. 2, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE JUDICIARY TO FORM A WORKING GROUP TO EXAMINE SMARTER SENTENCING TO IMPROVE THE QUALITY AND RELIABILITY OF STATE CRIMINAL SENTENCING PRACTICES," was adopted.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1377) recommending that S.C.R. No. 88, S.D. 1 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 88, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE INFORMATION PRIVACY AND SECURITY COUNCIL, IN COOPERATION WITH THE STATE CHIEF INFORMATION OFFICER COUNCIL, TO ASSESS EXISTING PROCEDURES OF NOTIFICATION FOLLOWING THE BREACH OF PERSONAL INFORMATION," was adopted.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1378) recommending that S.C.R. No. 71, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 71, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY TO CONDUCT A STUDY REGARDING THE FEASIBILITY AND COST OF CONSTRUCTING A SMALL, RURAL LANDING SITE OR AIRSTRIP FOR USE BY THE NATIONAL GUARD AND EMERGENCY RESPONDERS IN SOUTH PUNA AND EVALUATE THE POSSIBILITY OF USING BASALT REBAR OR LUNAR BASALTIC CEMENT IN THE CONSTRUCTION," was adopted.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1379) recommending that S.C.R. No. 91, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 91, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING CONGRESS AND THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES TO SUPPORT THE PASSAGE OF LEGISLATION TO EXPEDITE FAMILY REUNIFICATION FOR CERTAIN FILIPINO VETERANS OF WORLD WAR II," was adopted.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1380) recommending that S.R. No. 44, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 44, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING CONGRESS AND THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES TO SUPPORT THE PASSAGE OF LEGISLATION TO EXPEDITE FAMILY REUNIFICATION FOR CERTAIN FILIPINO VETERANS OF WORLD WAR II," was adopted.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1381) recommending that S.R. No. 65 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 65, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING FOOD SERVICE FACILITIES IN THE STATE THAT OFFER A CHILDREN'S MENU OF MEAL OPTIONS, OR A MEAL THAT IS REPRESENTED AS A CHILDREN'S MEAL, TO SERVE CHILDREN'S MEALS WITH HIGHER NUTRITIONAL QUALITY AND INCLUDE ONLY BOTTLED WATER OR LOW-FAT MILK AS THE DEFAULT BEVERAGE IN THE MEAL OR MENU OPTION," was adopted.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1382) recommending that S.C.R. No. 114 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 114, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING FOOD SERVICE FACILITIES IN THE STATE THAT OFFER A CHILDREN'S MENU OF MEAL OPTIONS, OR A MEAL THAT IS REPRESENTED AS A CHILDREN'S MEAL, TO SERVE CHILDREN'S MEALS WITH HIGHER NUTRITIONAL QUALITY AND INCLUDE ONLY BOTTLED WATER OR LOW-FAT MILK AS THE DEFAULT BEVERAGE IN THE MEAL OR MENU OPTION," was adopted.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1383) recommending that S.R. No. 57, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 57, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE REESTABLISHMENT OF THE WORKING GROUP TO EXAMINE SOCIAL DETERMINANTS OF HEALTH AND RISK ADJUSTMENT FOR MEDICAID, GAP-GROUP, AND UNINSURED INDIVIDUALS," was adopted.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1384) recommending that S.C.R. No. 103, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and

S.C.R. No. 103, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE REESTABLISHMENT OF THE WORKING GROUP TO EXAMINE SOCIAL DETERMINANTS OF HEALTH AND RISK ADJUSTMENT FOR MEDICAID, GAP-GROUP, AND UNINSURED INDIVIDUALS," was adopted.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1385) recommending that S.R. No. 20, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 20, S.D. 2, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO EVALUATE THE LICENSING OF PRIVATE TRADE, VOCATIONAL, AND TECHNICAL SCHOOLS," was adopted.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1386) recommending that S.C.R. No. 46, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 46, S.D. 2, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO EVALUATE THE LICENSING OF PRIVATE TRADE, VOCATIONAL, AND TECHNICAL SCHOOLS," was adopted.

Senators Nishihara and Green, for the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1387) recommending that S.C.R. No. 142, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.C.R. No. 142, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO ASSESS THE INCIDENCE OF ALCOHOL-RELATED MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS AND ALCOHOL-RELATED INJURIES AND THEIR ASSOCIATED MEDICAL COSTS," was adopted.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1388) recommending that S.C.R. No. 183, S.D. 1 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 183, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE EXECUTIVE OFFICE ON AGING TO ESTABLISH A WORKING GROUP TO REVIEW ADULT EDUCATION SERVICES AND THE POTENTIAL TO PROVIDE NEW LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES TO SENIOR CITIZENS," was adopted.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1389) recommending that S.R. No. 118, S.D. 1 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 118, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE EXECUTIVE OFFICE ON AGING TO ESTABLISH A WORKING GROUP TO REVIEW ADULT EDUCATION SERVICES AND THE POTENTIAL TO

PROVIDE NEW LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES TO SENIOR CITIZENS," was adopted.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1390) recommending that S.C.R. No. 90 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 90, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY TO CONTINUE AND EXPAND ITS STRUCTURED COMMUNITY PLACEMENT PROGRAMS TO ASSIST IN TRANSITIONING FORMERLY INCARCERATED FEMALE INMATES BACK INTO SOCIETY," was adopted.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1391) recommending that S.R. No. 54 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 54, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU, IN CONSULTATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA COLLEGE OF EDUCATION, TO PREPARE A STUDY THAT EXAMINES AND PROVIDES RECOMMENDATIONS ON IMPROVING THE RETENTION OF TEACHERS WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION," was adopted.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1392) recommending that S.C.R. No. 100 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 100, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU, IN CONSULTATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA COLLEGE OF EDUCATION, TO PREPARE A STUDY THAT EXAMINES AND PROVIDES RECOMMENDATIONS ON IMPROVING THE RETENTION OF TEACHERS WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION," was adopted.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1393) recommending that S.C.R. No. 129 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 129, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT BUDGET SUBMISSIONS FOR STATE ASSETS INCLUDE AN APPROPRIATION AMOUNT FOR THE COST OF MAINTENANCE, REPAIR, RENOVATION, RECONSTRUCTION, AND REPLACEMENT, A SCHEDULE FOR REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE, AND A PLAN FOR REPLACEMENT OR REDEVELOPMENT," was adopted.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1394) recommending that S.R. No. 77 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 77, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT BUDGET SUBMISSIONS FOR STATE ASSETS INCLUDE AN APPROPRIATION AMOUNT FOR THE COST OF MAINTENANCE, REPAIR, RENOVATION,

RECONSTRUCTION, AND REPLACEMENT, A SCHEDULE FOR REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE, AND A PLAN FOR REPLACEMENT OR REDEVELOPMENT," was adopted.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1395) recommending that S.C.R. No. 62 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 62, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNITED STATES SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE TO INCREASE THE FEDERAL BREAKFAST, LUNCH, AND AFTERSCHOOL SNACK REIMBURSEMENT RATES FOR HAWAII," was adopted.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1396) recommending that S.R. No. 26 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 26, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNITED STATES SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE TO INCREASE THE FEDERAL BREAKFAST, LUNCH, AND AFTERSCHOOL SNACK REIMBURSEMENT RATES FOR HAWAII," was adopted.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1397) recommending that S.C.R. No. 136, S.D. 1 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 136, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING AN UPDATE OF THE STATE HOUSING FUNCTIONAL PLAN," was adopted.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1398) recommending that S.C.R. No. 162 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 162, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A FINANCIAL AUDIT OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY EXPENDITURES IN THE STATE EXECUTIVE BRANCH," was adopted.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1399) recommending that S.C.R. No. 138 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 138, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO CONDUCT A STUDY REGARDING THE FEASIBILITY AND COST OF CONSTRUCTING A SMALL COMMERCIAL BOAT HARBOR AND SMALL COMMERCIAL AIRPORT IN SOUTH PUNA," was adopted, with Senator Inouye voting "No."

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1400) recommending that S.R. No. 83 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 83, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO CONDUCT A STUDY REGARDING THE FEASIBILITY AND COST OF

CONSTRUCTING A SMALL COMMERCIAL BOAT HARBOR AND SMALL COMMERCIAL AIRPORT IN SOUTH PUNA," was adopted.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1401) recommending that S.C.R. No. 35, S.D. 1 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 35, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII HOUSING FINANCE AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION AND CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND PERMITTING, WITH SUPPORT FROM THE HONOLULU AUTHORITY FOR RAPID TRANSPORTATION, TO CONDUCT A JOINT STUDY ADDRESSING THE DEMAND FOR WORKFORCE HOUSING AND TRANSIT-ORIENTED DEVELOPMENT; AND TO CREATE A DEVELOPMENT PLAN FOR WORKFORCE HOUSING EXPANSION," was adopted.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1402) recommending that S.R. No. 11, S.D. 1 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 11, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII HOUSING FINANCE AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION AND CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND PERMITTING, WITH SUPPORT FROM THE HONOLULU AUTHORITY FOR RAPID TRANSPORTATION, TO CONDUCT A JOINT STUDY ADDRESSING THE DEMAND FOR WORKFORCE HOUSING AND TRANSIT-ORIENTED DEVELOPMENT; AND TO CREATE A DEVELOPMENT PLAN FOR WORKFORCE HOUSING EXPANSION," was adopted.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1403) recommending that S.C.R. No. 23, S.D. 1 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 23, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII ACCESS TO JUSTICE COMMISSION TO ASSEMBLE VARIOUS STATE AND COMMUNITY ENTITIES TO DETERMINE WHICH AGENCY OR ORGANIZATION SHOULD ADMINISTER FUNDING FOR CIVIL LEGAL SERVICES TO LOW- AND MODERATE-INCOME INDIVIDUALS," was adopted.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1404) recommending that S.R. No. 6, S.D. 1 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 6, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII ACCESS TO JUSTICE COMMISSION TO ASSEMBLE VARIOUS STATE AND COMMUNITY ENTITIES TO DETERMINE WHICH AGENCY OR ORGANIZATION SHOULD ADMINISTER FUNDING FOR CIVIL LEGAL SERVICES TO LOW- AND MODERATE-INCOME INDIVIDUALS," was adopted.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1405) recommending that S.C.R. No. 14 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and

S.C.R. No. 14, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT KAHALUU, KOOLAUPOKO, OAHU, FOR THE USE, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR OF THE EXISTING SEAWALL CONSTRUCTED THEREON," was adopted.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1406) recommending that S.R. No. 95 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 95, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO REVIEW AND ANALYZE ALL ORAL HEALTH INITIATIVES CURRENTLY UNDERWAY IN THE STATE, INCLUDING THE CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL PROGRAM, AND PREPARE A PROGRESS REPORT ON EACH INITIATIVE," was adopted.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1407) recommending that S.C.R. No. 153 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 153, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO REVIEW AND ANALYZE ALL ORAL HEALTH INITIATIVES CURRENTLY UNDERWAY IN THE STATE, INCLUDING THE CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL PROGRAM, AND PREPARE A PROGRESS REPORT ON EACH INITIATIVE," was adopted.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1408) recommending that S.C.R. No. 191, S.D. 1 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 191, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO ESTABLISH A VOLUNTARY FARM TO SCHOOL PROGRAM," was adopted.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1409) recommending that S.C.R. No. 82, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 82, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NONEXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING A PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS FRONTING THE PROPERTY IDENTIFIED AS TAX MAP KEY: (1) 3-6-001:017, WAIKIKI, HONOLULU, OAHU," was adopted.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1410) recommending that S.C.R. No. 81, S.D. 1 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 81, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING A PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT LAHAINA, MAUI FOR SEAWALL ENCROACHMENT PURPOSES AND AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT FOR THE RIGHT, PRIVILEGE, AND AUTHORITY TO USE, MAINTAIN,

REPAIR, AND REPLACE AN EXISTING SEAWALL OVER, UNDER, AND ACROSS STATE-OWNED LAND IN LAHAINA, MAUI," was adopted.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1411) recommending that S.C.R. No. 163, S.D. 1 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 163, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF FOUR TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENTS COVERING PORTIONS OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT STABLE ROAD BEACH, STABLE ROAD, SPRECKELSVILLE, WAILUKU, MAUI, FOR THE USE, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR OF FOUR EXISTING ROCK GROINS," was adopted.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1412) recommending that S.C.R. No. 143 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 143, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU IN COORDINATION WITH THE HONOLULU AUTHORITY FOR RAPID TRANSPORTATION TO DEVELOP A PLAN TO GENERATE REVENUE FOR OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE OF RAIL," was adopted.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1413) recommending that S.R. No. 86 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 86, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU IN COORDINATION WITH THE HONOLULU AUTHORITY FOR RAPID TRANSPORTATION TO DEVELOP A PLAN TO GENERATE REVENUE FOR OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE OF RAIL," was adopted.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1414) recommending that S.C.R. No. 77 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 77, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM TO PRIORITIZE THE DEVELOPMENT OF KAPOLEI INTO A JOB CENTER IN SUPPORT OF THE STATE AND THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU'S POLICIES TO DEVELOP KAPOLEI INTO OAHU'S "SECONDARY URBAN CENTER," was adopted.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1415) recommending that S.C.R. No. 44, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 44, S.D. 2, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO SUBMIT A REPORT TO THE LEGISLATURE ON LIPOA POINT," was adopted.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1416) recommending that S.C.R. No. 94 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 94, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE COMMITTEE ON WEIGHTS AND THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO CONSIDER THE UNIQUE NEEDS OF REMOTE SCHOOLS WHEN REEVALUATING THE WEIGHTED STUDENT FORMULA," was adopted.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1417) recommending that S.R. No. 48 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 48, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE COMMITTEE ON WEIGHTS AND THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO CONSIDER THE UNIQUE NEEDS OF REMOTE SCHOOLS WHEN REEVALUATING THE WEIGHTED STUDENT FORMULA," was adopted.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1418) recommending that S.C.R. No. 113 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 113, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO TELEVISION OR MAKE AVAILABLE ONLINE ITS MEETINGS," was adopted.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1419) recommending that S.R. No. 64 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 64, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO TELEVISION OR MAKE AVAILABLE ONLINE ITS MEETINGS," was adopted.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1420) recommending that S.C.R. No. 185, S.D. 1 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 185, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO ORGANIZE AND COORDINATE OUT-OF-SCHOOL PROGRAMS FOR KINDERGARTEN THROUGH TWELFTH GRADE AND IDENTIFY FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES FOR CURRENT AND FUTURE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION OUT-OF-SCHOOL PROGRAMS," was adopted.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1421) recommending that S.R. No. 120, S.D. 1 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 120, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO ORGANIZE AND COORDINATE OUT-OF-SCHOOL PROGRAMS FOR KINDERGARTEN THROUGH TWELFTH GRADE AND IDENTIFY FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES FOR CURRENT AND FUTURE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION OUT-OF-SCHOOL PROGRAMS," was adopted.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1422) recommending that H.B. No. 683, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 683, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII CIVIL RIGHTS COMMISSION," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1423) recommending that H.B. No. 287, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 287, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM INFORMATION PRACTICES ACT," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senators Keith-Agaran and Tokuda, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1424) recommending that H.B. No. 290, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 290, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1425) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Endangered Species Recovery Committee of the following:

ERIC VANDERWERF, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 607; and

SAMUEL GON, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 608.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1425 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 607 and 608 was deferred until Friday, April 10, 2015.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1426) recommending that H.B. No. 770, H.D. 1, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1426 and H.B. No. 770, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR," was deferred until Friday, April 10, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1427) recommending that H.B. No. 589, H.D. 1, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1427 and H.B. No. 589, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STROKE CARE," was deferred until Friday, April 10, 2015.

ORDER OF THE DAY
ADVISE AND CONSENT

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1358 (Gov. Msg. No. 507):

Senator Green moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1358 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Wakai and carried.

Senator Green then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of VIRGINIA PRESSLER as Director of the Department of Health, term to expire December 3, 2018, seconded by Senator Wakai.

Senator Green rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

"First of all, let me point out there our nominee, Dr. Pressler. Madam President, this is an extraordinary candidate that the governor has sent us. I'm going to refer to her as 'Ginny'; I'm very fond of her. If I slip back to 'Dr. Pressler', it's out of, really, just due deference to her extraordinary career. She was in banking before starting in cardiovascular research at Queen's for several years, where she was a junior fellow there. She went on to Harvard to work at the medical school, get degrees, University of Hawai'i Integrated Surgical Residency for six years. She was a private practice physician in our state, taking care of patients, and also was an associate professor of surgery, then became a vice president at Queen's, which is one of our preeminent hospitals, as we all know. Then she became president and CEO for HMSA's Premier Plan, Queen's Health dba. Then she went over to Hawai'i Pacific Health, which is the other preeminent health care system, and had a leadership role as executive vice president, not to mention all of those extraordinary credentials for Ginny. She also worked at the Department of Health as a deputy director for Health Resources Administration.

"She's a powerful advocate for those who need health care; she's been very, very close and embedded to the work we do here on coordinated care, care integration – always focusing on those who need it the most. She has extraordinary chops on taking care of women and women's health issues. There was not a single person who came and testified before us who didn't glow about Dr. Pressler, about Ginny. Really, an extraordinary candidate.

"I don't want to spend any more time than necessary singing her praises because she has so much work to do running an incredibly important department for us, but again, I would commend the governor and his team: They sent us one of the most extraordinary individuals we could hope for. She knows about the legacy of those who have preceded her, and was very, very kind and deferential to the work that Dr. Fuddy did, that Dr. Rosen has done. I mean, this is an extraordinary candidate, so I'd recommend that we all support her nomination."

Senator Baker rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

"I, too, rise in strong support of this nominee and would echo many of the words of our Health chair. I, too, have had an opportunity to work with Dr. Pressler over the years from Comprehensive Cancer Control Coalition to American Cancer Society to a number of task forces looking at how we can reinvent our efforts to help everybody live a healthier lifestyle and obtain adequate health care coverage.

"She is an extraordinary leader. I'm delighted to see another woman at the head of this particularly important department for all of us, and I extend my very best wishes to her. She's got a great staff; she'll do a great job. Mahalo."

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Galuteria).

At this time, Senator Green introduced Dr. Virginia Pressler, newly confirmed director of the Department of Health, who was present in the gallery with her husband, Andy Fisher.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1359 (Gov. Msg. No. 508):

Senator Green moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1359 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Wakai and carried.

Senator Green then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of KEITH YAMAMOTO as Deputy Director of the Department of Health, term to expire December 3, 2018, seconded by Senator Wakai.

Senator Green rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

"Thank you, Madam President. I also rise, like before, to stand in strong support of this nominee to be deputy director of the Department of Health.

"Keith is a fantastic guy. I'm going to run over some of his credentials: He's been with the department for quite some time; knows the department inside and out; is a passionate supporter of health for all. Keith worked at the John Howard Association of Hawaii for several years, then was a School-to-Work Transition Center leader as a career counselor, so he knows people. At Kaimuki School, he worked in their transition center as a program coordinator. He was with the Office of Youth Services in program development for several years. He's been with the Department of Health for a great deal of time as well. He was at the Office of Youth Services for children and youth program development; then was Alcohol and Drug Abuse Division Administrator, which, from my perspective, members, is one of the most important divisions in the Department of Health and in government because of the incredible challenges that we have with drug and alcohol addiction. So, it's such a wonderful addition to the team to have someone so well-versed in that issue.

"He spent years with the Department of Health as deputy director. He knows it inside and out, and again I will mention our late and dear departed Dr. Fuddy – he was at her side when she passed. He was at her side for the entire period, working with her, as she was director; he was her right-hand person. Really a compassionate individual who, serving as Dr. Pressler's deputy, will continue to round out our team in an extraordinary way. As Senator Baker pointed out, we only seem to put women in the directorship, but we will have an excellent deputy in Keith Yamamoto, if we will support him.

"So I don't forget later, we're so lucky to have June Yamamoto, his mom; Tracey Yamamoto-Kubo, his sister; and Nalani St. Germaine, his niece, today. So, if we could give them a round of applause, it would be wonderful. I know we haven't voted and we took applause out of order, but these are great individuals, Madam President."

Senator Baker rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

"Thank you, Madam President. I rise in strong support of this nominee, just so the nominee doesn't think I only stand in support of women candidates.

"I had the good fortune a number of years ago to chair the Senate Health Committee, and I had an opportunity to work very closely with Keith at that time, when he was the administrator for ADAD. I know that he is not only a fine individual, compassionate and caring, but he really understands

the importance of the programs in the Department of Health, and his leadership, I think, is going to be of great service to our new director. Because he's been in the bureaucracy, he understands it, and we all know that sometimes you have to have that understanding in order to move it.

"So thank you, Keith, for stepping up to the plate, and I urge all my colleagues to vote for his confirmation as well. Thank you."

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Galuteria).

Senator Green then introduced newly confirmed Deputy Director Keith Yamamoto, who was present in the gallery.

At 11:48 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 11:55 a.m.

ADOPTION OF RESOLUTIONS

MATTERS DEFERRED FROM WEDNESDAY, APRIL 8, 2015

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1349 (S.C.R. No. 181, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 181, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING AN INTERISLAND FERRY SYSTEM SIMILAR TO THE FERRY SYSTEMS OPERATED BY WASHINGTON STATE AND OTHER JURISDICTIONS," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1350 (S.R. No. 116, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 116, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING AN INTERISLAND FERRY SYSTEM SIMILAR TO THE FERRY SYSTEMS OPERATED BY WASHINGTON STATE AND OTHER JURISDICTIONS," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1351 (S.C.R. No. 174, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.C.R. No. 174, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY, HONOLULU BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY, AND NAVY TO EXPEDITIOUSLY IMPLEMENT THE RECOMMENDATIONS SUBMITTED TO THE LEGISLATURE BY THE RED HILL FUEL STORAGE FACILITY TASK FORCE," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1352 (S.R. No. 109, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.R. No. 109, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY, HONOLULU BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY, AND NAVY TO EXPEDITIOUSLY IMPLEMENT THE RECOMMENDATIONS SUBMITTED TO THE LEGISLATURE BY THE RED HILL FUEL STORAGE FACILITY TASK FORCE," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1353 (S.C.R. No. 57, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.C.R. No. 57, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION EXPANDING THE TASK FORCE STUDY OF THE EFFECTS OF THE JANUARY 2014 FUEL TANK LEAK AT THE RED HILL UNDERGROUND FUEL STORAGE FACILITY, ESTABLISHED UNDER SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 73, H.D. 1, REGULAR SESSION OF 2014, TO INCLUDE AN ADDITIONAL TWENTY-SIX UNDERGROUND FUEL STORAGE TANKS IN THE STATE OWNED BY THE UNITED STATES MILITARY," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1354 (S.C.R. No. 156, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.C.R. No. 156, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT AND THE COLLEGE OF HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE TO ESTABLISH A WORKING GROUP TO CONSIDER THE RESTRUCTURING OF THE COLLEGE OF HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE AND EXAMINE THE EXPANSION OF HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE INSTRUCTION THROUGHOUT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII SYSTEM," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1355 (S.R. No. 97, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.R. No. 97, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT AND THE COLLEGE OF HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE TO ESTABLISH A WORKING GROUP TO CONSIDER THE RESTRUCTURING OF THE COLLEGE OF HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE AND EXAMINE THE EXPANSION OF HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE INSTRUCTION THROUGHOUT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII SYSTEM," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1356 (S.C.R. No. 154, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 154, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO DEVELOP AND IMPLEMENT ADMINISTRATIVE RULES AND POLICIES TO FACILITATE AND ENCOURAGE TRADITIONAL HAWAIIAN BURIALS," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1357 (S.R. No. 96, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 96, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO DEVELOP AND IMPLEMENT ADMINISTRATIVE RULES AND POLICIES TO FACILITATE AND ENCOURAGE TRADITIONAL HAWAIIAN BURIALS," was adopted.

THIRD READING

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1334 (H.B. No. 1368, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1334 was adopted and H.B. No. 1368, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE KING KAMEHAMEHA CELEBRATION COMMISSION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Galuteria).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1335 (H.B. No. 1497, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1335 was adopted and H.B. No. 1497, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23. Noes, 1 (Slom). Excused, 1 (Galuteria).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1336 (H.B. No. 140, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1336 was adopted and H.B. No. 140, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR CHAMINADE UNIVERSITY OF HONOLULU," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Galuteria).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1337 (H.B. No. 241, S.D. 1):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1337 be adopted and H.B. No. 241, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

Senator Slom rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations as follows:

"As I've said previously, I support the project; I've been supporting the project for more than a decade now. It's time for them to get on with it and show that they can get the investment, get the capital, and get the construction of the project. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1337 was adopted and H.B. No. 241, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST SEAWATER AIR CONDITIONING PROJECTS ON OAHU," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24; Ayes with Reservations (Slom). Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Galuteria).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1338 (H.B. No. 715, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1338 was adopted and H.B. No. 715, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOW-SPEED ELECTRIC BICYCLES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Galuteria).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1339 (H.B. No. 1273, H.D. 2, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1339 was adopted and H.B. No. 1273, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Galuteria).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1340 (H.B. No. 623, H.D. 2, S.D. 2):

Senator Baker moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1340 be adopted and H.B. No. 623, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, having been read

throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Gabbard rose to request that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Gabbard's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President, I rise in strong support of HB 623 HD2 SD2.

"Our state is spending \$3 billion to \$5 billion annually on importing dirty fossil fuels, which is not good for the environment, our future sustainability, or our pocketbooks. Our islands are blessed with abundant, renewable energy provided to us by ke Akua. We should be using these resources for the benefit of our people and 'āina, and show the world that this can be done.

"HB 623 HD2 SD2 would raise the state's clean energy goals to 100 percent by 2050. This law would be the first in the nation to pass. We would also be the most populated set of islands in the world with an independent grid to establish a 100 percent renewable electricity goal. By moving forward, we can be the model that other states and even nations to follow. Scotland is on track to achieve its mandated target of 100 percent renewable power by 2020, and already last year, generated the equivalent of 98 percent of household electricity demand with local renewable sources. Several cities and counties on the mainland are committed to procuring 100 percent renewable electricity within the next decade, including Marin County, San Francisco, Lancaster, and Palo Alto in California; Georgetown, Texas; and East Hampton, New York. The State of Vermont has created a plan for reaching 90 percent renewable energy by 2050.

"If we're able to pull this off—and it's clear that this is doable—we'll achieve the biggest energy turnaround in the country, going from 90 percent dependence on fossil fuels to 100 percent clean energy. Let's do this! Mahalo."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1340 was adopted and H.B. No. 623, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE STANDARDS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23. Noes, 1 (Slom). Excused, 1 (Galuteria).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1341 (H.B. No. 1286, H.D. 2, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1341 was adopted and H.B. No. 1286, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23. Noes, 1 (Slom). Excused, 1 (Galuteria).

H.B. No. 1219, H.D. 1, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, H.B. No. 1219, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24; Ayes with Reservations (Slom). Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Galuteria).

H.B. No. 171, H.D. 1, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, H.B. No. 171, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE HURRICANE RESERVE TRUST FUND," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Galuteria).

H.B. No. 172, H.D. 1, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, H.B. No. 172, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE EMERGENCY AND BUDGET RESERVE FUND," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Galuteria).

H.B. No. 707, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, H.B. No. 707, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NON-GENERAL FUNDS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Galuteria).

H.B. No. 1186, H.D. 2, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, H.B. No. 1186, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Galuteria).

H.B. No. 79, H.D. 1, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, H.B. No. 79, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NON-GENERAL FUNDS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Galuteria).

WAIVER OF REFERRAL

Senator Keith-Agaran, Chair of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, requested that the referral of S.C.R. No. 107, S.D. 1 to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor be waived.

Senator Keith-Agaran noted:

"The major issues regarding caregiver training and implementation among stakeholders have already been covered by the prior committees, so I would request that the waiver be granted."

The Chair then granted the waiver.

ADOPTION OF A RESOLUTION

S.C.R. No. 107, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, S.C.R. No. 107, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CONVENING OF A FAMILY CAREGIVERS WORKING GROUP TO EXAMINE AND ASSESS LEGISLATION RELATING TO THE ROLE OF CAREGIVERS OF PATIENTS DISCHARGED FROM HOSPITALS," was adopted.

At this time, Senator Gabbard announced that his daughter, United States Representative Tulsi Gabbard, would be getting married that afternoon.

The Chair extended congratulations to Senator Gabbard on behalf of the members of the Senate.

The Chair then made the following announcement:

"The deadline to file standing committee reports on House bills for Second Reading is 6:00 p.m. this evening."

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:03 p.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Friday, April 10, 2015.

FORTY-FIFTH DAY

Friday, April 10, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:45 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present.

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

Senator Green introduced Lorri Unumb from Autism Speaks, and Gary Slovin and Mihoko Ito, who were seated in the gallery.

Senator Riviere recognized Mahealani Cypher from the Ko'olau Foundation and Rocky Kaluhiwa from the Ko'olaupoko Hawaiian Civic Club, who were present in the gallery.

Senator Tokuda welcomed 36 fifth-grade students from Trinity Christian School in Kailua, who were present in the gallery with their teachers Samuel Dickison and Jessica Palmer; and chaperones Kim Baldus, Leif Chiu, Lisa Zimmerman, Kathe Logan, Myra Bayne, and Kerri Wong.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 861 and 1104 to 1107) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 861, letter dated April 9, 2015, correcting the spelling of the Gubernatorial Nominee's name on Gov. Msg. No. 770 (name amended to NANCY ATMOSPHERA-WALCH).

Gov. Msg. No. 1104, informing the Senate that on April 9, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 951, H.D. 1 as Act 4, entitled: "RELATING TO NOTICE OF HEARING BY THE LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS APPEALS BOARD."

Gov. Msg. No. 1105, informing the Senate that on April 9, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 332 as Act 5, entitled: "RELATING TO MOHANDAS KARAMCHAND GANDHI DAY."

Gov. Msg. No. 1106, informing the Senate that on April 9, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 1275 as Act 6, entitled: "RELATING TO THE STATE INSTRUMENT."

Gov. Msg. No. 1107, informing the Senate that on April 9, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 604 as Act 7, entitled: "RELATING TO SAKADA DAY."

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the House (Hse. Com. Nos. 363 to 435) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Hse. Com. No. 363, informing the Senate that on April 9, 2015, the House disagreed to the amendments proposed by the Senate to the following House bills:

H.B. No. 73 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 205, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 253, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 354, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 561, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 562, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 775, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 888, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1); and

H.B. No. 1007, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2),

was placed on file.

Hse. Com. No. 364, returning S.B. No. 320, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 320, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL DISTRICTS," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 365, returning S.B. No. 434, S.D. 2, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 434, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATED TO AGRICULTURE," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 366, transmitting H.C.R. No. 4, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 4, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM LEASE AND NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT FOR THE TIDE POOL STAIRS ENCROACHMENT PURPOSES IN THE MANELE-HULOPOE MARINE LIFE CONSERVATION DISTRICT ON THE ISLAND OF LANAI," was referred to the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 367, transmitting H.C.R. No. 5, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 5, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM LEASE AND NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT FOR PIER PILINGS ENCROACHMENT PURPOSES AT PULAWAI, ON THE ISLAND OF LANAI," was referred to the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 368, transmitting H.C.R. No. 7, H.D. 2, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 7, H.D. 2, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE FORMATION OF A TASK FORCE TO STUDY THE ISSUE OF A CANCER PRESUMPTIVE STATUTE RELATING TO FIREFIGHTERS," was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 369, transmitting H.C.R. No. 9, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 9, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION TO CONDUCT A PUBLIC HEARING ON THE APPROVAL OF THE SALE OF HAWAIIAN ELECTRIC INDUSTRIES, INC.," was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Hse. Com. No. 370, transmitting H.C.R. No. 10, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 10, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING

THE AUDITOR TO REVIEW AND REPORT ON STATE CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES' LEAVE POLICIES AND CORRECTIONAL OFFICERS' LEAVE USAGE RATES," was referred to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 371, transmitting H.C.R. No. 23, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 23, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT KAHALUU, KOOLAUPOKO, OAHU, FOR THE USE, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR OF THE EXISTING SEAWALL CONSTRUCTED THEREON," was referred to the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 372, transmitting H.C.R. No. 29, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 29, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES, AFTER CONSULTATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, TO DETERMINE THE COST OF PLACING AN OVERPASS OVER THE H-1 FREEWAY TO EXTEND BETWEEN NUUANU STREAM AND QUEEN EMMA STREET THAT WOULD REDUCE TRAFFIC NOISE POLLUTION AND BE USED AS A PARK OR OTHER COMMUNITY USE PURPOSE," was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 373, transmitting H.C.R. No. 30, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 30, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII ACCESS TO JUSTICE COMMISSION TO ASSEMBLE VARIOUS STATE AND COMMUNITY ENTITIES TO DETERMINE WHICH AGENCY OR ORGANIZATION SHOULD ADMINISTER FUNDING FOR CIVIL LEGAL SERVICES TO THE LOW- AND MODERATE-INCOME," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 374, transmitting H.C.R. No. 34, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 34, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING A PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT WAIMANALO, KOOLAUPOKO, OAHU, FOR THE USE, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR OF THE EXISTING SEAWALL AND STEPS," was referred to the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 375, transmitting H.C.R. No. 40, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 40, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT TO KAHALUU POND, INC., FOR THE USE, REPAIR, AND MAINTENANCE OF THE SEAWALL LOCATED AT

KAHALUU, KOOLAUPOKO, OAHU, TMK: (1) 4-7-011: SEAWARD OF 001," was referred to the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 376, transmitting H.C.R. No. 42, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 42, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DIRECTOR OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM TO ESTABLISH THE COMMISSION FOR HAWAII'S FUTURE TO GUIDE AND PREPARE HAWAII FOR REDUCED MILITARY SPENDING," was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 377, transmitting H.C.R. No. 45, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 45, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE TO ESTABLISH AND FUND A VETERAN WOMEN SERVICES COORDINATOR POSITION WITHIN THE OFFICE OF VETERANS' SERVICES," was referred to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 378, transmitting H.C.R. No. 48, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 48, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT AN ANALYSIS OF THE NEED FOR THE LICENSING AND REGULATION OF TRANSIENT VACATION RENTALS," was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 379, transmitting H.C.R. No. 55, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 55, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS AND THE BARACK OBAMA FOUNDATION TO SUPPORT AND RECOMMEND HAWAII AS THE SITE FOR THE BARACK OBAMA PRESIDENTIAL LIBRARY AND CENTER," was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 380, transmitting H.C.R. No. 59, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 59, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY TO COORDINATE WITH THE HOSPITALITY INDUSTRY TO CREATE A MORE WELCOMING ENVIRONMENT FOR CHINESE VISITORS," was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 381, transmitting H.C.R. No. 66, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 66, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING AN EMPHASIS ON COLLABORATION, OPENNESS, AND STRENGTHENING OF THE LONG TERM RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE STATE AND UNITED STATES NAVY IN ADDRESSING AND RESOLVING ISSUES RELATING TO THE LEAKAGE OF FUEL FROM THE NAVY'S RED HILL UNDERGROUND FUEL STORAGE FACILITY," was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 382, transmitting H.C.R. No. 68, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 68, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DIVISION OF AQUATIC RESOURCES AND DIVISION OF CONSERVATION AND RESOURCES ENFORCEMENT TO COLLABORATE WITH FEDERAL PARTNER AGENCIES TO PROTECT IMPORTANT STATE MARINE RESOURCES," was referred to the Committee on Water and Land.

Hse. Com. No. 383, transmitting H.C.R. No. 73, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 73, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING A PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT LAHAINA, MAUI FOR SEAWALL ENCROACHMENT PURPOSES," was referred to the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 384, transmitting H.C.R. No. 76, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 76, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A FINANCIAL AND MANAGEMENT AUDIT OF THE HAWAII INVASIVE SPECIES COUNCIL," was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 385, transmitting H.C.R. No. 78, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 78, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR AND DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO INCLUDE IN THE 2017-2018 SUPPLEMENTAL CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM REQUEST IMPROVEMENTS TO CRUISE SHIP PASSENGER TERMINALS AT NAWILIWILI HARBOR IN KAUAI, HONOLULU HARBOR IN OAHU, KAHULUI HARBOR IN MAUI, AND HILO HARBOR IN HAWAII," was referred to the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 386, transmitting H.C.R. No. 82, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 82, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NONEXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING A PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS FRONTING THE PROPERTY IDENTIFIED AS TAX MAP KEY: (1) 3-6-001:017, WAIKIKI, HONOLULU, OAHU," was referred to the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 387, transmitting H.C.R. No. 86, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 86, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO CONSIDER DEVELOPING PERMITTING PROVISIONS TO REQUIRE THAT EMPLOYEES OF WATERSPORT EXCURSION COMPANIES WHO TAKE

CUSTOMERS ON WATERSPORT EXCURSIONS ARE TRAINED IN BASIC SAFETY MEASURES," was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 388, transmitting H.C.R. No. 88, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 88, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO PROVIDE WRITTEN NOTIFICATION WITHIN A REASONABLE TIME TO APPLICANTS FOR WATER QUALITY CERTIFICATION IF THE APPLICATION IS INCOMPLETE," was referred to the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 389, transmitting H.C.R. No. 95, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 95, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION DESIGNATING THE MONTH OF OCTOBER OF EACH YEAR AS "FARM TO SCHOOL MONTH" IN HAWAII TO STRENGTHEN AND SUPPORT FARM TO SCHOOL INITIATIVES IN HAWAII'S SCHOOLS," was referred to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts.

Hse. Com. No. 390, transmitting H.C.R. No. 97, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 97, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH ASSURE THAT ANY SUBSTANTIAL LAND DISCHARGE OF WASTEWATER, OCCURRING BY INJECTION WELL OR OTHER MEANS, IS IN ALL CASES, ADEQUATELY REVIEWED AND PERMITTED," was referred to the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Health.

Hse. Com. No. 391, transmitting H.C.R. No. 98, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 98, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO INVESTIGATE AND ASSESS SAFETY CONCERNS AND POTENTIAL IMPROVEMENTS FOR QUEEN KAAHUMANU HIGHWAY FROM MAKALA BOULEVARD TO HENRY STREET ON THE ISLAND OF HAWAII," was referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Hse. Com. No. 392, transmitting H.C.R. No. 99, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 99, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO APPROVE THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A SISTER STATE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE STATE OF HAWAII AND THE PREFECTURE OF HOKKAIDO, JAPAN," was referred to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs.

Hse. Com. No. 393, transmitting H.C.R. No. 104, H.D. 2, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 104, H.D. 2, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING AN AUDIT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES,"

was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 394, transmitting H.C.R. No. 108, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 108, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CONVENING OF A CLIMATE CHANGE AND HEALTH WORKING GROUP TO ASSESS THE SCOPE AND RISKS OF CLIMATE CHANGE ON THE HEALTH OF HAWAII'S RESIDENTS AND TO DEVELOP A STRATEGIC PLAN TO ADDRESS CLIMATE CHANGE RISKS TO HEALTH STATEWIDE," was referred to the Committee on Energy and Environment.

Hse. Com. No. 395, transmitting H.C.R. No. 112, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 112, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO EXPAND THE NUMBER OF REFUSE CONVENIENCE CENTERS AND TRANSFER STATIONS ACCEPTING BULKY ITEMS," was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 396, transmitting H.C.R. No. 119, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 119, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY OF LIMU AND REEF FISH DECLINE IN CERTAIN AREAS OF THE EWA COAST OF OAHU," was referred to the Committee on Water and Land.

Hse. Com. No. 397, transmitting H.C.R. No. 126, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 126, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DIRECTOR OF HEALTH TO EXTEND THE TASK FORCE STUDYING THE EFFECTS OF THE JANUARY 2014 FUEL TANK LEAK AT THE RED HILL UNDERGROUND FUEL STORAGE FACILITY," was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 398, transmitting H.C.R. No. 130, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 130, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO WORK WITH ROYAL HAWAIIAN GOLF CLUB TO DEVELOP A PLAN FOR THE MANAGEMENT AND MAINTENANCE OF OLD GOVERNMENT ROAD," was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 399, transmitting H.C.R. No. 131, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 131, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING REPORTS REGARDING STATE AGENCY ACTION TO ENSURE ACCESS BY RURAL COMMUNITIES TO CELLULAR AND BROADBAND SERVICES," was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Hse. Com. No. 400, transmitting H.C.R. No. 134, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 134, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT AN AUDIT OF POLICIES, PROCEDURES, AND MANAGEMENT OF THE REAL ESTATE COMMISSION," was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 401, transmitting H.C.R. No. 138, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 138, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO EXAMINE ALL POSSIBILITIES TO ENABLE STUDENT ATHLETIC TEAMS TO RUN AND TRAIN OFF CAMPUS," was referred to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 402, transmitting H.C.R. No. 141, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 141, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES AND THE COUNTIES TO PROVIDE BEACH ACCESS FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES IN HAWAII," was referred to the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 403, transmitting H.C.R. No. 145, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 145, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CONVENING OF A FAMILY CAREGIVERS WORKING GROUP TO EXAMINE AND ASSESS LEGISLATION RELATING TO THE ROLE OF CAREGIVERS OF PATIENTS DISCHARGED FROM HOSPITALS," was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Hse. Com. No. 404, transmitting H.C.R. No. 146, H.D. 2, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 146, H.D. 2, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY TO FORM A WORKING GROUP TO EXAMINE SMARTER SENTENCING TO IMPROVE THE QUALITY AND RELIABILITY OF STATE CRIMINAL SENTENCING PRACTICES," was referred to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 405, transmitting H.C.R. No. 149, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 149, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO REVISE ITS ADMINISTRATIVE RULES AND POLICIES TO FACILITATE AND ENCOURAGE TRADITIONAL HAWAIIAN BURIALS," was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 406, transmitting H.C.R. No. 154, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 154, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CITY

AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO PROVIDE REAL PROPERTY TAXPAYERS WHO PAY FOR THEIR OWN TRASH COLLECTION SERVICES A PROPERTY TAX REDUCTION, TAX CREDIT, OR ALTERNATE METHOD OF COMPENSATION OR REIMBURSEMENT," was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 407, transmitting H.C.R. No. 158, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 158, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR AND THE HAWAII SISTER STATE COMMITTEE TO APPROVE THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A SISTER-STATE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE STATE OF HAWAII AND THE STATE OF DAKHLA OF THE REGION OF OUED ED-DAHAB-LAGOUIRA OF THE KINGDOM OF MOROCCO," was referred to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs.

Hse. Com. No. 408, transmitting H.C.R. No. 161, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 161, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE OFFICE OF THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A MANAGEMENT AND FINANCIAL AUDIT OF THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION," was referred to the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 409, transmitting H.C.R. No. 167, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 167, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE OFFICE OF THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A MENTAL HEALTH WORKFORCE ASSESSMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH PROFESSIONALS AND MENTAL HEALTH FACILITIES TO IDENTIFY SHORTAGES AND AID IN PROPOSING SOLUTIONS TO ADDRESS THOSE SHORTAGES," was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 410, transmitting H.C.R. No. 168, H.D. 2, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 168, H.D. 2, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO STREAMLINE THE STATE'S WORKERS' COMPENSATION PROCESS," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 411, transmitting H.C.R. No. 169, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 169, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION EXPRESSING SUPPORT OF FURTHER DISCUSSION ON THE POSSIBILITY OF LOCAL OWNERSHIP AND CONTROL OF ELECTRIC UTILITIES AND ENCOURAGEMENT OF ROBUST DISCUSSIONS THAT INCLUDE THE EXPLORATION OF ALTERNATIVE OWNERSHIP MODELS FOR ELECTRIC UTILITIES," was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Hse. Com. No. 412, transmitting H.C.R. No. 181, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 181, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A FINANCIAL AND MANAGEMENT AUDIT OF THE HONOLULU AUTHORITY FOR RAPID TRANSPORTATION," was referred to the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 413, transmitting H.C.R. No. 182, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 182, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO CONDUCT A TRAFFIC STUDY AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO ALLEVIATE TRAFFIC CONGESTION ON KAHEKILI HIGHWAY FROM THE LIKELIKE HIGHWAY INTERSECTION TO KAMEHAMEHA HIGHWAY," was referred to the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 414, transmitting H.C.R. No. 185, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 185, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF FOUR TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENTS COVERING PORTIONS OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT STABLE ROAD BEACH, STABLE ROAD, SPRECKLESVILLE, WAILUKU, MAUI, FOR THE USE, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR OF FOUR EXISTING ROCK GROINS," was referred to the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 415, transmitting H.C.R. No. 187, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 187, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO CONVENE A TASK FORCE TO CLARIFY AND COORDINATE AGRICULTURAL-BASED COMMERCE SUPPORT OF BONA-FIDE FARMING OPERATIONS ACROSS THE STATE," was referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Hse. Com. No. 416, transmitting H.C.R. No. 190, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 190, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND THE HAWAII HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION TO EXAMINE THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING BRAZILIAN JIU-JITSU AS A SANCTIONED SPORT," was referred to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 417, transmitting H.C.R. No. 191, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 191, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE JAPANESE WOMEN'S SOCIETY FOUNDATION FOR CREATING THE "ADOPT-A-MOM" PROGRAM AND ENCOURAGING ALL FAMILIES AND AGENCIES WORKING WITH THE ELDERLY OF HAWAII TO PLACE "ADOPT-A-MOM" DAY ON THEIR CALENDARS, AS THE THIRD SUNDAY OF MAY, IN OBSERVANCE OF THE ELDERLY WOMEN OF HAWAII WHO DESERVE TO BE CHERISHED AND APPRECIATED FOR THE

INVALUABLE ROLE THEY PLAY AS THE MOTHERS OF OUR KEIKI O KA AINA,” was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Hse. Com. No. 418, transmitting H.C.R. No. 192, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 192, entitled: “HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CREATION OF A TASK FORCE TO ADDRESS THE PHYSICIAN SHORTAGE IN HAWAII,” was referred to the Committee on Health.

Hse. Com. No. 419, transmitting H.C.R. No. 193, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 193, H.D. 1, entitled: “HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO INCREASE PEDESTRIAN SAFETY IN THE AREA SURROUNDING HONOWAI ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, MAUKA LANI ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, AND KALEI‘OPU‘U ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IN DISTRICT 39,” was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 420, transmitting H.C.R. No. 195, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 195, entitled: “HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A FINANCIAL AUDIT OF EACH COUNTY TO EXAMINE THE USE OF AND NEEDS FOR STATE FUNDS,” was referred to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 421, transmitting H.C.R. No. 203, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 203, entitled: “HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A REVIEW ON THE EFFECT OF THE TRANSFER FROM MEDICAID TO PLANS ON THE HAWAII HEALTH CONNECTOR FOR NON-ELIGIBLE MEDICAID COMPACT OF FREE ASSOCIATION RESIDENTS,” was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 422, transmitting H.C.R. No. 204, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 204, entitled: “HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CHIEF PROCUREMENT OFFICER TO CONDUCT A COMPREHENSIVE STUDY OF EACH OF THE INDIVIDUAL PROCUREMENT JURISDICTIONS,” was referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

Hse. Com. No. 423, transmitting H.C.R. No. 205, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 205, entitled: “HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO EXAMINE EXISTING AND ALLEGED VIOLATIONS IN THE SOLID WASTE RECYCLING INDUSTRY AND FAIRLY AND EQUALLY ENFORCE APPLICABLE LAWS AND REGULATIONS FOR ALL COMPANIES,” was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 424, transmitting H.C.R. No. 208, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 208, H.D. 1, entitled: “HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION STRONGLY URGING THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS AND THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR TO RESTORE FEDERAL HEALTHCARE FUNDING FOR U.S. RESIDENTS PRESENT UNDER THE COMPACTS OF FREE ASSOCIATION, IN RECOGNITION OF THEIR UNIQUE HISTORIC AND ONGOING SACRIFICES AND CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND TO THE WORLD,” was referred to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs.

Hse. Com. No. 425, transmitting H.C.R. No. 212, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 212, entitled: “HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING FEDERAL AND STATE AGENCIES TO CONSULT WITH HAWAII SMALL SCALE FARMERS, HAWAII SMALL SCALE PRODUCERS, AND AFFECTED PARTIES ON THE OFFSETTING OF COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE FOOD SAFETY MODERNIZATION ACT,” was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 426, transmitting H.C.R. No. 215, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 215, entitled: “HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DIRECTOR OF HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT TO EQUALIZE TRANSIT BENEFITS AND SUBSIDIES FOR ALL STATE EMPLOYEES REGARDLESS OF MODE OF TRANSPORTATION,” was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 427, transmitting H.C.R. No. 217, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 217, H.D. 1, entitled: “HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE JUDICIARY TO CONVENE A TASK FORCE TO EXAMINE ESTABLISHING HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE RESOURCES FOR THE STATE OF HAWAII JUDICIARY,” was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 428, transmitting H.C.R. No. 226, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 226, entitled: “HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO EVALUATE THE IMPACTS THAT THE NEXTERA ENERGY MERGER MAY HAVE ON HAWAII WORKERS IN THE ENERGY INDUSTRIES,” was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 429, transmitting H.C.R. No. 227, H.D. 2, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 227, H.D. 2, entitled: “HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION TO PROTECT THE PUBLIC INTEREST IN REVIEWING THE PROPOSED ACQUISITION OF HAWAIIAN ELECTRIC INDUSTRIES BY NEXTERA ENERGY, INC.,” was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Hse. Com. No. 430, returning S.B. No. 211, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 211, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FORENSIC IDENTIFICATION," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 431, returning S.B. No. 214, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 214, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SMALL CLAIMS DIVISION OF THE DISTRICT COURT," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 432, returning S.B. No. 218, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 218, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ORDER OF SUCCESSION," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 433, returning S.B. No. 223, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 223, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC GUARDIAN," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 434, returning S.B. No. 419, S.D. 2, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 419, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NEIGHBORHOOD BOARDS," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 435, returning S.B. No. 1219, S.D. 2, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 9, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 1219, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1428) recommending that H.B. No. 525, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1428 and H.B. No. 525, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE PARKS," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1429) recommending that H.B. No. 209, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1429 and H.B. No. 209, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET OF THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1430) recommending that H.B. No. 896, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1430 and H.B. No. 896, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE, ITS OFFICERS, OR ITS EMPLOYEES," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1431) recommending that H.B. No. 746, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1431 and H.B. No. 746, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CYBERSECURITY," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1432) recommending that H.B. No. 293, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1432 and H.B. No. 293, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUOR LICENSES," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1433) recommending that H.B. No. 1005, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1433 and H.B. No. 1005, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE VETERANS TREATMENT COURT," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1434) recommending that H.B. No. 943, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1434 and H.B. No. 943, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CIVIL MONETARY PENALTY SPECIAL FUND," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1435) recommending that H.B. No. 242, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1435 and H.B. No. 242, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEAWATER AIR CONDITIONING," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1436) recommending that H.B. No. 1268, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1436 and H.B. No. 1268, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1437) recommending that H.B. No. 1325, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1437 and H.B. No. 1325, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STORMWATER MANAGEMENT," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1438) recommending that H.B. No. 119, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1438 and H.B. No. 119, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1439) recommending that H.B. No. 174, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1439 and H.B. No. 174, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1440) recommending that H.B. No. 768, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1440 and H.B. No. 768, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1441) recommending that H.B. No. 1377, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1441 and H.B. No. 1377, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD HEALTH," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1442) recommending that H.B. No. 1236, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1442 and H.B. No. 1236, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1443) recommending that H.B. No. 1025, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1443 and H.B. No. 1025, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HOUSING FINANCE AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1444) recommending that H.B. No. 1010, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1444 and H.B. No. 1010, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COMMUTER BENEFITS PROGRAM," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1445) recommending that H.B. No. 971, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1445 and H.B. No. 971, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ALOHA TOWER DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1446) recommending that H.B. No. 774, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1446 and H.B. No. 774, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMALL BUSINESS," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1447) recommending that H.B. No. 621, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1447 and H.B. No. 621, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1448) recommending that H.B. No. 582, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1448 and H.B. No. 582, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE NURSING FACILITY SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAM," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1449) recommending that H.B. No. 346, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1449 and H.B. No. 346, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CIVIL PROCESS," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1450) recommending that H.B. No. 261, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1450 and H.B. No. 261, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1451) recommending that H.B. No. 139, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1451 and H.B. No. 139, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST ANAERGIA INC.," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1452) recommending that H.B. No. 11, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1452 and H.B. No. 11, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHERS," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1453) recommending that H.B. No. 58, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1453 and H.B. No. 58, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROTECTIVE ORDERS," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1454) recommending that H.B. No. 148, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1454 and H.B. No. 148, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WRONGFUL IMPRISONMENT," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1455) recommending that H.B. No. 207, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1455 and H.B. No. 207, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAINING," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1456) recommending that H.B. No. 440, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1456 and H.B. No. 440, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1457) recommending that H.B. No. 457, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1457 and H.B. No. 457, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1458) recommending that H.B. No. 461, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1458 and H.B. No. 461, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF INFORMATION PRACTICES," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1459) recommending that H.B. No. 503, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1459 and H.B. No. 503, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DROUGHT MITIGATION," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1460) recommending that H.B. No. 600, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1460 and H.B. No. 600, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMUNITY CARE FOSTER FAMILY HOMES," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1461) recommending that H.B. No. 821, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1461 and H.B. No. 821, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1462) recommending that H.B. No. 1251, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1462 and H.B. No. 1251, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1463) recommending that H.B. No. 467, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1463 and H.B. No. 467, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1464) recommending that H.B. No. 1296, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1464 and H.B. No. 1296, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1465) recommending that H.B. No. 1478, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1465 and H.B. No. 1478, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS HUMPBACK WHALE NATIONAL MARINE SANCTUARY," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1466) recommending that H.B. No. 436, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1466 and H.B. No. 436, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY VEHICLES," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1467) recommending that H.B. No. 1153, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1467 and H.B. No. 1153, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERANS," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1468) recommending that H.B. No. 26, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 26, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COMPENSATION OF TRUSTEES," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1469) recommending that H.B. No. 1491, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1491, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1470) recommending that H.B. No. 1182, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1182, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senators Thielen and Tokuda, for the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1471) recommending that H.B. No. 1168, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1168, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOATING SPECIAL FUND," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senators Kidani and Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Government Operations, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1472) recommending that H.C.R. No. 224, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1472 and H.C.R. No. 224, S.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NAMING THE NEW WAIMANALO ELEMENTARY AND INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL BUILDING IN HONOR OF AL LEWIS," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

ORDER OF THE DAY

AGREE/DISAGREE

MATTERS DEFERRED FROM WEDNESDAY, APRIL 8, 2015

S.B. No. 388 (H.D. 1):

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 388 (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POLICE DEPARTMENTS," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

S.B. No. 1113, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 1113, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BACKGROUND CHECKS," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

AGREE/DISAGREE

MATTERS DEFERRED FROM THURSDAY, APRIL 9, 2015

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

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 2, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PILOTAGE," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

S.B. No. 550, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 550, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

S.B. No. 987, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 987, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

S.B. No. 1131, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 1131, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

ADVISE AND CONSENT

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1425 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 607 and 608):

Senator Gabbard moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1425 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Green and carried.

Senator Gabbard then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Endangered Species Recovery Committee of the following:

ERIC VANDERWERF, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 607); and

SAMUEL GON, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 608),

seconded by Senator Green.

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

THIRD READING

H.B. No. 500, H.D. 1, S.D. 1:

Senator Tokuda moved that H.B. No. 500, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

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

“Thank you. Colleagues, before I go over the highlights of the Senate draft of the budget, I’d like to acknowledge the hard work and dedication of our Ways and Means team. Every member of our WAM family and our office team have dedicated themselves to making sure we produce a budget draft and bills the members of the Senate can be proud of, and I find myself inspired by their constant commitment and perseverance. In fact, they’re upstairs working hard as we speak right now.

“Going through this process has been extremely humbling as I have quickly come to understand the depth and magnitude of our financial obligations and the challenges that come with balancing this with supporting priority needs we have as a state. The Senate draft we will be voting on is the result of a disciplined approach to budgeting that excludes placeholders for later deliberation, reflects tough decisions made based on sound justifications, identifies and supports legislative priorities, and brings us to a positive budgetary target faster than had been planned while still providing for a required constitutional tax refund or budget reserve deposit. While the decision not to use one-dollar placeholders in the budget may result in a less favorable comparison to the reductions in previous drafts, it forced our committee to consider appropriations for programs in amounts deemed necessary for operation, and will provide both members and the general public with a true and realistic understanding of the costs we face and make clear what can and cannot be afforded based upon the existing obligations and commitments of the state.

“One of the most significant obligations and examples of a legislative priority represented in our Senate draft is our commitment to paying the annual required contribution for other post-employment benefit obligations of the state. Act 268, Session Laws of Hawai‘i 2013, established a schedule for the annual required contributions intended to fully amortize the unfunded actuarial accrued liability of the state. The payments are substantial, requiring \$742.8 million in fiscal year 2016 and \$776.9 million in fiscal year 2017. In addition to these payments, our committee has added an additional \$862,161 in OPEB payments for fiscal year 2016 as a result of the six-month delay in hiring decisions imposed throughout the Senate draft of the budget for all newly created positions. In discussions with DHRD, it was clear that in establishing these new positions, filling them would not take place prior to the first half of next year. Rather than appropriating these funds and not using them, our committee has taken the prudent approach and applied these funds toward paying down our debt.

“The Senate draft of the budget reduces the operating request submitted by the administration in both fiscal years, taking into consideration the careful balance that must exist between supporting important and essential public priorities with the need to avoid overtaxing Hawai‘i’s residents and businesses and creating unsustainable fiscal conditions. As a result of the increased revenue forecast provided by the March 2015 Council on Revenues, our committee faced less pressure to reduce general fund appropriation requests than it did before the start of this Regular Session. Nevertheless, your committee was cautious in its budget making, refusing to take the convenient route of approving every funding request and instead scrutinizing the justification for each request and considering the long-term financial impact each would have.

“Many of us were serving in the Legislature during the years of the Great Recession, when general fund shortfalls in the billions of dollars had to be addressed by major cuts to state programs and the layoff and furlough of state employees. You, Madam President, served as Ways and Means chair. Learning from that experience, your committee was reluctant to increase

state government to a level that cannot be sustained if the economy moderates or contracts in the future.

“One example of how your committee sought to increase transparency and cost efficiency was in the area of information technology and business modernization. In reviewing all of the departments’ budgets, we found a significant number of separate requests to fund information technology projects, and the scale and overall costs were of great concern. An effort to streamline and find both operational and fiscal efficiencies across departments when clearly there was an opportunity to do so, as well as general oversight and management controls, were clearly lacking. To that end, we did not concur to any of these items as requested and instead have placed these specific projects under the jurisdiction of the Office of the Governor. We are providing him with a portion of the resources requested, and he will have the discretion to allocate and oversee the procurement of individual projects accordingly.

“Another area where your committee sought to better control costs and manage our funds while sustaining important services was the Environmental Response Revolving Fund. We worked closely with the department to change the means of financing for 31 filled positions in the Environmental Response Revolving Fund. As we all know, it is currently living off a loan from the Treasury, and we had to pass an emergency appropriation for it as a result of decreasing barrel tax revenues. The most sustainable option forward that provided the Legislature with increased oversight and transparency into the health and management of the program was to move positions and related fringe benefits to the general fund while allowing the proceeds of the fund – up to \$1.25 million – to be used for its intended purpose of responding to environmental emergencies.

“Your committee also carefully scrutinized and reviewed all requests for funding, even the good senator from Hawai‘i Kai’s favorite kinds of funds. In the Department of Transportation, while we did concur with many of the requests made by the administration – and don’t worry; we did approve the \$921,000 each year in special funds for zipper lane operations and maintenance – we did have serious reservations as to the sustainability of the State Highway Fund as a result of their deficit spending and the high levels of spending across all divisions and our ability to verify spending requests. While these are special funds, they are still tax dollars, and we take them very seriously. As such, we did not concur to the creation of any new branches within the Highways Division and have inserted a requirement that the purchase of any new vehicles and equipment must align with their departmental policy in regards to age or listed standards.

“In each department, we also looked closely at their budget requests and considered how it supported their core mission and if it could be operationally and financially sustained over time. In almost all situations, support that was provided was for ongoing and existing programs and to restore or increase the capacity of departments and divisions to provide critical and necessary services to our communities.

“In addition to core services, we also identified ways to support economic development and the growth of new and diversified industries and job growth. Our Senate draft of the budget includes \$2 million for qualified loans to promote agriculture and aquaculture, which has recently been supplemented by an additional \$1 million in another measure to support farmers, create jobs, stimulate the economy, and increase Hawai‘i’s self-reliance by producing more for our local food supply. We’ve called upon the Hawai‘i High Technology Development Corporation to develop industrial parks that include broadband cable landing and connectivity infrastructure facilities, and have provided the HI Growth Initiative with

\$5 million each year to assist startup companies by leveraging federal, state, county, and private resources.

“Overall, we believe our committee has formulated an executive budget that is fiscally responsible and financially prudent, one that reflects our legislative priorities and would present the governor with a budget suitable for immediate passage. Again, I am sincerely humbled by the hard work and dedication of our team and committee members, and ask for your support of this bill. Thank you.”

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

“I’d also like to thank the Ways and Means staff and my staff for the hard work that they have put in in working on the CIP budget. The one update I have from the last time I spoke in favor of House Bill 500 is the Ways and Means chair and myself continue to review and work on the Grants-In-Aid, both in the capital and operating side, as we have struggled to balance what is a fair amount of revenues to commit. We haven’t made any final decisions as to how much is available; people are still scheduling appointments and we’re still trying to listen to every applicant and give them fair and due consideration.

“The most important thing on the GO bond side: We are near the House cap of \$591 million; we’re in the area of \$600 million, but everything needs to be worked out in conference. Since nothing else has changed, I’d like to insert into the Journal my comments from the previous session as if they were my own. Well, in fact, they are my own. Thank you, Madam President.”

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

“Thank you, Madam President. I can assure you that the remarks forthcoming will be my own. I rise reluctantly in opposition to H.B. 500, S.D. 1, noting the hard work that was done by the committee chair and the staff and everyone else on the committee that I have been part of. And I know that there has been a very serious effort to hone down and to sharpen the measures that were included in the budget. I also appreciate the fact that the Senate, unlike the House, had a real budget without dollar placeholders and without other questionable devices.

“However, I’m still left at this point – and I know we’re still preparing to go into negotiations in conference – but I’m still left with the nagging problem that our economy has not improved for the vast majority of people in this state. And yet, government continues to expand at a rate greater than the ability of the taxpayers to pay. And even though we have made conscious efforts to try to keep the amounts down, nonetheless, we’re still up over a billion dollars, for the two fiscal years coming up, over the existing budget.

“We are also adding a great many new employees. We’re adding new programs. We’re adding new offices. We just had a debate the other day about the need to house all of the government offices into government-owned buildings rather than paying private leases. Well, one of the reasons we have that problem is because we continue to expand government.

“We also are looking at many programs that we have questioned and the public have questioned in the past, but our due diligence and our job, really, is to not only mind the taxpayers’ money, but also to hold those agencies individually and collectively accountable when they don’t perform as they were supposed to or when they mis-perform. And the only leverage that the Legislature has is that of the budget and budgetary appropriations. And it seems that we have a very difficult time in saying ‘no’ to these agencies that should be held accountable. We have lost, misused, and misspent millions

upon millions of dollars for contracts to do things that were not accomplished, to make expenditures on programs and activities that in fact did not benefit either the state or the taxpayers. And because of this, we are still in a position that we’re going to have serious problems having a cash surplus in the upcoming years. Yes, the Council on Revenues increased the revenue forecast for the present time, giving us more revenues to play with, but the handwriting is clearly on the wall; that’s one of the reasons we’re having difficulty looking at all of the mounting numbers and amounts of Grant-In-Aid requests. We have turned from a state and a society which was largely entrepreneurial to one that has become increasingly more dependent on entitlements, and it is difficult to say no to people, except for the fact that, as I keep reminding my colleagues, it’s not our money. We’re dealing with other people’s money.

“And whenever we talk about the state investing – investment to me is a private, personal, individual decision. The state is making the decisions to invest other people’s money and to take risks with that money, and that would be fine if we did our job of holding people accountable and making sure that if they did not perform and they cost us money, that we don’t reward them by continuing to give them their budget requests. Even in some cases where it’s reduced, it still is not reduced significantly.

“So at this time, as I say, acknowledging the hard work, acknowledging the commitment, even acknowledging the attempt to reduce some special funds, I’m forced to vote ‘no’ until we can get a budget that is in balance and a budget that is more in line with the economic abilities of our taxpayers. Thank you.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, H.B. No. 500, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1361 (H.B. No. 271, H.D. 2, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1361 was adopted and H.B. No. 271, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TIME SHARING,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1362 (H.B. No. 1099, H.D. 2, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1362 was adopted and H.B. No. 1099, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OUTDOOR ADVERTISING,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Kouchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1363 (H.B. No. 87, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1363 was adopted and H.B. No. 87, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Kouchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1364 (H.B. No. 279, H.D. 2, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1364 was adopted and H.B. No. 279, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL ESTATE BROKERS AND SALESPERSONS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Kouchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1365 (H.B. No. 393, H.D. 2, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1365 was adopted and H.B. No. 393, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN FISHPONDS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Kouchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1366 (H.B. No. 1272, H.D. 2, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1366 was adopted and H.B. No. 1272, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOVIE THEATERS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23. Noes, 1 (Slom). Excused, 1 (Kouchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1367 (H.B. No. 1297, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1367 was adopted and H.B. No. 1297, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Kouchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1426 (H.B. No. 770, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Baker and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1426 was adopted and H.B. No. 770, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Kouchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1427 (H.B. No. 589, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Chun Oakland and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1427 was adopted and H.B. No. 589, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STROKE CARE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Kouchi).

At this time, Senator Kahele introduced Wayne Higaki, gubernatorial nominee to the Board of Regents of the University of Hawai'i, who was seated in the gallery.

Senator Baker reminded the members about the upcoming doughnut sale to benefit the Maui Foodbank.

The Chair then made the following announcement:

"The deadline to file standing committee reports on House bills for Third Reading is 10:00 p.m. tonight. The start time for caucus is 10:00 a.m. on Monday; the start time for session will also be at 10:00 a.m."

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried unanimously, the Senate authorized the Clerk to receive standing committee reports recommending that House bills be placed on the calendar for Third Reading. In consequence thereof, and subsequent to its recessing at 12:10 p.m., the Senate took the following actions on the following House bills and standing committee reports:

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1473) recommending that H.B. No. 1412, H.D. 2, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1473 and H.B. No. 1412, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1474) recommending that H.B. No. 823, H.D. 1, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1474 and H.B. No. 823, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL THEFT," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1475) recommending that H.B. No. 1063, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1475 and H.B. No. 1063, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MEDICAL CARE," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1476) recommending that H.B. No. 481, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1476 and H.B. No. 481, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1477) recommending that H.B. No. 464, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1477 and H.B. No. 464, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1478) recommending that H.B. No. 277, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1478 and H.B. No. 277, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INFRASTRUCTURE," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1479) recommending that H.B. No. 158, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1479 and H.B. No. 158, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF

THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY OF THE COUNTY OF MAUI,” was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1480) recommending that H.B. No. 206, H.D. 2, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1480 and H.B. No. 206, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN PLANTS,” was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1481) recommending that H.B. No. 213 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1481 and H.B. No. 213, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JURY DUTY,” was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1482) recommending that H.B. No. 515, H.D. 3, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1482 and H.B. No. 515, H.D. 3, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REMNANTS,” was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1483) recommending that H.B. No. 676, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1483 and H.B. No. 676, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING,” was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1484) recommending that H.B. No. 940, H.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1484 and H.B. No. 940, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REGULATION OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS,” was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senators Baker and Tokuda, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1485) recommending that H.B. No. 252, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1485 and H.B. No. 252, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PHARMACY BENEFIT MANAGERS,” was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1486) recommending that H.B. No. 1069, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1486 and H.B. No. 1069, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY,” was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1487) recommending that H.B. No. 1432, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1487 and H.B. No. 1432, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE INTERIM ASSISTANCE REIMBURSEMENT SPECIAL FUND,” was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1488) recommending that H.B. No. 391, H.D. 1, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1488 and H.B. No. 391, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WAGES AND HOURS ON PUBLIC WORKS,” was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1489) recommending that H.B. No. 1292, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1489 and H.B. No. 1292, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT,” was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1490) recommending that H.B. No. 444, H.D. 3, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1490 and H.B. No. 444, H.D. 3, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BEACH PROTECTION,” was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1491) recommending that H.B. No. 1509, H.D. 3, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1491 and H.B. No. 1509, H.D. 3, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY,” was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1492) recommending that H.B. No. 1349, H.D. 2, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1492 and H.B. No. 1349, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHER TENURE,” was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1493) recommending that H.B. No. 716, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1493 and H.B. No. 716, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INNOVATIVE BUSINESS INTERACTION,” was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1494) recommending that H.B. No. 831, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1494 and H.B. No. 831, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS,” was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1495) recommending that H.B. No. 871, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1495 and H.B. No. 871, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BIOSECURITY," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1496) recommending that H.B. No. 1394, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1496 and H.B. No. 1394, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER RECLAMATION," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1497) recommending that H.B. No. 1360, H.D. 1, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1497 and H.B. No. 1360, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1498) recommending that H.B. No. 820, H.D. 2, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1498 and H.B. No. 820, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1499) recommending that H.B. No. 578, H.D. 2, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1499 and H.B. No. 578, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1500) recommending that H.B. No. 576, H.D. 1, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1500 and H.B. No. 576, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE AFFORDABLE CARE ACT INNOVATION WAIVER," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1501) recommending that H.B. No. 547, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1501 and H.B. No. 547, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1502) recommending that H.B. No. 278, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1502 and H.B. No. 278, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DWELLING UNIT REVOLVING FUND," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1503) recommending that H.B. No. 1042, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1503 and H.B. No. 1042, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IMPORTANT AGRICULTURAL LANDS," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1504) recommending that H.B. No. 966, H.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1504 and H.B. No. 966, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SECTION 237-23, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1505) recommending that H.B. No. 894, H.D. 2, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1505 and H.B. No. 894, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENHANCED 911 BOARD," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1506) recommending that H.B. No. 611, H.D. 2, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1506 and H.B. No. 611, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DIGITIZATION OF HISTORIC PRESERVATION RECORDS," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1507) recommending that H.B. No. 573, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1507 and H.B. No. 573, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII GOOD AGRICULTURAL PRACTICES," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1508) recommending that H.B. No. 586, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1508 and H.B. No. 586, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO USE OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS AND E-CIGARETTES ON HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION PREMISES," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1509) recommending that H.B. No. 541, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1509 and H.B. No. 541, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TUITION AND FEES SPECIAL FUND," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1510)

recommending that H.B. No. 496, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1510 and H.B. No. 496, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1511) recommending that H.B. No. 438, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1511 and H.B. No. 438, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE KAHOLAWE ISLAND RESERVE COMMISSION," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1512) recommending that H.B. No. 318, H.D. 1, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1512 and H.B. No. 318, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1513) recommending that H.B. No. 1167, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1513 and H.B. No. 1167, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CAPITAL INFRASTRUCTURE TAX CREDIT," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1514) recommending that H.B. No. 1282, H.D. 1, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1514 and H.B. No. 1282, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BROADBAND COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1515) recommending that H.B. No. 1332, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1515 and H.B. No. 1332, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IRRIGATION," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1516) recommending that H.B. No. 1345, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1516 and H.B. No. 1345, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1517) recommending that H.B. No. 1489, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1517 and H.B. No. 1489, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL LICENSE PLATES FOR

NATIONAL PARKS," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1518) recommending that H.B. No. 1344, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1518 and H.B. No. 1344, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MITIGATION OF HAZARDOUS SITUATIONS," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1519) recommending that H.B. No. 1140, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1519 and H.B. No. 1140, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CESSPOOLS," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1520) recommending that H.B. No. 1343, H.D. 1, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1520 and H.B. No. 1343, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1521) recommending that H.B. No. 142, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1521 and H.B. No. 142, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING ON HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1522) recommending that H.B. No. 858, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1522 and H.B. No. 858, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1523) recommending that H.B. No. 805, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1523 and H.B. No. 805, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERANS DISABILITY BENEFITS," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1524) recommending that H.B. No. 631, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1524 and H.B. No. 631, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CERTIFICATES OF BIRTH," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1525)

recommending that H.B. No. 538, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1525 and H.B. No. 538, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1526) recommending that H.B. No. 1513, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1526 and H.B. No. 1513, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1527) recommending that H.B. No. 850, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1527 and H.B. No. 850, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION SERVICE," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1528) recommending that H.B. No. 553, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1528 and H.B. No. 553, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1529) recommending that H.B. No. 501, H.D. 1, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1529 and H.B. No. 501, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1530) recommending that H.B. No. 365, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1530 and H.B. No. 365, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POLICE," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senators Keith-Agaran and Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1531) recommending that H.B. No. 1467, H.D. 2, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1531 and H.B. No. 1467, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH CONNECTOR," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senators Keith-Agaran and Tokuda, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1532) recommending that H.B. No. 1127, H.D. 1, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1532 and H.B. No. 1127, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN

ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senators Keith-Agaran and Tokuda, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1533) recommending that H.B. No. 819, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1533 and H.B. No. 819, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BULLYING," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senators Keith-Agaran and Tokuda, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1534) recommending that H.B. No. 696, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1534 and H.B. No. 696, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senators Keith-Agaran and Tokuda, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1535) recommending that H.B. No. 508, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1535 and H.B. No. 508, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senators Keith-Agaran and Tokuda, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1536) recommending that H.B. No. 448, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1536 and H.B. No. 448, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1537) recommending that H.B. No. 830, H.D. 1, S.D. 1 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1537 and H.B. No. 830, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1538) recommending that H.B. No. 851, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1538 and H.B. No. 851, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1539) recommending that H.B. No. 874, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1539 and H.B. No. 874, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE IMMERSION PROGRAM," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1540) recommending that H.B. No. 1356, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1540 and H.B. No. 1356, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNFUNDED LIABILITIES," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1541) recommending that H.B. No. 1180, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1541 and H.B. No. 1180, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1542) recommending that H.B. No. 169, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1542 and H.B. No. 169, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1543) recommending that H.B. No. 482, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1543 and H.B. No. 482, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1544) recommending that H.B. No. 697, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1544 and H.B. No. 697, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE FACILITIES," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1545) recommending that H.B. No. 782, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1545 and H.B. No. 782, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CYTOMEGALOVIRUS," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1546) recommending that H.B. No. 832, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1546 and H.B. No. 832, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senators Keith-Agaran and Tokuda, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1547) recommending that H.B. No. 1112, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1547 and H.B. No. 1112, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senators Keith-Agaran and Tokuda, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1548) recommending that H.B. No. 1075, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1548 and H.B. No. 1075, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senators Keith-Agaran and Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1549) recommending that H.B. No. 321, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1549 and H.B. No. 321, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL MARIJUANA," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1550) recommending that H.B. No. 124, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1550 and H.B. No. 124, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1551) recommending that H.B. No. 581, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1551 and H.B. No. 581, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOSPITAL SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAM," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1552) recommending that H.B. No. 1214, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1552 and H.B. No. 1214, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE-COUNTY FUNCTIONS WORKING GROUP," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1553) recommending that H.B. No. 145, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1553 and H.B. No. 145, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1554) recommending that H.B. No. 540, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1554 and H.B. No. 540, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII

ACCOUNTING AND FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT SYSTEM,” was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1555) recommending that H.B. No. 10, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1555 and H.B. No. 10, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION,” was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1556) recommending that H.B. No. 1440, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1556 and H.B. No. 1440, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION,” was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1557) recommending that H.B. No. 1366, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1557 and H.B. No. 1366, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE ACQUISITION OR DEVELOPMENT OF REAL PROPERTY,” was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1558) recommending that H.B. No. 1471, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1558 and H.B. No. 1471, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE FUNDING OF GOVERNMENT PROGRAMS,” was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1559) recommending that H.B. No. 1354, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1559 and H.B. No. 1354, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING,” was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1560) recommending that H.B. No. 134, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1560 and H.B. No. 134, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION,” was deferred until Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

ADJOURNMENT

At 10:00 p.m., the Senate adjourned until 10:00 a.m., Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

FORTY-SIXTH DAY

Tuesday, April 14, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 10:04 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present.

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

ORDER OF THE DAY

AGREE/DISAGREE

MATTERS DEFERRED FROM
FRIDAY, APRIL 10, 2015

S.B. No. 388 (H.D. 1):

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 388 (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POLICE DEPARTMENTS," was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

S.B. No. 1113, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 1113, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BACKGROUND CHECKS," was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

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

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 2, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PILOTAGE," was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

S.B. No. 550, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 550, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

S.B. No. 987, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 987, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION," was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

S.B. No. 1131, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 1131, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT," was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

S.B. No. 320, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 320, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL DISTRICTS," was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

S.B. No. 434, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 434, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATED TO AGRICULTURE," was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

S.B. No. 211, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 211, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO

FORENSIC IDENTIFICATION," was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

S.B. No. 214, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 214, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SMALL CLAIMS DIVISION OF THE DISTRICT COURT," was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

S.B. No. 218, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 218, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ORDER OF SUCCESSION," was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

S.B. No. 223, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 223, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC GUARDIAN," was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

S.B. No. 419, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 419, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NEIGHBORHOOD BOARDS," was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

S.B. No. 1219, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 1219, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY," was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

ADOPTION OF A RESOLUTION

MATTER DEFERRED FROM
FRIDAY, APRIL 10, 2015

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1472 (H.C.R. No. 224, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.C.R. No. 224, S.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NAMING THE NEW WAIMANALO ELEMENTARY AND INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL BUILDING IN HONOR OF AL LEWIS," was adopted.

THIRD READING

H.B. No. 683, H.D. 1, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, H.B. No. 683, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII CIVIL RIGHTS COMMISSION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

H.B. No. 287, H.D. 1, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, H.B. No. 287, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM INFORMATION PRACTICES ACT," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

H.B. No. 290, H.D. 2, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, H.B. No. 290, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1431 (H.B. No. 746, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1431 was adopted and H.B. No. 746, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CYBERSECURITY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1432 (H.B. No. 293, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1432 was adopted and H.B. No. 293, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUOR LICENSES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1433 (H.B. No. 1005, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1433 was adopted and H.B. No. 1005, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE VETERANS TREATMENT COURT," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1436 (H.B. No. 1268, H.D. 2, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1436 was adopted and H.B. No. 1268, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1438 (H.B. No. 119, H.D. 2, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1438 was adopted and H.B. No. 119, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1440 (H.B. No. 768, H.D. 2, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1440 was adopted and H.B. No. 768, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1441 (H.B. No. 1377, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1441 was adopted and H.B. No. 1377, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD HEALTH," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1442 (H.B. No. 1236, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1442 was adopted and H.B. No. 1236, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1443 (H.B. No. 1025, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1443 was adopted and H.B. No. 1025, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HOUSING FINANCE AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1445 (H.B. No. 971, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1445 was adopted and H.B. No. 971, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ALOHA TOWER DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1446 (H.B. No. 774, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1446 was adopted and H.B. No. 774, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMALL BUSINESS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1448 (H.B. No. 582, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1448 was adopted and H.B. No. 582, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE NURSING FACILITY SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAM," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1450 (H.B. No. 261, H.D. 2, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1450 was adopted and H.B. No. 261, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1451 (H.B. No. 139, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1451 was adopted and H.B. No. 139, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST ANAERGIA INC.," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1453 (H.B. No. 58, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1453 was adopted and H.B. No. 58, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROTECTIVE ORDERS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1455 (H.B. No. 207, H.D. 2, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1455 was adopted and H.B. No. 207, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAINING," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1456 (H.B. No. 440, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1456 was adopted and H.B. No. 440, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1457 (H.B. No. 457, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1457 was adopted and H.B. No. 457, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1458 (H.B. No. 461, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1458 was adopted and H.B. No. 461, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF INFORMATION PRACTICES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1459 (H.B. No. 503, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1459 was adopted and H.B. No. 503, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DROUGHT MITIGATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1460 (H.B. No. 600, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1460 was adopted and H.B. No. 600, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMUNITY CARE FOSTER FAMILY HOMES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1461 (H.B. No. 821, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1461 was adopted and H.B. No. 821, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1462 (H.B. No. 1251, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1462 was adopted and H.B. No. 1251, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1463 (H.B. No. 467, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1463 was adopted and H.B. No. 467, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1464 (H.B. No. 1296, H.D. 2, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1464 was adopted and H.B. No. 1296, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1465 (H.B. No. 1478, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1465 was adopted and H.B. No. 1478, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS HUMPBACK WHALE NATIONAL MARINE SANCTUARY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1466 (H.B. No. 436, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1466 was adopted and H.B. No. 436, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY VEHICLES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1467 (H.B. No. 1153, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1467 was adopted and H.B. No. 1153, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERANS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

H.B. No. 26, H.D. 1, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, H.B. No. 26, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COMPENSATION OF TRUSTEES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

H.B. No. 1182, H.D. 1, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, H.B. No. 1182, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

H.B. No. 1168, H.D. 1, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Thielen, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, H.B. No. 1168, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOATING SPECIAL FUND," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1473 (H.B. No. 1412, H.D. 2, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1473 was adopted and H.B. No. 1412, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1474 (H.B. No. 823, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1474 was adopted and H.B. No. 823, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL THEFT," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1475 (H.B. No. 1063, H.D. 2, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1475 was adopted and H.B. No. 1063, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MEDICAL CARE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1476 (H.B. No. 481, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1476 was adopted and

H.B. No. 481, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1477 (H.B. No. 464, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1477 was adopted and H.B. No. 464, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1478 (H.B. No. 277, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1478 was adopted and H.B. No. 277, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INFRASTRUCTURE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1479 (H.B. No. 158, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1479 was adopted and H.B. No. 158, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY OF THE COUNTY OF MAUI," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1480 (H.B. No. 206, H.D. 2, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1480 was adopted and H.B. No. 206, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN PLANTS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1481 (H.B. No. 213):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1481 was adopted and H.B. No. 213, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JURY DUTY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1482 (H.B. No. 515, H.D. 3, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1482 was adopted and H.B. No. 515, H.D. 3, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REMNANTS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1483 (H.B. No. 676, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1483 was adopted and H.B. No. 676, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING," having been

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1485 (H.B. No. 252, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1485 was adopted and H.B. No. 252, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PHARMACY BENEFIT MANAGERS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1489 (H.B. No. 1292, H.D. 2, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1489 was adopted and H.B. No. 1292, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1490 (H.B. No. 444, H.D. 3, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1490 was adopted and H.B. No. 444, H.D. 3, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BEACH PROTECTION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1492 (H.B. No. 1349, H.D. 2, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1492 was adopted and H.B. No. 1349, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHER TENURE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1493 (H.B. No. 716, H.D. 2, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1493 was adopted and H.B. No. 716, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INNOVATIVE BUSINESS INTERACTION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1494 (H.B. No. 831, H.D. 2, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1494 was adopted and H.B. No. 831, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1495 (H.B. No. 871, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1495 was adopted and H.B. No. 871, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BIOSECURITY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1496 (H.B. No. 1394, H.D. 2, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1496 was adopted and H.B. No. 1394, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER RECLAMATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1502 (H.B. No. 278, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1502 was adopted and H.B. No. 278, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DWELLING UNIT REVOLVING FUND," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1503 (H.B. No. 1042, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1503 was adopted and H.B. No. 1042, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IMPORTANT AGRICULTURAL LANDS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1504 (H.B. No. 966, H.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1504 was adopted and H.B. No. 966, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SECTION 237-23, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1505 (H.B. No. 894, H.D. 2, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1505 was adopted and H.B. No. 894, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENHANCED 911 BOARD," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1506 (H.B. No. 611, H.D. 2, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1506 was adopted and H.B. No. 611, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DIGITIZATION OF HISTORIC PRESERVATION RECORDS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1507 (H.B. No. 573, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1507 was adopted and H.B. No. 573, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII GOOD AGRICULTURAL PRACTICES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1511 (H.B. No. 438, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1511 was adopted and H.B. No. 438, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE KAHŌ'OLAWÉ ISLAND RESERVE COMMISSION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1514 (H.B. No. 1282, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1514 was adopted and H.B. No. 1282, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BROADBAND COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1515 (H.B. No. 1332, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1515 was adopted and H.B. No. 1332, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IRRIGATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1516 (H.B. No. 1345, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1516 was adopted and H.B. No. 1345, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1517 (H.B. No. 1489, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1517 was adopted and H.B. No. 1489, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL LICENSE PLATES FOR NATIONAL PARKS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1520 (H.B. No. 1343, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1520 was adopted and H.B. No. 1343, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1522 (H.B. No. 858, H.D. 2, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1522 was adopted and H.B. No. 858, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1523 (H.B. No. 805, H.D. 2, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1523 was adopted and H.B. No. 805, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERANS DISABILITY BENEFITS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1525 (H.B. No. 538, H.D. 2, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1525 was adopted and H.B. No. 538, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1527 (H.B. No. 850, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1527 was adopted and H.B. No. 850, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION SERVICE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1529 (H.B. No. 501, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1529 was adopted and H.B. No. 501, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1532 (H.B. No. 1127, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1532 was adopted and H.B. No. 1127, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1534 (H.B. No. 696, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1534 was adopted and H.B. No. 696, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1535 (H.B. No. 508, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1535 be adopted and H.B. No. 508, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Tokuda.

Senator Gabbard requested that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Gabbard's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President, I rise in support of HB 508 HD1 SD2.

"Colleagues, some of you may be scratching your heads and asking, 'I thought Gabbard was a vegetarian? Doesn't he always vote against these livestock feed subsidy bills?' Well, I assure you that I haven't started eating Big Macs. The deal is I feel so strongly about moving forward on hemp that I'm making an exception on this bill.

"To give you a little history, back in 1999, Act 305 was enacted which established a hemp research project that lasted three years. This project took place on a quarter of acre of land in Wahiawā and was financed by a private company.

"Last session, Act 56 was enacted which authorized UH to establish a two year hemp remediation and biofuel research project. Dr. Harry Ako of UH and his team went through hell and high water with the DEA to get the seeds here. And on April 10th, they planted hemp seeds at a blessing at the UH Waimānalo Extension Station.

"HB 508 HD 1 SD 2 will continue this important work because it would authorize registered growers of industrial hemp under the Farm Bill for research purposes and pilot programs. I hope this will be the beginning of what will hopefully soon become a thriving hemp industry. Can't you imagine a new cottage industry springing up – Hawaiian Hemp Shampoo, Hawaiian Hemp Protection Powders, Seeds, Oil – soon on our store shelves? If you're smart, you'll start registering 'hemp' trade names with DCCA, because this is going to be huge.

"Please join me in supporting this important legislation. Mahalo."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1535 was adopted and H.B. No. 508, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1538 (H.B. No. 851, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1538 was adopted and H.B. No. 851, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1539 (H.B. No. 874, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1539 was adopted and H.B. No. 874, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE IMMERSION PROGRAM," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1541 (H.B. No. 1180, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1541 was adopted and H.B. No. 1180, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1543 (H.B. No. 482, H.D. 2, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1543 was adopted and H.B. No. 482, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1544 (H.B. No. 697, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1544 was adopted and H.B. No. 697, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE FACILITIES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1545 (H.B. No. 782, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1545 was adopted and H.B. No. 782, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CYTOMEGALOVIRUS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1546 (H.B. No. 832, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1546 was adopted and H.B. No. 832, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1547 (H.B. No. 1112, H.D. 2, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1547 was adopted and H.B. No. 1112, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1551 (H.B. No. 581, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1551 was adopted and H.B. No. 581, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOSPITAL SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAM," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1552 (H.B. No. 1214, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1552 was adopted and H.B. No. 1214, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE-COUNTY FUNCTIONS WORKING GROUP," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1554 (H.B. No. 540, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1554 was adopted and H.B. No. 540, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII ACCOUNTING AND FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT SYSTEM," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1555 (H.B. No. 10, H.D. 2, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1555 was adopted and H.B. No. 10, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1556 (H.B. No. 1440, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1556 was adopted and H.B. No. 1440, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1559 (H.B. No. 1354, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1559 was adopted and H.B. No. 1354, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1428 (H.B. No. 525, H.D. 2, S.D. 2):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1428 be adopted and H.B. No. 525, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro.

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

"We continue to erode individual rights and freedoms and to demonize a new technology, e-cigarettes, so I'll be voting 'no.' Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1428 was adopted and H.B. No. 525, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE PARKS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24; Ayes with Reservations (Nishihara). Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1429 (H.B. No. 209, H.D. 2, S.D. 2):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1429 be adopted and H.B. No. 209, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

Senator Slom rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations as follows:

"Thank you, Madam President. I rise to support the bill with strong reservations. As we learned in Ways and Means, we had

not gotten answers to basic questions about OHA's spending. We also note that OHA has been using the taxpayer money for lobbying against certain positions of the Legislature and has become more and more political. In the days and months ahead, I think it's incumbent upon all of us to look more carefully and with more scrutiny at OHA, which, remember, is a state agency. Thank you."

At 10:09 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 10:10 a.m.

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1429 was adopted and H.B. No. 209, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET OF THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25; Ayes with Reservations (Slom). Noes, none.

At 10:10 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 10:11 a.m.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1430 (H.B. No. 896, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1430 be adopted and H.B. No. 896, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

Senator Slom rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations as follows:

"As I have said every year and every time on this particular bill, which allows for claims against the state to be paid, the bill continues to increase as we go through a legislative session. The last figure I have now is \$2.9 million, \$1 million of which is a claim by a convicted felon. I know some of the bills and the claims are legitimate; I would just urge the attorney general's department to take a more critical view and to deny and fight some of these claims, which are made simply because the state has deep pockets. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1430 was adopted and H.B. No. 896, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE, ITS OFFICERS, OR ITS EMPLOYEES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25; Ayes with Reservations (Slom). Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1434 (H.B. No. 943, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1434 be adopted and H.B. No. 943, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

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

"My opposition is, as I've stated previously, the creation of yet another new special fund. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1434 was adopted and H.B. No. 943, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CIVIL MONETARY PENALTY SPECIAL FUND," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1435 (H.B. No. 242, S.D. 1):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1435 be adopted and H.B. No. 242, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

Senator Slom rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations as follows:

“You know, we’ve talked about this for more than a decade. The project, I think, is a good project, but why is it taking the company and the people who support this so long to find private investors to move this project along? So, again, I support the intent; I think the technology’s there, but we have to question why it’s taking so long to actually do the project. Thank you.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1435 was adopted and H.B. No. 242, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEAWATER AIR CONDITIONING,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25; Ayes with Reservations (Slom). Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1437 (H.B. No. 1325, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1437 be adopted and H.B. No. 1325, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

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

“I think the intent is a good one for not only the environmental community but also for recycling, to make sure that the stormwater does not go into our oceans and tributaries. However, it is the funding mechanism – the idea of authorizing fees. We don’t have a specification of what the fees would be; we’re not sure who they’re going to be attached to and what the ultimate use is of the fees. Thank you.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1437 was adopted and H.B. No. 1325, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STORMWATER MANAGEMENT,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24; Ayes with Reservations (Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Inouye, Kahahele, Kidani, Nishihara). Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1439 (H.B. No. 174, H.D. 2, S.D. 1):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1439 be adopted and H.B. No. 174, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

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

“As I said in committee and as I’ve said previously, when we mandate or force insurance companies or anyone else to provide coverage, then it ceases to become insurance. And while I sympathize with folks who have this problem within their family, and I understand it’s costly, it should not be an insurance mandate. It should be something that insurance companies are educated and others to include in coverage or in options from the beginning. Thank you.”

Senator Baker rose to speak in strong support of the measure as follows:

“Our state auditor did a report on this particular measure, and it’s actually one I think we can act on and act on with great comfort. The auditor recommended requiring health insurance coverage for medically necessary orthodontic treatment for orofacial anomalies because the financial impacts on insurers

would be minimal: Reports from California and Massachusetts indicate coverage increased premiums two to four cents or less per member per month – not a significant amount.

“And yet the impact on families that have children with these anomalies – cleft palate, cleft lip, and others – can be significant. Uninsured treatment costs range from \$5,700 to \$20,000 or more, and oftentimes, these young children, starting with babies, have to have treatments for a number of years until their facial, not only muscles, but bone structure, has reached its maturity.

“In Hawai‘i, orthodontic care for orofacial anomalies is a benefit for families with Medicaid or TRICARE coverage, but not generally those with private insurance. It’s time we get everybody on the same page. I urge my colleagues to join me in supporting this measure. Mahalo.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1439 was adopted and H.B. No. 174, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1444 (H.B. No. 1010, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1444 be adopted and H.B. No. 1010, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

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

“I think all people, all employers, all organizations should be encouraged to talk about, discuss, and may even provide alternative commuter solutions, but not to be required. The S.D. 2 is a better version of the bill, but it still allows counties to pass ordinances to require employers to provide these services. Thank you.”

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

“My opposition is to the second paragraph on page 2, which would require businesses to have this benefit at their expense. The first part that allows and incentivizes the commuter benefits is well-received, but the second part I can’t support. Mahalo.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1444 was adopted and H.B. No. 1010, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COMMUTER BENEFITS PROGRAM,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23; Ayes with Reservations (Ihara, Inouye). Noes, 2 (Riviere, Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1447 (H.B. No. 621, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1447 be adopted and H.B. No. 621, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

Senator Slom rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations as follows:

“Thank you. I know several states are working on similar legislation but so is the federal government, and I’m not sure whether our state, or any of the other states, actually, can prohibit the contents of the manufacturing of these kinds of products. Thank you.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1447 was adopted and H.B. No. 621, H.D. 1, S.D. 1,

entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25; Ayes with Reservations (Slom). Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1449 (H.B. No. 346, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1449 was adopted and H.B. No. 346, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CIVIL PROCESS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1452 (H.B. No. 11, H.D. 2, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1452 was adopted and H.B. No. 11, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHERS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1454 (H.B. No. 148, H.D. 2, S.D. 2):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1454 be adopted and H.B. No. 148, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

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

"While, certainly, we should make anyone whole who has been wrongfully imprisoned, this bill is so broad and leaves many questions as to how much money will actually be allowed to be paid, under what circumstances, and also its services as well. So there's no financial cap on this bill, and it could be extremely expensive.

"In addition to that, the definition of 'wrongful imprisonment' does not include just those who have been wrongfully imprisoned, but it also includes those who may have been imprisoned or released because of a technicality and not a subject of guilt. Thank you."

Senator Thielen rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations as follows:

"Thank you, Madam President. I rise with mild reservations. I actually think the bill is well-written; I trust that in conference committee, any lingering questions will be addressed. But I would prefer that the amounts in the bill be listed as a ceiling rather than a floor. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1454 was adopted and H.B. No. 148, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WRONGFUL IMPRISONMENT," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24; Ayes with Reservations (Thielen). Noes, 1 (Slom).

H.B. No. 1491, H.D. 2, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, H.B. No. 1491, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1484 (H.B. No. 940, H.D. 1):

Senator Baker moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1484 be adopted and H.B. No. 940, H.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Baker requested that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Baker's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President, I rise in support of HB940 HD1, Relating to the Regulation of Tobacco Products.

"HB940 HD1 prohibits the use of electronic smoking devices in places where smoking is already illegal. This measure would protect members of the public, including nonsmokers and vulnerable populations such as pregnant women and children, from unwittingly inhaling the liquid droplets emitted by electronic smoking devices.

"ESDs produce an aerosol that is not merely 'water vapor.' As the Hawai'i Department of Health noted in its testimony in support of this measure, in recent months international research has increased the understanding of ESDs as harmful carcinogenic devices. The aerosol from ESDs contains several carcinogens such as formaldehyde, acetaldehyde, lead, nickel, chromium, and other hazardous substances that, according to the Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry, are associated with a range of negative health effects such as skin, eye, and respiratory irritation. These chemicals travel through the circulatory system to the brain and all organs. In November 2014, researchers at the Japanese Ministry of Health announced they found ESDs contained greater levels of cancer-causing agents than found in traditional cigarettes.

"ESD companies, and the tobacco companies that have been acquiring the ESDs businesses, market and promote their use 'anywhere' to encourage their social acceptability. The use of ESDs in traditionally smoke-free areas causes confusion to the enforcement of smoke-free laws, creates distractions in work environments, and renormalizes smoking behavior.

"The authority to regulate where ESDs are used is in the domain of state and local governments. We currently have a patchwork of regulation for ESDs: Hawai'i State's Department of Health bans ESDs use on all DOH property; our State Department of Accounting and General Services prohibits ESD use in and around state buildings under its jurisdiction; Hawai'i County prohibits the use of ESDs wherever tobacco products are illegal. This bill is needed because it will provide a uniform reasonable policy throughout the state.

"I urge my colleagues to join me in voting 'yes' on this important public health measure."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1484 was adopted and H.B. No. 940, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REGULATION OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24; Ayes with Reservations (Kahele). Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1486 (H.B. No. 1069, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1486 was adopted and H.B. No. 1069, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY," having been read

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1487 (H.B. No. 1432, H.D. 2, S.D. 1):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1487 be adopted and H.B. No. 1432, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

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

"It does create a special fund, so I'm in opposition. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1487 was adopted and H.B. No. 1432, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE INTERIM ASSISTANCE REIMBURSEMENT SPECIAL FUND," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1488 (H.B. No. 391, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1488 be adopted and H.B. No. 391, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

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

"Bad bill: It further damages the business climate of Hawai'i. It forces private employers to pay union collective bargaining wages with no benefits. Thank you."

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

"I have a slightly different view of the bill than the preceding speaker. I don't think it is fair to bind people to collective bargaining agreements when they didn't have an opportunity to be a part of that bargaining. Thank you."

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

"Thank you. This bill was testified on by the Department of Labor, and they noted that the measure will entail some fiscal impact. So, we have at the end of our agenda today a bill that is very expensive to the state and City and County of Honolulu, and we're up in arms and we're screaming, 'Gosh, if only HART could get some control over these expenses.' We're demanding HART to take responsibility, get control over these expenses, and yet, here we have a bill that purposely will raise the cost of public works. So I don't get it, and I'm opposed to this bill, so thank you very much."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1488 was adopted and H.B. No. 391, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WAGES AND HOURS ON PUBLIC WORKS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 21; Ayes with Reservations (Harimoto, Kidani, Wakai). Noes, 4 (Riviere, Ruderman, Slom, Thielen).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1491 (H.B. No. 1509, H.D. 3, S.D. 2):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1491 be adopted and H.B. No. 1509, H.D. 3, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

Senator Galuteria rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations as follows:

"Thank you, Madam President. I'll be voting with reservations simply because I feel that the university system can reach net zero before 2035, which is what the bill calls for. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1491 was adopted and H.B. No. 1509, H.D. 3, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25; Ayes with Reservations (Galuteria). Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1497 (H.B. No. 1360, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1497 be adopted and H.B. No. 1360, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

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

"You know, this bill is flawed, and questions that have been asked have not been answered by the Department of Transportation in terms of where a new site would be for the antenna, what impact there will be if there is in fact an approved flight plan change sending commercial flights over Kalihi. Also, the actual benefits of creating the new tower – who's going to pay for it. And again, I call to a technical matter: The bill refers to 'Clear Channel Corporation'; it's 'iHeartRadio,' for accuracy. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1497 was adopted and H.B. No. 1360, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1498 (H.B. No. 820, H.D. 2, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1498 was adopted and H.B. No. 820, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1499 (H.B. No. 578, H.D. 2, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1499 was adopted and H.B. No. 578, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1500 (H.B. No. 576, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1500 was adopted and H.B. No. 576, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE AFFORDABLE CARE ACT INNOVATION WAIVER," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1501 (H.B. No. 547, H.D. 2, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1501 was adopted and H.B. No. 547, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24; Ayes with Reservations (Dela Cruz). Noes, 1 (Kidani).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1508 (H.B. No. 586, H.D. 2, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1508 was adopted and H.B. No. 586, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO USE OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS AND E-CIGARETTES ON HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION PREMISES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1509 (H.B. No. 541, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1509 was adopted and H.B. No. 541, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TUITION AND FEES SPECIAL FUND," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Kidani).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1510 (H.B. No. 496, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1510 be adopted and H.B. No. 496, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

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

"This is going to be a heavy burden on small businesses. The intention is good; the labor official in Ways and Means testified that there's a disparate treatment in the way this would be executed, or it's ambiguous in its execution, whether a business has some sick leave allowances that are paid and some are not, whether this would impact that, so there's some confusion in the actual implementation of it. But more importantly, this is, again, another expense onto smaller businesses, who are very much up in arms and have been quite clear in their opposition to this, so please note my opposition. Thank you."

Senator Ruderman rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations as follows:

"Thank you. I believe that taking care of employees, especially in difficult times, is good business, and I believe in workers' benefits in general, and I generally support them. I believe this bill goes too far; I think we're taking two giant steps forward and perhaps it's appropriate to just take one. I'm particularly referring to the idea of carrying over from year to year to accumulate up to 80 hours of paid sick leave. I think that's an inappropriate and difficult burden to mandate for small businesses. So I'll be voting 'with reservations' and hope that we can adjust it and at least remove the carryover portion in the next phase. Thank you, Madam President."

Senator Kouchi rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations as follows:

"I, too, would like to see the part 1 done. I'm not so sure about the part 2, but that would be potentially worked out in

conference if it goes forward, so I'm willing to vote with reservations at this time. Thank you."

Senator Keith-Agaran rose to speak in support of the measure as follows:

"If you actually read the language, this bill offers a fairly modest sick leave benefit: 5 days annually that must be earned, 1 hour per 40 hours actually worked, and available for use only after an employee has worked the equivalent hours of 85 days of work.

"The bill also excludes companies that already provide a leave benefit of some kind, whether it's vacation, personal days, or paid time off, or has an approved sick leave policy by the department.

"I think, more importantly, this measure calls for the lieutenant governor and the Department of Labor to conduct an actuarial study to determine the impact of extending paid family leave for all our residents and the impact upon the temporary disability insurance program. I think that's the guts of the legislation before you, and I think it's worthy of continuing to take the discussion into conference. So, I would ask that my colleagues allow us to move this bill forward."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1510 was adopted and H.B. No. 496, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 22; Ayes with Reservations (Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Harimoto, Kahele, Kouchi, Nishihara, Ruderman, Thielen, Wakai). Noes, 3 (Inouye, Riviere, Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1512 (H.B. No. 318, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1512 was adopted and H.B. No. 318, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1513 (H.B. No. 1167, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Chun Oakland and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1513 was adopted and H.B. No. 1167, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CAPITAL INFRASTRUCTURE TAX CREDIT," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23. Noes, 1 (Taniguchi). Excused, 1 (Kouchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1518 (H.B. No. 1344, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Chun Oakland and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1518 was adopted and H.B. No. 1344, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MITIGATION OF HAZARDOUS SITUATIONS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Kouchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1519 (H.B. No. 1140, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Chun Oakland and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1519 was adopted and H.B. No. 1140, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CESSPOOLS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23. Noes, 1 (Slom). Excused, 1 (Kouchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1521 (H.B. No. 142, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1521 was adopted and H.B. No. 142, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING ON HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1524 (H.B. No. 631, H.D. 2, S.D. 1):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1524 be adopted and H.B. No. 631, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro.

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

"I think that the supporters of this bill, while having good intentions, do not understand the unintended consequences, legal and otherwise, that this bill would provide if enacted into law. And it has problems with domestic life, with family court, with taxes, and with other matters as well. Thank you."

Senator Green rose to speak in strong support of the measure as follows:

"Well, in truth, the real consequence is that people who are transgender or who suffer with challenges in association with their gender have a catastrophically high suicide rate; that's the real implication. For year after year after year, we've seen just really good, kind people with a real health challenge killing themselves in unbelievable numbers and suffering what really amounts to a life of discrimination. So, honestly, anything we can do—even if there are some challenges in society with paperwork and whatnot—we should do to try to make individuals' lives easier and also be very compassionate about the fact that when I say high suicide rates, I mean, they are through the roof. So that's why I strongly support this bill; whatever solution we can come up with will be good. Thank you, Madam President."

Senator Baker requested that remarks in strong support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Baker's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President, I rise in support of HB631 HD2 SD1, Relating to Certificates of Birth.

"This measure amends the documentation required when requesting the Department of Health to issue a new birth certificate with a sex designation change. It requires an affidavit from a licensed medical provider or license mental health provider attesting that the current birth certificate does not align with the birth registrant's gender identity and that in the provider's professional opinion, the birth registrant's sex designation should be changed accordingly.

"Current Hawai'i law allows transgender people to have their birth certificates changed to reflect their identity, but only after they have completed a 'sex change operation.' While surgery is an option for some, the majority of transgender individuals do not choose to undergo such surgeries for various reasons, including prohibitive costs and other medical or personal reasons. Moreover, experts agree that surgery is unnecessary for the trans individual to be described accurately as male or female. By keeping the new birth certificate free of markings noting it has been amended, this measure helps trans individuals from facing discrimination based on their choices.

"Currently, there are six states that already allow trans individuals to change their birth certificates without requiring surgery, with three other states considering legislation similar to HB631. This is the right course of action to help one of the most marginalized groups in our society.

"I ask you to join me support of HB631 HD2 SD1. Mahalo"

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1524 was adopted and H.B. No. 631, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CERTIFICATES OF BIRTH," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23; Ayes with Reservations (Gabbard, Kidani, Kouchi, Riviere). Noes, 2 (Harimoto, Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1526 (H.B. No. 1513, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1526 was adopted and H.B. No. 1513, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1528 (H.B. No. 553, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1528 was adopted and H.B. No. 553, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24; Ayes with Reservations (Harimoto, Kahele, Riviere, Thielen). Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1530 (H.B. No. 365, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1530 was adopted and H.B. No. 365, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POLICE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1531 (H.B. No. 1467, H.D. 2, S.D. 1):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1531 be adopted and H.B. No. 1467, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Tokuda.

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

"My opposition is that we're going to be forcing people to use the health connector, so gone are the options of going there if it's appropriate. And testimony was very clear that it's going to increase the cost of premiums for these businesses that are forced into the health connector. So for those reasons, 'no' vote, please."

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

"As I've said previously, the health connector is starting off on a bad premise as a bill that does not, in fact, work from an economic standpoint. And they're trying to make a lot of changes at this point, and one of them has to do with small business. HMSA had pulled out of the so-called SHOP program

because it was unworkable, and now what this bill would do would be legislatively force them into it; they're the only ones that qualify under the definitions within the bill. The bill is flawed, but more importantly, the Hawai'i Health Connector is flawed, and we should be aware of that – not fund it, not help it. Thank you."

Senator Baker rose to speak in strong support of the measure as follows:

"I believe there's some misunderstanding on the part of some of my colleagues. The Affordable Care Act defines 'small employer' as '1 to not more than 100.' This merely provides larger businesses in the small business category of up to 100 employees the opportunity to go to the connector to get their health insurance, and it would open the opportunity for them to participate in the tax credits that you can only receive if you go through the connector. It does not force anybody to go to the connector; it merely makes that market available, and we've seen many of our smaller companies go through the connector and actually receive the benefits, the tax credits. It's enabled them to give their employees better health coverage; it's actually good for small businesses, and we've had testimony after testimony from small businesses – the owner of Nii Market, one of those that we honored on the floor the other day, has stated publicly that he was really very pleased with the service he got through the connector, the fact that he got better coverage for his employees, and it was affordable.

"I would just note for the record that at the end of the spring enrollment period, we had almost 39,000 enrolled in the Hawai'i Health Connector. I ask my colleagues to move this measure forward. Mahalo."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1531 was adopted and H.B. No. 1467, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH CONNECTOR," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23. Noes, 2 (Riviere, Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1533 (H.B. No. 819, H.D. 2, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1533 was adopted and H.B. No. 819, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BULLYING," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1536 (H.B. No. 448, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1536 was adopted and H.B. No. 448, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1537 (H.B. No. 830, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1537 was adopted and H.B. No. 830, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25; Ayes with Reservations (Ihara). Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1540 (H.B. No. 1356, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1540 was adopted and H.B. No. 1356, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNFUNDED LIABILITIES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1542 (H.B. No. 169, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1542 was adopted and H.B. No. 169, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1548 (H.B. No. 1075, H.D. 2, S.D. 2):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1548 be adopted and H.B. No. 1075, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Tokuda.

Senator Kouchi rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations as follows:

"I rise in tepid support of House Bill 1075. Thank you. It's a difficult bill for me to support. In the past, normally, we would have negotiated contracts, cost items, and what the net effect was going to be, and then we'd cast our policy vote. In the Senate Draft 2, it now delegates that authority to the governor and the board to negotiate with the private entity, and my role in determining policy ends after a vote.

"But after much thought, since the public hearing last week and listening to my colleagues from Maui, I think it's important to go forward and explore the option. I know that the emails I've received say, 'What happens to the employees?' or the potential loss of jobs; and I pulled up the press release that indicated the \$28 million shortfall that the Maui hospital will face in the next fiscal year if nothing changes and we don't have the \$28 million in our budget to make up the shortfall: It would immediately result in the loss of 50 to 75 jobs of the nonmedical staff and a re-examination of what services, in fact, could be delivered. And so I think the conversation is important to have.

"There are two other quick items: the S.D. 1 was for privatization to occur in this fashion throughout the whole system and the S.D. 2 made it specific to Maui. If, for some reason, this comes back again and it returns to the form of the S.D. 1, I would not vote to legislate away my policy authority over the hospitals that I represent on Kaua'i. We've not had the level of discussion that has occurred on Maui, and I certainly wouldn't be comfortable in casting that particular vote.

"The other thing, again, that I want to be clear about is that, in fact, the six-month federal law does apply, that this is a closure and the employees minimally will be ensured of their employment for the next six months after any change would be made to allow for the transition. It's certainly difficult for people who live on the neighbor island to find jobs because of the limited market opportunities that exist on the neighbor islands; we're not a jurisdiction where you can simply jump in your car, commute, and go somewhere else. So that's something of concern, but at this point, I will cast a vote with reservations for this measure. Thank you."

Senator Keith-Agaran rose to speak in support of the measure as follows:

“Thank you, Madam President. First, let me thank my colleague for his tepid support; we’ll accept any support. I rise in strong support of this measure. This bill is a framework measure built upon and clarifying the process that this body approved in Act 182 in 2009, specifically for transitioning our public health care facilities to nonprofit, private-sector management and operation.

“As many of my colleagues know and can appreciate, the Hawai‘i Health Systems Corporation, including the three facilities of the Maui region, continues to face serious fiscal challenges. And it’s no secret that the Maui region and its executive management has, since 2009, engaged in exploratory discussions and exchanges with various private-sector organizations with respect to the facilities under its control. Although more than one potential partner organization expressed preliminary interest, it’s become apparent that without further clarifying legislation, substantive negotiations could not proceed. This bill is necessary.

“This measure sets out a structure for a transition process, as well as certain minimal terms and conditions that need to be addressed in an operating lease agreement. Basic division of business liabilities and employment responsibilities are also addressed. This measure also sets out important standards and safeguards for any private-sector nonprofit organization that they will need to meet in order to seek any future support in funding from the state for its operations or capital improvements. Future legislators who review such requests will have the oversight to approve, in whole or in part, or to deny such requested support. This measure, moreover, does not specify or require that the state provide any minimum amount of ongoing financial support for either purpose. Yes, the lease rent is nominal, but a nonprofit private-sector partner would be assuming considerable risk by taking over any operations in their current state without having fixed or guaranteed operating support. It’s not a ‘sweetheart deal’. Moreover, the content of the operating lease, including a 10-year business plan, must be approved by the governor prior to commencement of any transition.

“The hard-working staff at Maui’s facilities are understandably concerned that their positions and terms of employment will be threatened. To them, I have to say that any new private-sector partner would obviously prefer to maintain as many current and capable employees as possible going forward. The bill provides that accrued retirement allowances and vacation leave are protected, as are collective bargaining rights under state and federal law. Change brings initial uncertainty, but the prospect of losing any health care facility on Maui in its entirety is a change that serves no one’s interests. And that change, I’ve come to believe, is a real possibility on Maui if this measure is not passed.

“By itself, this measure does not guarantee that negotiations with any one party will be successful for transition of any of the Maui regional system facilities. It does, however, provide a sufficient framework for any of those negotiations to proceed in a meaningful and substantive manner. This is not a measure that was thrown together in haste. It’s been drafted with input from numerous professionals, including the office of the attorney general, over many weeks, and has been guided by the insights gained over several years of preliminary public-private discussions.

“The Maui region is in urgent need of private-sector participation in management and operating its health care facilities. This measure enables a first step to that participation. I ask that my colleagues support this bill; whether it’s tepid or strong, I ask for your support.”

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

“Thank you, Madam President. I was so moved by the previous speaker’s statements, I have to stand up in support of the bill.

“We spent many hours last week hearing from many people who debated this bill, and we’ve actually talked about these circumstances for more than a decade. And for much more than a decade, the state taxpayers have subsidized a failing operation, so it wasn’t something that just happened currently. The only thing that was different was that we kept doing the same thing over and over again, expecting different results – that doesn’t work. The subsidies got larger, and when we looked at the projected subsidies, they were even larger over the next decade.

“We came to a point where the options were very few. We drove away one potential suitor a couple of years ago, and it was because the overwhelming cost for these operations, all of them, are labor costs. And so it’s no surprise that the labor unions were in force and came and testified against this bill. In fact, they’ve testified against any and all changes. They have been unwilling to make any workplace changes, and that put the hospital in a precarious situation, as it has with other facilities as well.

“This is not a perfect solution; I would have preferred the former version that allowed the system-wide changes, but that’s not going to happen. For the union employees, there are many laws and actions in place to protect them, and yet, we still need an option to keep this facility going. The people of Maui are dependent upon it.

“I’m not happy with the fact that there still will be continuing state government subsidy, although it will be reduced from what it is now. But we should get to the point where, in fact, we don’t have subsidies, and different programs, different institutions, are able to actively operate on their own. We don’t have that here, and this is the last gasp we’ve got.

“Fortunately, there is a private partner who has a record of success, a record of financial security, and saving the operations and medical care for all people. So, at this point, it seems to be a no-brainer that we go ahead with this. Certainly, we will watch it; it’ll be under scrutiny, but as far as risk-taking, it’s much better than the alternatives. Thank you.”

Senator Inouye rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations as follows:

“May I have the words of my colleague from Kaua‘i inserted into the Journal as if they were mine? Thank you.” (The Chair so ordered, by reference only.)

Senator Ruderman rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations as follows:

“I’ll also be voting with reservations for the same reasons as the senator from Kaua‘i did. I’m very concerned about it proceeding to the other regions without further review. Thank you, Madam President.”

Senator Baker requested that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Baker’s remarks read as follows:

“Madam President, I rise in strong support of HB 1075 HD2 SD2, Relating to Health.

“‘We can’t solve problems using the same kind of thinking we used to create them.’ – Albert Einstein.

“That is what HB 1075 is about – changing the paradigm and changing the thinking and operating model of our Hawai‘i Health Systems Corporation, especially Maui Memorial Medical Center. Maui Memorial Medical Center has been looking at ways to become sustainable for some time. They have implemented cost-saving measures, developed revenue-growing initiatives and proposed alternative solutions to the challenges they are now facing. Without the ability to grow, control their major expense categories, or legally explore alternatives, they have been left with three options: continue to request more subsidies from the State, which appears impossible; get the necessary legislation enacted to move forward with a public private partnership; or cut services and staff to reduce the size and magnitude of the growing deficit.

“As a quasi-state agency, Maui Memorial is hampered by state rules regarding contracting, procurement, recruitment, deploying personnel, and management. These restrictions make it much more difficult to adjust to the changing healthcare environment in a timely manner. Your Committees on Health and Commerce and Consumer Protection heard countless stories about how these rules have hindered the hospital’s ability to operate effectively. Dr. Nicole Apoliona, Medical Director of Kula Hospital and Clinic, spoke of her 1.5 year long struggle to ‘recruit a quality, appropriate family physician to an attractive full time outpatient position at Kula clinic.’ Such state rules and processes are preventing our hospitals from surviving and thriving as they seek to deliver high quality sustainable healthcare.

“Despite what you may have heard, representatives of the Maui Memorial Medical Center employees have not been willing to sit down to discuss work rules or any other adjustments to accommodate Maui Memorial Medical Center or other Hawai‘i Health System Corporation facilities. As each session has come to a close without the passage of enabling legislation, Maui Memorial has faced greater difficulties in maintaining quality services and recruiting providers to our Maui community. Updated physician workforce data estimates that Maui County is 113 physicians short for our population. The current fiscal crisis has added to our inability to recruit physicians to our medical community, leading us toward even larger physician shortages. As each year passes, Maui Memorial becomes less and less attractive to a private partner. The time to act is now, before the situation gets even worse.

“Maui Memorial Medical Center is the only acute care hospital on Maui Island and in Maui County. This isn’t something that many O‘ahu residents can even begin to understand. On O‘ahu, you practically can walk from one acute care hospital to another. There isn’t another option for patients on Maui. Maui Memorial Medical Center is a level 1 trauma center, the second busiest emergency department in the state. Maui Memorial provides a full range of necessary medical services for our county from obstetrics to stroke care to cardiac services, behavioral health, surgery, and all the ancillary services required for accreditation. What services would you cut? That’s what is facing our community without HB1075. The Maui Regional Hospital Board has authorized \$28 million in cuts to meet their current deficits. Those cuts will set services for our community back 20 years. It will be a gut-wrenching process when Maui Memorial begins to decide what services will be eliminated. Let’s not let it get to that point. Do not let this opportunity slip through our fingers yet again.

“I know employees are concerned about their jobs and their futures. Change is difficult. For me, I’d rather look to a future that has hope and optimism rather than one going in the wrong direction. HB1075 offers that hope and optimism; without it, there certainly will be loss of jobs, loss of services, and a lower quality of healthcare and a devastating impact on our community and our state.

“I ask you to join me to give Maui Memorial Medical Center an opportunity to continue pursuing a thriving healthcare delivery system for Maui residents and visitors in a way that keeps jobs on Maui and services growing. Maui residents deserve access to a sustainable excellent healthcare system. Colleagues please join me in voting in support of HB1075 HD2 SD2. Mahalo.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1548 was adopted and H.B. No. 1075, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24; Ayes with Reservations (Dela Cruz, Espero, Harimoto, Inouye, Kahele, Kidani, Kouchi, Nishihara, Ruderman, Shimabukuro). Noes, 1 (Taniguchi).

At 10:54 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 10:59 a.m.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1549 (H.B. No. 321, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1549 be adopted and H.B. No. 321, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Tokuda.

Senator Keith-Agaran rose to speak in support of the measure as follows:

“Thank you, Madam Chair. I do want to point out to my colleagues: There is an error in the committee report. There’s a misstatement on the total amount of the proposed tax in this bill. It states ‘25 and 15’; it should be a total of 25.”

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

“First of all, I certainly support the intent because I was the thirteenth vote on this Senate floor 15 years ago to authorize medical marijuana. But this is not about medical marijuana. It’s not about compassion. It’s not about helping the people who need medical care. It’s about tax! Yeah, the committee report was wrong, but it’s 15 percent plus 10 percent, plus fees, plus county bond and other measures. It’s about the tax. It’s about money. It’s not about compassion.

“So let’s get back to the original idea, if we’re going to have a dispensary or dispensaries. Let’s talk about them, but let’s not talk about more taxes. We’re seeing right now some of the problems that have developed in Colorado and Washington State, where, again, it was about the money. So, I’m all for helping people have access – legitimate people who have the cards who need the access – but not about these additional taxes. Thank you.”

Senator Green rose to speak in strong support of the measure as follows:

“So this measure, from my perspective, with respect to the Minority, really is about getting medical marijuana dispensaries going for the State of Hawai‘i. It was really a very simple parameter to this Health chair that I wanted to focus on, which was that any patient in the state who needs medical marijuana from their provider be able to get it.

“So, everyone will have an opportunity to review the details of what’s become a pretty large bill, but the essential focus is that each county can get a license and get dispensaries going so that, if you live on Big Island – if you live on Maui, Kaua‘i, and obviously, O‘ahu – you can get medical marijuana. A lot of people have cancer; they’ve got severe pain; they don’t want to take a lot of narcotics. They might have HIV/AIDS and have

nausea. The goal is to make sure that any patient can get it. In the measure, people should note that any physician will be able to okay a card; that was clarified from previous years of legislation to make sure that anyone who goes to any of their providers can access this medicine if it's necessary for them.

"We will have that debate about the tax, of course, in conference committee, but, from my perspective, it's about setting up a sane program. We've spent a lot of time with the law enforcement community, the attorney general, and the Department of Health, who now regulates this industry – we moved them over to DOH last year. We spent a lot of time getting their best input on how they could start a program expeditiously. This bill will have people get their licenses, start dispensaries, and be able to give the medicine to the patients by early 2016, as opposed to a several-year process, which was threatened if the bill was too large in the first year.

"So as people review it, there obviously will be very vibrant, important discussion about details, but the only way to start a program in a sensible, solid way is to start it modestly, but to do it in every county for all the patients. That's what this measure is, and that's why I support it. Thank you, Madam President."

Senator Riviere rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations as follows:

"My reservations are with the tax. If we're going to be providing medicine, it seems unreasonable that we should single this out to charge a high tax that we do not charge on other medicines. Thank you."

Senator Espero rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations as follows:

"As the senator from the North Shore also stated, I do believe that we should be taking out the tax element. This is about medicinal use for our residents, and it is not, as the senator from East Honolulu said, about taxes. It never has been about taxes; it has been about common sense and compassion. And hopefully, we can take the tax part out in conference. Thank you."

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

"I support this bill and I appreciate all the work that's been done in bringing it to this point, but I do want to express my concerns, although I'll be voting in full support. I share the concerns as previously expressed about, effectively, a 25 percent tax. I mean, either this really is medicine or it's not, and if it really is medicine, it seems a little harsh to impose a 25 percent tax, which we don't impose on any other medicines.

"I also have concerns about the threshold to become a licensee. One of my concerns is having to control \$2 million; I understand the need for stability in any potential licensee, but that seems a little excessive. And I'm very concerned with the detail of a \$25,000 nonrefundable deposit simply to apply. That means if 10 people in one county apply, 9 of them are going to lose 25,000 bucks just for the opportunity to apply. That's just not reasonable. I hope that that gets fixed in conference, and once again, I fully support the bill and I really appreciate all the work that's been done on it. Thank you."

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

"Madam President, I rise in support of the measure and just want to point out that many other states have gone to straight legalization, and once that happens, then this whole debate becomes moot. So I hope that in the future, we would take up the legalization of marijuana, a question which will then, of course, end all of this discussion, because then anybody can obtain this as they wish. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1549 was adopted and H.B. No. 321, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL MARIJUANA," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23; Ayes with Reservations (Espero, Harimoto, Riviere). Noes, 2 (Kouchi, Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1550 (H.B. No. 124, H.D. 2, S.D. 2):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1550 be adopted and H.B. No. 124, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

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

"Thank you. While I certainly want to make it easier to vote, I don't think that that's the reason we have a low voter turnout, and I'm concerned about our state Office of Elections and their past record of dysfunctionality and the fact that we don't have curbs or controls or oversight for potential fraud. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1550 was adopted and H.B. No. 124, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1553 (H.B. No. 145, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1553 was adopted and H.B. No. 145, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1557 (H.B. No. 1366, S.D. 2):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1557 be adopted and H.B. No. 1366, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

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

"Questions that I raised during the Ways and Means Committee have not been answered. The point is, this bill has really been rushed; it was changed from its original format. And while I support, generally, the idea of moving state-leased departments into state-owned properties – we have state-owned properties – we still don't have a complete inventory of all of those properties and we don't have a complete breakdown on the costs of the acquisition of this building. We were supposed to have a walk-through, and I understand that's been postponed, but my concerns are: What is the investment value of this building with 40 percent vacancy rates at this time and with the majority of tenants being government operations? What is the ground lease rent? What is the term remaining? What are the costs of CAM – common area maintenance? What are the fiduciary responsibilities and liabilities for the state if we take this over? I'm all for exploring the possibility of doing this, but rushing through, and particularly when we're talking about a potential appropriation of \$90 million to \$100 million, should raise more questions among my colleagues. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1557 was adopted and H.B. No. 1366, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE ACQUISITION OR DEVELOPMENT OF REAL

PROPERTY,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23; Ayes with Reservations (Green, Harimoto, Ihara, Nishihara, Riviere, Ruderman, Thielen, Wakai). Noes, 2 (Gabbard, Slom).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1558 (H.B. No. 1471, H.D. 2, S.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1558 was adopted and H.B. No. 1471, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE FUNDING OF GOVERNMENT PROGRAMS,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1560 (H.B. No. 134, H.D. 1, S.D. 2):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1560 be adopted and H.B. No. 134, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

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

“Thank you, Madam President. I rise in opposition – strong, *strong* opposition. Thank you very much. We’ve heard all of the arguments, starting with the fact that the City and County of Honolulu has broken its promise to the taxpayers and to the federal government. It has not completed what it was supposed to complete, and we started out with a project that had an estimated cost of \$3 billion, and then we went to \$5 billion, then we went to \$6 billion, and now the mayor and HART want to extend the project – as well as extending the surcharge – to Kapolei and to the University of Hawai‘i at a cost of \$10 billion.

“You know, at some point, we have to say no and we have to represent the taxpayers. We’re not paying for this extension; the taxpayers are. Our governor said that it’s premature to ask for it now: We’re in 2015; the current surcharge goes till 2022. Why do we have to now extend it another five years, or, as the mayor wants, ad infinitum, or he’ll settle for 25 years. We can’t do this; this is real money.

“We talk about the surcharge being only one-half of 1 percent, but in fact, it’s not: It’s a 12.5 percent tax increase. It is a regressive tax; it hurts the poorest of the poor among us, and we wonder why homelessness increases, our human services increase – welfare, food stamps, all of that. People can’t pay this. Our economy has not turned around.

“And so it is foolish for us, at this point in time, in 2015, to say that, yeah, whatever money you want, we’re going to give it to you. I know that the city and HART are hoping that in conference, they’ll get even more, they’ll get a better deal than our particular extension, but our extension is bad enough. We shouldn’t do this. Colleagues, I urge you to listen to your constituents, to listen to fiscal reality, and vote ‘no’ on this bill. Thank you.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1560 was adopted and H.B. No. 134, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION,” having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 22; Ayes with Reservations (Gabbard, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Ruderman, Wakai). Noes, 3 (Riviere, Slom, Thielen).

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 862 to 868) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Gov. Msg. No. 862, letter dated April 10, 2015, correcting the seat position on Gov. Msg. No. 601, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 863, informing the Senate that on April 10, 2015, the Governor withdrew the nomination of DAVID PETERS to the Board of Directors of the Hawai‘i Health Systems Corporation, under Gov. Msg. No. 791 dated April 2, 2015, from consideration by the Senate, was placed on file.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 863, the nomination listed under Gov. Msg. No. 791 was returned.

Gov. Msg. No. 864, informing the Senate that on April 10, 2015, the Governor withdrew the nomination of MELISSA PAVLICEK to the Procurement Policy Nominating Committee, under Gov. Msg. No. 794 dated April 3, 2015, from consideration by the Senate, was placed on file.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 864, the nomination listed under Gov. Msg. No. 794 was returned.

Gov. Msg. No. 865, informing the Senate that on April 10, 2015, the Governor withdrew the nomination of DEXTER ARTIENDA to the Juvenile Justice State Advisory Council, under Gov. Msg. No. 695 dated April 2, 2015, from consideration by the Senate, was placed on file.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 865, the nomination listed under Gov. Msg. No. 695 was returned.

Gov. Msg. No. 866, informing the Senate that on April 10, 2015, the Governor withdrew the nomination of NOA EMMETT ALULI to the Kaho‘olawe Island Reserve Commission, under Gov. Msg. No. 835 dated March 23, 2015, from consideration by the Senate, was placed on file.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 866, the nomination listed under Gov. Msg. No. 835 was returned.

Gov. Msg. No. 867, informing the Senate that on April 9, 2015, the Governor withdrew the nomination of LAURA CHOCK to the Board of Acupuncture, under Gov. Msg. No. 555 dated March 30, 2015, from consideration by the Senate, was placed on file.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 867, the nomination listed under Gov. Msg. No. 555 was returned.

At this time, the Chair stated:

“Members, in light of the large volume of nominations to executive branch positions, boards, and commissions this year and the transition to a new administration, last week the Senate extended the deadline for the governor to transmit advise and consent appointments to this body. This was the first time the Senate ever granted an extension of this deadline. If an extension had not been granted, though, the governor could have made interim appointments to these boards and commissions, but the Senate would not have had the opportunity to fulfill its statutory responsibility regarding these nominations.

“But, members, one additional nomination to the Land Use Commission inadvertently missed the transmittal deadline last week, so in light of the circumstances, and if there are no objections from the members, the Chair will once again extend the deadline and amend the Senate Internal Timetable for the governor to submit advise and consent messages until 5:00 p.m. tonight. I just want to make a note: This is not something we

take lightly, but in light of all of the circumstances that have happened, that's the recommendation."

Gov. Msg. No. 868, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Land Use Commission, the nomination of JONATHAN SCHEUER, term to expire June 30, 2016, was referred to the Committee on Water and Land.

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the House (Hse. Com. Nos. 436 to 467) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Hse. Com. No. 436, informing the Senate that on April 10, 2015, the House disagreed to the amendments proposed by the Senate to the following House bills:

H.B. No. 79, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 140, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 171, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 172, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 241 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 623, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 707 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 715, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 1186, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 1219, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 1273, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 1286, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 1368 (S.D. 1); and
H.B. No. 1497, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2),

was placed on file.

Hse. Com. No. 437, returning S.B. No. 114, S.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 10, 2015, was placed on file.

Hse. Com. No. 438, returning S.B. No. 729, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 10, 2015, was placed on file.

Hse. Com. No. 439, returning S.B. No. 1098, S.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 10, 2015, was placed on file.

Hse. Com. No. 440, returning S.B. No. 1106, S.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 10, 2015, was placed on file.

Hse. Com. No. 441, returning S.B. No. 1118, S.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 10, 2015, was placed on file.

Hse. Com. No. 442, returning S.B. No. 1141, S.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 10, 2015, was placed on file.

Hse. Com. No. 443, returning S.B. No. 139, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 10, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 139, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL SERVICE EXEMPTIONS," was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 444, returning S.B. No. 233, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 10, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 233, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION," was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 445, returning S.B. No. 283, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 10, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 283, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY," was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 446, returning S.B. No. 569, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 10, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 569, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THEFT," was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 447, returning S.B. No. 589, S.D. 2, as amended in H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 10, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 589, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 448, returning S.B. No. 611, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 10, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 611, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO USE OF INTOXICANTS WHILE OPERATING A VEHICLE," was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 449, returning S.B. No. 841, S.D. 2, as amended in H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 10, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 841, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL HEALTH," was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 450, returning S.B. No. 971, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 10, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 971, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 451, returning S.B. No. 974, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 10, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 974, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RENTAL HOUSING TRUST FUND," was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 452, returning S.B. No. 982, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 10, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 982, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL AMNESTY," was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 453, returning S.B. No. 1062, S.D. 2, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 10, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 1062, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BIOSECURITY PROGRAM," was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 454, returning S.B. No. 1074, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 10, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 1074, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE PLANNING," was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 455, returning S.B. No. 1076, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 10, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 1076, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 456, returning S.B. No. 1077, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 10, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 1077, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 457, returning S.B. No. 1078, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 10, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 1078, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 458, returning S.B. No. 1079, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 10, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 1079, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 459, returning S.B. No. 1080, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 10, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 1080, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 460, returning S.B. No. 1081, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 10, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 1081, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 461, returning S.B. No. 1082, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 10, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 1082, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 462, returning S.B. No. 1083, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 10, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 1083, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 463, returning S.B. No. 1084, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 10, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 1084, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 464, returning S.B. No. 1090, S.D. 2, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 10, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 1090, S.D. 2, (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM," was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 465, returning S.B. No. 1107, as amended in H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 10, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 1107 (H.D. 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR GENERAL ASSISTANCE," was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 466, returning S.B. No. 1156, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 10, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 1156, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATUTORY REVISION: AMENDING OR REPEALING VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE HAWAII REVISED STATUTES AND THE SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII FOR THE PURPOSES OF CORRECTING ERRORS AND REFERENCES, CLARIFYING LANGUAGE, AND DELETING OBSOLETE OR UNNECESSARY PROVISIONS," was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 467, returning S.B. No. 1166, S.D. 2, as amended in H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 10, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.B. No. 1166, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2), entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE," was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1561) recommending that S.R. No. 126, S.D. 1 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1561 and S.R. No. 126, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO ESTABLISH A VOLUNTARY FARM TO SCHOOL PROGRAM," was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1562) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of SCOTT ENRIGHT as Chairperson of the Department of Agriculture, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 501.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1562 and Gov. Msg. No. 501 was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1563) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of PHYLLIS SHIMABUKURO-GEISER as Deputy Chairperson of the Department of Agriculture, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 502.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1563 and Gov. Msg. No. 502 was deferred until Thursday, April 16, 2015.

REFERRAL OF HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The President made the following committee assignments of House concurrent resolutions received on Friday, April 10, 2015:

H.C.R. No.:	Referred to:
H.C.R. No. 7, H.D. 2	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means
H.C.R. No. 29	Committee on Ways and Means
H.C.R. No. 42, H.D. 1	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
H.C.R. No. 48, H.D. 1	Jointly to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
H.C.R. No. 55	Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
H.C.R. No. 59, H.D. 1	Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
H.C.R. No. 66	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Health and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs
H.C.R. No. 76	Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
H.C.R. No. 86, H.D. 1	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology
H.C.R. No. 112	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs
H.C.R. No. 126	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Health and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs
H.C.R. No. 130	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Transportation

H.C.R. No. 149, H.D. 1 Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

H.C.R. No. 154 Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

H.C.R. No. 167, H.D. 1 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

H.C.R. No. 193, H.D. 1 Committee on Transportation

H.C.R. No. 205 Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

H.C.R. No. 212 Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

H.C.R. No. 217, H.D. 1 Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

H.C.R. No. 226 Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

At this time, Senator Riviere announced that his office would be auctioning off prints of Bill Braden's "The Best Beaches of Hawai'i" series to support the Hawai'i Foodbank, and encouraged the members' support.

Senator Baker announced that the doughnuts from the sale to benefit the Maui Food Bank were available in her office.

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:17 a.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Thursday, April 16, 2015.

FORTY-SEVENTH DAY

Thursday, April 16, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:42 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present.

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

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 228 to 229 and 869 to 886) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Gov. Msg. No. 228, dated April 9, 2015, transmitting the Annual External Review Report, prepared by the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs, Insurance Division, pursuant to Section 432E-13, HRS, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 229, dated April 9, 2015, transmitting the Report on the Implementation of the Pilot Feedmill Project, prepared by the Department of Agriculture pursuant to Act 122, SLH 2012, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 869, informing the Senate that on April 13, 2015, the Governor withdrew the nomination of JUSTIN GRUENSTEIN to the Board of Registration of the Island of O'ahu, under Gov. Msg. Nos. 842 and 843 dated April 8, 2015, from consideration by the Senate, was placed on file.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 869, the nominations listed under Gov. Msg. Nos. 842 and 843 were returned.

Gov. Msg. No. 870, informing the Senate that on April 14, 2015, the Governor withdrew the nomination of KIMAN WONG to the Enhanced 911 Board, under Gov. Msg. No. 759 dated April 3, 2015, from consideration by the Senate, was placed on file.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 870, the nomination listed under Gov. Msg. No. 759 was returned.

Gov. Msg. No. 871, informing the Senate that on April 10, 2015, the Governor withdrew the nomination of DIANA VAN DE CAR to the Land Use Commission, under Gov. Msg. No. 814 dated April 2, 2015, from consideration by the Senate, was placed on file.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 871, the nomination listed under Gov. Msg. No. 814 was returned.

Gov. Msg. No. 872, informing the Senate that on April 13, 2015, the Governor withdrew the nomination of DOUGLAS G. MERSBERG to the Early Learning Advisory Board, under Gov. Msg. No. 786 dated April 2, 2015, from consideration by the Senate, was placed on file.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 872, the nomination listed under Gov. Msg. No. 786 was returned.

Gov. Msg. No. 873, informing the Senate that on April 14, 2015, the Governor withdrew the nomination of JOHN KEENE to the Health Planning Council, Windward Oahu Subarea, under Gov. Msg. No. 792 dated April 3, 2015, from consideration by the Senate, was placed on file.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 873, the nomination listed under Gov. Msg. No. 792 was returned.

Gov. Msg. No. 874, letter dated April 13, 2015, making a correction to Gov. Msg. No. 626, was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 875, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Naturopathic Medicine, the nomination of DR. KATHRYN TAKETA-WONG term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 876, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Rehabilitation Council, the nomination of GEORGE MASSENGALE term to expire June 30, 2016, was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Gov. Msg. No. 877, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Rehabilitation Council, the nomination of GWEN KELIHOOMALU term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Gov. Msg. No. 878, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Rehabilitation Council, the nomination of MARK TRAVALINO term to expire June 30, 2016, was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Gov. Msg. No. 879, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Rehabilitation Council, the nomination of MICHELE KU term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Gov. Msg. No. 880, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Rehabilitation Council, the nomination of RENE BERTHIAUME term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Gov. Msg. No. 881, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Rehabilitation Council, the nomination of RODERICK MACDONALD term to expire June 30, 2016, was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Gov. Msg. No. 882, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Rehabilitation Council, the nomination of LANELLE YAMANE term to expire June 30, 2016, was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Gov. Msg. No. 883, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Rehabilitation Council, the nomination of KRISTINE TAKEKAWA term to expire June 30, 2017, was referred to the Committee on Human Services and Housing.

Gov. Msg. No. 884, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hoisting Machine Operators Advisory Board, the nomination of ANGELA CHINEN term to expire June 30, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Gov. Msg. No. 885, submitting for consideration and confirmation as the Compact Administrator for Interstate Adult Offender Supervision, the nomination of SIDNEY H. NAKAMOTO term to expire December 3, 2018, was referred to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs.

Gov. Msg. No. 886, informing the Senate that on April 9, 2015, the Governor withdrew the nomination of T. AULANI WILHELM to Land Use Commission, under Gov. Msg. No. 817 dated April 2, 2015, from consideration by the Senate, was placed on file.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 886, the nomination listed under Gov. Msg. No. 817 was returned.

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the House (Hse. Com. Nos. 468 to 615) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Hse. Com. No. 468, informing the Senate that on April 14, 2015, the House disagreed to the amendments proposed by the Senate to the following House bills:

H.B. No. 87 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 271, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 279, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 393, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 500, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 589, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 770, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 1099, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 1272, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2); and
H.B. No. 1297, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1),

was placed on file.

Hse. Com. No. 469, returning S.B. No. 1134, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

Hse. Com. No. 470, returning S.B. No. 1183, S.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

Hse. Com. No. 471, returning S.B. No. 1212, S.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

Hse. Com. No. 472, returning S.B. No. 14, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

Senator Baker moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 14, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Baker noted:

“Thank you, Madam President. This is essentially the Senate bill: The House Draft 1 defected the date; House Draft 2 cleaned the date.”

The motion was then put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 14, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 14, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RESIDENTIAL LANDLORD-TENANT CODE,” was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Friday, April 17, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 473, returning S.B. No. 17, as amended in H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 17, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 474, returning S.B. No. 40, S.D. 3, as amended in H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 40, S.D. 3, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 475, returning S.B. No. 64, S.D. 3, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 64, S.D. 3, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 476, returning S.B. No. 92, S.D. 2, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 92, S.D. 2, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 477, returning S.B. No. 100, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 100, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 478, returning S.B. No. 101, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 101, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 479, returning S.B. No. 104, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 104, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 480, returning S.B. No. 105, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 105, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 481, returning S.B. No. 113, S.D. 2, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 113, S.D. 2, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 482, returning S.B. No. 118, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 118, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 483, returning S.B. No. 140, as amended in H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 140, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 286, S.D. 2, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 504, S.D. 2, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 717, S.D. 2, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 535, returning S.B. No. 736, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

Senator Baker moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 736, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran.

Senator Baker noted:

“Thank you, Madam President. House Draft 1 defected the date; House Draft 2 cleaned the date. It’s essentially the Senate position.”

The motion was then put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 736, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 736, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE,” was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Friday, April 17, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 536, returning S.B. No. 737, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 737, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 537, returning S.B. No. 743, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 743, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 538, returning S.B. No. 754, S.D. 2, as amended in H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 754, S.D. 2, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 539, returning S.B. No. 756, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 756, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 540, returning S.B. No. 768, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 768, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 541, returning S.B. No. 778, S.D. 2, as amended in H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 778, S.D. 2, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 542, returning S.B. No. 786, S.D. 2, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 786, S.D. 2, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 543, returning S.B. No. 791, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 791, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 544, returning S.B. No. 822, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

Senator Kidani moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 822, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran.

Senator Kidani noted:

“Senate Bill 822 represents a consensus among the affected parties and testimony was received in support of the bill from DOE, HSTA, HE’E, IMUAlliance, and numerous teachers who testified as individuals. The bill before us changes the minimum hour requirements to include the full school day in alignment with the state’s General Learner Outcomes and becomes effective upon approval.”

The motion was then put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 822, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 822, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION,” was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Friday, April 17, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 545, returning S.B. No. 826, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 826, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 546, returning S.B. No. 831, S.D. 2, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 831, S.D. 2, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 547, returning S.B. No. 854, S.D. 2, as amended in H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 854, S.D. 2, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 548, returning S.B. No. 868, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

Hse. Com. No. 565, returning S.B. No. 1042, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

Hse. Com. No. 582, returning S.B. No. 1117, S.D. 2, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

Hse. Com. No. 599, returning S.B. No. 1228, S.D. 2, as amended in H.D. 3, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1228, S.D. 2, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 600, returning S.B. No. 1260, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1260, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 601, returning S.B. No. 1262, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1262, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 602, returning S.B. No. 1280, S.D. 2, as amended in H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1280, S.D. 2, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 603, returning S.B. No. 1291, S.D. 2, as amended in H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1291, S.D. 2, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 604, returning S.B. No. 1295, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1295, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 605, returning S.B. No. 1297, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1297, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 606, returning S.B. No. 1299, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1299, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 607, returning S.B. No. 1305, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1305, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 608, returning S.B. No. 1312, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1312, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 609, returning S.B. No. 1316, S.D. 2, as amended in H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1316, S.D. 2, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 610, returning S.B. No. 1324, S.D. 2, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1324, S.D. 2, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 611, returning S.B. No. 1338, S.D. 2, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1338, S.D. 2, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 612, returning S.B. No. 1345, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1345, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 613, returning S.B. No. 1361, S.D. 2, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1361, S.D. 2, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 614, returning S.B. No. 1367, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 1, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on April 14, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1367, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

Hse. Com. No. 615, informing the Senate that on April 16, 2015, the Speaker appointed conferees on the part of the House for the consideration of amendments proposed by the Senate to the following House bill:

H.B. No. 500, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Luke, chair; Cachola, Cullen, DeCoite, Johanson, Jordan, Keohokalole, Kobayashi, Lowen, Nishimoto, Onishi, Tokioka, Yamashita, Pouha, Ward.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1564) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Kokee State Park Advisory Council of the following:

MADLINE GUYETT, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 703; and

MADLINE GUYETT, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 704.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1564 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 703 and 704 was deferred until Friday, April 17, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1565) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of JOSEPH KIM as Deputy Director of the Department of Taxation, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 537.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1565 and Gov. Msg. No. 537 was deferred until Friday, April 17, 2015.

ORDER OF THE DAY**AGREE/DISAGREE****MATTERS DEFERRED FROM
TUESDAY, APRIL 14, 2015**

S.B. No. 388 (H.D. 1):

Senator Espero moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 388, seconded by Senator Baker.

Senator Espero noted:

"Thank you, Madam President. Colleagues, this measure requires that each county police department post its policies relating to domestic violence, officer-involved domestic violence, and standards of conduct on its official website. And the reason why we are agreeing is that they just took our introduction, our preamble, and made it shorter, so we made a four-page bill into a one-and-a-half-page bill."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 388, and S.B. No. 388, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POLICE DEPARTMENTS," was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Friday, April 17, 2015.

S.B. No. 1113, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1113, S.D. 2, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

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

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

S.B. No. 550, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 550, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

S.B. No. 987, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Senator Taniguchi moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 987, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran.

Senator Taniguchi noted:

"Thank you, Madam President. Senate Bill 987 amends HRS Chapter 305J to clarify that under the Hawaii Post-Secondary Education Authorization Program, institutions may request an administrative hearing pursuant to HRS Chapter 91 for proceedings concerning denials, suspensions, or terminations. We are agreeing because the House just amended the measure to be effective upon its approval."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 987, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 987, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION," was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Friday, April 17, 2015.

S.B. No. 1131, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1131, S.D. 2, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

S.B. No. 320, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 320, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

S.B. No. 434, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Senator Shimabukuro moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 434, S.D. 2, seconded by Senator Ruderman.

Senator Shimabukuro noted:

"There are no substantial differences between these two; this is part of OHA's package, and OHA is supportive of the language in this bill."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 434, and S.B. No. 434, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATED TO AGRICULTURE," was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Friday, April 17, 2015.

S.B. No. 211, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 211, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

S.B. No. 214, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 214, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

S.B. No. 218, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 218, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

S.B. No. 233, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 233, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

S.B. No. 419, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 419, S.D. 2, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

S.B. No. 1219, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1219, S.D. 2, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

S.B. No. 139, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 139, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

S.B. No. 223, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 223, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

S.B. No. 283, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 283, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

S.B. No. 569, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 569, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

S.B. No. 589, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

Senator Baker moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 589, S.D. 2, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran.

Senator Baker noted:

“Thank you, Madam President. This is a very important bill for the residents on the Big Island who live in lava zones. This is ensuring that they will be able to purchase property insurance and, upon passage of this measure, the moratorium on such purchases will be lifted. The House just made some technical, nonsubstantive amendments. Thank you.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 589, S.D. 2, and S.B. No. 589, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE,” was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Friday, April 17, 2015.

S.B. No. 611, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 611, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

S.B. No. 841, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 841, S.D. 2, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

S.B. No. 971, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 971, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

S.B. No. 974, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 974, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

S.B. No. 982, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 982, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

S.B. No. 1062, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1062, S.D. 2, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

S.B. No. 1074, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1074, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

S.B. No. 1076, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1076, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

S.B. No. 1077, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1077, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

S.B. No. 1078, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1078, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

S.B. No. 1079, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1079, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

S.B. No. 1080, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1080, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

S.B. No. 1081, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1081, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

S.B. No. 1082, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1082, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

S.B. No. 1083, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1083, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

S.B. No. 1084, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1084, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

S.B. No. 1090, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1090, S.D. 2, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

S.B. No. 1107 (H.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1107, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

S.B. No. 1156, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1156, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro.

Senator Keith-Agaran noted:

“This version is essentially the Senate draft with an effective date.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1156, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 1156, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATUTORY REVISION: AMENDING OR REPEALING VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE HAWAII REVISED STATUTES AND THE SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII FOR THE PURPOSES OF CORRECTING ERRORS AND REFERENCES, CLARIFYING LANGUAGE, AND DELETING OBSOLETE OR UNNECESSARY PROVISIONS,” was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Friday, April 17, 2015.

S.B. No. 1166, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1166, S.D. 2, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

ADVISE AND CONSENT

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1562 (Gov. Msg. No. 501):

Senator Ruderman moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1562 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Riviere and carried.

Senator Ruderman then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of SCOTT ENRIGHT as Chairperson of the Department of Agriculture, term to expire December 31, 2018, seconded by Senator Riviere.

Senator Ruderman rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

“Thank you, Madam President. Over the past 38 years, Scott Enright has lived and worked on each of the five major islands in Hawai‘i, and for 23 years has resided on the Hamakua Coast of the island of Hawai‘i. He brings with him a comprehensive understanding of agricultural business and economics in Hawai‘i, including extensive firsthand knowledge of bioenergy fuel stock and an in-depth understanding on land use planning and policy as it pertains to agriculture in Hawai‘i.

“Scott has a strong working knowledge of sustainable, multi-use agricultural models that encompass crop diversity, livestock management, forestry, waste-to-energy, and affordable worker housing, coupled with a strong background in community building.

“Scott has been director of the Department of Agriculture since January 2014, and deputy director for the previous two years. Director Enright serves as the national chair of NASDA, the National Association of State Departments of Agriculture. This prestigious position may be useful to Hawai‘i in many ways, and Hawai‘i is honored to be hosting the national convention of this organization this summer on the Big Island.

“In your committee, we heard enthusiastic support from a broad spectrum of the community. We were particularly impressed with the fact that the nominee enjoys support from every sector of ag, from large-scale industries, including biotech, to small farmers and the organic farming community. This ability to relate to and support all kinds of farmers is exactly what we need in Hawai‘i today.

“I’m grateful such a strong candidate chooses continued service to our state. I urge my colleagues to confirm Scott Enright as director of the Department of Agriculture, and I’m confident your support will be rewarded with an excellent, competent stewardship of the Department of Agriculture. Thank you, Madam President.”

Senator Slom rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

“On behalf of the Senate Minority, we fully support the nominee. And in addition to the things that were just said about him from the Agriculture chairman, I think it’s important to note that a number of people who were in opposition to his nomination have come forward and said how he reached out to them, how he listened, and how he provided results. So, I concur with the remarks by the good senator from the island of Hawai‘i. He is the right man for this position. Thank you.”

Senator Kouchi rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

“I just would briefly touch on what my colleague from Hawai‘i Kai said. He has a unique gift to go into a room for a contentious hearing and take the temperature down. And in the last several years, there’s been an alarming trend of people coming out to public meetings and acting in a disruptive way, taking over meetings, and having people cancel the meetings. I cannot underscore how valuable the skill that Chair Enright has to walk into the room, to make everyone feel that they will be fairly heard, and he has the knowledge in which to exchange with the participants so that they know that there is someone who will be able to make a good decision because he has the knowledge and the background to address the problems that they are there to discuss. Thank you.”

Senator Thielen rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

"I have had the great pleasure of working with Chairman Enright; although I don't know that he would call it a pleasure working with me in return. I represent a district which includes a lot of nurseries and small farms, and there's a tremendous demand for his time and attention, and he has been very, very generous with his time and attention for people. We are fortunate to have somebody who is willing to put that effort in, especially somebody who lives on a neighbor island and is commuting. So mahalo to the nominee."

Senator Nishihara rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

"I'd like to also echo the sentiments of the previous speakers. I've had to work with Mr. Enright; I've found him to be someone who's well-capable to handle the various controversies that come up before Agriculture. I know that he's well-regarded – you can trust his word. He's a person of deep character, and, certainly, he can handle whatever controversial issues that have come up, and there have been a number of them. I've only found him to be open and willing to listen to the other side and to do all he can to further the agricultural industry in Hawai'i. So, I rise in strong support for him and ask other members as well to support him. Thank you."

Senator Dela Cruz rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

"I just want to acknowledge the hard work of the incoming chair with the Whitmore Project. It's probably the largest undertaking for agriculture the state's seen in recent years, and because of his leadership and his participation in the ADC board, it's going to be real as part of all of our terms – within the time we're elected, we'll see the fruits of our labor. It's not something we're going to see 20, 30 years down the line. So, I really appreciate his help and ask all of you to support his confirmation. Thank you."

Senator Kahele rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

"I've known Scott for many, many years and always knew that he had the qualities to serve in this position, as well as the experience and all of that will be brought to the Department of Agriculture. So, I welcome Scott; ask my colleague for your support; and hope that we'll work closely together, Scott. Thank you very much."

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

At this time, Senator Ruderman introduced Scott Enright, newly confirmed director of the Department of Agriculture, who was present in the gallery.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1563 (Gov. Msg. No. 502):

Senator Ruderman moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1563 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Riviere and carried.

Senator Ruderman then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of PHYLLIS SHIMABUKURO-GEISER as Deputy Chairperson of the Department of Agriculture, term to expire December 3, 2018, seconded by Senator Riviere.

Senator Ruderman rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

"Phyllis Shimabukuro-Geiser is a third-generation descendant from a farming family which produced pineapple on Maui and then diversified into tomatoes and fresh eggs on O'ahu. Phyllis earned both bachelor and master of science degrees in agriculture and wants to dedicate the rest of her career using her 30 years of experience in farming to help the farmers, ranchers, and the State of Hawai'i toward sustainability, food resiliency, and quality of life. She states: 'Helping to feed our people with more locally produced foods is the noblest gift I can offer through public service.'"

"I'm grateful to see an actual food farmer appointed to this position, as I know she understands the challenges facing Hawai'i's farmers from a firsthand, real-life perspective. Her knowledge and experience will be a great asset to the director and to the department. Your committee was extremely impressed with the outpouring of support for Ms. Shimabukuro-Geiser and with her remarkable ability to truly listen and communicate clearly. Also, her deep-rooted sense of community and genuine respect for all were apparent."

"I'm pleased that Ms. Shimabukuro-Geiser wants to serve our state in this capacity, and I urge my colleagues to support her as deputy director of the Department of Agriculture. Thank you."

Senator Slom rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

"I've known Ms. Shimabukuro-Geiser for many years. She's smart; she's articulate; and she brings a wealth of knowledge to this position. She'll be a very good help to the department head and to the people of Hawai'i. We talk about the importance of agriculture all the time – here's someone who's brought us our daily eggs for many years. Thank you."

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

At this time, Senator Ruderman introduced newly confirmed Deputy Director Phyllis Shimabukuro-Geiser, who was present in the gallery with Governor David Y. Ige and his Chief of Staff Mike McCartney, and supporters from the Department of Agriculture.

At 12:04 p.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 12:15 p.m.

Senator Ruderman introduced other supporters of Deputy Director Phyllis Shimabukuro-Geiser who were present in the gallery, including her mother, Sue Shimabukuro; her sister, Lois Shimabukuro-Miyake; and her husband, Andy Geiser.

ADOPTION OF A RESOLUTION

MATTER DEFERRED FROM TUESDAY, APRIL 14, 2015

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1561 (S.R. No. 126, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 126, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO ESTABLISH A VOLUNTARY FARM TO SCHOOL PROGRAM," was adopted.

REFERRAL OF HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The President made the following committee assignments of House concurrent resolutions received on Thursday, April 9, 2015:

H.C.R. No.:	Referred to:
H.C.R. No. 162	Jointly to the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
H.C.R. No. 178, H.D. 1	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Ways and Means
H.C.R. No. 189, H.D. 1	Committee on Economic Development and Technology

RE-REFERRAL OF HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The Chair re-referred the following House concurrent resolutions that were received:

H.C.R. No.:	Referred to:
H.C.R. No. 162	Committee on Tourism and International Affairs
H.C.R. No. 212	Committee on Ways and Means

Senator Gabbard announced that his office would be selling his signature lasagna to benefit the Hawai'i Foodbank, then strongly urged the members' participation in the upcoming Capitol Idol talent show.

Senator Thielen suggested that a group of senators perform a rendition of "Opihi Man" at the talent show to benefit the Hawai'i Foodbank.

Senator Gabbard rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

"Colleagues, in yesterday's *Star-Advertiser*, in the obituaries, we got notice of the passing of Dick Neill, at 83 years old, who was one of the early advocates and pioneers for renewable energy in our state. And I quote from the obituary: 'From 1976 to 1978, Dick worked as a State Senate Energy Committee Clerk for Chairman Senator T.C. Yim on obtaining funding for renewable energy. In 1978, he became a program manager at the University of Hawai'i's Hawaii Natural Energy Institute for renewable energy projects such as wind, solar, geothermal, PV, and electric vehicles. He worked at HNEI for nearly 15 years.' So, Madam President, may I request that the Senate adjourn on a rising vote and observe a moment of silence in honor and memory of Dick Neill? Mahalo." (The Chair so ordered.)

The Chair then made the following announcement:

"Conferees are named in accordance with the action sheets to be updated later this afternoon."

APPOINTMENT OF CONFEREES

H.B. No. 500, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 500, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Tokuda, chair; Kouchi, Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, English, Galuteria, Harimoto, Inouye, Riviere, and Ruderman as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:21 p.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Friday, April 17, 2015, on a rising vote, observing a moment of silence for Dick Neill.

FORTY-EIGHTH DAY

Friday, April 17, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:39 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present with the exception of Senator Galuteria who was excused.

The President announced that she had read and approved the Journal of the Forty-Seventh Day.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 230 and 887 to 891) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 230, dated April 9, 2015, transmitting the Caregiver Working Group Report, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to H.C.R. No. 78 (2014).

Gov. Msg. No. 887, informing the Senate that on April 2, 2015, the Governor withdrew the nomination of KEVIN HENDRICKS to the Motor Vehicle Repair Industry Board, under Gov. Msg. Nos. 737 and 738 dated April 2, 2015, from consideration by the Senate.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 887, the nominations listed under Gov. Msg. Nos. 737 and 738 were returned.

Gov. Msg. No. 888, informing the Senate that on April 14, 2015, the Governor withdrew the nomination of ERIC SEELEMAN to the Workforce Development Council, under Gov. Msg. Nos. 698 and 699 dated April 1, 2015, from consideration by the Senate.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 888, the nominations listed under Gov. Msg. Nos. 698 and 699 were returned.

Gov. Msg. No. 889, informing the Senate that on April 14, 2015, the Governor withdrew the nomination of LEO CAIRES to the Workforce Development Council, under Gov. Msg. Nos. 700 and 701 dated April 1, 2015, from consideration by the Senate.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 889, the nominations listed under Gov. Msg. Nos. 700 and 701 were returned.

Gov. Msg. No. 890, informing the Senate that on April 14, 2015, the Governor withdrew the nomination of MIN KIM to the Workforce Development Council, under Gov. Msg. Nos. 696 and 697 dated April 1, 2015, from consideration by the Senate.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 890, the nominations listed under Gov. Msg. Nos. 696 and 697 were returned.

Gov. Msg. No. 891, letter dated April 15, 2015, correcting the name of the commission on Gov. Msg. No. 885, Gubernatorial Nominee as the Compact Administrator for Interstate Adult Offender Supervision, SIDNEY H. NAKAMOTO term to expire December 3, 2018, commission name amended to Interstate Commission for Adult Offender Supervision.

HOUSE COMMUNICATION

The following communication from the House (Hse. Com. No. 616) was read by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Hse. Com. No. 616, informing the Senate that on April 16, 2015, the House disagreed to the amendments proposed by the Senate to the following House bills:

H.B. No. 10, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 11, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 26, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 58, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 119, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 124, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 134, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 139, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 142, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 145, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 148, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 158 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 169, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 174, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 206, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 207, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 209, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 242 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 252, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 261, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 277, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 278, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 287, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 290, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 293, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 318, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 321, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 346, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 365, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 391, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 436, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 438, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 440, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 444, H.D. 3 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 448, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 457, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 461 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 464, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 467, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 481, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 482, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 496, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 501, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 503, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 508, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 515, H.D. 3 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 525, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 538, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 540, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 541, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 547, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 553, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 573 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 576, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 578, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 581, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 582, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 586, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 600, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 611, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 621, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 631, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 676, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 683, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 696, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 697, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 716, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 746, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);

H.B. No. 768, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 774, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 782, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 805, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 819, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 820, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 821, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 823, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 830, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 831, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 832, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 850, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 851, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 858, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 871, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 874, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 894, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 896, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 943, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 971, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1005, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 1010, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1025, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1042 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 1063, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 1069, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1075, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1112, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1127, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 1140, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1153 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1167, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1168, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 1180, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1182, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 1214, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 1236, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1251, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1268, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1282, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 1292, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1296, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1325, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 1332, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 1343, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 1344 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1345, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1349, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 1354, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1356 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1360, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 1366 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1377, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 1394, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1412, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 1432, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 1440, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 1467, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 1471, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1478, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1489, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1491, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 1509, H.D. 3 (S.D. 2); and
 H.B. No. 1513, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2).

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1566) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Natural Area Reserves System Commission of the following:

MARIE BRUEGMANN, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 705; and

RONALD RAPANOT, SR., in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 706.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1566 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 705 and 706 was deferred until Monday, April 20, 2015.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1567) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Kane'ohe Bay Regional Council of the following:

JUDITH LEMUS, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 836;

WAYNE TANAKA, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 837; and

WAYNE TANAKA, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 838.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1567 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 836, 837 and 838 was deferred until Monday, April 20, 2015.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1568) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the State Highway Safety Council of the following:

CHAD TANIGUCHI, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 806;

GORDON HONG, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 807; and

JOHN GOODY, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 808.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1568 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 806, 807 and 808 was deferred until Monday, April 20, 2015.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1569) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Medical Advisory Board of the following:

OSCAR DELLINGER, MD, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 645;

KLEBERT JONES, MD, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 709;

ALAN STEIN, MD, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 710;

JOHN CORBOY, MD, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 711;

JUDITH DICKERT, MD, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 712; and

JUDITH DICKERT, MD, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 713.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1569 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 645, 709, 710, 711, 712 and 713 was deferred until Monday, April 20, 2015.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1570) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Land Use Commission of the following:

ARNOLD K.H. WONG, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 813;

KENT M. HIRANAGA, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 815; and

LINDA ESTES, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 816.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1570 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 813, 815 and 816 was deferred until Monday, April 20, 2015.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1571) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of DENISE ANTOLINI to the Commission on Water Resource Management, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 821.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1571 and Gov. Msg. No. 821 was deferred until Monday, April 20, 2015.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1572) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Kaho'olawe Island Reserve Commission of the following:

CARMEN HULU LINDSEY, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 833; and

MICHELE MCLEAN, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 834.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1572 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 833 and 834 was deferred until Monday, April 20, 2015.

Senator Shimabukuro, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1573) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of DOREEN CANTO to the Hawaiian Homes Commission, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 740.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1573 and Gov. Msg. No. 740 was deferred until Monday, April 20, 2015.

Senator Shimabukuro, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1574) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of KATHLEEN P. CHIN to the Hawaiian Homes Commission, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 741.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1574 and Gov. Msg. No. 741 was deferred until Monday, April 20, 2015.

Senator Shimabukuro, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1575) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of MICHAEL KAHIKINA to the Hawaiian Homes Commission, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 742.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1575 and Gov. Msg. No. 742 was deferred until Monday, April 20, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1576) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of KEN TAKAYAMA to the Commission to Promote Uniform Legislation, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 554.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1576 and Gov. Msg. No. 554 was deferred until Monday, April 20, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1577) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of THOMAS OTAKE to the Defender Council, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 613.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1577 and Gov. Msg. No. 613 was deferred until Monday, April 20, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1578) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of MARIE C. LADERA to the Labor and Industrial Relations Appeals Board, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 831.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1578 and Gov. Msg. No. 831 was deferred until Monday, April 20, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1579) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of KERRY KOMATSUBARA to the Hawai'i Labor Relations Board, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 832.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1579 and Gov. Msg. No. 832 was deferred until Monday, April 20, 2015.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1580) recommending that H.C.R. No. 14 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1580 and H.C.R. No. 14, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF THE OLDER AMERICANS ACT AND DESIGNATING MAY AS "OLDER AMERICANS MONTH" IN HAWAII," was deferred until Monday, April 20, 2015.

ORDER OF THE DAY

ADVISE AND CONSENT

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1564 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 703 and 704):

Senator Thielen moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1564 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Ihara and carried.

Senator Thielen then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Kokee State Park Advisory Council of the following:

MADELINE GUYETT, term to expire June 30, 2015 (Gov. Msg. No. 703); and

MADELINE GUYETT, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 704),

seconded by Senator Ihara.

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Galuteria).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1565 (Gov. Msg. No. 537):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1565 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried.

Senator Tokuda then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of JOSEPH KIM as Deputy Director of the Department of Taxation, term to expire December 3, 2018, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

Senator Tokuda rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

"Thank you. Colleagues, Joe Kim is not an unfamiliar face to the Senate. Prior to his nomination under the current

administration as DOTAX deputy director, the Hawaii Air National Guard brigadier general served as deputy adjutant general for the Department of Defense, where he ran day-to-day operations involving budgeting, personnel, facilities management, and legislative affairs.

“Brigadier General Kim, now Deputy Director Kim, is a decorated and accomplished war veteran with over 30 years of strong leadership and management experience. During the hearing, both peers and subordinates alike spoke of their respect and admiration and all that they had for him in terms of his ability to inspire his team, think critically, and plan and execute actions that would result in positive outcomes.

“Your committee engaged the nominee in our hopes for where we would like to see the Department of Taxation go, moving forward, and the challenges that have faced both the department, its modernization efforts, and internal staffing issues and collections in the past. It is our sincerest hope that Deputy Director Kim will embark upon this newest mission with open eyes and a commitment to ‘do the right thing for the right reason,’ quoting our governor, because this is a critically important department that will be served well by his fresh and new perspective.

“It is my hope that all of you will join me in confirming our newest deputy director for the Department of Tax. I could go on and on, talking about this individual: He’s quite an engaging guy; don’t let all that uniform up there fool you. I hope all of you have had a chance to talk with him one on one prior to today. But again, I ask for your support of this nomination. Thank you.”

The Chair, in good humor, noted that she was not related in any way to the nominee.

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Galuteria).

At this time, Senator Tokuda introduced Joseph Kim, newly confirmed deputy director of the Department of Taxation, who was present in the gallery with his wife, Kimberly; his daughters Kammi, Lauren, and Ashley; and supporters from the Department of Taxation and the Department of Defense.

FINAL READING

S.B. No. 14, S.D. 1, H.D. 2:

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 14, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 14, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RESIDENTIAL LANDLORD-TENANT CODE,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Galuteria).

S.B. No. 388, H.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Baker and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 388, and S.B. No. 388, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POLICE DEPARTMENTS,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Galuteria).

S.B. No. 434, S.D. 2, H.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Shimabukuro, seconded by Senator Ruderman and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 434, S.D. 2, and S.B.

No. 434, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATED TO AGRICULTURE,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Galuteria).

S.B. No. 589, S.D. 2, H.D. 2:

Senator Baker moved that S.B. No. 589, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran.

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

“I just want to say a few words about this bill because it’s so important to my community. There are very few ways that we can legislatively help the lava threat that Puna faces, but this is one. You know, most of the crises that have occurred so far have all been manmade; it includes schools and businesses closing and a lot of relocation. But the first, and perhaps biggest, crisis has been a threat by insurance companies to not renew homeowners policies and to not grant any new homeowners policies, which has resulted in the real estate market coming to a halt; no home sales, which has resulted in property values dropping precipitously. It’s resulted in threats of foreclosures and bankruptcies and affected the whole community. And this bill goes a long way toward returning normalcy, or at least as much as the word ‘normalcy’ can apply to lower Puna, and I want to thank the work of the Consumer Protection chair as well as those parts of the insurance industry that came to the table to be part of the solution. Thank you.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 589, S.D. 2, and S.B. No. 589, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Galuteria).

S.B. No. 736, S.D. 1, H.D. 2:

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 736, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 736, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Galuteria).

S.B. No. 822, S.D. 1, H.D. 2:

Senator Kidani moved that S.B. No. 822, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran.

Senator Thielen rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations as follows:

“I want to recognize the hard work that was done by the Education committees, and I commend them for everything that they did. The reservations I want to express is more that, as the department implements this new interpretation, that we don’t backslide from the gains that we made recently in instructional hours. Thank you.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 822, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 822, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION,” having

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

Ayes, 24; Ayes with Reservations (Thielen). Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Galuteria).

S.B. No. 987, S.D. 1, H.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Taniguchi, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 987, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 987, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Galuteria).

S.B. No. 1156, S.D. 1, H.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1156, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 1156, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATUTORY REVISION: AMENDING OR REPEALING VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE HAWAII REVISED STATUTES AND THE SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII FOR THE PURPOSES OF CORRECTING ERRORS AND REFERENCES, CLARIFYING LANGUAGE, AND DELETING OBSOLETE OR UNNECESSARY PROVISIONS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Galuteria).

Senator Green announced that the "Massage Promotes Quality of Life" event, sponsored by himself and State Representative John M. Mizuno, would be taking place that afternoon to support the Hawai'i Foodbank.

Senator Riviere noted that the online auction for the "Best Beaches of Hawai'i" prints by Bill Braden to benefit the Hawai'i Foodbank would be concluding that afternoon, and encouraged the members to place their bids.

Senator Slom rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

"I was just wondering whether Senator Green was going to give the massages himself, or whether we have professionals.

"I have good news, Madam President. I mean, the best news was your non-relationship with the nominee, but other than that, the good news is that the Hawaiian hoary bat, the only native Hawaiian land mammal, which passed unanimously through this body and just passed unanimously through the State House on Tuesday, is now up in the governor's office. And I know there will be a flutter of wings in preparation for him to sign that bill into law. But the good news is, many people bought bat T-shirts, and the proceeds will go to the Hawai'i Foodbank, and we have more than \$600 that was raised, so thank you, colleagues. And it's a good day when the bats are flying. Aloha."

Senator Kidani rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

"I wanted to congratulate Mililani High School. Anyway, I wanted to congratulate both the boys and girls tennis teams for being the OIA champs, and as I passed the school yesterday, they were removing the sign to put up the new champs for both boys and girls, the OIA golf champs. Mahalo."

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:52 a.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Monday, April 20, 2015.

FORTY-NINTH DAY

Monday, April 20, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:33 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present.

The President announced that she had read and approved the Journal of the Forty-Eighth Day.

Senator Shimabukuro introduced Office of Hawaiian Affairs Trustee Hulu Lindsey, who was present in the gallery.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 1108 to 1110) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 1108, informing the Senate that on April 16, 2015, the Governor signed into law H.B. No. 928 as Act 8, entitled: "RELATING TO THE CONSUMER ADVOCATE."

Gov. Msg. No. 1109, informing the Senate that on April 16, 2015, the Governor signed into law H.B. No. 269 as Act 9, entitled: "RELATING TO PSYCHOLOGY."

Gov. Msg. No. 1110, informing the Senate that on April 16, 2015, the Governor signed into law H.B. No. 78 as Act 10, entitled: "RELATING TO NON-GENERAL FUNDS."

HOUSE COMMUNICATION

The following communication from the House (Hse. Com. No. 617) was read by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Hse. Com. No. 617, informing the Senate that on April 20, 2015, the Speaker appointed conferees on the part of the House for the consideration of amendments proposed by the Senate to the following House bills:

H.B. No. 10, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Takumi, Belatti, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Kobayashi, Say, Matsumoto.

H.B. No. 11, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Takumi, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Ohno, Say, Matsumoto.

H.B. No. 15, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Rhoads, chair; Brower, San Buenaventura, McDermott.

H.B. No. 26, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Rhoads, Luke, co-chairs; Johanson, McDermott.

H.B. No. 58, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Rhoads, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Brower, McDermott.

H.B. No. 73 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Luke, chair; Nishimoto, Pouha.

H.B. No. 79, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Jordan, chair; Yamashita, Pouha.

H.B. No. 87 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Rhoads, chair; Brower, San Buenaventura, Tupola.

H.B. No. 119, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Belatti, Kobayashi, co-chairs; Morikawa, Fukumoto Chang.

H.B. No. 124, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Rhoads, DeCoite, co-chairs; Lee, McDermott.

H.B. No. 126 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Nakashima, Luke, co-chairs; Nishimoto, Pouha.

H.B. No. 134, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Luke, chair; Aquino, Onishi, McDermott.

H.B. No. 142, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Hashem, Ing, Luke, co-chairs; Keohokalole, Pouha.

H.B. No. 145, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives McKelvey, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Woodson, McDermott.

H.B. No. 148, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Rhoads, DeCoite, co-chairs; San Buenaventura, McDermott.

H.B. No. 158 (S.D. 1):

Representatives San Buenaventura, Luke, co-chairs; Yamashita, Tupola.

H.B. No. 171, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Luke, chair; Cullen, Nishimoto, Pouha.

H.B. No. 172, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Luke, chair; Cullen, Nishimoto, Pouha.

H.B. No. 173, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Jordan, chair; Kobayashi, Pouha.

H.B. No. 174, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Belatti, McKelvey, Kobayashi, co-chairs; Takayama, Fukumoto Chang.

H.B. No. 179, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Rhoads, chair; Brower, San Buenaventura, McDermott.

H.B. No. 206, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Ing, Lowen, co-chairs; Keohokalole, Ward.

H.B. No. 207, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Ing, Lowen, co-chairs; Keohokalole, Pouha.

H.B. No. 209, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Ing, Luke, co-chairs; Keohokalole, Pouha.

H.B. No. 252, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives McKelvey, Belatti, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Oshiro, Fukumoto Chang.

H.B. No. 261, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Belatti, McKelvey, Kobayashi, co-chairs; Hashem, Fukumoto Chang.

H.B. No. 271, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Kawakami, McKelvey, co-chairs; Brower, Kong, Takayama, Ward.

H.B. No. 277, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Hashem, Jordan, co-chairs; Morikawa, Oshiro, Fukumoto Chang.

H.B. No. 278, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Hashem, Jordan, co-chairs; Morikawa, Oshiro, Fukumoto Chang.

H.B. No. 287, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Rhoads, chair; Takayama, McDermott.

H.B. No. 290, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Rhoads, Luke, co-chairs; San Buenaventura, McDermott.

H.B. No. 318, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Lowen, chair; DeCoite, Johanson, Ward.

H.B. No. 321, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Belatti, Rhoads, Luke, co-chairs; San Buenaventura, Takayama, Fukumoto Chang.

H.B. No. 346, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Rhoads, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Cullen, Thielen.

H.B. No. 365, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Takayama, DeCoite, co-chairs; Har, Tupola.

H.B. No. 391, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Nakashima, Keohokalole, co-chairs; Aquino, McDermott.

H.B. No. 393, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Ing, Belatti, Keohokalole, co-chairs; Lowen, Pouha.

H.B. No. 436, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Aquino, Takayama, San Buenaventura, co-chairs; Har, LoPresti, Tupola.

H.B. No. 438, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Yamane, Ing, Luke, co-chairs; Evans, Keohokalole, Pouha.

H.B. No. 440, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Yamane, Cullen, co-chairs; Evans, Pouha.

H.B. No. 444, H.D. 3 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Yamane, Brower, Cullen, co-chairs; Evans, Lee, Ward.

H.B. No. 448, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Belatti, San Buenaventura, DeCoite, co-chairs; Morikawa, Fukumoto Chang.

H.B. No. 457, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Ichiyama, DeCoite, co-chairs; Kong, Matsumoto.

H.B. No. 461 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Luke, chair; Johanson, Pouha.

H.B. No. 464, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Belatti, Kobayashi, co-chairs; Oshiro, Fukumoto Chang.

H.B. No. 481, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Belatti, Lowen, co-chairs; Onishi, Fukumoto Chang.

H.B. No. 482, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Tsuji, Lowen, co-chairs; DeCoite, Onishi, Ward.

H.B. No. 496, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Nakashima, McKelvey, Keohokalole, co-chairs; Takayama, McDermott.

H.B. No. 501, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Tsuji, McKelvey, Luke, co-chairs; Cachola, Onishi, Ward.

H.B. No. 503, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Tsuji, Yamane, Cullen, co-chairs; Cachola, Tokioka, Pouha.

H.B. No. 508, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Tsuji, Rhoads, Luke, co-chairs; Onishi, Thielen.

H.B. No. 515, H.D. 3 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Yamane, Rhoads, Cullen, co-chairs; Evans, Pouha.

H.B. No. 538, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Morikawa, McKelvey, Rhoads, co-chairs; San Buenaventura, McDermott.

H.B. No. 540, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Ichiyama, Yamashita, co-chairs; Kong, Matsumoto.

H.B. No. 541, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Ichiyama, Yamashita, co-chairs; Aquino, Tupola.

H.B. No. 547, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Ichiyama, Yamashita, co-chairs; Aquino, Matsumoto.

H.B. No. 553, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Nakashima, Ichiyama, Keohokalole, co-chairs; LoPresti, Matsumoto.

H.B. No. 561, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Nakashima, Rhoads, co-chairs; LoPresti, McDermott.

H.B. No. 562, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Aquino, Cullen, co-chairs; Har, LoPresti, Thielen.

H.B. No. 573 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Tsuji, Onishi, co-chairs; Cachola, DeCoite, Ward.

H.B. No. 576, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Belatti, McKelvey, Luke, co-chairs; Creagan, McDermott.

H.B. No. 578, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Belatti, Takumi, Kobayashi, co-chairs; Hashem, Matsumoto.

H.B. No. 581, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Belatti, Kobayashi, co-chairs; Creagan, Fukumoto Chang.

H.B. No. 582, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Belatti, Kobayashi, co-chairs; Creagan, Fukumoto Chang.

H.B. No. 586, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Belatti, Rhoads, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Creagan, Fukumoto Chang.

H.B. No. 600, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Morikawa, Belatti, Kobayashi, co-chairs; Keohokalole, Fukumoto Chang.

H.B. No. 611, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Yamane, Cullen, co-chairs; Evans, Pouha.

H.B. No. 621, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Lee, McKelvey, Ing, Lowen, co-chairs; Thielen.

H.B. No. 631, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Belatti, Rhoads, co-chairs; Lee, Fukumoto Chang.

H.B. No. 676, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Nakashima, Keohokalole, co-chairs; Ichiyama, Thielen.

H.B. No. 683, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Nakashima, Rhoads, co-chairs; Johanson, McDermott.

H.B. No. 696, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Nakashima, Belatti, Keohokalole, co-chairs; Har, Fukumoto Chang.

H.B. No. 697, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Nakashima, Keohokalole, co-chairs; Ichiyama, Ward.

H.B. No. 707 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Jordan, chair; Kobayashi, Pouha.

H.B. No. 715, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Aquino, San Buenaventura, co-chairs; Brower, Har, Tupola.

H.B. No. 716, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Kawakami, Brower, Cachola, co-chairs; Kong, Ohno, Ward.

H.B. No. 746, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Keohokalole, Takayama, Johanson, co-chairs; Aquino, Tupola.

H.B. No. 768, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Hashem, Rhoads, Jordan, co-chairs; Keohokalole, Oshiro, Fukumoto Chang.

H.B. No. 774, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Kawakami, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Cachola, Kong, Ward.

H.B. No. 775, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Kawakami, Ichiyama, Cachola, co-chairs; Kong, Ward.

H.B. No. 782, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Belatti, Rhoads, Kobayashi, co-chairs; Woodson, Fukumoto Chang.

H.B. No. 805, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Ito, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Kong, Tokioka, Tupola.

H.B. No. 819, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Takumi, Rhoads, Luke, co-chairs; Hashem, Say, Matsumoto.

H.B. No. 820, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Takumi, Luke, co-chairs; Ohno, Say, Matsumoto.

H.B. No. 821, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Takumi, Luke, co-chairs; Ohno, Say, Matsumoto.

H.B. No. 823, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Tsuji, Creagan, Onishi, co-chairs; DeCoite, Ward.

H.B. No. 830, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Yamane, Cullen, co-chairs; Evans, Thielen.

H.B. No. 831, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Takumi, Nishimoto, co-chairs; LoPresti, Say, Matsumoto.

H.B. No. 832, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Takumi, Choy, Nishimoto, co-chairs; LoPresti, Say, Matsumoto.

H.B. No. 850, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Tsuji, Ichiyama, Onishi, co-chairs; Cachola, Matsumoto.

H.B. No. 851, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Belatti, Onishi, co-chairs; Creagan, Fukumoto Chang.

H.B. No. 858, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives McKelvey, Rhoads, co-chairs; Har, San Buenaventura, McDermott.

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- H.B. No. 871, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):
Representatives Tsuji, Onishi, co-chairs; Cachola, Ohno, Ward.
- H.B. No. 874, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):
Representatives Ing, Takumi, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Ohno, Pouha.
- H.B. No. 888, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):
Representatives Rhoads, chair; Takayama, Tupola.
- H.B. No. 894, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):
Representatives Nakashima, McKelvey, Luke, co-chairs; Woodson, Tupola.
- H.B. No. 896, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):
Representatives Rhoads, Luke, co-chairs; Brower, McDermott.
- H.B. No. 943, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):
Representatives Belatti, Kobayashi, co-chairs; Jordan, Fukumoto Chang.
- H.B. No. 947 (S.D. 1):
Representatives Belatti, Creagan, co-chairs; Kobayashi, McDermott.
- H.B. No. 952, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):
Representatives Nakashima, Rhoads, co-chairs; Johanson, McDermott.
- H.B. No. 971, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):
Representatives Aquino, Cullen, co-chairs; Nakashima, Tupola.
- H.B. No. 1005, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):
Representatives Ito, San Buenaventura, Keohokalole, co-chairs; Ohno, Pouha.
- H.B. No. 1010, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):
Representatives Aquino, Rhoads, Cullen, co-chairs; Har, LoPresti, Tupola.
- H.B. No. 1025, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):
Representatives Hashem, Jordan, co-chairs; Morikawa, Oshiro, Fukumoto Chang.
- H.B. No. 1042 (S.D. 1):
Representatives Tsuji, Onishi, co-chairs; Cachola, Woodson, Ward.
- H.B. No. 1063, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):
Representatives Belatti, Johanson, co-chairs; Creagan, Fukumoto Chang.
- H.B. No. 1069, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):
Representatives Kawakami, Luke, co-chairs; Kong, Ward.
- H.B. No. 1090, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):
Representatives Kawakami, McKelvey, Rhoads, co-chairs; Kong, Takayama, Ward.
- H.B. No. 1127, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):
Representatives McKelvey, Johanson, co-chairs; Har, Nakashima, Ward.
- H.B. No. 1140, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):
Representatives Lee, Lowen, co-chairs; Keohokalole, Thielen.
- H.B. No. 1153 (S.D. 2):
Representatives Ito, Aquino, Cullen, co-chairs; Tokioka, Tupola.
- H.B. No. 1167, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):
Representatives Luke, chair; Nishimoto, Ward.
- H.B. No. 1168, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):
Representatives Yamane, Cullen, co-chairs; Evans, Say, Pouha.
- H.B. No. 1180, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):
Representatives Johanson, chair; Kobayashi, Ward.
- H.B. No. 1182, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):
Representatives Johanson, chair; Kobayashi, Pouha.
- H.B. No. 1186, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):
Representatives Nakashima, Luke, co-chairs; Nishimoto, Pouha.
- H.B. No. 1214, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):
Representatives Nishimoto, DeCoite, co-chairs; Yamashita, Tupola.
- H.B. No. 1219, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):
Representatives McKelvey, San Buenaventura, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Brower, Har, McDermott.
- H.B. No. 1236, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):
Representatives Morikawa, Kobayashi, co-chairs; Jordan, Fukumoto Chang.
- H.B. No. 1251, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):
Representatives Takumi, Luke, co-chairs; Ing, Say, Matsumoto.
- H.B. No. 1268, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):
Representatives Nakashima, Keohokalole, co-chairs; San Buenaventura, McDermott.
- H.B. No. 1273, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):
Representatives Tsuji, Lee, McKelvey, co-chairs; Woodson, Ward.
- H.B. No. 1282, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):
Representatives Kawakami, Johanson, co-chairs; Kong, Woodson, Tupola.
- H.B. No. 1292, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):
Representatives Kawakami, Jordan, co-chairs; Kobayashi, Kong, Ward.
- H.B. No. 1296, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):
Representatives Lee, Keohokalole, co-chairs; Cullen, Ing, Ward.
- H.B. No. 1297, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):
Representatives Ing, San Buenaventura, co-chairs; Say, Pouha.

H.B. No. 1332, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Tsuji, Onishi, co-chairs; Kong, Ward.

H.B. No. 1343, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Kawakami, Takayama, Keohokalole, co-chairs; Kong, San Buenaventura, Ward.

H.B. No. 1344 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Takayama, Keohokalole, co-chairs; Har, San Buenaventura, Tupola.

H.B. No. 1345, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Tsuji, Onishi, co-chairs; Tokioka, Ward.

H.B. No. 1349, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Nakashima, Takumi, Nishimoto, co-chairs; LoPresti, Matsumoto.

H.B. No. 1354, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Hashem, Jordan, co-chairs; Morikawa, Oshiro, Fukumoto Chang.

H.B. No. 1356 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Cachola, chair; Nishimoto, Pouha.

H.B. No. 1360, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Aquino, Cullen, co-chairs; Har, LoPresti, Tupola.

H.B. No. 1366 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Yamane, Luke, co-chairs; Hashem, Yamashita, Ward.

H.B. No. 1368 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Ito, Lowen, co-chairs; Tokioka, Pouha.

H.B. No. 1377, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Belatti, Kobayashi, co-chairs; Morikawa, Fukumoto Chang.

H.B. No. 1394, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Lee, Yamane, Cullen, co-chairs; Evans, Lowen, Thielen.

H.B. No. 1432, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Morikawa, Jordan, co-chairs; Oshiro, Fukumoto Chang.

H.B. No. 1440, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Belatti, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Morikawa, Matsumoto.

H.B. No. 1467, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Belatti, McKelvey, Rhoads, Luke, co-chairs; Creagan, McDermott.

H.B. No. 1471, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Lee, Luke, co-chairs; Cullen, Thielen.

H.B. No. 1478, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Ing, Rhoads, Cullen, co-chairs; Evans, Pouha.

H.B. No. 1489, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Aquino, Yamashita, co-chairs; Har, Onishi, Tupola.

H.B. No. 1491, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Rhoads, DeCoite, co-chairs; Lee, McDermott.

H.B. No. 1497, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Nakashima, McKelvey, Keohokalole, co-chairs; Johanson, McDermott.

H.B. No. 1509, H.D. 3 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Lee, Ichiyama, Luke, co-chairs; Lowen, Matsumoto.

H.B. No. 1513, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Lee, Lowen, co-chairs; Say, Thielen.

JUDICIARY COMMUNICATION

The following communications from the Judiciary (Jud. Com. No. 7) was read by the Clerk and was disposed of as follows:

Jud. Com. No. 7, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the District Family Court of the First Circuit, Judicial Nominee DYAN M. MEDEIROS, for a term to expire in 6 years, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Government Operations, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1581) recommending that S.R. No. 72, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1581 and S.R. No. 72, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING AGENCIES SUBJECT TO THE HAWAII ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE ACT TO STRICTLY ADHERE TO THE HAWAII ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE ACT DURING THE RULE MAKING PROCESS," was deferred until Tuesday, April 21, 2015.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1582) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Hawaii Teacher Standards Board of the following:

BRANDEN KAWAZOE, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 602;

ROXANE STEWART, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 603;

LESLIE MURASHIGE, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 604;

LESLIE MURASHIGE, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 605;

KARIANE PARK TOYAMA, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 606; and

STEVE NAKASATO, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 610.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1582 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 603, 602, 604, 605, 606 and 610 was deferred until Tuesday, April 21, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1583) recommending that the Senate consent to the nomination of WILLIAM M. DOMINGO to the District Court of the First Circuit, State of Hawaii, in accordance with Jud. Com. No. 6.

In accordance with Senate Rules 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1583 and Jud. Com. No. 6 was deferred until Tuesday, April 21, 2015.

ORDER OF THE DAY

ADVISE AND CONSENT

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1566 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 705 and 706):

Senator Thielen moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1566 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Galuteria and carried.

Senator Thielen then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Natural Area Reserves System Commission of the following:

MARIE BRUEGMANN, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 705); and

RONALD RAPANOT, SR., term to expire June 30, 2017 (Gov. Msg. No. 706),

seconded by Senator Galuteria.

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1567 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 836, 837 and 838):

Senator Thielen moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1567 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Galuteria and carried.

Senator Thielen then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Kane'ohe Bay Regional Council of the following:

JUDITH LEMUS, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 836);

WAYNE TANAKA, term to expire June 30, 2015 (Gov. Msg. No. 837); and

WAYNE TANAKA, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 838),

seconded by Senator Galuteria.

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1568 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 806, 807 and 808):

Senator Nishihara moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1568 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Harimoto and carried.

Senator Nishihara then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the State Highway Safety Council of the following:

CHAD TANIGUCHI, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 806);

GORDON HONG, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 807); and

JOHN GOODY, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 808),

seconded by Senator Harimoto.

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1569 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 645, 709, 710, 711, 712 and 713):

Senator Nishihara moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1569 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Harimoto and carried.

Senator Nishihara then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Medical Advisory Board of the following:

OSCAR DELLINGER, MD, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 645);

KLEBERT JONES, MD, term to expire June 30, 2017 (Gov. Msg. No. 709);

ALAN STEIN, MD, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 710);

JOHN CORBOY, MD, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 711);

JUDITH DICKERT, MD, term to expire June 30, 2015 (Gov. Msg. No. 712); and

JUDITH DICKERT, MD, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 713),

seconded by Senator Harimoto.

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1570 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 813, 815 and 816):

Senator Thielen moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1570 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Galuteria and carried.

Senator Thielen then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Land Use Commission of the following:

ARNOLD K.H. WONG, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 813);

KENT M. HIRANAGA, term to expire June 30, 2016 (Gov. Msg. No. 815); and

LINDA ESTES, term to expire June 30, 2017 (Gov. Msg. No. 816),

seconded by Senator Galuteria.

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1571 (Gov. Msg. No. 821):

Senator Thielen moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1571 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Galuteria and carried.

Senator Thielen then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of DENISE ANTOLINI to the Commission on Water Resource Management, term to expire June 30, 2015, seconded by Senator Galuteria.

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1572 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 833 and 834):

Senator Thielen moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1572 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Galuteria and carried.

Senator Thielen then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Kahoʻolawe Island Reserve Commission of the following:

CARMEN HULU LINDSEY, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 833); and

MICHELE MCLEAN, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 834),

seconded by Senator Galuteria.

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1573 (Gov. Msg. No. 740):

Senator Shimabukuro moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1573 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Galuteria and carried.

Senator Shimabukuro then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of DOREEN CANTO to the Hawaiian Homes Commission, term to expire June 30, 2019, seconded by Senator Galuteria.

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1574 (Gov. Msg. No. 741):

Senator Shimabukuro moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1574 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Galuteria and carried.

Senator Shimabukuro then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of KATHLEEN P. CHIN to the Hawaiian Homes Commission, term to expire June 30, 2017, seconded by Senator Galuteria.

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1575 (Gov. Msg. No. 742):

Senator Shimabukuro moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1575 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Galuteria and carried.

Senator Shimabukuro then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of MICHAEL KAHIKINA to the Hawaiian Homes Commission, term to expire June 30, 2019, seconded by Senator Galuteria.

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1576 (Gov. Msg. No. 554):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1576 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried.

Senator Keith-Agaran then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of KEN TAKAYAMA to the Commission to Promote Uniform Legislation, term to expire June 30, 2019, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro.

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1577 (Gov. Msg. No. 613):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1577 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried.

Senator Keith-Agaran then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of THOMAS OTAKE to the Defender Council, term to expire June 30, 2018, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro.

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1578 (Gov. Msg. No. 831):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1578 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried.

Senator Keith-Agaran then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of MARIE C. LADERA to the Labor and Industrial Relations Appeals Board, term to expire June 30, 2016, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro.

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1579 (Gov. Msg. No. 832):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1579 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried.

Senator Keith-Agaran then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of KERRY KOMATSUBARA to the Hawai'i Labor Relations Board, term to expire June 30, 2018, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro.

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

At this time, Senator Thielen introduced Carmen Hulu Lindsey, newly confirmed member of the Kahoʻolawe Island Reserve Commission, and Denise Antolini, newly confirmed member of the Commission on Water Resource Management, and thanked them for their service.

Senator Keith-Agaran introduced newly confirmed members of boards and commissions who were present in the gallery: Ken Takayama of the Commission to Promote Uniform Legislation, who was accompanied by his wife, Diane Kishimoto; Kerry Komatsubara of the Hawai'i Labor Relations Board, who was accompanied by his wife, Sharon, his mother Lillian, and his aunt Tomie Hartig; Marie Laderta of the Labor

and Industrial Relations Appeals Board, who was accompanied by her husband, Paul, her mother-in-law Connie Laderta, and her sister-in-law Barbara Laderta. Senator Keith-Agaran also recognized Marie Laderta's mother Agnes Larero.

ADOPTION OF A RESOLUTION

MATTER DEFERRED FROM FRIDAY, APRIL 17, 2015

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1580 (H.C.R. No. 14):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 14, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF THE OLDER AMERICANS ACT AND DESIGNATING MAY AS "OLDER AMERICANS MONTH" IN HAWAII," was adopted.

RECONSIDERATION OF ACTIONS TAKEN

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

Senator Nishihara moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on April 16, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2, S.D. 2, seconded by Senator Baker and carried.

Senator Nishihara then moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2, S.D. 2, seconded by Senator Baker.

Senator Nishihara noted:

"The amendments made by the House on Senate Bill 2 are agreeable with the proponents of the bill, and the defective date was changed to an effective date. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2, S.D. 2, and S.B. No. 2, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PILOTAGE," was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Tuesday, April 21, 2015.

S.B. No. 233, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Senator Nishihara moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on April 16, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 233, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Espero and carried.

Senator Nishihara then moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 233, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Espero.

Senator Nishihara noted:

"The only change that the House made to Senate Bill 233 was to replace the defective date with an effective date. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 233, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 233, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION," was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Tuesday, April 21, 2015.

S.B. No. 283, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Senator Kahele moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on April 16, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 283, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran and carried.

Senator Kahele then moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 283, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran.

Senator Kahele noted:

"Both houses have agreed to the House version of the bill."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 283, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 283, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY," was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Tuesday, April 21, 2015.

At 11:41 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 11:42 a.m.

S.B. No. 611, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

Senator Nishihara moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on April 16, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 611, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran and carried.

Senator Nishihara then moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 611, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran.

Senator Nishihara noted:

"On Senate Bill 611, the House made only technical amendments and inserted an effective date. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 611, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 611, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO USE OF INTOXICANTS WHILE OPERATING A VEHICLE," was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Tuesday, April 21, 2015.

S.B. No. 1107 (H.D. 2):

Senator Chun Oakland moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on April 16, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1107, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried.

Senator Chun Oakland then moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1107, seconded by Senator Tokuda.

Senator Chun Oakland noted:

"Thank you. This bill relates to the emergency appropriation for general assistance. The amendments that the House made include the appropriate dollar amount and the effective date. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1107, and S.B. No. 1107, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR GENERAL ASSISTANCE," was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Tuesday, April 21, 2015.

S.B. No. 1115, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Senator Dela Cruz moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on April 16, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1115, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran and carried.

Senator Dela Cruz then moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1115, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran.

Senator Dela Cruz noted:

“The Committee on Government Operations moved to agree to the House Draft 1 as changes provided by the House were for clarity and consistency. The purpose of this measure is to clarify the scope of the Disability and Communication Access Board’s review of public construction projects for accessibility purposes. This measure clarifies that the board shall review public accommodations and commercial facilities on public lands as well as projects intended for transfer to state or a county.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1115, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 1115, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUILDING DESIGN FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES,” was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Tuesday, April 21, 2015.

Senator Kouchi rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

“Thank you, Madam President. I’d like to extend my best wishes and thanks for all of the commissioners and board members that we confirmed this morning and their willingness to serve.

“Until my colleague from Maui identified Lillian Komatsubara in the audience, I hadn’t intended to speak, but Kerry’s dad, Walter, besides being a retired fire captain from O’ahu, was a renowned manicurist, or artiste, of taking care of athletic fields. And even for the young people of Kaua’i, for the price of an airline ticket, he flew over on a Saturday morning with his specialized equipment, tore up the mound, started from home plate, then realigned the fields on Kaua’i and taught the volunteers who came out how to do it – and all he wanted was a McDonald’s cheeseburger for lunch, because he didn’t want to stop the work that he was doing. He has maintained and developed fields for young people throughout this state, and I wanted to personally thank Mrs. Komatsubara for sharing her husband with all of us and the great work that he did for the young people in Hawai’i, and certainly the values that they’ve taught their son Kerry and the volunteerism that he has expressed. Thank you.”

Senator Slom rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

“I just wanted to thank everyone, both inside the Capitol and outside the Capitol, who’ve worked on the food bank collection and distribution, and it was a success over the weekend. And yet, the fact that 276,000 of our citizens are dependent on food is a mark on our state, and it says that we have to do a better job. And we can start right here in the Capitol with not having more taxes, more spending, more government because that takes away from the ability for people to take care of themselves and for other people to be as generous as they can to help others. Thank you.”

Senator Gabbard reminded the members that the Capitol Idol talent show to support the Hawai’i Foodbank would be taking place that evening, and encouraged them to participate in voting for the best act.

The Chair then made the following announcement:

“Conferees are named in accordance with the action sheets which may be updated later this afternoon.”

APPOINTMENT AND DISCHARGE OF CONFEREES

S.B. No. 17 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 17, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the

President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Taniguchi, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 40, S.D. 3 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 40, S.D. 3, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 64, S.D. 3 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 64, S.D. 3, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Chun Oakland, chair; Kidani, Tokuda, co-chairs; Thielen, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 92, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 92, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Tokuda, chair; Dela Cruz, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 100, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 100, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Dela Cruz, Shimabukuro, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 101, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 101, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Tokuda, chair; Kouchi, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 104, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 104, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Tokuda, chair; Inouye, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 105, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 105, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Tokuda, chair; Kouchi, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 113, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 113, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Green, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Riviere, Ruderman, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 118, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 118, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Tokuda, chair; Dela Cruz,

English as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 139, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 139, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Dela Cruz, Shimabukuro, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 140 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 140, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Shimabukuro, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 143, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 143, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Shimabukuro, co-chair; Ihara as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 144, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 144, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Inouye, co-chair; Ihara, Kouchi, Shimabukuro as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 148, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 148, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Shimabukuro, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 158, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 158, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Kouchi, Shimabukuro, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 160, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 160, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Taniguchi, chair; Inouye, co-chair; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 181, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 181, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Espero, chair; Kidani, Kouchi, co-chairs; Harimoto, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 211, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 211, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Shimabukuro, co-chair; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 213, S.D. 2 (H.D. 3):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 213, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Espero, Harimoto, co-chairs; Dela Cruz, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 214, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 214, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Shimabukuro, co-chair; Ihara, Thielen, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 218, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 218, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Shimabukuro, co-chair; Gabbard as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 223, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 223, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Shimabukuro, co-chair; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 230 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 230, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Espero, Harimoto, co-chairs; Shimabukuro, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 250, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 250, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Tokuda, chair; Dela Cruz, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 253, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 253, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Tokuda, chair; Kouchi, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 254, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 254, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Tokuda, chair; Keith-Agaran,

co-chair; Chun Oakland, Inouye, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 265, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 265, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Espero, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 273, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 273, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Chun Oakland, chair; Keith-Agaran, co-chair; Espero, Harimoto, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 286, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 286, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Kouchi, Shimabukuro, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 287, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 287, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Kouchi, Shimabukuro, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 304, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 304, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Green, chair; Inouye, co-chair; Dela Cruz, Wakai, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 320, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 320, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Ruderman, chair; Gabbard, co-chair; Riviere, Thielen, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 349, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 349, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Gabbard, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Ihara as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 359, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 359, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Gabbard, chair; Ruderman, Tokuda, co-chairs; Kouchi, Thielen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 364, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 364, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Kouchi, co-chair; Ihara, Shimabukuro, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 374, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 374, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kidani, chair; Taniguchi, Dela Cruz, co-chairs; Inouye, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 376, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 376, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Ruderman, chair; Kidani, Riviere, co-chairs; Chun Oakland, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 382, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 382, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Ruderman, chair; Dela Cruz, co-chair; Keith-Agaran, Riviere, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 387, S.D. 2 (H.D. 3):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 387, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Taniguchi, chair; Shimabukuro, English, co-chairs; Thielen, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 419, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 419, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Espero, chair; Keith-Agaran, co-chair; Ihara, Thielen, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 423, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 423, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Espero, chair; Keith-Agaran, Galuteria, co-chairs; Harimoto, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 440, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 440, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Shimabukuro, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 452, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 452, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof,

the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Shimabukuro, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 464, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 464, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Taniguchi, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 475, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 475, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Espero, Ihara, Shimabukuro, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 508, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 508, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Shimabukuro, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 512, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 512, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Ruderman, chair; Thielen, Riviere, co-chairs; Chun Oakland, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 519, S.D. 2 (H.D. 3):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 519, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kahele, chair; Baker, Keith-Agaran, Tokuda, co-chairs; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 521, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 521, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Ruderman, chair; Inouye, co-chair; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 524, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 524, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Espero, chair; Keith-Agaran, Inouye, co-chairs; Shimabukuro, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 544, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 544, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Thielen, chair; Gabbard, Tokuda, co-chairs; Shimabukuro, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 550, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 550, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Green, chair; Espero, Keith-Agaran, co-chairs; Ihara, Ruderman as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 555, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 555, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Tokuda, chair; Espero, Riviere, Ruderman, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 559, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 559, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Espero, chair; Kouchi, co-chair; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 569, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 569, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Espero, Ihara, Shimabukuro, Thielen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 577, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 577, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Kouchi, Ruderman, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 652, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 652, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Espero, Ihara, Shimabukuro, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 654, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 654, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Shimabukuro, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 661, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 661, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Espero, chair; Taniguchi, English, co-chairs; Inouye, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 675, S.D. 2 (H.D. 3):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 675, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof,

the President appointed Senators Green, chair; Keith-Agaran, Espero, Tokuda, co-chairs; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 676, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 676, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Wakai, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Espero, Kouchi, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 682, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 682, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Green, chair; Keith-Agaran, co-chair; Espero, Gabbard, Ihara as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 703, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 703, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Gabbard, chair; Espero, Tokuda, co-chairs; Dela Cruz, Ihara as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 717, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 717, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Gabbard, chair; Baker, co-chair; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 737, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 737, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Kidani, Taniguchi as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 756, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 756, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Taniguchi, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 768, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 768, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Green, chair; Baker, English, co-chairs; Shimabukuro, Taniguchi as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 786, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 786, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Shimabukuro, chair; Thielen, Kouchi, co-chairs; Galuteria, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 791, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 791, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Green, chair; Baker, Tokuda, co-chairs; Gabbard, Wakai as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 826, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 826, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Kidani, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 831, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 831, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kidani, chair; Harimoto, co-chair; Dela Cruz, Riviere, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 841, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 841, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kidani, chair; Green, Dela Cruz, co-chairs; Harimoto, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 854, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 854, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kidani, chair; Tokuda, Dela Cruz, co-chairs; Galuteria, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 868, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 868, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Espero, chair; Baker, Galuteria, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 871, S.D. 1 (H.D. 3):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 871, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; English, co-chair; Ihara, Shimabukuro, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 878, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 878, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Espero, chair; Green, English, co-chairs; Riviere, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 887, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 887, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Wakai, chair; English,

co-chair; Dela Cruz, Espero, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 892, S.D. 2 (H.D. 3):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 892, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Wakai, chair; Espero, Gabbard, English, co-chairs; Dela Cruz as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 912, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 912, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Chun Oakland, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Green, Kouchi, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 961, S.D. 2 (H.D. 3):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 961, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Green, chair; Chun Oakland, Keith-Agaran, Harimoto, co-chairs; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 964, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 964, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Chun Oakland, chair; Green, Tokuda, co-chairs; Riviere, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 971, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 971, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Chun Oakland, chair; Riviere, co-chair; Green, Ruderman, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 974, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 974, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Chun Oakland, chair; Thielen, Kouchi, co-chairs; Harimoto, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 979, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 979, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Chun Oakland, chair; Riviere, co-chair; Green as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 982, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 982, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Green, chair; Espero, Keith-Agaran, co-chairs; Wakai, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 996, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 996, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Riviere, co-chair; Ihara, Shimabukuro, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1001, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1001, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Wakai, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Dela Cruz, Kouchi, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1009, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1009, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kahele, chair; Keith-Agaran, co-chair; Galuteria as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1009, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

The President appointed Senator Taniguchi as a manager and discharged Senator Galuteria as a manager on the part of the Senate at the conference to be held for the consideration of amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1009, S.D. 1.

S.B. No. 1011, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1011, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1028, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1028, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Harimoto, Taniguchi, Wakai as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1030, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1030, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Green, chair; Baker, Keith-Agaran, co-chairs; Espero, Nishihara as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1032, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1032, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Kahele, Kouchi, Taniguchi as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1036, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1036, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Green, chair; Kouchi,

co-chair; Baker, Inouye, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1042, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1042, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Gabbard, chair; English, co-chair; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1047, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1047, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Gabbard, chair; English, co-chair; Ihara, Kouchi, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1049, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1049, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Gabbard, chair; Green, co-chair; Galuteria, Ihara, Wakai as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1050, S.D. 2 (H.D. 3):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1050, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Gabbard, chair; Baker, Tokuda, co-chairs; Ihara, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1059, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1059, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Gabbard, chair; Ruderman, Nishihara, Keith-Agaran, Inouye, co-chairs; Galuteria, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1060, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1060, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Ruderman, chair; Riviere, co-chair; Harimoto, Taniguchi, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1062, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1062, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Ruderman, chair; Gabbard, Nishihara, Tokuda, co-chairs; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1066, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1066, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Espero, Ihara, Shimabukuro, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1072 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1072, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Ihara, Shimabukuro, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1074, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1074, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Thielen, chair; Wakai, Inouye, co-chairs; Galuteria, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1076, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1076, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Shimabukuro as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1077, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1077, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Shimabukuro as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1078, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1078, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Shimabukuro as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1079, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1079, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Shimabukuro as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1080, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1080, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Shimabukuro as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1081, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1081, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Shimabukuro as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1082, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1082, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof,

the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Shimabukuro as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1083, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1083, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Shimabukuro as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1084, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1084, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Shimabukuro as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1090, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1090, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1094, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1094, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Taniguchi as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1095, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1095, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Kahele, Taniguchi, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1096, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1096, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Harimoto, co-chair; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1101, S.D. 1 (H.D. 3):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1101, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Chun Oakland, chair; Keith-Agaran, Riviere, co-chairs; Inouye, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1113, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1113, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Green, chair; Chun Oakland, Keith-Agaran, co-chairs; Espero, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1117, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1117, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Green, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Baker, Kouchi, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1122 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1122, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; English, co-chair; Gabbard, Ruderman, Shimabukuro as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1124 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1124, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Thielen, chair; Galuteria, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1131, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1131, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Espero, chair; Keith-Agaran, co-chair; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1146, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1146, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Taniguchi, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Harimoto, Kahele, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1150, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1150, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Gabbard, chair; Kouchi, co-chair; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1155, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1155, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Wakai, chair; Kahele, Tokuda, co-chairs; Harimoto, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1157, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1157, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Wakai, chair; Galuteria, co-chair; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1158, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1158, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Espero, chair; Harimoto,

co-chair; Inouye as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1174, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1174, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Green, chair; Keith-Agaran, co-chair; Taniguchi as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1177, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1177, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Taniguchi, chair; Inouye, co-chair; English, Harimoto, Wakai as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1180, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1180, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Nishihara, chair; Espero, Harimoto, co-chairs; Inouye, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1208, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1208, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Espero, Ihara, Shimabukuro, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1211, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1211, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Espero, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1214 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1214, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Gabbard, chair; Baker, Tokuda, co-chairs; Ihara, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1219, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1219, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Baker, co-chair; Shimabukuro, Wakai, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1221, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1221, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kidani, chair; Wakai, Harimoto, co-chairs; Thielen, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1228, S.D. 2 (H.D. 3):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1228, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Dela Cruz, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Ihara, Kouchi, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1260 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1260, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Gabbard, chair; Green, Riviere, co-chairs; Ruderman, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1280, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1280, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Nishihara, Tokuda, co-chairs; Wakai, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1291, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1291, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Green, chair; Keith-Agaran, co-chair; Espero, Gabbard, Ihara as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1295, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1295, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Dela Cruz, chair; Wakai, Gabbard, Baker, Kouchi, co-chairs; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1297, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1297, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Tokuda, chair; Kouchi, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1299 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1299, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Tokuda, chair; Dela Cruz, Kouchi as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1305, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1305, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Espero, chair; Keith-Agaran, Kouchi, co-chairs; Galuteria, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1312, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1312, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Tokuda, chair; English,

Galuteria, Riviere, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1316, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1316, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Gabbard, chair; Baker, co-chair; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1324, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1324, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Shimabukuro, chair; Kouchi, co-chair; Espero, Inouye, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1338, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1338, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Keith-Agaran, Tokuda, co-chairs; Harimoto, Wakai as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1345 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1345, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kidani, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Dela Cruz, Harimoto, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1361, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1361, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Gabbard, Kouchi, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1367, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1367, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Green, chair; Chun Oakland, Inouye, co-chairs; Gabbard, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 10, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 10, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kidani, chair; Harimoto, co-chair; Kouchi, Thielen, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 11, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 11, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kidani, chair; Harimoto, co-chair; Riviere as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 15, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 15, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Gabbard, Ihara, Shimabukuro, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 26, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 26, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Shimabukuro, co-chair; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 58, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 58, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Inouye, co-chair; Shimabukuro, Thielen, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 73 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 73, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Tokuda, chair; Kouchi, co-chair; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 79, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 79, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Tokuda, chair; English, Harimoto, Inouye, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 87 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 87, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Espero, chair; Keith-Agaran, co-chair; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 119, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 119, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Chun Oakland, chair; Riviere, co-chair; Dela Cruz, Green, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 124, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 124, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Gabbard, Kouchi, Shimabukuro as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 126 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 126, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Tokuda, chair; Keith-Agaran,

co-chair; Galuteria, Harimoto, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 134, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 134, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Nishihara, chair; Espero, Tokuda, co-chairs; Harimoto, Kouchi as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 139, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 139, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Gabbard, chair; English, co-chair; Ihara, Kouchi, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 140, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 140, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Taniguchi, chair; Inouye, co-chair; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 142, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 142, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Shimabukuro, chair; Espero, Chun Oakland, Kouchi, co-chairs; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 145, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 145, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Kouchi, Taniguchi, Wakai as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 148, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 148, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Riviere, Shimabukuro, Thielen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 158 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 158, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Espero, chair; Keith-Agaran, English, co-chairs; Shimabukuro, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 171, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 171, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Tokuda, chair; Kouchi, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 172, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 172, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Tokuda, chair; English, Harimoto, Inouye, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 173, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 173, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Tokuda, chair; Harimoto, co-chair; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 174, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 174, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Green, chair; Baker, English, co-chairs on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 179, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 179, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Shimabukuro, co-chair; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 206, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 206, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Dela Cruz, chair; Galuteria, co-chair; English, Ruderman, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 207, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 207, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Shimabukuro, chair; Dela Cruz, Galuteria, co-chairs; Ihara, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 209, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 209, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Shimabukuro, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Galuteria, Inouye, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 241 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 241, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Gabbard, chair; Galuteria, co-chair; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 242 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 242, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Gabbard, chair; Galuteria,

co-chair; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 252, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 252, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Green, chair; Baker, Kouchi, co-chairs; Wakai, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 253, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 253, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Green, chair; Baker, co-chair; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 261, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 261, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Green, chair; Baker, Kouchi, co-chairs; Ruderman, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 277, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 277, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Chun Oakland, chair; Espero, Dela Cruz, co-chairs; Inouye, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 278, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 278, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Chun Oakland, chair; Espero, Dela Cruz, co-chairs; Harimoto, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 287, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 287, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Shimabukuro, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 290, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 290, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 293, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 293, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Espero, chair; Dela Cruz, Galuteria, co-chairs; Inouye, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 318, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 318, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Dela Cruz, chair; Harimoto, co-chair; Ihara, Riviere, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 321, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 321, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Green, chair; Espero, Keith-Agaran, Tokuda, co-chairs; Gabbard as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 346, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 346, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Dela Cruz, co-chair; Espero, Shimabukuro, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 354, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 354, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Green, chair; Baker, co-chair; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 365, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 365, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Espero, chair; Galuteria, co-chair; Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 391, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 391, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Gabbard, Ihara, Shimabukuro as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 393, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 393, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Shimabukuro, chair; Green, Thielen, Keith-Agaran, co-chairs; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 436, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 436, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Nishihara, chair; Espero, Keith-Agaran, co-chairs; Dela Cruz, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 438, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 438, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Shimabukuro, chair; Galuteria,

co-chair; Inouye, Kahele, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 440, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 440, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Thielen, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Galuteria, Riviere, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 444, H.D. 3 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 444, H.D. 3, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kahele, chair; Thielen, Kouchi, co-chairs; Galuteria, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 448, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 448, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Green, chair; Keith-Agaran, Tokuda, co-chairs; Thielen, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 457, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 457, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Taniguchi, chair; Shimabukuro, Tokuda, co-chairs; Inouye, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 461 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 461, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Dela Cruz, co-chair; Gabbard, Shimabukuro, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 464, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 464, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Green, chair; Galuteria, co-chair; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 467, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 467, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Green, chair; Baker, Inouye, co-chairs; Gabbard, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 481, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 481, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Green, chair; Ruderman, co-chair; Inouye, Wakai, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 482, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 482, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Ruderman, chair; Inouye, co-chair; Kouchi, Taniguchi, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 496, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 496, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Chun Oakland, Ihara, Shimabukuro as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 501, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 501, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Ruderman, chair; Inouye, Baker, co-chairs; Riviere, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 503, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 503, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Thielen, chair; Ruderman, Inouye, co-chairs; Taniguchi, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 508, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 508, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Ruderman, chair; Dela Cruz, Keith-Agaran, co-chairs; Riviere, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 515, H.D. 3 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 515, H.D. 3, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Shimabukuro, chair; Thielen, Kouchi, co-chairs; Inouye, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 525, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 525, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Green, chair; Thielen, Keith-Agaran, co-chairs; Gabbard as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 538, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 538, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Keith-Agaran, co-chair; Shimabukuro, Thielen, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 540, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 540, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof,

the President appointed Senators Taniguchi, chair; Inouye, co-chair; Harimoto, Kahele, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 541, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 541, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Taniguchi, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 547, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 547, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Taniguchi, chair; Kouchi, co-chair; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 553, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 553, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Taniguchi, chair; Keith-Agaran, Tokuda, co-chairs on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 561, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 561, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Espero, Ihara, Shimabukuro, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 562, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 562, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Nishihara, chair; Espero, Harimoto, co-chairs; Inouye, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 573 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 573, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Ruderman, chair; Dela Cruz, co-chair; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 576, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 576, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Harimoto, Taniguchi, Wakai as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 578, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 578, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kidani, chair; Green, English, co-chairs on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 581, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 581, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Green, chair; Chun Oakland, English, co-chairs; Harimoto, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 582, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 582, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Chun Oakland, chair; Green, Riviere, co-chairs; Inouye, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 586, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 586, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Green, chair; Inouye, co-chair; Baker, Gabbard, Galuteria as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 589, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 589, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Green, chair; Riviere, co-chair; Baker, Dela Cruz, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 600, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 600, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Chun Oakland, chair; Kouchi, co-chair; Dela Cruz, Green, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 611, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 611, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Thielen, chair; Riviere, co-chair; Galuteria, Ihara, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 621, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 621, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Gabbard, chair; Baker, Riviere, co-chairs; Keith-Agaran, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 623, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 623, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Gabbard, chair; Baker, co-chair; Galuteria, Ihara, Tokuda as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 631, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 631, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof,

the President appointed Senators Green, chair; Keith-Agaran, co-chair; Baker as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 676, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 676, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Shimabukuro, Thielen, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 683, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 683, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Shimabukuro, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 696, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 696, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Green, chair; Keith-Agaran, Tokuda, co-chairs; Riviere, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 697, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 697, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Dela Cruz, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Ihara, Riviere, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 707 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 707, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Tokuda, chair; English, Harimoto, Inouye, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 715, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 715, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Nishihara, chair; Baker, co-chair; English, Kahele, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 716, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 716, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kahele, chair; Wakai, English, co-chairs; Galuteria, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 746, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 746, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Espero, chair; Wakai, English, co-chairs; Dela Cruz, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 768, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 768, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Chun Oakland, chair; Baker, Harimoto, co-chairs; Kahele, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 774, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 774, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Wakai, chair; Galuteria, co-chair; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 775, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 775, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kahele, chair; English, co-chair; Galuteria, Wakai, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 782, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 782, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Green, chair; Inouye, Baker, co-chairs; Galuteria, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 805, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 805, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Espero, chair; Keith-Agaran, co-chair; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 819, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 819, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kidani, chair; Shimabukuro, English, co-chairs; Dela Cruz, Espero as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 820, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 820, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kidani, chair; Kouchi, co-chair; Harimoto, Riviere, Thielen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 821, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 821, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kidani, chair; Kouchi, co-chair; Riviere, Thielen, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 823, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 823, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof,

the President appointed Senators Ruderman, chair; Keith-Agaran, Riviere, co-chairs; Thielen, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 830, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 830, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Taniguchi, chair; Thielen, Tokuda, co-chairs; Galuteria, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 831, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 831, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kidani, chair; Harimoto, co-chair; Kouchi, Ruderman, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 832, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 832, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kidani, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 850, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 850, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Taniguchi, chair; Ruderman, Riviere, co-chairs; Inouye, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 851, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 851, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Green, chair; Ruderman, co-chair; Kahele, Thielen, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 858, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 858, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Keith-Agaran, co-chair; Shimabukuro, Thielen, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 871, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 871, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Ruderman, chair; Gabbard, Tokuda, co-chairs; Riviere, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 874, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 874, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Shimabukuro, chair; Kidani, Harimoto, co-chairs; Galuteria, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 888, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 888, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Espero, chair; Keith-Agaran, co-chair; Galuteria, Ihara, Thielen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 894, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 894, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Espero, chair; Keith-Agaran, English, co-chairs; Inouye, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 896, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 896, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Espero, Shimabukuro, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 943, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 943, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Green, chair; Chun Oakland, Inouye, co-chairs on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 947 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 947, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Shimabukuro, co-chair; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 952, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 952, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Shimabukuro, co-chair; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 971, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 971, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Nishihara, chair; Thielen, Tokuda, co-chairs; Chun Oakland, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1005, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1005, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Espero, chair; Keith-Agaran, Galuteria, co-chairs; Harimoto, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1007, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1007, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Nishihara, chair; Espero,

Shimabukuro, co-chairs; Harimoto, Ihara as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1010, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1010, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Espero, chair; Nishihara, Keith-Agaran, Harimoto, co-chairs; Ruderman as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1025, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1025, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Chun Oakland, chair; Keith-Agaran, Riviere, co-chairs; Galuteria, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1042 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1042, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Ruderman, chair; Espero, Kouchi, co-chairs; Thielen, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1063, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1063, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Green, chair; Harimoto, co-chair; Chun Oakland, Wakai, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1069, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1069, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Wakai, chair; Kouchi, co-chair; Dela Cruz, Tokuda, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1075, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1075, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Green, chair; Baker, Keith-Agaran, Tokuda, co-chairs; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1090, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1090, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Wakai, chair; Baker, Keith-Agaran, co-chairs; Galuteria, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1099, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1099, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Thielen, chair; Baker, co-chair; Galuteria, Riviere, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1112, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1112, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Green, chair; Baker, Keith-Agaran, Tokuda, co-chairs; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1127, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1127, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Dela Cruz, chair; Keith-Agaran, Tokuda, co-chairs; Ihara, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1140, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1140, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Gabbard, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Ihara as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1153 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1153, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Espero, chair; Nishihara, Inouye, co-chairs; Kidani, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1167, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1167, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Wakai, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Espero, Kouchi, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1168, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1168, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Thielen, chair; Riviere, co-chair; Galuteria, Taniguchi, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1180, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1180, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Dela Cruz, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Ihara, Riviere, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1182, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1182, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Tokuda, chair; Inouye, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1214, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1214, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Espero, chair; Kouchi,

co-chair; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1219, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1219, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Kouchi, co-chair; Keith-Agaran, Taniguchi, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1236, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1236, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Chun Oakland, chair; Kouchi, co-chair; Green, Inouye, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1251, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1251, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kidani, chair; Tokuda, Dela Cruz, co-chairs; Kouchi, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1268, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1268, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Inouye, co-chair; Espero, Shimabukuro, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1273, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1273, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Ruderman, chair; Gabbard, Baker, co-chairs; Thielen, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1282, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1282, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Espero, chair; Wakai, English, co-chairs; Dela Cruz, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1286, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1286, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Gabbard, chair; Thielen, Baker, co-chairs; Ihara, Wakai as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1292, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1292, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Dela Cruz, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Ihara, Riviere, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1296, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1296, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Wakai, chair; Gabbard, English, co-chairs; Green, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1325, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1325, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Espero, chair; English, co-chair; Galuteria, Harimoto, Ruderman as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1332, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1332, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Ruderman, chair; Kouchi, co-chair; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1343, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1343, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Wakai, chair; Espero, Harimoto, co-chairs; Galuteria, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1344 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1344, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Espero, chair; Inouye, co-chair; Galuteria, Riviere, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1345, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1345, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Ruderman, chair; Kouchi, co-chair; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1349, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1349, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kidani, chair; Shimabukuro, Harimoto, co-chairs; Thielen, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1354, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1354, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Chun Oakland, chair; Kouchi, co-chair; Dela Cruz, Harimoto, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1356 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1356, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the

President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Espero, Kouchi, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1360, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1360, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Nishihara, chair; Harimoto, Kouchi, co-chairs on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1366 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1366, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Dela Cruz, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; English, Ihara, Kouchi as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1368 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1368, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Shimabukuro, chair; Galuteria, co-chair; Inouye, Kahele, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1377, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1377, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Green, chair; Chun Oakland, Riviere, co-chairs; Wakai, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1394, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1394, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Gabbard, chair; Dela Cruz, Tokuda, co-chairs; Galuteria, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1410, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1410, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Thielen, chair; Galuteria, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1432, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1432, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Chun Oakland, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Dela Cruz, Green as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1467, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1467, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Keith-Agaran, Tokuda, co-chairs; Harimoto, Wakai as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1471, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1471, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Gabbard, chair; Baker, Tokuda, co-chairs; Kouchi, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1478, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1478, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Thielen, chair; Gabbard, Riviere, co-chairs; Galuteria, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1489, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1489, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Nishihara, chair; English, co-chair; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1491, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1491, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Shimabukuro, co-chair; Espero, Ihara, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1497, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1497, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keith-Agaran, chair; Baker, co-chair; Shimabukuro as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1509, H.D. 3 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1509, H.D. 3, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Taniguchi, chair; Gabbard, Tokuda, co-chairs; Kouchi, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1513, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1513, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Gabbard, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Dela Cruz, Kouchi, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:48 a.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Tuesday, April 21, 2015.

FIFTIETH DAY

Tuesday, April 21, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:32 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present.

The President announced that she had read and approved the Journal of the Forty-Ninth Day.

Senator Riviere, on behalf of Senator Dela Cruz and himself, introduced third and fourth grade students, teachers, and parent chaperones from Trinity Lutheran School in Wahiawā: third grade teacher Liz Riviere, wife of Senator Gil Riviere; third grade chaperones Cathy Barker, Jason Bullard, Sarah Eyman, Diane Gray, Deneisia Meyers, Nathan Springer, and Shelly Hanson; fourth grade teacher Lindsay Fassett; and fourth grade chaperones Chaz Beasley, Heather Duchermin, and Ipek Rudd.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following message from the Governor (Gov. Msg. No. 892) was read by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 892, informing the Senate that on April 16, 2015, the Governor withdrew the nomination of SELMA YAMAMOTO to the Board of Pharmacy, under Gov. Msg. No. 780 dated April 2, 2015, from consideration by the Senate.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 892, the nomination listed under Gov. Msg. No. 780 was returned.

DEPARTMENTAL COMMUNICATION

The following communication (Dept. Com. No. 83) was read by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Dept. Com. No. 83, from the Office of the Auditor dated April 9, 2015, transmitting the Financial Statement Audit Reports for Fiscal Year 2014 for the Department of Education; Department of Health, including the Drinking Water Treatment Revolving Fund and Water Pollution Control Revolving Fund; and the Department of Human Services pursuant to Article VII, Section 10, Hawai'i State Constitution, and as authorized by Chapter 23, HRS.

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the House (Hse. Com. Nos. 618 to 626) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Hse. Com. No. 618, returning S.C.R. No. 98, S.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 20, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 619, informing the Senate that on April 20, 2015, the House reconsidered its action taken on March 30, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1410, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1).

Hse. Com. No. 620, informing the Senate that on April 20, 2015, the House reconsidered its action taken on April 9, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 253, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1).

Hse. Com. No. 621, informing the Senate that on April 20, 2015, the House reconsidered its action taken on April 10, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1286, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2).

Hse. Com. No. 622, informing the Senate that on April 20, 2015, the House reconsidered its action taken on April 14, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the Senate to the following House bills:

H.B. No. 279, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1);
H.B. No. 1099, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2); and
H.B. No. 1272, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2).

Hse. Com. No. 623, informing the Senate that on April 20, 2015, the House reconsidered its action taken on April 16, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the Senate to the following House bills:

H.B. No. 1075, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
H.B. No. 1325, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1); and
H.B. No. 1412, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1).

Hse. Com. No. 624, informing the Senate that on April 20, 2015, the Speaker appointed conferees on the part of the House for the consideration of amendments proposed by the House to the following Senate bills:

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

Representatives Aquino, Rhoads, McKelvey, co-chairs;
LoPresti, Tupola.

S.B. No. 17 (H.D. 2):

Representatives McKelvey, Rhoads, co-chairs; Woodson,
McDermott.

S.B. No. 40, S.D. 3 (H.D. 2):

Representatives Belatti, McKelvey, Luke, co-chairs; Har,
Fukumoto Chang.

S.B. No. 64, S.D. 3 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Morikawa, Takumi, Kobayashi, co-chairs;
Keohokalole, Fukumoto Chang.

S.B. No. 92, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Jordan, chair; Johanson, Pouha.

S.B. No. 100, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Nakashima, Luke, co-chairs; Ichiyama,
Tupola.

S.B. No. 101, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Luke, chair; Johanson, Pouha.

S.B. No. 104, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Luke, chair; DeCoite, Pouha.

S.B. No. 105, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Luke, chair; Yamashita, Pouha.

S.B. No. 113, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Choy, Luke, co-chairs; Ichiyama, LoPresti,
Matsumoto.

S.B. No. 118, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

Representatives McKelvey, San Buenaventura, Johanson, co-
chairs; Hashem, McDermott.

S.B. No. 139, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Nakashima, Johanson, co-chairs; Ichiyama,
Fukumoto Chang.

S.B. No. 140 (H.D. 2):

Representatives Rhoads, Cullen, co-chairs; Woodson,
Thielen.

- S.B. No. 143, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Rhoads, Cullen, co-chairs; San Buenaventura, McDermott.
- S.B. No. 144, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Rhoads, Cullen, co-chairs; San Buenaventura, McDermott.
- S.B. No. 148, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Rhoads, chair; Brower, Thielen.
- S.B. No. 158, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Nakashima, Luke, co-chairs; Ichiyama, Tupola.
- S.B. No. 159, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Luke, chair; Jordan, Pouha.
- S.B. No. 160, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Choy, Jordan, co-chairs; Ichiyama, Yamashita, Tupola.
- S.B. No. 181, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Ito, Takumi, Tokioka, co-chairs; Ohno, Ward.
- S.B. No. 211, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Rhoads, chair; Woodson, Thielen.
- S.B. No. 213, S.D. 2 (H.D. 3):
Representatives Takayama, Rhoads, Johanson, co-chairs; Woodson, Tupola.
- S.B. No. 214, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Rhoads, chair; Brower, McDermott.
- S.B. No. 218, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Rhoads, chair; Woodson, Thielen.
- S.B. No. 223, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Rhoads, chair; Brower, Thielen.
- S.B. No. 226, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Rhoads, chair; San Buenaventura, McDermott.
- S.B. No. 230 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Rhoads, Cullen, co-chairs; Brower, McDermott.
- S.B. No. 233, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Aquino, McKelvey, Rhoads, co-chairs; LoPresti, Tupola.
- S.B. No. 250, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Luke, chair; Johanson, Pouha.
- S.B. No. 253, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Luke, chair; Cullen, Pouha.
- S.B. No. 254, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Luke, chair; Tokioka, Pouha.
- S.B. No. 265, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Rhoads, chair; San Buenaventura, McDermott.
- S.B. No. 273, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Morikawa, Rhoads, Luke, co-chairs; Hashem, Fukumoto Chang.
- S.B. No. 283, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Brower, Rhoads, co-chairs; Ohno, Ward.
- S.B. No. 284, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Yamane, Tsuji, Brower, Luke, co-chairs; Cullen, Yamashita, Pouha.
- S.B. No. 287, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Rhoads, Cullen, co-chairs; Lee, McDermott.
- S.B. No. 304, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Belatti, Kobayashi, co-chairs; Creagan, Fukumoto Chang.
- S.B. No. 320, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Tsuji, Lee, co-chairs; DeCoite, Ward.
- S.B. No. 325, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Choy, Yamashita, co-chairs; LoPresti, Matsumoto.
- S.B. No. 349, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Lee, Luke, co-chairs; Lowen, Thielen.
- S.B. No. 359, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Lee, Luke, co-chairs; Tsuji, Thielen.
- S.B. No. 364, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Rhoads, Luke, co-chairs; Takayama, McDermott.
- S.B. No. 374, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Takumi, Ichiyama, DeCoite, co-chairs; Kong, Matsumoto.
- S.B. No. 376, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Tsuji, Takumi, Onishi, co-chairs; Ohno, Ward.
- S.B. No. 379, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Kawakami, McKelvey, co-chairs; Ohno, Ward.
- S.B. No. 382, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Tsuji, Onishi, co-chairs; Cachola, Ward.
- S.B. No. 387, S.D. 2 (H.D. 3):
Representatives Ichiyama, San Buenaventura, Tokioka, co-chairs; Morikawa, Matsumoto.
- S.B. No. 419, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Rhoads, chair; Brower, Thielen.
- S.B. No. 423, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Rhoads, DeCoite, co-chairs; Brower, McDermott.
- S.B. No. 440, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Rhoads, DeCoite, co-chairs; Takayama, McDermott.

- S.B. No. 452, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Creagan, Cullen, co-chairs; Woodson, McDermott.
- S.B. No. 464, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):
Representatives McKelvey, Rhoads, co-chairs; Brower, McDermott.
- S.B. No. 475, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Rhoads, Cullen, co-chairs; Takayama, McDermott.
- S.B. No. 504, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Yamane, Cullen, co-chairs; Evans, Pouha.
- S.B. No. 508, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Rhoads, DeCoite, co-chairs; Tokioka, McDermott.
- S.B. No. 512, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Tsuji, Yamane, Onishi, co-chairs; Cachola, Ward.
- S.B. No. 519, S.D. 2 (H.D. 3):
Representatives Brower, McKelvey, Rhoads, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Ohno, Ward.
- S.B. No. 521, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Tsuji, Yamane, Cullen, co-chairs; Evans, Pouha.
- S.B. No. 524, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives San Buenaventura, DeCoite, co-chairs; Creagan, McDermott.
- S.B. No. 544, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Lee, Yamane, Luke, co-chairs; Lowen, Pouha.
- S.B. No. 550, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Belatti, Woodson, Creagan, co-chairs; Morikawa, Fukumoto Chang.
- S.B. No. 555, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Johanson, chair; Kobayashi, Pouha.
- S.B. No. 559, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Ito, Luke, co-chairs; Ohno, Ward.
- S.B. No. 569, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Rhoads, chair; San Buenaventura, Takayama.
- S.B. No. 577, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Rhoads, DeCoite, co-chairs; Woodson, Thielen.
- S.B. No. 611, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Aquino, Rhoads, co-chairs; LoPresti, Tupola.
- S.B. No. 652, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Rhoads, Cullen, co-chairs; Takayama, Thielen.
- S.B. No. 654, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Rhoads, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Tokioka, Thielen.
- S.B. No. 661, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Kawakami, Johanson, co-chairs; Kong, Ward.
- S.B. No. 676, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Luke, chair; Johanson, Pouha.
- S.B. No. 703, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Lee, Lowen, co-chairs; Ing, Pouha.
- S.B. No. 737, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Woodson, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Brower, McDermott.
- S.B. No. 743, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Brower, McKelvey, co-chairs; Ohno, Ward.
- S.B. No. 754, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Kawakami, McKelvey, co-chairs; Brower, Ward.
- S.B. No. 768, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Belatti, McKelvey, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Creagan, Fukumoto Chang.
- S.B. No. 778, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Ing, Takumi, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Ohno, Pouha.
- S.B. No. 786, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Ing, Yamane, Lowen, co-chairs; DeCoite, Pouha.
- S.B. No. 791, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Belatti, McKelvey, Luke, co-chairs; Creagan, Fukumoto Chang.
- S.B. No. 831, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Takumi, DeCoite, co-chairs; Ohno, Say, Matsumoto.
- S.B. No. 841, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Takumi, Belatti, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Ohno, Matsumoto.
- S.B. No. 854, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Takumi, Yamane, Yamashita, co-chairs; Ohno, Matsumoto.
- S.B. No. 868, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Kawakami, McKelvey, Yamashita, co-chairs; Kobayashi, Ward.
- S.B. No. 871, S.D. 1 (H.D. 3):
Representatives Aquino, Tokioka, Rhoads, co-chairs; San Buenaventura, Tupola.
- S.B. No. 878, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Lee, Lowen, co-chairs; Ing, Thielen.
- S.B. No. 887, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Kawakami, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Ohno, Yamashita, Ward.

S.B. No. 892, S.D. 2 (H.D. 3):

Representatives Kawakami, McKelvey, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Yamashita, Ward.

S.B. No. 912, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Morikawa, Luke, co-chairs; Oshiro, Fukumoto Chang.

S.B. No. 961, S.D. 2 (H.D. 3):

Representatives Belatti, Rhoads, Kobayashi, co-chairs; Har, Thielen.

S.B. No. 964, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Belatti, Morikawa, Luke, co-chairs; Takayama, Fukumoto Chang.

S.B. No. 971, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Hashem, Kobayashi, co-chairs; Jordan, Fukumoto Chang.

S.B. No. 974, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Hashem, Yamane, Jordan, co-chairs; Oshiro, Fukumoto Chang.

S.B. No. 979, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Morikawa, Kobayashi, co-chairs; DeCoite, Thielen.

S.B. No. 982, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

Representatives Belatti, Rhoads, co-chairs; Creagan, Fukumoto Chang.

S.B. No. 996, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

Representatives San Buenaventura, Luke, co-chairs; Hashem, Thielen.

S.B. No. 1001, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Kawakami, Johanson, co-chairs; Brower, Ward.

S.B. No. 1009, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Brower, Nakashima, Tokioka, co-chairs; LoPresti, Ward.

S.B. No. 1011, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

Representatives Nakashima, Rhoads, Johanson, co-chairs; Hashem, Tupola.

S.B. No. 1028, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Belatti, McKelvey, Luke, co-chairs; Creagan, Fukumoto Chang.

S.B. No. 1030, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

Representatives Belatti, Rhoads, co-chairs; Hashem, Thielen.

S.B. No. 1032, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

Representatives McKelvey, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Yamashita, Fukumoto Chang.

S.B. No. 1036, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Belatti, Kobayashi, co-chairs; Creagan, Fukumoto Chang.

S.B. No. 1042, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Lee, Lowen, co-chairs; Ing, Pouha.

S.B. No. 1047, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Lee, Lowen, co-chairs; Ing, Pouha.

S.B. No. 1049, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Lee, Lowen, co-chairs; Say, Thielen.

S.B. No. 1050, S.D. 2 (H.D. 3):

Representatives Lee, Woodson, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Lowen, Thielen.

S.B. No. 1059, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

Representatives Tsuji, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Lowen, Ward.

S.B. No. 1060, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Tsuji, Onishi, co-chairs; Tokioka, Ward.

S.B. No. 1062, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Tsuji, Onishi, co-chairs; Ohno, Ward.

S.B. No. 1066, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Morikawa, San Buenaventura, Kobayashi, co-chairs; Oshiro, Takayama, Fukumoto Chang.

S.B. No. 1072 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Rhoads, Luke, co-chairs; San Buenaventura, Thielen.

S.B. No. 1074, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Nakashima, Yamane, Keohokalole, co-chairs; Ichiyama, Tupola.

S.B. No. 1076, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Nakashima, Luke, co-chairs; Nishimoto, Tupola.

S.B. No. 1077, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Nakashima, Luke, co-chairs; Nishimoto, Tupola.

S.B. No. 1078, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Nakashima, Luke, co-chairs; Nishimoto, Tupola.

S.B. No. 1079, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Nakashima, Luke, co-chairs; Nishimoto, Tupola.

S.B. No. 1080, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Nakashima, Luke, co-chairs; Nishimoto, Tupola.

S.B. No. 1081, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Nakashima, Luke, co-chairs; Nishimoto, Tupola.

S.B. No. 1082, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Nakashima, Luke, co-chairs; Nishimoto, Tupola.

S.B. No. 1083, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Nakashima, Luke, co-chairs; Nishimoto, Tupola.

S.B. No. 1084, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Nakashima, Luke, co-chairs; Nishimoto, Tupola.

S.B. No. 1087, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Nakashima, Keohokalole, co-chairs;
LoPresti, Tupola.

S.B. No. 1089, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Nakashima, Keohokalole, co-chairs;
LoPresti, Tupola.

S.B. No. 1090, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Nakashima, Keohokalole, co-chairs;
LoPresti, McDermott.

S.B. No. 1092, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Jordan, chair; Yamashita, Pouha.

S.B. No. 1093, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representatives McKelvey, Rhoads, Cachola, co-chairs; Har,
McDermott.

S.B. No. 1094, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representatives McKelvey, Cachola, co-chairs; Oshiro,
Woodson, Fukumoto Chang.

S.B. No. 1095, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives McKelvey, Belatti, Luke, co-chairs; Oshiro,
Woodson, McDermott.

S.B. No. 1096, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

Representatives Lee, Woodson, Lowen, co-chairs; Evans,
Thielen.

S.B. No. 1101, S.D. 1 (H.D. 3):

Representatives Hashem, Nakashima, Kobayashi, co-chairs;
Jordan, Takayama, Fukumoto Chang.

S.B. No. 1107 (H.D. 2):

Representatives Morikawa, Luke, co-chairs; Oshiro,
Fukumoto Chang.

S.B. No. 1113, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Belatti, Nakashima, Creagan, co-chairs;
Hashem, Fukumoto Chang.

S.B. No. 1115, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Belatti, McKelvey, San Buenaventura, co-
chairs; Woodson, Fukumoto Chang.

S.B. No. 1117, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Belatti, Luke, co-chairs; Nishimoto,
Fukumoto Chang.

S.B. No. 1122 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Nakashima, Yamashita, co-chairs; Ichiyama,
McDermott.

S.B. No. 1124 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Yamane, Cullen, co-chairs; Evans, Pouha.

S.B. No. 1131, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

Representatives Belatti, San Buenaventura, co-chairs;
Hashem, Fukumoto Chang.

S.B. No. 1133, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Luke, chair; Nishimoto, Pouha.

S.B. No. 1136 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Luke, chair; Kobayashi, Pouha.

S.B. No. 1146, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Choy, Yamashita, co-chairs; LoPresti,
Matsumoto.

S.B. No. 1150, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

Representatives Lee, Kobayashi, co-chairs; Evans, Thielen.

S.B. No. 1155, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

Representatives Brower, Kawakami, Nishimoto, co-chairs;
Ohno, Ward.

S.B. No. 1157, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Kawakami, Johanson, co-chairs; Tsuji, Ward.

S.B. No. 1158, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Kawakami, Johanson, co-chairs; DeCoite,
Ward.

S.B. No. 1166, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

Representatives Ing, San Buenaventura, co-chairs; Say,
Pouha.

S.B. No. 1174, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

Representatives Belatti, Nakashima, Yamashita, co-chairs;
Morikawa, Fukumoto Chang.

S.B. No. 1177, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Ito, Luke, co-chairs; Ohno, Ward.

S.B. No. 1180, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Aquino, Cullen, co-chairs; LoPresti, Tupola.

S.B. No. 1208, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Rhoads, DeCoite, co-chairs; Brower,
McDermott.

S.B. No. 1211, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Takayama, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Tokioka,
Tupola.

S.B. No. 1214 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Lee, Luke, co-chairs; Lowen, Pouha.

S.B. No. 1219, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Nakashima, McKelvey, Rhoads, co-chairs;
Ichiyama, Tupola.

S.B. No. 1221, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Belatti, Takumi, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Ohno,
Fukumoto Chang.

S.B. No. 1260 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Lee, Lowen, co-chairs; Ing, Thielen.

S.B. No. 1262, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives McKelvey, Cachola, co-chairs; Oshiro,
Tokioka, Fukumoto Chang.

S.B. No. 1280, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

Representatives Aquino, McKelvey, Rhoads, Nishimoto, co-
chairs; LoPresti, Fukumoto Chang.

S.B. No. 1291, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

Representatives Belatti, Rhoads, co-chairs; Creagan, Takayama, Thielen.

S.B. No. 1295, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

Representatives Kawakami, Lee, Lowen, co-chairs; Ohno, Ward.

S.B. No. 1297, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Luke, chair; Johanson, Ward.

S.B. No. 1299 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Yamane, Luke, co-chairs; Johanson, Pouha.

S.B. No. 1305, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives San Buenaventura, DeCoite, co-chairs; Tokioka, McDermott.

S.B. No. 1312, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Luke, chair; DeCoite, Ward.

S.B. No. 1316, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

Representatives Lee, McKelvey, co-chairs; Lowen, Thielen.

S.B. No. 1324, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Nakashima, Rhoads, Keohokalole, co-chairs; San Buenaventura, Pouha.

S.B. No. 1338, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Belatti, McKelvey, Luke, co-chairs; Creagan, Fukumoto Chang.

S.B. No. 1345 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Takumi, Johanson, co-chairs; LoPresti, Say, Matsumoto.

S.B. No. 1361, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Nakashima, Luke, co-chairs; LoPresti, Tupola.

S.B. No. 1367, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Belatti, Kobayashi, co-chairs; Jordan, Fukumoto Chang.

Hse. Com. No. 625, informing the Senate that on April 20, 2015, the Speaker appointed conferees on the part of the House for the consideration of amendments proposed by the Senate to the following House bill:

H.B. No. 623, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Lee, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Lowen, Thielen.

Hse. Com. No. 626, informing the Senate that on April 20, 2015, the Speaker made the following changes to the conferees on the following bills:

H.B. No. 540, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representative Choy added as co-chair.

Representative Ichiyama discharged as co-chair; added as a manager.

H.B. No. 541, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representative Choy added as co-chair.

Representative Ichiyama discharged as co-chair; added as a manager.

H.B. No. 547, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representative Choy added as co-chair.

Representative Ichiyama discharged as co-chair; added as a manager.

H.B. No. 553, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representative Choy added as co-chair.

Representative Ichiyama discharged as co-chair; added as a manager.

H.B. No. 775, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representative Choy added as co-chair.

Representative Ichiyama discharged as co-chair; added as a manager.

H.B. No. 850, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representative Choy added as co-chair.

Representative Ichiyama discharged as co-chair; added as a manager.

H.B. No. 1509, H.D. 3 (S.D. 2):

Representative Choy added as co-chair.

Representative Ichiyama discharged as co-chair; added as a manager.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Gabbard, for the majority of the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1584) recommending that H.C.R. No. 108, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1584 and H.C.R. No. 108, S.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CONVENING OF A CLIMATE CHANGE AND HEALTH WORKING GROUP TO ASSESS THE SCOPE AND RISKS OF CLIMATE CHANGE ON THE HEALTH OF HAWAII'S RESIDENTS AND TO DEVELOP A STRATEGIC PLAN TO ADDRESS CLIMATE CHANGE RISKS TO HEALTH STATEWIDE," was deferred until Wednesday, April 22, 2015.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1585) recommending that H.C.R. No. 98 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1585 and H.C.R. No. 98, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO INVESTIGATE AND ASSESS SAFETY CONCERNS AND POTENTIAL IMPROVEMENTS FOR QUEEN KAAHUMANU HIGHWAY FROM MAKALA BOULEVARD TO HENRY STREET ON THE ISLAND OF HAWAII," was deferred until Wednesday, April 22, 2015.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Government Operations, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1586) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Enhanced 911 Board of the following:

JOHN JAKUBCZAK, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 758; and

KIMAN WONG, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 760.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1586 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 758 and 760 was deferred until Wednesday, April 22, 2015.

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1587) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Advisory Committee on Pesticides of the following:

REY ITO, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 611; and

MICHAEL BOTHA, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 612.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1587 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 611 and 612 was deferred until Wednesday, April 22, 2015.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1588) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Education of the following:

HUBERT P. MINN, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 782;

LANCE A. MIZUMOTO, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 783; and

MARGARET COX, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 784.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1588 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 782, 783 and 784 was deferred until Wednesday, April 22, 2015.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1589) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Hawai'i Teacher Standards Board of the following:

GERALD M. TERAMAE, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 788; and

GERALD M. TERAMAE, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 789.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1589 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 788 and 789 was deferred until Wednesday, April 22, 2015.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1590) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Early Learning Advisory Board of the following:

ANN M. TOM, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 785; and

M. NALANI MATTOX-PRIMACIO, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 787.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1590 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 785 and 787 was deferred until Wednesday, April 22, 2015.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1591) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of ROBERT PARSONS to the Environmental Council, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 646.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1591 and Gov. Msg. No. 646 was deferred until Wednesday, April 22, 2015.

Senator Wakai, for the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1592) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Directors of the High Technology Development Corporation of the following:

JOHN MORTON, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 614;

DEREK C. LAU, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 615;

FREDERICK DELSE, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 616; and

RACE A. RANDLE, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 617.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1592 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 614, 615, 616 and 617 was deferred until Wednesday, April 22, 2015.

Senator Wakai, for the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1593) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of RACHEL JAMES to the Community-Based Economic Development Advisory Council, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 619.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1593 and Gov. Msg. No. 619 was deferred until Wednesday, April 22, 2015.

Senator Wakai, for the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1594) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of JEFFREY MIKULINA to the Hawai'i Green Infrastructure Authority, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 620.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1594 and Gov. Msg. No. 620 was deferred until Wednesday, April 22, 2015.

Senator Wakai, for the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1595) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of KEITH Y. AMEMIYA to the Stadium Authority, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 761.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1595 and Gov. Msg. No. 761 was deferred until Wednesday, April 22, 2015.

Senator Wakai, for the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1596) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Small Business Regulatory Review Board of the following:

ANTHONY B. BORGE, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 767;

GARTH YAMANAKA, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 768;

GARTH YAMANAKA, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 769;

NANCY ATOMSPERA-WALCH, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 770 (Nominee's name amended to NANCY ATMOSPERA-WALCH by Gov. Msg. No. 861);

PHILLIP KASPER, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 771; and

ROBERT CUNDIFF, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 772.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1596 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 767, 768, 769, 770, 771 and 772 was deferred until Wednesday, April 22, 2015.

Senator Wakai, for the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1597) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Strategic Development Corporation of the following:

ANN H. CHUNG, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 822;

FRED HEMMINGS, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 823; and

MICHAEL J. O'MALLEY, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 824.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1597 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 822, 823 and 824 was deferred until Wednesday, April 22, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1598) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Pest Control Board of the following:

TERRANCE MANAGO, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 600; and

DAVID LAU, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 601.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1598 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 600 and 601 was deferred until Wednesday, April 22, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1599) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the State Board of Nursing of the following:

JUDY KODAMA, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 596; and

OLIVIA KIM, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 599.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1599 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 596 and 599 was deferred until Wednesday, April 22, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1600) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of ROBERT KLEIN to the State Board of Chiropractic Examiners, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 595.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1600 and Gov. Msg. No. 595 was deferred until Wednesday, April 22, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1601) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the State Board of Barbering and Cosmetology of the following:

ANNE TOKUNAGA, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 593; and

ANGELA HOWARD, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 594.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1601 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 593 and 594 was deferred until Wednesday, April 22, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1602) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of ALETA KLEIN to the Real Estate Commission, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 592.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1602 and Gov. Msg. No. 592 was deferred until Wednesday, April 22, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1603) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to

the nominations to the Motor Vehicle Industry Licensing Board of the following:

WAYNE DE LUZ, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 587;

WAYNE DE LUZ, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 588;

CARL D. JOHNSEN, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 589;

RUSSELL WONG, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 590; and

BYRON HANSEN, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 591.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1603 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 587, 588, 589, 590 and 591 was deferred until Wednesday, April 22, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1604) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Hawai'i Medical Board of the following:

PETER HALFORD, MD, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 580;

DARREN EGAMI, MD, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 581;

PALASI-SAM PULETASI, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 582;

JONE GEIMER-FLANDERS, DO, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 583;

JONE GEIMER-FLANDERS, DO, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 584;

GERARD AKAKA, MD, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 585; and

SHARON BINTLIFF, MD, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 586.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1604 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585 and 586 was deferred until Wednesday, April 22, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1605) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Professional Engineers, Architects, Surveyors, and Landscape Architects of the following:

ALAN INABA, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 575;

RON IWAMOTO, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 576;

CLAYTON PANG, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 577;

MARC VENTURA, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 578; and

JOYCE NOE, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 579.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1605 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 575, 576, 577, 578 and 579 was deferred until Wednesday, April 22, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1606) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Speech Pathology and Audiology of the following:

SHANNON CHING, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 570;

VALERY OBRIEN, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 571; and

JUNE UYEHARA ISONO, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 572.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1606 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 570, 571 and 572 was deferred until Wednesday, April 22, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1607) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of JAMES CORCORAN to the Board of Acupuncture, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 556.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1607 and Gov. Msg. No. 556 was deferred until Wednesday, April 22, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1608) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Private Detectives and Guards of the following:

HARRY KUBOJIRI, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 557; and

HARRY KUBOJIRI, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 558.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1608 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 557 and 558 was deferred until Wednesday, April 22, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1609) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Physical Therapy of the following:

DEBRA KUBOTA, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 559;

RACHELLE IOPA, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 560;

MICHAEL TURNER, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 561; and

JILL WAKABAYASHI, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 562.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1609 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 559, 560, 561 and 562 was deferred until Wednesday, April 22, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1610) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Psychology of the following:

LISA CHUN FAT, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 563; and

BRIAN COMBS, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 564.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1610 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 563 and 564 was deferred until Wednesday, April 22, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1611) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Dental Examiners of the following:

RODNEY CHING, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 565;

PAUL GUEVARA, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 566;

MARIANNE TIMMERMAN, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 567;

COY REBMANN, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 568; and

CANDACE WADA, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 569.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1611 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 565, 566, 567, 568 and 569 was deferred until Wednesday, April 22, 2015.

Senator Wakai, for the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1612) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of TODD NACAPUY as Chief Information Officer of the Department of Accounting and General Services, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 845.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1612 and Gov. Msg. No. 845 was deferred until Wednesday, April 22, 2015.

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1613) recommending that H.C.R. No. 187, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1613 and H.C.R. No. 187, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO CONVENE A TASK FORCE TO CLARIFY AND COORDINATE AGRICULTURAL-BASED COMMERCIAL SUPPORT OF BONA-FIDE FARMING OPERATIONS ACROSS THE STATE," was deferred until Wednesday, April 22, 2015.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1614) recommending that H.C.R. No. 78, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 78, S.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR AND DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO INCLUDE IN THE 2017-2018 SUPPLEMENTAL CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM REQUEST IMPROVEMENTS TO CRUISE SHIP PASSENGER TERMINALS AT NAWILIWILI HARBOR IN KAUAI, HONOLULU HARBOR IN OAHU, KAHULUI HARBOR IN MAUI, AND HILO HARBOR IN HAWAII," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1615) recommending that H.C.R. No. 182 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 182, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO CONDUCT A TRAFFIC STUDY AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO ALLEVIATE TRAFFIC CONGESTION ON KAHEKILI HIGHWAY FROM THE LIKELIKE HIGHWAY INTERSECTION TO KAMEHAMEHA HIGHWAY," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1616) recommending that H.C.R. No. 97, H.D. 1 be referred to the Committee on Health.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 97, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH ASSURE THAT ANY SUBSTANTIAL LAND DISCHARGE OF WASTEWATER, OCCURRING BY INJECTION WELL OR OTHER MEANS, IS IN ALL CASES, ADEQUATELY REVIEWED AND PERMITTED," was referred to the Committee on Health.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1617) recommending that H.C.R. No. 34, H.D. 1 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 34, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING A PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT WAIMANALO, KOOLAPOKO, OAHU, FOR THE USE, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR OF THE EXISTING SEAWALL AND STEPS," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1618) recommending that H.C.R. No. 185, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 185, S.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF FOUR TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENTS COVERING PORTIONS OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT STABLE ROAD BEACH, STABLE ROAD, SPRECKELSVILLE, WAILUKU, MAUI, FOR THE USE, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR OF FOUR EXISTING ROCK GROINS," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1619) recommending that H.C.R. No. 73, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 73, S.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING A PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT LAHAINA, MAUI FOR SEAWALL ENCROACHMENT PURPOSES AND AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT FOR THE RIGHT, PRIVILEGE, AND AUTHORITY TO USE, MAINTAIN, REPAIR, AND REPLACE AN EXISTING SEAWALL OVER, UNDER, AND ACROSS STATE-OWNED LAND IN LAHAINA, MAUI," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

ORDER OF THE DAY

ADVISE AND CONSENT

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1582 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 602, 603, 604, 605, 606 and 610):

Senator Kidani moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1582 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Harimoto and carried.

Senator Kidani then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Hawaii Teacher Standards Board of the following:

BRANDEN KAWAZOE, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 602);

ROXANE STEWART, term to expire June 30, 2016 (Gov. Msg. No. 603);

LESLIE MURASHIGE, term to expire June 30, 2015 (Gov. Msg. No. 604);

LESLIE MURASHIGE, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 605);

KARIANE PARK TOYAMA, term to expire June 30, 2017 (Gov. Msg. No. 606); and

STEVE NAKASATO, term to expire June 30, 2016 (Gov. Msg. No. 610),

seconded by Senator Harimoto.

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1583 (Jud. Com. No. 6):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1583 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried.

Senator Keith-Agaran then moved that the Senate consent to the nomination of WILLIAM M. DOMINGO to the District Court of the First Circuit, State of Hawaii, term to expire in six years, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro.

Senator Keith-Agaran rose to speak in strong support of the nominee as follows:

"Locally educated at Farrington High School and University of Hawai'i undergraduate and law schools, Mr. Domingo received support from both prosecutors and members of the criminal defense bar, who all attested to his professional, respectful treatment of everyone. He also received a letter from a local federal trial judge attesting to his fair but zealous representation of his clients and noting, 'There is simply no doubt that Willie possesses the ethical standards we demand in our judges.' A former colleague at the attorney general's office described him as committed and sympathetic to ordinary people. One testifier wrote that in the 30 years he has known the nominee, he has never witnessed nor heard of any loss of composure or disrespectful behavior to anyone.

"One of his former colleagues at the state public defender's office noted, 'As a senior trial attorney, he handled the most serious cases with skill and dedication.' Now, our district court is sometimes referred to as the 'people's court' because it is the most common court experience for many of our citizens. Whether appearing for matters as varied as traffic violations to pursuit of small claims or to resolve landlord-tenant disputes, often a district court judge is the main person these citizens will deal with, and it is the interaction with the judge that will form the most lasting impression a citizen takes from this experience. Willie combines a keen mind and professional demeanor with a sincere caring for those he's dealing with, a rare ability that will serve our citizens and judiciary very well on the bench. She concluded, 'I know he will be excellent as a district court judge. I believe he will be such a fine jurist that it isn't even necessary to mention his other attributes in music, carpentry, and a myriad of other ways in which he contributes to his community.' Madam President, I urge my colleagues to vote in favor of William Domingo."

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

At this time, Senator Keith-Agaran introduced Judge William M. Domingo, who was present in the gallery with supporters including his wife, Patricia; his children Jessica, Aaron, and Rachel; his son Aaron's girlfriend, Jennifer Young; his brother Samuel Domingo; his sister-in-law Lily Bloom Domingo; and his mother, Marcelina Domingo.

At 11:41 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 11:49 a.m.

At this time, Senator Kouchi introduced Chief Justice Mark E. Recktenwald of the Supreme Court, State of Hawai'i, who was present in the gallery. Senator Kouchi then noted that the Supreme Court would be on Kaua'i later that week to hear oral arguments in the case of State of Hawaii Organization of Police Officers (SHOPO) against the County of Kaua'i; he recognized that it would be the first time the Supreme Court would be in session on the island of Kaua'i, and that hundreds of social studies students as well as the lieutenant governor would be in attendance to witness the historic event.

The Chair welcomed Administrative Director of the Courts Rodney Maile, who was also present in the gallery.

ADOPTION OF A RESOLUTION

MATTER DEFERRED FROM MONDAY, APRIL 20, 2015

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1581 (S.R. No. 72, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 72, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING AGENCIES SUBJECT TO THE HAWAII ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE ACT TO STRICTLY ADHERE TO THE HAWAII ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE ACT DURING THE RULE MAKING PROCESS," was adopted.

FINAL READING

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

On motion by Senator Nishihara, seconded by Senator Baker and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2, S.D. 2, and S.B. No. 2, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PILOTAGE," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

S.B. No. 233, S.D. 1, H.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Nishihara, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 233, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 233, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

S.B. No. 283, S.D. 1, H.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Kahahele, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 283, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 283, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

S.B. No. 611, S.D. 1, H.D. 2:

On motion by Senator Nishihara, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 611, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 611, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO USE OF INTOXICANTS WHILE OPERATING A VEHICLE," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

S.B. No. 1107, H.D. 2:

On motion by Senator Chun Oakland, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1107, and S.B. No. 1107, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR GENERAL ASSISTANCE," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

S.B. No. 1115, S.D. 1, H.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Dela Cruz, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1115, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 1115, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUILDING DESIGN FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

RECONSIDERATION OF ACTIONS TAKEN

S.B. No. 226, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Senator Espero moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on April 16, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 226, S.D. 2, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran and carried.

Senator Espero then moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 226, S.D. 2, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran.

Senator Espero noted:

"Thank you. Colleagues, this measure adds the definition of 'business day' to the offense of abuse of a family or household member, repeals the 48-hour no-contact provision, and specifies that the period of separation a police officer orders for the person whom the police officer reasonably believes to have inflicted the abuse of a family or household member commences when the order is issued and expires at 6:00 p.m. on the second business day following the day the order was issued. And we're just changing the defective date to 'as is,' or whatever it is."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 226, S.D. 2, and S.B. No. 226, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABUSE OF FAMILY OR HOUSEHOLD MEMBER," was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Wednesday, April 22, 2015.

S.B. No. 743, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

Senator Baker moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on April 16, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 743, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried.

Senator Baker then moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 743, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Baker noted:

“Yes, thank you, Madam President. This measure requires an activity desk to designate a principal who shall be a signatory on and fully responsible for the client trust account. And the House merely gave us an effective date and provided that current registrants prior to the effective date must disclose their principal to the department – in this case, DCCA – with their registration renewal when their current license expires on December 31, 2017. So the House made some other technical, nonsubstantive amendments to which we can agree.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 743, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 743, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ACTIVITY DESKS,” was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Wednesday, April 22, 2015.

S.B. No. 1087, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on April 16, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1087, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried.

Senator Keith-Agaran then moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1087, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Tokuda.

Senator Keith-Agaran noted:

“Yes, Madam President. The House basically made some technical amendments and made the date effective, so we’re basically voting on the language that the Senate passed out.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1087, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 1087, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES’ RETIREMENT SYSTEM,” was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Wednesday, April 22, 2015.

S.B. No. 1089, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on April 16, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1089, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried.

Senator Keith-Agaran then moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1089, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Tokuda.

Senator Keith-Agaran noted:

“Yes, similar to the prior bill, again, the House made some technical amendments and made the date effective.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1089, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 1089, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES’ RETIREMENT SYSTEM,” was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Wednesday, April 22, 2015.

S.B. No. 1093, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Senator Baker moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on April 16, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1093, S.D. 2, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried.

Senator Baker then moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1093, S.D. 2, seconded by Senator Tokuda.

Senator Baker noted:

“Thank you, Madam President. This is an administration measure that updates mortgage servicer licensing and regulatory requirements. The House made technical, nonsubstantive amendments, and we have a clean effective date on this measure.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1093, S.D. 2, and S.B. No. 1093, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MORTGAGE SERVICERS,” was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Wednesday, April 22, 2015.

S.B. No. 1166, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

Senator Shimabukuro moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on April 16, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1166, S.D. 2, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran and carried.

Senator Shimabukuro then moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1166, S.D. 2, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran.

Senator Shimabukuro noted:

“Thank you. The Committee on Hawaiian Affairs received testimony in support from various community organizations, including Hawaiian civic clubs, and no testimony in opposition. The Senate version contained a defective effective date; however, the House version makes the act effective upon its approval. There are no technical differences between the Senate and House versions.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1166, S.D. 2, and S.B. No. 1166, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE,” was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Wednesday, April 22, 2015.

S.B. No. 1262, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Senator Baker moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on April 16, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1262, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried.

Senator Baker then moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1262, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Tokuda.

Senator Baker noted:

“Thank you, Madam President. This measure permits the Commissioner of Financial Institutions to make adjustments to the collection of fees rather than continuing to collect fees when a threshold of \$750,000 has been made without having to go to rulemaking, so it’s to make sure we don’t over-collect. And the House made technical, nonsubstantive amendments, so basically, we’re voting on the Senate bill.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to

S.B. No. 1262, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 1262, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SECURE AND FAIR ENFORCEMENT FOR MORTGAGE LICENSING ACT," was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Wednesday, April 22, 2015.

Senator Riviere thanked the members for their participation in activities to support the Hawai'i Foodbank, and urged additional donations of canned foods before the drive's end that week.

The Chair congratulated Senator Gabbard and Senator Ruderman on winning the perpetual trophy for the Senate during the Capitol Idol talent show to benefit the Hawai'i Foodbank, noting that Senator Gabbard had garnered the most votes for his performance.

Senator Gabbard shared the results of the Capitol Idol talent show and noted that the event had raised over \$700 for the Hawai'i Foodbank.

Senator Thielen rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

"The Pulitzer Prizes were awarded yesterday, and some of you may have read that the South Carolina *Post and Courier* was awarded the most prestigious Pulitzer Prize in the nation with a series about the deadly toll that domestic violence takes on South Carolina women. They ran a series called 'Till Death Do Us Part,' and the work told the tales of domestic violence abuse survivors and of the 300 women in South Carolina who, over the prior decade, had been shot, stabbed, strangled, beaten, bludgeoned, or burned to death by men while their state legislature did very little to quell the bloodshed. That amounted to about one death every 12 days from domestic violence in South Carolina.

"We're much more fortunate in Hawai'i, but we're also a smaller state. We do have stronger state laws than they do on domestic violence thanks to the work done by this body over the years. But there are many improvements that we still have to make. We have one bill that we passed already, which requires the HPD domestic violence policies to be posted, but there are other bills that are still in conference committee on domestic violence. I hope that we will be able to carry them through so that we'll have a much better record than our counterparts in South Carolina. Thank you, Madam President."

Senator Chun Oakland wished Senator Ihara a happy birthday on behalf of the members of the Senate.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:04 p.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Wednesday, April 22, 2015.

FIFTY-FIRST DAY**Wednesday, April 22, 2015**

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:35 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present with the exception of Senator Dela Cruz who was excused.

The President announced that she had read and approved the Journal of the Fiftieth Day.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 1111 and 1112) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 1111, informing the Senate that on April 21, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 225, S.D. 1 as Act 11, entitled: "RELATING TO DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE."

Gov. Msg. No. 1112, informing the Senate that on April 21, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 415 as Act 12, entitled: "RELATING TO BICYCLE SIGNALS."

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the House (Hse. Com. Nos. 627 and 628) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Hse. Com. No. 627, informing the Senate that on April 21, 2015, the House agreed to the amendments proposed by the Senate and passed the following House bills on Final Reading:

H.B. No. 253, H.D. 2, S.D. 1;
H.B. No. 279, H.D. 2, S.D. 1;
H.B. No. 1099, H.D. 2, S.D. 2;
H.B. No. 1272, H.D. 2, S.D. 2;
H.B. No. 1286, H.D. 2, S.D. 2;
H.B. No. 1325, H.D. 1, S.D. 1;
H.B. No. 1410, H.D. 1, S.D. 1; and
H.B. No. 1412, H.D. 2, S.D. 1.

Hse. Com. No. 628, informing the Senate that on April 21, 2015, the Speaker made the following changes to the conferees on the following bills:

H.B. No. 10, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representative Kong added as a manager.

Representative Say discharged as a manager.

H.B. No. 11, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representative Kong added as a manager.

Representative Say discharged as a manager.

H.B. No. 819, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representative Kong added as a manager.

Representative Say discharged as a manager.

H.B. No. 820, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

Representative Kong added as a manager.

Representative Say discharged as a manager.

H.B. No. 821, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representative Kong added as a manager.

Representative Say discharged as a manager.

H.B. No. 831, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representative Kong added as a manager.

Representative Say discharged as a manager.

H.B. No. 832, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representative Kong added as a manager.

Representative Say discharged as a manager.

H.B. No. 1168, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representative Lowen added as a manager.

Representative Say discharged as a manager.

H.B. No. 1251, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representative Kong added as a manager.

Representative Say discharged as a manager.

H.B. No. 1297, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representative Lowen added as a manager.

Representative Say discharged as a manager.

H.B. No. 1513, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representative Yamane added as a manager.

Representative Say discharged as a manager.

S.B. No. 831, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representative Kong added as a manager.

Representative Say discharged as a manager.

S.B. No. 1049, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representative Yamane added as a manager.

Representative Say discharged as a manager.

S.B. No. 1166, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

Representative Lowen added as a manager.

Representative Say discharged as a manager.

S.B. No. 1345 (H.D. 1):

Representative Kong added as a manager.

Representative Say discharged as a manager.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Kahele, for the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1620) recommending that H.C.R. No. 162 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1620 and H.C.R. No. 162, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO EXAMINE IF AND HOW OTHER STATES REGULATE TOUR OPERATORS WITHIN THEIR JURISDICTION," was deferred until Thursday, April 23, 2015.

Senator Kahele, for the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1621) recommending that H.C.R. No. 158, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1621 and H.C.R. No. 158, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII SISTER-STATE COMMITTEE TO EVALUATE AND DEVELOP RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE INITIATION OF A SISTER-STATE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE STATE OF HAWAII AND THE STATE OF DAKHLA OF THE REGION OF OUED ED-DAHAB-LAGOUIRA OF THE KINGDOM OF MOROCCO, AND FORWARD ITS RECOMMENDATION TO THE LEGISLATURE, PURSUANT TO SECTION 229-3, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES, FOR FURTHER ACTION," was deferred until Thursday, April 23, 2015.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1622) recommending that H.C.R. No. 208, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1622 and H.C.R. No. 208, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION STRONGLY URGING THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS AND THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR TO RESTORE FEDERAL HEALTHCARE FUNDING FOR U.S. RESIDENTS PRESENT UNDER THE COMPACTS OF FREE ASSOCIATION, IN RECOGNITION OF THEIR UNIQUE HISTORIC AND ONGOING SACRIFICES AND CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND TO THE WORLD," was deferred until Thursday, April 23, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1623) recommending that H.C.R. No. 155, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1623 and H.C.R. No. 155, S.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE JUDICIAL COUNCIL TO APPOINT A COMMITTEE TO REVIEW AND RECOMMEND REVISIONS TO THE HAWAII PENAL CODE," was deferred until Thursday, April 23, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1624) recommending that H.C.R. No. 168, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1624 and H.C.R. No. 168, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO STREAMLINE THE STATE'S WORKERS' COMPENSATION PROCESS," was deferred until Thursday, April 23, 2015.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1625) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Hawai'i Paroling Authority of the following:

ANNELLE AMARAL, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 801; and

MICHAEL A. TOWN, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 802.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1625 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 801 and 802 was deferred until Thursday, April 23, 2015.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1626) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Corrections Population Management Commission of the following:

ANDERSON HEE, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 707; and

ANDERSON HEE, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 708.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1626 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 707 and 708 was deferred until Thursday, April 23, 2015.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1627) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Crime Victim Compensation Commission of the following:

MARTHA ROSS, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 636; and

MARI MCCAIG, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 637.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1627 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 636 and 637 was deferred until Thursday, April 23, 2015.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1628) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of COLTON CHING to the Hawai'i Advisory Council on Emergency Management, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 631.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1628 and Gov. Msg. No. 631 was deferred until Thursday, April 23, 2015.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1629) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Advisory Board on Veterans' Services of the following:

MICHAEL LILLY, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 627;

MICHAEL LILLY, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 628;

WILBERT PEREIRA, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 629; and

JAMES TRAXLER, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 630.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1629 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 627, 628, 629 and 630 was deferred until Thursday, April 23, 2015.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1630) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Legacy Land Conservation Commission of the following:

MARJORIE ZIEGLER, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 818;

THORNE ABBOTT, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 819; and

THERESA MENARD, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 839.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1630 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 818, 819 and 839 was deferred until Thursday, April 23, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1631) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Registration of the Island of O'ahu of the following:

ELISE ANDERSON, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 840; and

ELISE ANDERSON, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 841.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1631 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 840 and 841 was deferred until Thursday, April 23, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1632) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Commission on the Status of Women of the following:

LESLIE WILKINS, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 691;

LISA ELLEN SMITH, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 692;

SHERRY CAMPAGNA, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 693; and

CYD L. HOFFELD, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 694.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1632 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 691, 692, 693 and 694 was deferred until Thursday, April 23, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1633) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of RODERICK K. BECKER to the Board of Trustees of the Deferred Compensation Plan, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 747.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1633 and Gov. Msg. No. 747 was deferred until Thursday, April 23, 2015.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1634) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Emergency Medical Services Advisory Committee of the following:

REZA DANESH, MD, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 714; and

REZA DANESH, MD, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 715.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1634 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 714 and 715 was deferred until Thursday, April 23, 2015.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1635) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of TERRINA WONG to the Language Access Advisory Council, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 716.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1635 and Gov. Msg. No. 716 was deferred until Thursday, April 23, 2015.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1636) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Health Planning Council, Honolulu Subarea of the following:

DEBORAH JUAREZ, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 744;

JOSEPH BURKE, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 745; and

ROBERTA LOVELY, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 746.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1636 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 744, 745 and 746 was deferred until Thursday, April 23, 2015.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1637) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of OCTAVIUS GONZAGA to the Health Planning Council, Windward Oahu Subarea, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 793.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1637 and Gov. Msg. No. 793 was deferred until Thursday, April 23, 2015.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1638) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of ROBERT SOUZA to the Board of Certification of Operating Personnel in Wastewater Treatment Plants, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 632.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1638 and Gov. Msg. No. 632 was deferred until Thursday, April 23, 2015.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1639) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of GLENN AH YAT to the Board of Certification of Public Water System Operators, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 633.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1639 and Gov. Msg. No. 633 was deferred until Thursday, April 23, 2015.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1640) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Disability and Communication Access Board of the following:

ANN CHINEN ITO, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 638;

PAULINE AUGHE, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 639;

ED CHEVY, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 640;

MISELLA TOMITA, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 642;

YOLANDA PHELAN, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 643; and

ROBIN K. INABA, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 644.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1640 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 638, 639, 640, 642, 643 and 644 was deferred until Thursday, April 23, 2015.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1641) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Hawai'i Advisory Commission on Drug Abuse and Controlled Substances of the following:

CHAD KOYANAGI, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 647;

CHAD KOYANAGI, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 648;

CASHMIRE LOPEZ, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 649;

CASHMIRE LOPEZ, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 650;

EDWARD MERSEREAU, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 651;

LORI FERREIRA, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 652; and

HEATHER LUSK, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 653.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1641 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652 and 653 was deferred until Thursday, April 23, 2015.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1642) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the State Council on Mental Health of the following:

CYNTHIA DANG, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 685;

ALFRED ARESNDORF, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 686 (Nominee's name amended to ALFRED ARENSDORF by Gov. Msg. No. 757); and

FRANCES ELAINE LYONS, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 687.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1642 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 685, 686 and 687 was deferred until Thursday, April 23, 2015.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1643) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Statewide Health Coordinating Council of the following:

VERONICA ROCHA, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 688; and

HAROLD WALLACE, JR., in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 689.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1643 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 688 and 689 was deferred until Thursday, April 23, 2015.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1644) recommending that H.C.R. No. 195 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 195, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A FINANCIAL AUDIT OF EACH COUNTY TO EXAMINE THE USE OF AND NEEDS FOR STATE FUNDS," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1645) recommending that H.C.R. No. 146, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and

H.C.R. No. 146, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CONVENING OF A WORKING GROUP TO EXAMINE SMARTER SENTENCING TO IMPROVE THE QUALITY AND RELIABILITY OF STATE CRIMINAL SENTENCING PRACTICES," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1646) recommending that H.C.R. No. 45 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 45, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE TO ESTABLISH AND FUND A VETERAN WOMEN SERVICES COORDINATOR POSITION WITHIN THE OFFICE OF VETERANS' SERVICES," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1647) recommending that H.C.R. No. 10, H.D. 1 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 10, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO REVIEW AND REPORT ON STATE CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES' LEAVE POLICIES AND CORRECTIONAL OFFICERS' LEAVE USAGE RATES," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1648), recommending that H.C.R. No. 141, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 141, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES AND THE COUNTIES TO IMPROVE PUBLIC BEACH ACCESS FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES IN HAWAII," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1649) recommending that H.C.R. No. 190 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 190, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND THE HAWAII HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION TO EXAMINE THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING BRAZILIAN JIU-JITSU AS A SANCTIONED SPORT," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1650) recommending that H.C.R. No. 138, H.D. 1 be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 138, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO EXAMINE ALL POSSIBILITIES TO

ENABLE STUDENT ATHLETIC TEAMS TO RUN AND TRAIN OFF CAMPUS,” was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Kahele, for the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1651) recommending that H.C.R. No. 59, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 59, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: “HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY TO COORDINATE WITH THE HOSPITALITY INDUSTRY, CORPORATION FOR TRAVEL PROMOTION, AND HAWAII’S CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION TO AMEND THE H-1B VISA LAW TO ALLOW FOR EMPLOYMENT OF PERSONS WITH CULTURAL AND LANGUAGE SKILLS THAT WILL HELP CREATE A MORE WELCOMING ENVIRONMENT FOR INTERNATIONAL VISITORS,” was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

ORDER OF THE DAY

ADVISE AND CONSENT

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1586 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 758 and 760):

Senator Nishihara moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1586 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Ihara and carried.

Senator Nishihara then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Enhanced 911 Board of the following:

JOHN JAKUBCZAK, term to expire June 30, 2016 (Gov. Msg. No. 758); and

KIMAN WONG, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 760),

seconded by Senator Ihara.

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Dela Cruz).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1587 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 611 and 612):

Senator Ruderman moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1587 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Riviere and carried.

Senator Ruderman then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Advisory Committee on Pesticides of the following:

REY ITO, term to expire June 30, 2017 (Gov. Msg. No. 611); and

MICHAEL BOTHA, term to expire June 30, 2016 (Gov. Msg. No. 612),

seconded by Senator Riviere.

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Dela Cruz).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1588 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 782, 783 and 784):

Senator Kidani moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1588 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Harimoto and carried.

Senator Kidani then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Education of the following:

HUBERT P. MINN, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 782);

LANCE A. MIZUMOTO, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 783); and

MARGARET COX, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 784),

seconded by Senator Harimoto.

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Dela Cruz).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1589 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 788 and 789):

Senator Kidani moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1589 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Harimoto and carried.

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

GERALD M. TERAMAE, term to expire June 30, 2015 (Gov. Msg. No. 788); and

GERALD M. TERAMAE, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 789),

seconded by Senator Harimoto.

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Dela Cruz).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1590 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 785 and 787):

Senator Kidani moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1590 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Harimoto and carried.

Senator Kidani then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Early Learning Advisory Board of the following:

ANN M. TOM, term to expire June 30, 2017 (Gov. Msg. No. 785); and

M. NALANI MATTOX-PRIMACIO, term to expire June 30, 2017 (Gov. Msg. No. 787),

seconded by Senator Harimoto.

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Dela Cruz).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1591 (Gov. Msg. No. 646):

Senator Gabbard moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1591 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Green and carried.

Senator Gabbard then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of ROBERT PARSONS to the Environmental Council, term to expire June 30, 2018, seconded by Senator Green.

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Dela Cruz).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1592 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 614, 615, 616 and 617):

Senator Wakai moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1592 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Slom and carried.

Senator Wakai then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Directors of the High Technology Development Corporation of the following:

JOHN MORTON, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 614);

DEREK C. LAU, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 615);

FREDERICK DELSE, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 616); and

RACE A. RANDLE, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 617),

seconded by Senator Slom.

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Dela Cruz).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1593 (Gov. Msg. No. 619):

Senator Wakai moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1593 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Slom and carried.

Senator Wakai then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of RACHEL JAMES to the Community-Based Economic Development Advisory Council, term to expire June 30, 2017, seconded by Senator Slom.

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Dela Cruz).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1594 (Gov. Msg. No. 620):

Senator Wakai moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1594 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Slom and carried.

Senator Wakai then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of JEFFREY MIKULINA to the Hawai'i Green Infrastructure Authority, term to expire June 30, 2018, seconded by Senator Slom.

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Dela Cruz).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1595 (Gov. Msg. No. 761):

Senator Wakai moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1595 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Slom and carried.

Senator Wakai then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of KEITH Y. AMEMIYA to the Stadium Authority, term to expire June 30, 2018, seconded by Senator Slom.

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Dela Cruz).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1596 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 767, 768, 769, 770, 771 and 772):

Senator Wakai moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1596 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Slom and carried.

Senator Wakai then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Small Business Regulatory Review Board of the following:

ANTHONY B. BORGE, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 767);

GARTH YAMANAKA, term to expire June 30, 2015 (Gov. Msg. No. 768);

GARTH YAMANAKA, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 769);

NANCY ATOMSPERA-WALCH, term to expire June 30, 2016 (Nominee's name amended to NANCY ATMOSPORA-WALCH by Gov. Msg. No. 861) (Gov. Msg. No. 770);

PHILLIP KASPER, term to expire June 30, 2016 (term amended to June 30, 2018 by Gov. Msg. No. 860) (Gov. Msg. No. 771); and

ROBERT CUNDIFF, term to expire June 30, 2016 (Gov. Msg. No. 772),

seconded by Senator Slom.

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Dela Cruz).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1597 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 822, 823 and 824):

Senator Wakai moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1597 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Slom and carried.

Senator Wakai then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Strategic Development Corporation of the following:

ANN H. CHUNG, term to expire June 30, 2017 (Gov. Msg. No. 822);

FRED HEMMINGS, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 823); and

MICHAEL J. O'MALLEY, term to expire June 30, 2016 (Gov. Msg. No. 824),

seconded by Senator Slom.

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Dela Cruz).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1598 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 600 and 601):

Senator Baker moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1598 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried.

Senator Baker then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Pest Control Board of the following:

TERRANCE MANAGO, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 600); and

DAVID LAU, term to expire June 30, 2019 (as amended by Gov. Msg. No. 862) (Gov. Msg. No. 601),

seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Baker rose to speak in support of the nominees as follows:

“Thank you, Madam President. I rise in strong support of Standing Committee Reports 1598 through 1611. Many of the nominees to these boards and commissions are reappointments. Some are new and very eager to contribute their expertise. I’ve been impressed with the quality of both the licensee and industry members as well as the quality of the public members.

“The boards contained in these committee reports are nominees to the Pest Control Board; the State Board of Nursing; the State Board of Chiropractic Examiners; the State Board of Barbering and Cosmetology; the Real Estate Commission; the Motor Vehicle Industry Licensing Board; the Hawai‘i Medical Board; the Board of Professional Engineers, Architects, Surveyors, and Landscape Architects; the Board of Speech Pathology and Audiology; the Board of Acupuncture; the Board of Private Detectives and Guards; the Board of Physical Therapy; the Board of Psychology; and the Board of Dental Examiners.

“As I said, these nominees are of a very high caliber, with sets of knowledge and expertise that will serve their respective boards and Hawaii’s consumers very well. I ask all of you, my colleagues, to join me in voting to advise and consent to the nominations listed in Standing Committee Reports 1598 through 1611. Mahalo.”

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Dela Cruz).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1599 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 596 and 599):

Senator Baker moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1599 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried.

Senator Baker then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the State Board of Nursing of the following:

JUDY KODAMA, term to expire June 30, 2017 (Gov. Msg. No. 596); and

OLIVIA KIM, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 599),

seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Baker rose to speak in support of the nominees as follows:

“Thank you, Madam President. I rise in strong support of Standing Committee Reports 1598 through 1611. Many of the nominees to these boards and commissions are reappointments. Some are new and very eager to contribute their expertise. I’ve been impressed with the quality of both the licensee and industry members as well as the quality of the public members.

“The boards contained in these committee reports are nominees to the Pest Control Board; the State Board of Nursing; the State Board of Chiropractic Examiners; the State Board of Barbering and Cosmetology; the Real Estate Commission; the Motor Vehicle Industry Licensing Board; the Hawai‘i Medical Board; the Board of Professional Engineers, Architects, Surveyors, and Landscape Architects; the Board of Speech Pathology and Audiology; the Board of Acupuncture; the Board of Private Detectives and Guards; the Board of Physical

Therapy; the Board of Psychology; and the Board of Dental Examiners.

“As I said, these nominees are of a very high caliber, with sets of knowledge and expertise that will serve their respective boards and Hawaii’s consumers very well. I ask all of you, my colleagues, to join me in voting to advise and consent to the nominations listed in Standing Committee Reports 1598 through 1611. Mahalo.”

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Dela Cruz).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1600 (Gov. Msg. No. 595):

Senator Baker moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1600 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried.

Senator Baker then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of ROBERT KLEIN to the State Board of Chiropractic Examiners, term to expire June 30, 2019, seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Baker rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

“Thank you, Madam President. I rise in strong support of Standing Committee Reports 1598 through 1611. Many of the nominees to these boards and commissions are reappointments. Some are new and very eager to contribute their expertise. I’ve been impressed with the quality of both the licensee and industry members as well as the quality of the public members.

“The boards contained in these committee reports are nominees to the Pest Control Board; the State Board of Nursing; the State Board of Chiropractic Examiners; the State Board of Barbering and Cosmetology; the Real Estate Commission; the Motor Vehicle Industry Licensing Board; the Hawai‘i Medical Board; the Board of Professional Engineers, Architects, Surveyors, and Landscape Architects; the Board of Speech Pathology and Audiology; the Board of Acupuncture; the Board of Private Detectives and Guards; the Board of Physical Therapy; the Board of Psychology; and the Board of Dental Examiners.

“As I said, these nominees are of a very high caliber, with sets of knowledge and expertise that will serve their respective boards and Hawaii’s consumers very well. I ask all of you, my colleagues, to join me in voting to advise and consent to the nominations listed in Standing Committee Reports 1598 through 1611. Mahalo.”

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Dela Cruz).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1601 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 593 and 594):

Senator Baker moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1601 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried.

Senator Baker then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the State Board of Barbering and Cosmetology of the following:

ANNE TOKUNAGA, term to expire June 30, 2017 (Gov. Msg. No. 593); and

ANGELA HOWARD, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 594),

seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Baker rose to speak in support of the nominees as follows:

“Thank you, Madam President. I rise in strong support of Standing Committee Reports 1598 through 1611. Many of the nominees to these boards and commissions are reappointments. Some are new and very eager to contribute their expertise. I’ve been impressed with the quality of both the licensee and industry members as well as the quality of the public members.

“The boards contained in these committee reports are nominees to the Pest Control Board; the State Board of Nursing; the State Board of Chiropractic Examiners; the State Board of Barbering and Cosmetology; the Real Estate Commission; the Motor Vehicle Industry Licensing Board; the Hawai‘i Medical Board; the Board of Professional Engineers, Architects, Surveyors, and Landscape Architects; the Board of Speech Pathology and Audiology; the Board of Acupuncture; the Board of Private Detectives and Guards; the Board of Physical Therapy; the Board of Psychology; and the Board of Dental Examiners.

“As I said, these nominees are of a very high caliber, with sets of knowledge and expertise that will serve their respective boards and Hawai‘i’s consumers very well. I ask all of you, my colleagues, to join me in voting to advise and consent to the nominations listed in Standing Committee Reports 1598 through 1611. Mahalo.”

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Dela Cruz).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1602 (Gov. Msg. No. 592):

Senator Baker moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1602 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried.

Senator Baker then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of ALETA KLEIN to the Real Estate Commission, term to expire June 30, 2017, seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Baker rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

“Thank you, Madam President. I rise in strong support of Standing Committee Reports 1598 through 1611. Many of the nominees to these boards and commissions are reappointments. Some are new and very eager to contribute their expertise. I’ve been impressed with the quality of both the licensee and industry members as well as the quality of the public members.

“The boards contained in these committee reports are nominees to the Pest Control Board; the State Board of Nursing; the State Board of Chiropractic Examiners; the State Board of Barbering and Cosmetology; the Real Estate Commission; the Motor Vehicle Industry Licensing Board; the Hawai‘i Medical Board; the Board of Professional Engineers, Architects, Surveyors, and Landscape Architects; the Board of Speech Pathology and Audiology; the Board of Acupuncture; the Board of Private Detectives and Guards; the Board of Physical Therapy; the Board of Psychology; and the Board of Dental Examiners.

“As I said, these nominees are of a very high caliber, with sets of knowledge and expertise that will serve their respective boards and Hawai‘i’s consumers very well. I ask all of you, my colleagues, to join me in voting to advise and consent to the nominations listed in Standing Committee Reports 1598 through 1611. Mahalo.”

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Dela Cruz).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1603 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 587, 588, 589, 590 and 591):

Senator Baker moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1603 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried.

Senator Baker then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Motor Vehicle Industry Licensing Board of the following:

WAYNE DE LUZ, term to expire June 30, 2015 (Gov. Msg. No. 587);

WAYNE DE LUZ, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 588);

CARL D. JOHNSEN, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 589);

RUSSELL WONG, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 590); and

BYRON HANSEN, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 591),

seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Baker rose to speak in support of the nominees as follows:

“Thank you, Madam President. I rise in strong support of Standing Committee Reports 1598 through 1611. Many of the nominees to these boards and commissions are reappointments. Some are new and very eager to contribute their expertise. I’ve been impressed with the quality of both the licensee and industry members as well as the quality of the public members.

“The boards contained in these committee reports are nominees to the Pest Control Board; the State Board of Nursing; the State Board of Chiropractic Examiners; the State Board of Barbering and Cosmetology; the Real Estate Commission; the Motor Vehicle Industry Licensing Board; the Hawai‘i Medical Board; the Board of Professional Engineers, Architects, Surveyors, and Landscape Architects; the Board of Speech Pathology and Audiology; the Board of Acupuncture; the Board of Private Detectives and Guards; the Board of Physical Therapy; the Board of Psychology; and the Board of Dental Examiners.

“As I said, these nominees are of a very high caliber, with sets of knowledge and expertise that will serve their respective boards and Hawai‘i’s consumers very well. I ask all of you, my colleagues, to join me in voting to advise and consent to the nominations listed in Standing Committee Reports 1598 through 1611. Mahalo.”

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Dela Cruz).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1604 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585 and 586):

Senator Baker moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1604 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried.

Senator Baker then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Hawai‘i Medical Board of the following:

PETER HALFORD, MD, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 580);

DARREN EGAMI, MD, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 581);

PALASI-SAM PULETASI, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 582);

JONE GEIMER-FLANDERS, DO, term to expire June 30, 2015 (Gov. Msg. No. 583);

JONE GEIMER-FLANDERS, DO, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 584);

GERARD AKAKA, MD, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 585); and

SHARON BINTLIFF, MD, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 586),

seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Baker rose to speak in support of the nominees as follows:

“Thank you, Madam President. I rise in strong support of Standing Committee Reports 1598 through 1611. Many of the nominees to these boards and commissions are reappointments. Some are new and very eager to contribute their expertise. I’ve been impressed with the quality of both the licensee and industry members as well as the quality of the public members.

“The boards contained in these committee reports are nominees to the Pest Control Board; the State Board of Nursing; the State Board of Chiropractic Examiners; the State Board of Barbering and Cosmetology; the Real Estate Commission; the Motor Vehicle Industry Licensing Board; the Hawai‘i Medical Board; the Board of Professional Engineers, Architects, Surveyors, and Landscape Architects; the Board of Speech Pathology and Audiology; the Board of Acupuncture; the Board of Private Detectives and Guards; the Board of Physical Therapy; the Board of Psychology; and the Board of Dental Examiners.

“As I said, these nominees are of a very high caliber, with sets of knowledge and expertise that will serve their respective boards and Hawai‘i’s consumers very well. I ask all of you, my colleagues, to join me in voting to advise and consent to the nominations listed in Standing Committee Reports 1598 through 1611. Mahalo.”

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Dela Cruz).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1605 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 575, 576, 577, 578 and 579):

Senator Baker moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1605 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried.

Senator Baker then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Professional Engineers, Architects, Surveyors, and Landscape Architects of the following:

ALAN INABA, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 575);

RON IWAMOTO, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 576);

CLAYTON PANG, term to expire June 30, 2017 (Gov. Msg. No. 577);

MARC VENTURA, term to expire June 30, 2016 (Gov. Msg. No. 578); and

JOYCE NOE, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 579),

seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Baker rose to speak in support of the nominees as follows:

“Thank you, Madam President. I rise in strong support of Standing Committee Reports 1598 through 1611. Many of the nominees to these boards and commissions are reappointments. Some are new and very eager to contribute their expertise. I’ve been impressed with the quality of both the licensee and industry members as well as the quality of the public members.

“The boards contained in these committee reports are nominees to the Pest Control Board; the State Board of Nursing; the State Board of Chiropractic Examiners; the State Board of Barbering and Cosmetology; the Real Estate Commission; the Motor Vehicle Industry Licensing Board; the Hawai‘i Medical Board; the Board of Professional Engineers, Architects, Surveyors, and Landscape Architects; the Board of Speech Pathology and Audiology; the Board of Acupuncture; the Board of Private Detectives and Guards; the Board of Physical Therapy; the Board of Psychology; and the Board of Dental Examiners.

“As I said, these nominees are of a very high caliber, with sets of knowledge and expertise that will serve their respective boards and Hawai‘i’s consumers very well. I ask all of you, my colleagues, to join me in voting to advise and consent to the nominations listed in Standing Committee Reports 1598 through 1611. Mahalo.”

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Dela Cruz).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1606 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 570, 571 and 572):

Senator Baker moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1606 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried.

Senator Baker then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Speech Pathology and Audiology of the following:

SHANNON CHING, term to expire June 30, 2017 (Gov. Msg. No. 570);

VALERY OBRIEN, term to expire June 30, 2017 (Gov. Msg. No. 571); and

JUNE UYEHARA ISONO, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 572),

seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Baker rose to speak in support of the nominees as follows:

“Thank you, Madam President. I rise in strong support of Standing Committee Reports 1598 through 1611. Many of the nominees to these boards and commissions are reappointments. Some are new and very eager to contribute their expertise. I’ve been impressed with the quality of both the licensee and industry members as well as the quality of the public members.

“The boards contained in these committee reports are nominees to the Pest Control Board; the State Board of Nursing; the State Board of Chiropractic Examiners; the State Board of Barbering and Cosmetology; the Real Estate Commission; the Motor Vehicle Industry Licensing Board; the Hawai‘i Medical Board; the Board of Professional Engineers, Architects,

Surveyors, and Landscape Architects; the Board of Speech Pathology and Audiology; the Board of Acupuncture; the Board of Private Detectives and Guards; the Board of Physical Therapy; the Board of Psychology; and the Board of Dental Examiners.

"As I said, these nominees are of a very high caliber, with sets of knowledge and expertise that will serve their respective boards and Hawaii's consumers very well. I ask all of you, my colleagues, to join me in voting to advise and consent to the nominations listed in Standing Committee Reports 1598 through 1611. Mahalo."

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Dela Cruz).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1607 (Gov. Msg. No. 556):

Senator Baker moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1607 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried.

Senator Baker then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of JAMES CORCORAN to the Board of Acupuncture, term to expire June 30, 2019, seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Baker rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

"Thank you, Madam President. I rise in strong support of Standing Committee Reports 1598 through 1611. Many of the nominees to these boards and commissions are reappointments. Some are new and very eager to contribute their expertise. I've been impressed with the quality of both the licensee and industry members as well as the quality of the public members.

"The boards contained in these committee reports are nominees to the Pest Control Board; the State Board of Nursing; the State Board of Chiropractic Examiners; the State Board of Barbering and Cosmetology; the Real Estate Commission; the Motor Vehicle Industry Licensing Board; the Hawai'i Medical Board; the Board of Professional Engineers, Architects, Surveyors, and Landscape Architects; the Board of Speech Pathology and Audiology; the Board of Acupuncture; the Board of Private Detectives and Guards; the Board of Physical Therapy; the Board of Psychology; and the Board of Dental Examiners.

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Dela Cruz).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1608 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 557 and 558):

Senator Baker moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1608 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried.

Senator Baker then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Private Detectives and Guards of the following:

HARRY KUBOJIRI, term to expire June 30, 2015 (Gov. Msg. No. 557); and

HARRY KUBOJIRI, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 558),

seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Baker rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

"Thank you, Madam President. I rise in strong support of Standing Committee Reports 1598 through 1611. Many of the nominees to these boards and commissions are reappointments. Some are new and very eager to contribute their expertise. I've been impressed with the quality of both the licensee and industry members as well as the quality of the public members.

"The boards contained in these committee reports are nominees to the Pest Control Board; the State Board of Nursing; the State Board of Chiropractic Examiners; the State Board of Barbering and Cosmetology; the Real Estate Commission; the Motor Vehicle Industry Licensing Board; the Hawai'i Medical Board; the Board of Professional Engineers, Architects, Surveyors, and Landscape Architects; the Board of Speech Pathology and Audiology; the Board of Acupuncture; the Board of Private Detectives and Guards; the Board of Physical Therapy; the Board of Psychology; and the Board of Dental Examiners.

"As I said, these nominees are of a very high caliber, with sets of knowledge and expertise that will serve their respective boards and Hawaii's consumers very well. I ask all of you, my colleagues, to join me in voting to advise and consent to the nominations listed in Standing Committee Reports 1598 through 1611. Mahalo."

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Dela Cruz).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1609 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 559, 560, 561 and 562):

Senator Baker moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1609 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried.

Senator Baker then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Physical Therapy of the following:

DEBRA KUBOTA, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 559);

RACHELLE IOPA, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 560);

MICHAEL TURNER, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 561); and

JILL WAKABAYASHI, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 562),

seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Baker rose to speak in support of the nominees as follows:

"Thank you, Madam President. I rise in strong support of Standing Committee Reports 1598 through 1611. Many of the nominees to these boards and commissions are reappointments. Some are new and very eager to contribute their expertise. I've been impressed with the quality of both the licensee and industry members as well as the quality of the public members.

"The boards contained in these committee reports are nominees to the Pest Control Board; the State Board of Nursing; the State Board of Chiropractic Examiners; the State Board of

Barbering and Cosmetology; the Real Estate Commission; the Motor Vehicle Industry Licensing Board; the Hawai'i Medical Board; the Board of Professional Engineers, Architects, Surveyors, and Landscape Architects; the Board of Speech Pathology and Audiology; the Board of Acupuncture; the Board of Private Detectives and Guards; the Board of Physical Therapy; the Board of Psychology; and the Board of Dental Examiners.

"As I said, these nominees are of a very high caliber, with sets of knowledge and expertise that will serve their respective boards and Hawai'i's consumers very well. I ask all of you, my colleagues, to join me in voting to advise and consent to the nominations listed in Standing Committee Reports 1598 through 1611. Mahalo."

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Dela Cruz).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1610 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 563 and 564):

Senator Baker moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1610 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried.

Senator Baker then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Psychology of the following:

LISA CHUN FAT, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 563); and

BRIAN COMBS, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 564),

seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Baker rose to speak in support of the nominees as follows:

"Thank you, Madam President. I rise in strong support of Standing Committee Reports 1598 through 1611. Many of the nominees to these boards and commissions are reappointments. Some are new and very eager to contribute their expertise. I've been impressed with the quality of both the licensee and industry members as well as the quality of the public members.

"The boards contained in these committee reports are nominees to the Pest Control Board; the State Board of Nursing; the State Board of Chiropractic Examiners; the State Board of Barbering and Cosmetology; the Real Estate Commission; the Motor Vehicle Industry Licensing Board; the Hawai'i Medical Board; the Board of Professional Engineers, Architects, Surveyors, and Landscape Architects; the Board of Speech Pathology and Audiology; the Board of Acupuncture; the Board of Private Detectives and Guards; the Board of Physical Therapy; the Board of Psychology; and the Board of Dental Examiners.

"As I said, these nominees are of a very high caliber, with sets of knowledge and expertise that will serve their respective boards and Hawai'i's consumers very well. I ask all of you, my colleagues, to join me in voting to advise and consent to the nominations listed in Standing Committee Reports 1598 through 1611. Mahalo."

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Dela Cruz).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1611 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 565, 566, 567, 568 and 569):

Senator Baker moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1611 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried.

Senator Baker then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Dental Examiners of the following:

RODNEY CHING, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 565);

PAUL GUEVARA, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 566);

MARIANNE TIMMERMAN, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 567);

COY REBMANN, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 568); and

CANDACE WADA, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 569),

seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Baker rose to speak in support of the nominees as follows:

"Thank you, Madam President. I rise in strong support of Standing Committee Reports 1598 through 1611. Many of the nominees to these boards and commissions are reappointments. Some are new and very eager to contribute their expertise. I've been impressed with the quality of both the licensee and industry members as well as the quality of the public members.

"The boards contained in these committee reports are nominees to the Pest Control Board; the State Board of Nursing; the State Board of Chiropractic Examiners; the State Board of Barbering and Cosmetology; the Real Estate Commission; the Motor Vehicle Industry Licensing Board; the Hawai'i Medical Board; the Board of Professional Engineers, Architects, Surveyors, and Landscape Architects; the Board of Speech Pathology and Audiology; the Board of Acupuncture; the Board of Private Detectives and Guards; the Board of Physical Therapy; the Board of Psychology; and the Board of Dental Examiners.

"As I said, these nominees are of a very high caliber, with sets of knowledge and expertise that will serve their respective boards and Hawai'i's consumers very well. I ask all of you, my colleagues, to join me in voting to advise and consent to the nominations listed in Standing Committee Reports 1598 through 1611. Mahalo."

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Dela Cruz).

At this time, Senator Baker introduced newly confirmed member of the Real Estate Commission Aleta Klein, who was present in the gallery.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1612 (Gov. Msg. No. 845):

Senator Wakai moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1612 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Slom and carried.

Senator Wakai then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of TODD NACAPUY as Chief Information Officer of the Department of Accounting and General Services, term to expire December 3, 2018, seconded by Senator Slom.

Senator Wakai rose to speak in support of the nominees as follows:

“Thank you, Madam President. It is with extreme enthusiasm that I advocate for Todd Nacapuy to be Hawai‘i’s next chief information officer. Governor Ige has put together a stellar team for all of us here in the State of Hawai‘i, and one of his shooting stars is right with us today. He’s the right person for the right position, and we need his leadership right now.

“Mr. Nacapuy was born and raised in Waialua and graduated from Seattle University with a degree in finance and accounting. He came to us after serving as a technical account manager with Microsoft since 2005, where he was in charge of all premier services in Hawai‘i. His duties included working with large enterprises and developing customized end-to-end solutions for their evolving businesses.

“What’s most refreshing about him is his lack of government involvement: He’s not politically connected; he doesn’t know where the boundaries are – perfect. He brings a pair of fresh eyeballs to look at our antiquated technology infrastructure.

“During his nomination hearing, we heard from numerous members of our community. Fans described Mr. Nacapuy as a highly skilled IT professional who would have an immediate, positive impact on the strategy and implementation of the state’s information systems. Mr. Nacapuy was described as an exceptionally competent technologist, but also a manager capable of leading disparate constituencies and focusing them on a single common goal.

“During his confirmation hearing, Mr. Nacapuy talked about his vision for OIMT; he wants to make the office the top IT enterprise within the state and make the office the best place to work for IT professionals. He also wants to create a unified catalog service, which would lay out the standards for the state moving forward. And this one is the one I love the most: He plans to build capacity within the state, so we are not spending taxpayer money to pay for consultants to tell us what we should already know.

“One of Mr. Nacapuy’s most important skills, which was not evidenced on his résumé, is his passion for MMA fighting; he trains fighters at a local gym. Those skills may prove to be his most valuable assets when pushing forward his progressive IT agenda. It is imperative for the state to modernize its IT infrastructure to increase efficiency and effectiveness of state government. We have a fighter in our corner; let’s declare Todd Nacapuy as our champion for IT by confirming him as our new chief information officer. Thank you, Madam President.”

Senator Slom rose to speak in support of the nominees as follows:

“I certainly echo the comments of the chair of Economic Development, and I think it’s interesting that the nominee also said he’d like to change the title of CIO from ‘chief information officer’ to ‘chief innovation officer.’ And the fact that he is cognizant of the many millions of dollars that we have spent and misspent on outside contracts and vendors, I think, is noteworthy. He is bright; he’s young; he’s passionate; he’s got a lot of energy, and I think he will serve us well. I think we’ll find out that technology is a tool, but it is still only a tool, and we need better judgment in the decisions we make. Thank you.”

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

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Dela Cruz).

At this time, Senator Wakai introduced newly confirmed Chief Information Officer Todd Nacapuy, who was present in the gallery with supporters including his wife, Teresa Vo; his mother, Sharon; and his father, Tony.

ADOPTION OF RESOLUTIONS

MATTERS DEFERRED FROM TUESDAY, APRIL 21, 2015

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1584 (H.C.R. No. 108, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 108, S.D. 1, entitled: “HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CONVENING OF A CLIMATE CHANGE AND HEALTH WORKING GROUP TO ASSESS THE SCOPE AND RISKS OF CLIMATE CHANGE ON THE HEALTH OF HAWAII’S RESIDENTS AND TO DEVELOP A STRATEGIC PLAN TO ADDRESS CLIMATE CHANGE RISKS TO HEALTH STATEWIDE,” was adopted, with Senator Slom voting “No.”

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1585 (H.C.R. No. 98):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 98, entitled: “HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO INVESTIGATE AND ASSESS SAFETY CONCERNS AND POTENTIAL IMPROVEMENTS FOR QUEEN KAAHUMANU HIGHWAY FROM MAKALA BOULEVARD TO HENRY STREET ON THE ISLAND OF HAWAII,” was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1613 (H.C.R. No. 187, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 187, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: “HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO CONVENE A TASK FORCE TO CLARIFY AND COORDINATE AGRICULTURAL-BASED COMMERCIAL SUPPORT OF BONA-FIDE FARMING OPERATIONS ACROSS THE STATE,” was adopted.

FINAL READING

S.B. No. 226, S.D. 2, H.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 226, S.D. 2, and S.B. No. 226, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABUSE OF FAMILY OR HOUSEHOLD MEMBER,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Dela Cruz).

S.B. No. 743, S.D. 1, H.D. 2:

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 743, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 743, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ACTIVITY DESKS,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Dela Cruz).

S.B. No. 1087, S.D. 1, H.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1087, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 1087, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES’ RETIREMENT SYSTEM,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Dela Cruz).

S.B. No. 1089, S.D. 1, H.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1089, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 1089, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Dela Cruz).

S.B. No. 1093, S.D. 2, H.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1093, S.D. 2, and S.B. No. 1093, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MORTGAGE SERVICERS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Dela Cruz).

S.B. No. 1166, S.D. 2, H.D. 2:

On motion by Senator Shimabukuro, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1166, S.D. 2, and S.B. No. 1166, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Dela Cruz).

S.B. No. 1262, S.D. 1, H.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1262, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 1262, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SECURE AND FAIR ENFORCEMENT FOR MORTGAGE LICENSING ACT," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Dela Cruz).

Senator Gabbard rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

"Colleagues, today marks the forty-fifth anniversary of Earth Day. For your personal edification, a little history lesson on how Earth Day came about in 1970: The idea came to Earth Day founder Gaylord Nelson, then a U.S. senator from Wisconsin, after witnessing the ravages of the 1969 massive oil spill in Santa Barbara, California. Inspired by the student anti-war movement, he realized that if he could infuse that energy with an emerging public consciousness about air and water pollution, it would force environmental protection onto the national political agenda. Senator Nelson announced the idea for a national teach-in on the environment to the national media; persuaded Pete McCloskey, a conservation-minded Republican congressman, to serve as his co-chair; and recruited Denis Hayes as national coordinator. Hayes built a national staff of 85 to promote events across the land. As a result, on the 22nd of April in 1970, 20 million Americans took to the streets, parks, and auditoriums to demonstrate for a healthy, sustainable environment in massive coast-to-coast rallies. Hawai'i continues to be a leader in this international environmental movement. So happy Earth Day, colleagues: mālama 'āina. Mahalo."

Senator Tokuda, Chair of the Committee on Ways and Means, requested a waiver of the notice requirement pursuant to Senate Rule 21 for the following measures:

H.C.R. No. 34, H.D. 1;
H.C.R. No. 73, S.D. 1;
H.C.R. No. 78, S.D. 1;
H.C.R. No. 182; and
H.C.R. No. 185, S.D. 1.

Senator Tokuda noted:

"The deadline to pass amended HCRs is Friday, and we've just received them from the subject matter committees."

The Chair then granted the waiver.

Senator Tokuda announced that the Committee on Ways and Means would be holding a public decision-making meeting on the aforementioned House concurrent resolutions on Thursday, April 23, 2015, at 9:10 a.m. in Conference Room 211.

The Chair then made the following announcement:

"Conferees are named in accordance with the action sheet which may be updated later this afternoon."

APPOINTMENT AND DISCHARGE OF CONFEREES

S.B. No. 325, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 325, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Taniguchi, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 504, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 504, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Taniguchi, chair; Thielen, Tokuda, co-chairs; Galuteria, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1174, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

The President appointed Senator Espero as a manager and discharged Senator Taniguchi as a manager on the part of the Senate at the conference to be held for the consideration of amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1174, S.D. 2.

H.B. No. 1168, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

The President appointed Senator Ihara as a manager and discharged Senator Taniguchi as a manager on the part of the Senate at the conference to be held for the consideration of amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1168, H.D. 1.

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:49 a.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Thursday, April 23, 2015.

FIFTY-SECOND DAY

Thursday, April 23, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:35 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present with the exception of Senators Dela Cruz, Galuteria, and Kouchi who were excused.

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

Senator Ruderman welcomed sixth grade students from Ke Kula 'O Nāwahīkalanī'ōpu'u Public Charter School, a Hawaiian language immersion school in Kea'au on the island of Hawai'i, who were present in the gallery with their teachers and chaperones Kapua Silver and Keli'i Kahele.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 893 to 895) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 893, informing the Senate that on April 20, 2015, the Governor withdrew the nomination of IRA D. ZUNIN, MD to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Health Connector, under Gov. Msg. No. 776 dated April 6, 2015, from consideration by the Senate.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 893, the nomination listed under Gov. Msg. No. 776 was returned.

Gov. Msg. No. 894, informing the Senate that on April 21, 2015, the Governor withdrew the nomination of JULIE ADRIAN to the Board of Veterinary Examiners, under Gov. Msg. Nos. 573 and 574 dated March 30, 2015, from consideration by the Senate.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 894, the nominations listed under Gov. Msg. Nos. 573 and 574 were returned.

Gov. Msg. No. 895, informing the Senate that on April 21, 2015, the Governor withdrew the nomination of DR. ALISTAIR W. BAIROS to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Health Systems Corporation, under Gov. Msg. No. 790 dated April 2, 2015, from consideration by the Senate.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 895, the nomination listed under Gov. Msg. No. 790 was returned.

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the House (Hse. Com. Nos. 629 and 630) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Hse. Com. No. 629, informing the Senate that on April 22, 2015, the Speaker appointed conferees on the part of the House for the consideration of amendments proposed by the Senate to the following House bills:

H.B. No. 241 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Kawakami, Lowen, co-chairs; Kong, Thielen.

H.B. No. 242 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Kawakami, Lowen, co-chairs; Kong, Thielen.

Hse. Com. No. 630, informing the Senate that on April 22, 2015, the Speaker made the following change to the conferees on the following bill:

H.B. No. 832, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representative Ichiyama added as a manager.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1652) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of DR. CARL S. BONHAM to the Council on Revenues, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 803.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1652 and Gov. Msg. No. 803 was deferred until Friday, April 24, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1653) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of DR. CHRISTOPHER J. GRANDY to the Council on Revenues, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 804.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1653 and Gov. Msg. No. 804 was deferred until Friday, April 24, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1654) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of DR. JACK P. SUYDERHOUD to the Council on Revenues, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 805.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1654 and Gov. Msg. No. 805 was deferred until Friday, April 24, 2015.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1655) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of SIDNEY H. NAKAMOTO as Compact Administrator for Interstate Adult Offender Supervision (commission name amended to Interstate Commission for Adult Offender Supervision by Gov. Msg. No. 891), in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 885.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1655 and Gov. Msg. No. 885 was deferred until Friday, April 24, 2015.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1656) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Housing Finance and Development Corporation of the following:

EDWIN S. TAIRA, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 724;

RONA S.Y. FUKUMOTO, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 725;

AUDREY ABE, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 726; and

MELVIN Y.C. KAHELE, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 727.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1656 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 724, 725, 726 and 727 was deferred until Friday, April 24, 2015.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1657) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of DANIEL KITTREDGE to the Commission on Fatherhood, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 690.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1657 and Gov. Msg. No. 690 was deferred until Friday, April 24, 2015.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1658) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Policy Advisory Board for Elder Affairs of the following:

JAMES CISLER, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 667;

PATRICK DUARTE, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 668;

ANTHONY LENZER, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 669;

MARILYN SEELY, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 670;

TRACEY WILTGEN, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 671;

LAUREL COLEMAN, MD, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 672; and

F. ADELE RUGG, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 673.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1658 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672 and 673 was deferred until Friday, April 24, 2015.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1659) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Hawai'i Community Development Authority of the following:

BEAU J.K. BASSETT, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 552; and

MARY PAT WATERHOUSE, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 553.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1659 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 552 and 553 was deferred until Friday, April 24, 2015.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1660) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of JONATHAN SCHEUER to the Land Use Commission, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 868.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1660 and Gov. Msg. No. 868 was deferred until Friday, April 24, 2015.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1661) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of MAUREEN NAGANUMA to the Health Planning Council, Tri-Isle Subarea, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 665.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1661 and Gov. Msg. No. 665 was deferred until Friday, April 24, 2015.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1662) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of JILL

TAMASHIRO to the Health Planning Council, West Oahu Subarea, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 666.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1662 and Gov. Msg. No. 666 was deferred until Friday, April 24, 2015.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1663) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the State Council on Developmental Disabilities of the following:

NATALIE KAMA, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 675;

LIZA T.H. YOGI, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 676;

TIMOTHY RENKEN, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 677;

AARON KEMP, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 678;

SANTO TRIOLO, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 679;

ALBERT PEREZ, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 680;

JEFFREY OKAMOTO, MD, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 681;

JOSEPHINE WOLL, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 682; and

RICKY SHIMOKAWA, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 684.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1663 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682 and 684 was deferred until Friday, April 24, 2015.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1664) recommending that H.C.R. No. 145, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1664 and H.C.R. No. 145, S.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CONVENING OF A FAMILY CAREGIVERS WORKING GROUP TO EXAMINE AND ASSESS LEGISLATION RELATING TO THE ROLE OF CAREGIVERS OF PATIENTS DISCHARGED FROM HOSPITALS," was deferred until Friday, April 24, 2015.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1665) recommending that H.C.R. No. 191 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1665 and H.C.R. No. 191, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE JAPANESE WOMEN'S SOCIETY FOUNDATION FOR CREATING THE "ADOPT-A-MOM" PROGRAM AND ENCOURAGING ALL FAMILIES AND AGENCIES WORKING WITH THE ELDERLY OF HAWAII TO PLACE "ADOPT-A-MOM" DAY ON THEIR CALENDARS, AS THE THIRD SUNDAY OF MAY, IN OBSERVANCE OF THE ELDERLY WOMEN OF HAWAII WHO DESERVE TO BE CHERISHED AND APPRECIATED FOR THE INVALUABLE ROLE THEY PLAY AS THE MOTHERS OF OUR KEIKI O KA AINA," was deferred until Friday, April 24, 2015.

Senator Wakai, for the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1666) recommending that H.C.R. No. 189, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1666 and H.C.R. No. 189, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BROADBAND ASSISTANCE ADVISORY COUNCIL TO CREATE A MASTER PLAN OF PROVIDING UNIVERSAL HIGH SPEED BROADBAND ACCESS IN RESORT AREAS AND OTHER AREAS OF IMPORTANCE THROUGHOUT HAWAII, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO HONOLULU INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT AND HAWAII PUBLIC SCHOOLS," was deferred until Friday, April 24, 2015.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Government Operations, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1667) recommending that H.C.R. No. 204, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1667 and H.C.R. No. 204, S.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE STATE PROCUREMENT ADMINISTRATOR TO COLLECT INFORMATION ON EACH OF THE INDIVIDUAL PROCUREMENT JURISDICTIONS," was deferred until Friday, April 24, 2015.

Senators Shimabukuro and Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1668) recommending that H.C.R. No. 217, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1668 and H.C.R. No. 217, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE JUDICIARY TO CONVENE A TASK FORCE TO EXAMINE ESTABLISHING HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE RESOURCES FOR THE STATE OF HAWAII JUDICIARY," was deferred until Friday, April 24, 2015.

Senators Thielen and Nishihara, for the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Transportation, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1669) recommending that H.C.R. No. 130 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1669 and H.C.R. No. 130, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO WORK WITH ROYAL HAWAIIAN GOLF CLUB TO DEVELOP A PLAN FOR THE MANAGEMENT AND MAINTENANCE OF OLD GOVERNMENT ROAD," was deferred until Friday, April 24, 2015.

Senators Thielen and Wakai, for the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1670) recommending that H.C.R. No. 86, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1670 and H.C.R. No. 86, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO CONSIDER DEVELOPING PERMITTING PROVISIONS TO REQUIRE THAT EMPLOYEES OF WATERSPORT EXCURSION COMPANIES WHO TAKE CUSTOMERS ON WATERSPORT EXCURSIONS ARE TRAINED IN BASIC SAFETY MEASURES," was deferred until Friday, April 24, 2015.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1671) recommending that H.C.R. No. 119, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1671 and H.C.R. No. 119, S.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A REPORT OF RECOMMENDATIONS TO STOP THE DECLINE AND REPLENISH THE SUPPLY OF LIMU AND REEF FISH IN CERTAIN AREAS OF THE EWA COAST OF OAHU," was deferred until Friday, April 24, 2015.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1672) recommending that H.C.R. No. 68 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1672 and H.C.R. No. 68, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DIVISION OF AQUATIC RESOURCES AND DIVISION OF CONSERVATION AND RESOURCES ENFORCEMENT TO COLLABORATE WITH FEDERAL PARTNER AGENCIES TO PROTECT IMPORTANT STATE MARINE RESOURCES," was deferred until Friday, April 24, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1673) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of ANGELA CHINEN to the Hoisting Machine Operators Advisory Board, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 884.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1673 and Gov. Msg. No. 884 was deferred until Friday, April 24, 2015.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1674) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of SUZANNE CASE as Chairperson of the Department of Land and Natural Resources, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 750.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1674 and Gov. Msg. No. 750 was deferred until Friday, April 24, 2015.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1675) recommending that H.C.R. No. 104, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 104, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING AN AUDIT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Shimabukuro, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1676) recommending that H.C.R. No. 149, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 149, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO REVIEW, DEVELOP, AND IMPLEMENT ADMINISTRATIVE RULES AND POLICIES TO FACILITATE AND ENCOURAGE TRADITIONAL HAWAIIAN BURIALS," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

ORDER OF THE DAY ADVISE AND CONSENT

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1625 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 801 and 802):

Senator Espero moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1625 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Baker and carried.

Senator Espero then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Hawai'i Paroling Authority of the following:

ANNELLE AMARAL, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 801); and

MICHAEL A. TOWN, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 802),

seconded by Senator Baker.

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

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Kouchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1626 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 707 and 708):

Senator Espero moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1626 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Baker and carried.

Senator Espero then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Corrections Population Management Commission of the following:

ANDERSON HEE, term to expire June 30, 2015 (Gov. Msg. No. 707); and

ANDERSON HEE, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 708),

seconded by Senator Baker.

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

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Kouchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1627 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 636 and 637):

Senator Espero moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1627 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Baker and carried.

Senator Espero then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Crime Victim Compensation Commission of the following:

MARTHA ROSS, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 636); and

MARI MCCAIG, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 637),

seconded by Senator Baker.

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

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Kouchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1628 (Gov. Msg. No. 631):

Senator Espero moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1628 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Baker and carried.

Senator Espero then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of COLTON CHING to the Hawai'i

Advisory Council on Emergency Management, term to expire June 30, 2019, seconded by Senator Baker.

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

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Kouchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1629 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 627, 628, 629 and 630):

Senator Espero moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1629 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Baker and carried.

Senator Espero then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Advisory Board on Veterans' Services of the following:

MICHAEL LILLY, term to expire June 30, 2015 (Gov. Msg. No. 627);

MICHAEL LILLY, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 628);

WILBERT PEREIRA, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 629); and

JAMES TRAXLER, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 630),

seconded by Senator Baker.

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

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Kouchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1630 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 818, 819 and 839):

Senator Thielen moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1630 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Ihara and carried.

Senator Thielen then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Legacy Land Conservation Commission of the following:

MARJORIE ZIEGLER, term to expire June 30, 2017 (Gov. Msg. No. 818);

THORNE ABBOTT, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 819); and

THERESA MENARD, term to expire June 30, 2017 (Gov. Msg. No. 839),

seconded by Senator Ihara.

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

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Kouchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1631 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 840 and 841):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1631 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried.

Senator Keith-Agaran then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Registration of the Island of O'ahu of the following:

ELISE ANDERSON, term to expire June 30, 2015 (Gov. Msg. No. 840); and

ELISE ANDERSON, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 841),

seconded by Senator Shimabukuro.

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

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Kouchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1632 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 691, 692, 693 and 694):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1632 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried.

Senator Keith-Agaran then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Commission on the Status of Women of the following:

LESLIE WILKINS, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 691);

LISA ELLEN SMITH, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 692);

SHERRY CAMPAGNA, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 693); and

CYD L. HOFFELD, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 694),

seconded by Senator Shimabukuro.

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

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Kouchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1633 (Gov. Msg. No. 747):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1633 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried.

Senator Keith-Agaran then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of RODERICK K. BECKER to the Board of Trustees of the Deferred Compensation Plan, term to expire June 30, 2019, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro.

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

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Kouchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1634 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 714 and 715):

Senator Green moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1634 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Wakai and carried.

Senator Green then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Emergency Medical Services Advisory Committee of the following:

REZA DANESH, MD, term to expire June 30, 2015 (Gov. Msg. No. 714); and

REZA DANESH, MD, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 715),

seconded by Senator Wakai.

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

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Kouchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1635 (Gov. Msg. No. 716):

Senator Green moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1635 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Wakai and carried.

Senator Green then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of TERRINA WONG to the Language Access Advisory Council, term to expire June 30, 2018, seconded by Senator Wakai.

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

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Kouchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1636 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 744, 745 and 746):

Senator Green moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1636 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Wakai and carried.

Senator Green then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Health Planning Council, Honolulu Subarea of the following:

DEBORAH JUAREZ, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 744);

JOSEPH BURKE, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 745); and

ROBERTA LOVELY, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 746),

seconded by Senator Wakai.

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

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Kouchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1637 (Gov. Msg. No. 793):

Senator Green moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1637 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Wakai and carried.

Senator Green then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of OCTAVIUS GONZAGA to the Health Planning Council, Windward Oahu Subarea, term to expire June 30, 2019, seconded by Senator Wakai.

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

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Kouchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1638 (Gov. Msg. No. 632):

Senator Green moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1638 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Wakai and carried.

Senator Green then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of ROBERT SOUZA to the Board of Certification of Operating Personnel in Wastewater Treatment Plants, term to expire June 30, 2019, seconded by Senator Wakai.

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

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Kouchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1639 (Gov. Msg. No. 633):

Senator Green moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1639 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Wakai and carried.

Senator Green then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of GLENN AH YAT to the Board of Certification of Public Water System Operators, term to expire June 30, 2019, seconded by Senator Wakai.

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

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Kouchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1640 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 638, 639, 640, 642, 643 and 644):

Senator Green moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1640 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Wakai and carried.

Senator Green then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Disability and Communication Access Board of the following:

ANN CHINEN ITO, term to expire June 30, 2016 (Gov. Msg. No. 638);

PAULINE AUGHE, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 639);

ED CHEVY, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 640);

MISELLA TOMITA, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 642);

YOLANDA PHELAN, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 643); and

ROBIN K. INABA, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 644),

seconded by Senator Wakai.

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

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Kouchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1641 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652 and 653):

Senator Green moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1641 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Wakai and carried.

Senator Green then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Hawai'i Advisory Commission on Drug Abuse and Controlled Substances of the following:

CHAD KOYANAGI, term to expire June 30, 2015 (Gov. Msg. No. 647);

CHAD KOYANAGI, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 648);

CASHMIRE LOPEZ, term to expire June 30, 2015 (Gov. Msg. No. 649);

CASHMIRE LOPEZ, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 650);

EDWARD MERSEREAU, term to expire June 30, 2017 (Gov. Msg. No. 651);

LORI FERREIRA, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 652); and

HEATHER LUSK, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 653),

seconded by Senator Wakai.

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

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Kouchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1642 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 685, 686 and 687):

Senator Green moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1642 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Wakai and carried.

Senator Green then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the State Council on Mental Health of the following:

CYNTHIA DANG, term to expire June 30, 2016 (Gov. Msg. No. 685);

ALFRED ARESNDORF, term to expire June 30, 2017 (Nominee's name amended to ALFRED ARENSDORF by Gov. Msg. No. 757) (Gov. Msg. No. 686); and

FRANCES ELAINE LYONS, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 687),

seconded by Senator Wakai.

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

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Kouchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1643 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 688 and 689):

Senator Green moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1643 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Wakai and carried.

Senator Green then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Statewide Health Coordinating Council of the following:

VERONICA ROCHA, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 688); and

HAROLD WALLACE, JR., term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 689),

seconded by Senator Wakai.

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

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (Dela Cruz, Galuteria, Kouchi).

ADOPTION OF RESOLUTIONS

MATTERS DEFERRED FROM WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22, 2015

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1620 (H.C.R. No. 162):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 162, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO EXAMINE IF AND HOW OTHER STATES REGULATE TOUR OPERATORS WITHIN THEIR JURISDICTION,” was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1621 (H.C.R. No. 158, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 158, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: “HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII SISTER-STATE COMMITTEE TO EVALUATE AND DEVELOP RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE INITIATION OF A SISTER-STATE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE STATE OF HAWAII AND THE STATE OF DAKHLA OF THE REGION OF OUED ED-DAHAB-LAGOUIRA OF THE KINGDOM OF MOROCCO, AND FORWARD ITS RECOMMENDATION TO THE LEGISLATURE, PURSUANT TO SECTION 229-3, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES, FOR FURTHER ACTION,” was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1622 (H.C.R. No. 208, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 208, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: “HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION STRONGLY URGING THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS AND THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR TO RESTORE FEDERAL HEALTHCARE FUNDING FOR U.S. RESIDENTS PRESENT UNDER THE COMPACTS OF FREE ASSOCIATION, IN RECOGNITION OF THEIR UNIQUE HISTORIC AND ONGOING SACRIFICES AND CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND TO THE WORLD,” was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1623 (H.C.R. No. 155, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 155, S.D. 1, entitled: “HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE JUDICIAL COUNCIL TO APPOINT A COMMITTEE TO REVIEW AND RECOMMEND REVISIONS TO THE HAWAII PENAL CODE,” was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1624 (H.C.R. No. 168, H.D. 2, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 168, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: “HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO STREAMLINE THE STATE’S WORKERS’ COMPENSATION PROCESS,” was adopted.

WAIVER OF REFERRAL

Senator Green, Chair of the Committee on Health, requested that the referral of H.C.R. No. 97, H.D. 1 to the Committee on Health be waived.

Senator Green noted:

“The reason for that is we’ve already addressed this; the other pertinent chairs have it under control, and we want to move this reso.”

The Chair granted the waiver.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Gabbard and carried, H.C.R. No. 97, H.D. 1, entitled: “HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH ASSURE THAT ANY SUBSTANTIAL LAND DISCHARGE OF WASTEWATER, OCCURRING BY INJECTION WELL OR OTHER MEANS,

IS IN ALL CASES, ADEQUATELY REVIEWED AND PERMITTED,” was placed on the calendar for adoption on Friday, April 24, 2015.

At this time, Senator Keith-Agaran introduced Elise Anderson, newly confirmed member of the Board of Registration for the island of O’ahu, who was present in the gallery with her brother Andrew; her stepmother, Debbie; and her uncle Monty Peterson.

RECONSIDERATION OF ACTIONS TAKEN

S.B. No. 1030, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

Senator Green moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on April 16, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1030, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Baker and carried.

In accordance with the Conference Committee Procedures agreed upon by the Senate and the House of Representatives, the managers on the part of the Senate recommended that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1030, S.D. 1, on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 4 (Green, Baker, Keith-Agaran, Espero). Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Nishihara).

Senator Green then moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1030, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Baker.

Senator Green noted:

“Madam President, this is landmark legislation. We move to agree because we felt that the House version was able to accomplish all that we had hoped in our version and even a little bit more from some of the work that they had been proposing. This bill raises the age to buy cigarettes to 21; it does similarly for e-cigs, to 21.

“I want to give credit where, really, great credit is due to both Senator Baker and Senator Wakai, who worked for darn near six or eight years on some of this legislation. And it just makes everyone healthier in the State of Hawai’i, so we were honored to move to agree and to send this on to the governor if it’s the will of the Senate.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1030, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 1030, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH,” was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Friday, April 24, 2015.

S.B. No. 1133, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Senator Tokuda moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on April 16, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1133, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator English and carried.

Senator Tokuda then moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1133, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator English.

Senator Tokuda noted:

“Thank you. The House just made some additional clarifying amendments with respect to the treatment of additional tax for distributions not being used for disability expenses, so we’d like to agree.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1133, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 1133, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONFORMITY OF

THE HAWAII INCOME TAX LAW TO THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE,” was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Friday, April 24, 2015.

S.B. No. 1136 (H.D. 1):

Senator Tokuda moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on April 16, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1136, seconded by Senator English and carried.

Senator Tokuda then moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1136, seconded by Senator English.

Senator Tokuda noted:

“Thank you. The House made some clarifying amendments on this measure as well to the circumstances under which the credit would be claimable in regards to a vocational rehabilitation referral who is a dependent.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1136, and S.B. No. 1136, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SECTION 235-55.91, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES,” was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Friday, April 24, 2015.

Senator Slom rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

“I just wanted to thank everyone for all of their efforts and support in yesterday, making the ‘ōpe‘ape‘a our state land mammal. The Senate President was there, Senator Espero and others; it was a good event. The governor signed the bill into law as Act 13.

“Senator Keith-Agaran had introduced in the gallery Ms. Debbie Anderson from the Big Island, and she owns some of the original artwork that was done about the ‘ōpe‘ape‘a. And we can all sleep better now, knowing that we have a native Hawaiian land mammal who will keep us pest-free. Thank you, Madam President.”

Senator Riviere announced that the canned food drive to support the Hawai‘i Foodbank would be ending soon, and encouraged the members to donate canned and dry food items.

Senator Thielen rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

“I just wanted to remind everybody that tomorrow is ‘wear your hemp shirt day.’ We have to have a good showing along with the House; for those of you who do have hemp shirts, please make sure to wear them tomorrow. Mahalo.”

The Chair then made the following announcement:

“Conferees are named in accordance with the action sheets which may be updated later this afternoon.”

APPOINTMENT OF CONFEREES

S.B. No. 379, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 379, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Green, chair; Ruderman, Baker, co-chairs; Thielen, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 754, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 754, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof,

the President appointed Senators Kahele, chair; Baker, co-chair; English, Taniguchi, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1440, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1440, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kidani, chair; Green, Harimoto, co-chairs; Kouchi, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:46 a.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Friday, April 24, 2015.

FIFTY-THIRD DAY**Friday, April 24, 2015**

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:36 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present with the exception of Senators Dela Cruz and Galuteria who were excused.

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

Senator Green introduced Ms. Dina Scott Mendoza, fiancée of Senator Russell E. Ruderman, who was present in gallery.

Senator Baker recognized advocates of S.B. No. 1030 who were present in the gallery to observe the bill's passage on Final Reading: Cory Chun, American Cancer Society Cancer Action Network; Lila Johnson and Lola Irvin, Department of Health; Jessica Yamauchi, Coalition for a Tobacco-Free Hawai'i; and Don Weisman, American Lung Association.

Senator Ihara welcomed fourth grade students from Ali'iolani Elementary School who were present in the gallery with teacher Trisha Kodama.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 231 and 1113 to 1121) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 231, letter dated April 20, 2015, transmitting a proposed draft amending S.B. No. 1084 to fund the settlement concerning Collective Bargaining Unit 9.

Gov. Msg. No. 1113, informing the Senate that on April 22, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1183, S.D. 1 as Act 13, entitled: "RELATING TO STATE LAND MAMMAL."

Gov. Msg. No. 1114, informing the Senate that on April 22, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1107, H.D. 2 as Act 14, entitled: "MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR GENERAL ASSISTANCE."

Gov. Msg. No. 1115, informing the Senate that on April 23, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 564, S.D. 1 as Act 15, entitled: "RELATING TO CORRECTIONS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1116, informing the Senate that on April 23, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 913, S.D. 1 as Act 16, entitled: "RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY."

Gov. Msg. No. 1117, informing the Senate that on April 23, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 213 as Act 17, entitled: "RELATING TO JURY DUTY."

Gov. Msg. No. 1118, informing the Senate that on April 23, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 966, H.D. 1 as Act 18, entitled: "RELATING TO SECTION 237-23, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES."

Gov. Msg. No. 1119, informing the Senate that on April 23, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 940, H.D. 1 as Act 19, entitled: "RELATING TO THE REGULATION OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1120, informing the Senate that on April 23, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1106, S.D. 2 as Act 20, entitled: "RELATING TO THE MEDICAID MANAGED CARE PROGRAM."

Gov. Msg. No. 1121, informing the Senate that on April 23, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 822, S.D. 1, H.D. 2 as Act 21, entitled: "RELATING TO EDUCATION."

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the House (Hse. Com. Nos. 631 and 632) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Hse. Com. No. 631, returning S.C.R. No. 46, S.D. 2, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 23, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 632, informing the Senate that on April 23, 2015, the Speaker appointed conferees on the part of the House for the consideration of amendments proposed by the Senate to the following House bill:

H.B. No. 169, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Brower, Luke, co-chairs; Ohno, Ward.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senators Gabbard, Green, and Espero, for the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Health and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1677) recommending that H.C.R. No. 66 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1677 and H.C.R. No. 66, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING AN EMPHASIS ON COLLABORATION, OPENNESS, AND STRENGTHENING OF THE LONG TERM RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE STATE AND UNITED STATES NAVY IN ADDRESSING AND RESOLVING ISSUES RELATING TO THE LEAKAGE OF FUEL FROM THE NAVY'S RED HILL UNDERGROUND FUEL STORAGE FACILITY," was deferred until Monday, April 27, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1678) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Massage Therapy of the following:

GEORGE DAVIS, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 621; and

PAULA BEHNKEN, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 622.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1678 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 621 and 622 was deferred until Monday, April 27, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1679) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of JENEE ODANI to the Board of Veterinary Examiners, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 624.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1679 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 624 was deferred until Monday, April 27, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1680) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of TIMOTHY O. BRYAN to the Cable Advisory Board (Cable Advisory Board amended to Cable Advisory Committee by Gov. Msg. No. 756), in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 625.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1680 and Gov. Msg. No. 625 was deferred until Monday, April 27, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1681) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of NANTE MANANGAN to the State Boxing Commission of Hawaii, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 626.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1681 and Gov. Msg. No. 626 was deferred until Monday, April 27, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1682) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Electricians and Plumbers of the following:

MATTHEW BRADY, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 728;

PHILLIP LUCERO, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 729;

PHILLIP LUCERO, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 730; and

VERNON TA'A, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 731.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1682 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 728, 729, 730 and 731 was deferred until Monday, April 27, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1683) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Examiners in Optometry of the following:

GAYLE C. CHANG, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 732;

DR. GEFFREY E. REYNOLDS, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 733 (Nominee's name amended to DR. GEOFFREY E. REYNOLDS by Gov. Msg. No. 755);

DR. JERE H. E. LOO, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 734; and

DR. SEULYN K.L. AU, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 735.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1683 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 732, 733, 734 and 735 was deferred until Monday, April 27, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1684) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of LAWRENCE MORINAGA to the Elevator Mechanics Licensing Board, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 736.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1684 and Gov. Msg. No. 736 was deferred until Monday, April 27, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1685) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of ROBERT FIGAROA, JR. to the Motor Vehicle Repair Industry Board, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 739.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1685 and Gov. Msg. No. 739 was deferred until Monday, April 27, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1686) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Health Connector of the following:

ANDREW GARRETT, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 773;

CALVIN L. HUTTON, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 774;

CALVIN L. HUTTON, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 775;

JOANNE H. KEALOHA, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 777; and

RICHARD KEENE, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 778.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1686 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 773, 774, 775, 777 and 778 was deferred until Monday, April 27, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1687) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of CAROLYN MA to the Board of Pharmacy, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 779.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1687 and Gov. Msg. No. 779 was deferred until Monday, April 27, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1688) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of PETER HOLT, MD to the Hawai'i Medical Board, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 781.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1688 and Gov. Msg. No. 781 was deferred until Monday, April 27, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1689) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of KATHARYN DAUB to the State Board of Nursing, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 830.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1689 and Gov. Msg. No. 830 was deferred until Monday, April 27, 2015.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1690) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of DR. KATHRYN TAKETA-WONG to the Board of Naturopathic Medicine, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 875.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1690 and Gov. Msg. No. 875 was deferred until Monday, April 27, 2015.

Senators Gabbard and Green, for the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1691) recommending that H.C.R. No. 205, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and

H.C.R. No. 205, S.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO EXAMINE EXISTING AND ALLEGED VIOLATIONS IN THE SOLID WASTE RECYCLING INDUSTRY AND FAIRLY AND EQUALLY ENFORCE APPLICABLE LAWS AND REGULATIONS FOR ALL COMPANIES," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the majority of the Committee on Government Operations, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1692) recommending that H.C.R. No. 55, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 55, S.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE BARACK OBAMA FOUNDATION ESTABLISH A PRESIDENTIAL CENTER IN HAWAII," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

ORDER OF THE DAY

ADVISE AND CONSENT

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1652 (Gov. Msg. No. 803):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1652 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried.

Senator Tokuda then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of DR. CARL S. BONHAM to the Council on Revenues, term to expire June 30, 2019, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

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

Ayes, 23. Noes, none. Excused, 2 (Dela Cruz, Galuteria).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1653 (Gov. Msg. No. 804):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1653 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried.

Senator Tokuda then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of DR. CHRISTOPHER J. GRANDY to the Council on Revenues, term to expire June 30, 2019, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

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

Ayes, 23. Noes, none. Excused, 2 (Dela Cruz, Galuteria).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1654 (Gov. Msg. No. 805):

Senator Tokuda moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1654 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried.

Senator Tokuda then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of DR. JACK P. SUYDERHOUD to the Council on Revenues, term to expire June 30, 2019, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

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

Ayes, 23. Noes, none. Excused, 2 (Dela Cruz, Galuteria).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1655 (Gov. Msg. No. 885):

Senator Espero moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1655 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Baker and carried.

Senator Espero then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of SIDNEY H. NAKAMOTO as Compact Administrator for Interstate Adult Offender Supervision for a term to expire December 3, 2018 (commission name amended to Interstate Commission for Adult Offender Supervisions by Gov. Msg. No. 891), seconded by Senator Baker.

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

Ayes, 23. Noes, none. Excused, 2 (Dela Cruz, Galuteria).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1656 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 724, 725, 726 and 727):

Senator Chun Oakland moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1656 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Green and carried.

Senator Chun Oakland then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Housing Finance and Development Corporation of the following:

EDWIN S. TAIRA, term to expire June 30, 2017 (Gov. Msg. No. 724);

RONA S.Y. FUKUMOTO, term to expire June 30, 2017 (Gov. Msg. No. 725);

AUDREY ABE, term to expire June 30, 2016 (Gov. Msg. No. 726); and

MELVIN Y.C. KAHELE, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 727),

seconded by Senator Green.

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

Ayes, 23. Noes, none. Excused, 2 (Dela Cruz, Galuteria).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1657 (Gov. Msg. No. 690):

Senator Chun Oakland moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1657 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Green and carried.

Senator Chun Oakland then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of DANIEL KITTREDGE to the Commission on Fatherhood, term to expire June 30, 2016, seconded by Senator Green.

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

Ayes, 23. Noes, none. Excused, 2 (Dela Cruz, Galuteria).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1658 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672 and 673):

Senator Chun Oakland moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1658 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Green and carried.

Senator Chun Oakland then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Policy Advisory Board for Elder Affairs of the following:

JAMES CISLER, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 667);

PATRICK DUARTE, term to expire June 30, 2017 (Gov. Msg. No. 668);

ANTHONY LENZER, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 669);

MARILYN SEELY, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 670);

TRACEY WILTGEN, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 671);

LAUREL COLEMAN, MD, term to expire June 30, 2017 (Gov. Msg. No. 672); and

F. ADELE RUGG, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 673),

seconded by Senator Green.

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

Ayes, 23. Noes, none. Excused, 2 (Dela Cruz, Galuteria).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1659 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 552 and 553):

Senator Chun Oakland moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1659 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Green and carried.

Senator Chun Oakland then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Hawai'i Community Development Authority of the following:

BEAU J.K. BASSETT, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 552); and

MARY PAT WATERHOUSE, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 553),

seconded by Senator Green.

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

Ayes, 23. Noes, none. Excused, 2 (Dela Cruz, Galuteria).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1660 (Gov. Msg. No. 868):

Senator Thielen moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1660 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Ihara and carried.

Senator Thielen then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of JONATHAN SCHEUER to the Land Use Commission, term to expire June 30, 2016, seconded by Senator Ihara.

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

Ayes, 23. Noes, none. Excused, 2 (Dela Cruz, Galuteria).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1661 (Gov. Msg. No. 665):

Senator Green moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1661 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Wakai and carried.

Senator Green then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of MAUREEN NAGANUMA to the Health Planning Council, Tri-Isle Subarea, term to expire June 30, 2019, seconded by Senator Wakai.

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

Ayes, 23. Noes, none. Excused, 2 (Dela Cruz, Galuteria).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1662 (Gov. Msg. No. 666):

Senator Green moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1662 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Wakai and carried.

Senator Green then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of JILL TAMASHIRO to the Health Planning Council, West Oahu Subarea, term to expire June 30, 2019, seconded by Senator Wakai.

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

Ayes, 23. Noes, none. Excused, 2 (Dela Cruz, Galuteria).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1663 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682 and 684):

Senator Green moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1663 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Wakai and carried.

Senator Green then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the State Council on Developmental Disabilities of the following:

NATALIE KAMA, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 675);

LIZA T.H. YOGI, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 676);

TIMOTHY RENKEN, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 677);

AARON KEMP, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 678);

SANTO TRIOLO, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 679);

ALBERT PEREZ, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 680);

JEFFREY OKAMOTO, MD, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 681);

JOSEPHINE WOLL, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 682); and

RICKY SHIMOKAWA, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 684),

seconded by Senator Wakai.

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

Ayes, 23. Noes, none. Excused, 2 (Dela Cruz, Galuteria).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1673 (Gov. Msg. No. 884):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1673 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried.

Senator Keith-Agaran then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of ANGELA CHINEN to the Hoisting Machine Operators Advisory Board, term to expire June 30, 2018, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro.

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

Ayes, 23. Noes, none. Excused, 2 (Dela Cruz, Galuteria).

At this time, Senator Espero introduced Sidney Nakamoto, newly confirmed Compact Administrator for the Interstate Commission for Adult Offender Supervision, who was present in the gallery.

Senator Keith-Agaran introduced Angela Chinen, newly confirmed member of the Hoisting Machine Operators Advisory Board, and noted that she was the only female crane operator instructor in the state. Senator Keith-Agaran also

recognized Gino Soquena of the Laborers' International Union of North America Local 368 and Kimberly Ribellia of the Hawai'i Operating Engineers Industry Stabilization Fund.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1674 (Gov. Msg. No. 750):

Senator Thielen moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1674 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Ihara and carried.

Senator Thielen then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of SUZANNE CASE as Chairperson of the Department of Land and Natural Resources, term to expire December 31, 2018, seconded by Senator Ihara.

Senator Thielen rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

"Suzanne Case is a 28-year veteran of The Nature Conservancy, where she served as executive director since 2001. Her experience involves work in native forests and in coastal and marine conservation, directly and through partnerships, on six main Hawaiian islands. Ms. Case also has overseen the Palmyra Atoll Nature Preserve and Research Station in the Pacific, a globally acclaimed conservation and research collaboration of The Nature Conservancy, the United States Fish and Wildlife Service, and the Palmyra Atoll Research Consortium.

"During her years at The Nature Conservancy, the nominee served as legal counsel for The Nature Conservancy Program, the Western United States, and internationally in the Asia and Pacific region. Ms. Case also oversaw the acquisition of the 116,000-acre Kahuku Ranch addition to the Hawai'i Volcanoes National Park, eight Hawai'i Nature Conservancy preserves, in addition to the Palmyra Atoll, and the new National Wildlife Refuge at Hakalau on the slopes of Mauna Kea and at O'ahu Forest, as well as overseeing the creation of watershed partnerships for forest management throughout Hawai'i and the growth of networks of local communities working to restore their near-shore marine resources and the implementation of large-scale projects to remove invasive algae from reefs and coastal areas.

"I can say without question, I think she is one of the most qualified nominees that we have had for the Department of Land and Natural Resources, and I think her experience in partnerships is going to serve the department well. And I wholeheartedly endorse this nominee for chairperson of the Department of Land and Natural Resources and ask, senators, that you join me."

Senator Ruderman rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

"I just want to say, on the committee, I was so impressed with Ms. Case's qualifications, and I think it's her combination of legal, financial, and conservation experience that makes her an ideal candidate for the job. Thank you."

Senator Kahele rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

"I know that she and her family have a great love for this land and that she will bring to the department the depth and love for the land and its people. Thank you very much."

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

Ayes, 23. Noes, none. Excused, 2 (Dela Cruz, Galuteria).

Senator Thielen introduced newly confirmed Director Suzanne Case, who was present in the gallery with her parents and a number of supporters from The Nature Conservancy and

the Department of Land and Natural Resources, including Deputy Director Kekoa Kaluhiwa.

At 11:46 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 11:51 a.m.

ADOPTION OF RESOLUTIONS

MATTERS DEFERRED FROM THURSDAY, APRIL 23, 2015

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1664 (H.C.R. No. 145, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 145, S.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CONVENING OF A FAMILY CAREGIVERS WORKING GROUP TO EXAMINE AND ASSESS LEGISLATION RELATING TO THE ROLE OF CAREGIVERS OF PATIENTS DISCHARGED FROM HOSPITALS," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1665 (H.C.R. No. 191):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 191, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE JAPANESE WOMEN'S SOCIETY FOUNDATION FOR CREATING THE "ADOPT-A-MOM" PROGRAM AND ENCOURAGING ALL FAMILIES AND AGENCIES WORKING WITH THE ELDERLY OF HAWAII TO PLACE "ADOPT-A-MOM" DAY ON THEIR CALENDARS, AS THE THIRD SUNDAY OF MAY, IN OBSERVANCE OF THE ELDERLY WOMEN OF HAWAII WHO DESERVE TO BE CHERISHED AND APPRECIATED FOR THE INVALUABLE ROLE THEY PLAY AS THE MOTHERS OF OUR KEIKI O KA AINA," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1666 (H.C.R. No. 189, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 189, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BROADBAND ASSISTANCE ADVISORY COUNCIL TO CREATE A MASTER PLAN OF PROVIDING UNIVERSAL HIGH SPEED BROADBAND ACCESS IN RESORT AREAS AND OTHER AREAS OF IMPORTANCE THROUGHOUT HAWAII, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO HONOLULU INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT AND HAWAII PUBLIC SCHOOLS," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1667 (H.C.R. No. 204, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 204, S.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE STATE PROCUREMENT ADMINISTRATOR TO COLLECT INFORMATION ON EACH OF THE INDIVIDUAL PROCUREMENT JURISDICTIONS," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1668 (H.C.R. No. 217, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.C.R. No. 217, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE JUDICIARY TO CONVENE A TASK FORCE TO EXAMINE ESTABLISHING HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE RESOURCES FOR THE STATE OF HAWAII JUDICIARY," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1669 (H.C.R. No. 130):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.C.R. No. 130, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO WORK WITH ROYAL HAWAIIAN GOLF CLUB TO DEVELOP A PLAN FOR THE MANAGEMENT AND MAINTENANCE OF OLD GOVERNMENT ROAD," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1670 (H.C.R. No. 86, H.D. 1, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.C.R. No. 86, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO CONSIDER DEVELOPING PERMITTING PROVISIONS TO REQUIRE THAT EMPLOYEES OF WATERSPORT EXCURSION COMPANIES WHO TAKE CUSTOMERS ON WATERSPORT EXCURSIONS ARE TRAINED IN BASIC SAFETY MEASURES," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1671 (H.C.R. No. 119, S.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 119, S.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A REPORT OF RECOMMENDATIONS TO STOP THE DECLINE AND REPLENISH THE SUPPLY OF LIMU AND REEF FISH IN CERTAIN AREAS OF THE EWA COAST OF OAHU," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1672 (H.C.R. No. 68):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 68, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DIVISION OF AQUATIC RESOURCES AND DIVISION OF CONSERVATION AND RESOURCES ENFORCEMENT TO COLLABORATE WITH FEDERAL PARTNER AGENCIES TO PROTECT IMPORTANT STATE MARINE RESOURCES," was adopted.

H.C.R. No. 97, H.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.C.R. No. 97, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH ASSURE THAT ANY SUBSTANTIAL LAND DISCHARGE OF WASTEWATER, OCCURRING BY INJECTION WELL OR OTHER MEANS, IS IN ALL CASES, ADEQUATELY REVIEWED AND PERMITTED," was adopted.

FINAL READING

S.B. No. 1030, S.D. 1, H.D. 2:

Senator Green moved that S.B. No. 1030, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Baker.

Senator Baker rose to speak in strong support of the measure as follows:

"Colleagues, this measure will increase the minimum age for sale, possession, consumption, or purchase of tobacco products, including electronic smoking devices, from age 18 to 21. Increasing the minimum age to legally access tobacco products is crucial to protecting the public health and especially the health of Hawaii's youth.

"I would like to call my colleagues' attention to the March 2015 report issued by the Institute of Medicine entitled, 'Public Health Implications of Raising the Minimum Age of Legal Access to Tobacco Products.' The report concluded that raising the minimum age of legal access to tobacco products to at least 21 will:

- Lead to a substantial reduction in smoking prevalence;
- Improve the health of adolescents and young adults by reducing the number of adverse physiological effects such as increased inflammation and impaired immune functioning caused by smoking; and
- Over time, lead to substantial reductions in smoking-related mortality.

"The report estimates that if the minimum age were raised now, nationwide, to 21, there would be approximately 223,000 fewer premature deaths, 50,000 fewer deaths from lung cancer, and 4.2 million fewer years of life lost for those born between 2000 and 2019. I hope Hawai'i can lead the charge.

"Madam President, I'd like to have the Institute of Medicine's full report of March 2015 included into the Journal." (The Chair having so ordered, a citation for the Institute of Medicine report is identified as "**ATTACHMENT A**" to the Journal of this day.)

"Colleagues, another important aspect of this measure is that the definition of tobacco products includes electronic smoking devices. The *Honolulu Star-Advertiser* recently reported on the use of ESDs among Hawaii's teens, with data drawn using information from the Department of Health's Hawai'i Youth Tobacco Survey.

"The good news in the survey is that cigarette use among Hawaii's teens has declined since 2000; from 2000 to 2013, the number of high school students who ever tried a cigarette decreased from 63.3 percent to 29.9 percent. Frequent smoking among high school students also decreased during these years, from 10.3 percent to 2.1 percent. That's the good news. What's concerning is that electronic cigarette use has risen dramatically: The survey finds that from 2011 to 2013, it tripled among high school students from 5.1 percent to 17.6 percent. The survey also finds that in 2013, Hawai'i students were about equally likely to have tried new tobacco products, such as e-cigarettes, as traditional tobacco products.

"These statistics are concerning because, as officials from the Department of Health stated, e-cigarettes are introducing youth to nicotine addiction. In addition to being highly addictive, nicotine alone has a huge impact on the health of our youth. According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, nicotine is known to be harmful to adolescent brain development, and the CDC concludes that no youth should use e-cigarettes, as a result.

"The CDC also observed that many tobacco companies now produce and sell nicotine delivery systems such as electronic smoking devices. It notes that while the industry is not allowed to directly market to children, it is still developing, packaging, and advertising products in ways that appeal to children. A quick online search reveals that electronic cigarettes are available in a variety of flavors. The flavors that are delivering nicotine include apple, blueberry, lemon cake, and cotton candy. And according to the *Star-Advertiser* article, the two top favorite flavors of teenagers they interviewed are Sweet Tart and – you'll love this one – Unicorn Puke, which is described as a combination of every flavor of Skittle in one.

"While the CDC was careful to note that there aren't yet enough studies about a link between ESD use and cigarette use, the data from the Hawai'i Department of Health shows that

most students who use electronic smoking devices are also using cigarettes. Not only could this suggest a link, but it's also indicative of a higher nicotine intake. Even more troubling is that youth have the mistaken belief that vaping is the healthy alternative to smoking. Unfortunately, vaping is just a trendier way to get addicted to nicotine. Once addicted, it's very, very tough to kick the habit, and the addiction itself can cause lasting health impacts.

"Each year in Hawai'i, smoking is responsible for \$336 million in healthcare costs and it claims 1,200 lives. Today we have the opportunity to change the paradigm.

"Increasing the minimum age to 21 to purchase tobacco products, including electronic smoking devices, will have positive, lasting impacts on public health. The Institute of Medicine's report notes that 'raising the minimum age to legally access tobacco products (MLA) to 21 will mean that those who can legally purchase tobacco are less likely to be in the same social networks as high school students . . . Delaying initiation rates will likely decrease the prevalence of tobacco users in the United States population.' The institute concluded that raising the MLA will likely immediately improve the health of adolescents and young adults. Statistics bear this out: The odds for a person who has never smoked by age 18 are 3 to 1 of never starting to smoke, but by age 21, the odds of not becoming a smoker are 20 to 1. Great odds for better health!

"Lives saved, human suffering averted, healthcare costs reduced by increasing the age to legally purchase tobacco products equals good public health policy. That's what we're about to pass today when we vote for Senate Bill 1030.

"I urge my colleagues to join me in voting 'yes' on this landmark measure. Mahalo."

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

"The previous speaker clearly outlined the benefits of us raising the age to 21, but it does more than just raise the purchase age to that figure. It also aligns our smoking policy with our alcohol policy, where there is zero tolerance for purchase as well as consumption. Right now, a child in the State of Hawai'i can legally smoke; that's why you see kids smoking throughout our community with no ramifications or responsibility for that decision. Our entire anti-tobacco policy for youth has focused purely on the retailer, with zero responsibility for the child.

"In 2006, I met with a number of students from Moanalua High School who saw this glaring loophole in our anti-tobacco policy. We introduced a bill and finally, that crusade today, nine years later, comes to an end. We've finally sent a clear message to discourage youth smoking in our communities, both putting pressure on the retailer and finally putting some sense of responsibility on our youth. So, as the previous speaker mentioned, it's going to save on healthcare costs; it's going to make for a healthier community and, ultimately, save lives amongst our citizens of Hawai'i. Thank you, Madam President."

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

"I'm opposed to the provision in this that raises the smoking age to 21. At this point, it's my understanding that the law prohibits smoking under 18, which would be a minor. And at the age of 18, we reach majority in our society: You can go to war; you can sign contracts; you can get married. You can go to war, lose an arm, lose an eye, come back – you're 20 years old, and you can't have a cigarette after giving so much for your country. It seems paradoxical that we would encourage young people to go off and defend our country at great risk, and we

can't even allow them the privilege of something that is legal to everyone else.

"If we truly wish to eliminate smoking, we should probably ban it entirely, but as long as somebody is an adult – and at 18, they become an adult in our society – I think they should be allowed to do that. Thank you."

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

"With all due respect to the many advocates, the anti-tobacco advocates in our gallery, and to some of the misinformation that was given earlier: This bill, plain and simple, is discriminatory. This bill, plain and simple, is outrageous. We are continuing in Hawai'i to treat adults like children. We talk about responsibility, but we don't give people responsibility. We usurp that in government: We tell people what they can do, what they can't do, and it's not just tobacco; it's in other areas. As the previous speaker just mentioned, however, we're talking about a legal activity, and we're talking about – not children – we're talking about adults. And we are talking about a policy that is, in part, aimed at the military because the military are probably the largest percentage of those people between 18 and 21 who choose to smoke.

"The statistics that were given earlier can be looked at in several different ways, and one of the ways I look at the statistics is, after all these years and all the money that the advocates have gotten from the tobacco industry to educate children, we found out that, in fact, the ability to smoke has been increasing, and part of that is because it's all about the money; it's not about health. Everybody argues for their share of the tobacco money, and it wasn't for the original purpose only of education, because obviously that hasn't succeeded.

"And then we go after the new technology of e-cigarettes, and not all e-cigarettes contain any nicotine, a fact that was overlooked and misstated. And if we're going to talk about ways of trying to cope with smoking, or giving people the choice to not smoke, e-cigarettes is one of those products, as are certain gums that contain nicotine and patches that contain nicotine. So our policies are not consistent; they're not logical.

"My understanding is there is no other state in the Union that has taken this action, but again, Hawai'i continues to get the reputation of being the first to deny choice and accountability and responsibility to adults. This also is very harmful to small business and to small business retailers. So I would urge you to reconsider your zeal and your enthusiasm because there will be unintended consequences for this bill if passed into law. Thank you."

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

"I'm proud today that we're giving people the choice not to have lung cancer at an early age, so I support the bill."

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

"I just want to explain my opposition because I feel the need to distinguish it from the remarks made by the colleague to my far right. I agree with the colleague on my left that people, once they reach the age of majority, of adulthood, can make their own decisions. I don't think it's proper for us to be making smoking illegal for them.

"But I did want to address the remarks made by the senator from Hawai'i Kai about the education programs not working. I think the public education programs against smoking, against drinking and driving, and for wearing seatbelts are three long-term public education campaigns that have been tremendously successful in our nation and have saved many, many, many

lives. The irony, though, about youth smoking is you can't just educate somebody once and that's going to last for all youth forever because people keep getting born and there are more new youth that come forward each year. So I think the education programs are a constant need because in order to have that public education and public understanding, you have to be providing education to the new youth each year as they come on board. Thank you."

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

"I just want to point out a couple of points. When you're 18, you do have a right and a freedom to join the military, to vote, and to do most other things that adults can do. But there is no upside to nicotine addiction, and tobacco, in fact, kills more Americans than alcohol and all other drugs combined. There's no benefit to be had from allowing more of our citizens to become addicted to it. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1030, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 1030, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 19; Ayes with Reservations (Espero, Ihara, Kahele, Nishihara). Noes, 4 (Gabbard, Riviere, Slom, Thielen). Excused, 2 (Dela Cruz, Galuteria).

S.B. No. 1133, S.D. 1, H.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator English and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1133, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 1133, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONFORMITY OF THE HAWAII INCOME TAX LAW TO THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23. Noes, none. Excused, 2 (Dela Cruz, Galuteria).

S.B. No. 1136, H.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator English and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1136, and S.B. No. 1136, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SECTION 235-55.91, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23. Noes, none. Excused, 2 (Dela Cruz, Galuteria).

WAIVER OF REFERRAL

Senator Keith-Agaran, Chair of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, requested that the referral of H.C.R. No. 141, H.D. 1, S.D. 1 to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor be waived.

Senator Keith-Agaran noted:

"The request is just to meet the time constraints of the session. I think we've looked at this issue before, and I think that we can move this measure forward."

The Chair granted the waiver.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 141, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES AND THE COUNTIES TO IMPROVE PUBLIC BEACH ACCESS FOR PERSONS WITH

DISABILITIES IN HAWAII," was placed on the calendar for adoption on Monday, April 27, 2015.

RECONSIDERATION OF ACTIONS TAKEN

S.B. No. 143, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on April 16, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 143, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Green and carried.

In accordance with the Conference Committee Procedures agreed upon by the Senate and the House of Representatives, the managers on the part of the Senate recommended that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 143, S.D. 1, on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 3 (Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro, Ihara). Noes, none. Excused, none.

Senator Keith-Agaran then moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 143, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Green.

Senator Keith-Agaran noted:

"What the House did in their version of the proposed amendment is just to insert the effective language in section 5. There are no technical differences between the Senate and the House versions."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 143, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 143, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION TO CHANGE THE THRESHOLD VALUE IN CONTROVERSY REQUIREMENT FOR JURY TRIALS IN CIVIL CASES AT COMMON LAW FROM \$5,000 TO \$10,000," was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Monday, April 27, 2015.

S.B. No. 148, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on April 16, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 148, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Green and carried.

In accordance with the Conference Committee Procedures agreed upon by the Senate and the House of Representatives, the managers on the part of the Senate recommended that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 148, S.D. 1, on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 2 (Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro). Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Slom).

Senator Keith-Agaran then moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 148, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Green.

Senator Keith-Agaran noted:

"In this bill, what the House did was just to recognize that there is an exception right now for social gambling in our penal code, and they made the date effective; we can agree to those changes."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 148, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 148, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NUISANCE ABATEMENT," was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Monday, April 27, 2015.

S.B. No. 1208, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on April 16, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1208, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Green and carried.

In accordance with the Conference Committee Procedures agreed upon by the Senate and the House of Representatives, the managers on the part of the Senate recommended that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1208, S.D. 1, on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 3 (Keith-Agaran, Ihara, Shimabukuro). Noes, none. Excused, 2 (Espero, Slom).

Senator Keith-Agaran then moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1208, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Green.

Senator Keith-Agaran noted:

“The real substantive change that the House made was just to the effective date.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1208, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 1208, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES’ RETIREMENT SYSTEM,” was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Monday, April 27, 2015.

Senator Baker rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

“Although it was noticed on our OD, I think it’s such an important measure that I wanted to call it to everyone’s attention. Yesterday, the governor signed House Bill 940 into law as Act 19. This Act includes electronic smoking devices in our Clean Air law, so any place that one cannot smoke, one cannot vape. It’s a very important measure, and I appreciate the governor signing it and all of the advocates for their help in getting it passed. Thank you.”

Senator Riviere announced that the donation drive to benefit the Hawai‘i Foodbank would be ending that afternoon, and thanked the members for their support.

The Chair then made the following announcements:

“Conferees are named in accordance with the action sheets which may be updated later this afternoon.

“The deadline to file committee reports on amended House concurrent resolutions in order to meet Monday’s Second Crossover deadline is 4:30 p.m. today. The Clerk’s office will distribute a list this evening of all resolutions to be scheduled for adoption on Monday.”

APPOINTMENT OF CONFEREES

H.B. No. 770, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 770, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Espero, co-chair; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:13 p.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Monday, April 27, 2015.

ATTACHMENT A

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FIFTY-FOURTH DAY

Monday, April 27, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:35 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present with the exception of Senators English, Kidani, and Nishihara who were excused.

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

DEPARTMENTAL COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications (Dept. Com. Nos. 84 to 86) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Dept. Com. No. 84, from the Office of the Auditor dated April 13, 2015, transmitting the report, "Financial and Program Audit of the Deposit Beverage Container Program, June 30, 2014" (Report No. 15-02) pursuant to Section 23-9, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 85, from the Office of the Auditor dated April 14, 2015, transmitting its 2014 Annual Report pursuant to Section 23-9, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 86, from the Office of the Auditor dated April 17, 2015, transmitting the Fiscal Year 2014 Financial Statement Audit Reports for the Department of the Attorney General, Department of Transportation – Highways Division, and O'ahu Metropolitan Planning Organization pursuant to Article VII, Section 10, Hawai'i State Constitution, and as authorized by Chapter 23, HRS.

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the House (Hse. Com. Nos. 633 to 636) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Hse. Com. No. 633, informing the Senate that on April 24, 2015, the House reconsidered its action taken on April 9, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 354, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1).

Hse. Com. No. 634, informing the Senate that on April 24, 2015, the House reconsidered its action taken on April 16, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 525, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2).

Hse. Com. No. 635, informing the Senate that on April 24, 2015, the Speaker appointed conferees on the part of the House for the consideration of amendments proposed by the Senate to the following House bill:

H.B. No. 770, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives McKelvey, Luke, co-chairs; Hashem, McDermott.

Hse. Com. No. 636, informing the Senate that on April 24, 2015, the Speaker made the following changes to the conferees on the following bills:

H.B. No. 775, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representative Nishimoto added as co-chair.

Representative Cachola discharged as co-chair.

S.B. No. 654, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

Representative Cachola added as co-chair.

Representative Nishimoto discharged as co-chair.

S.B. No. 768, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representative Cachola added as co-chair.

Representative Nishimoto discharged as co-chair.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 952, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 1) recommending that H.B. No. 952, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 1 and H.B. No. 952, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WAGES AND HOURS ON PUBLIC WORKS LAW," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS
AND
ADOPTION OF RESOLUTIONS

Senators Espero and Tokuda, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1693) recommending that H.C.R. No. 178, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.C.R. No. 178, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE GOVERNOR TO DEVELOP A MODERNIZED OAHU COMMUNITY CORRECTIONAL CENTER IN THE VICINITY OF THE HALAWA CORRECTIONAL FACILITY THROUGH A PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP," was adopted.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1694) recommending that H.C.R. No. 185, S.D. 1 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 185, S.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF FOUR TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENTS COVERING PORTIONS OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT STABLE ROAD BEACH, STABLE ROAD, SPRECKELSVILLE, WAILUKU, MAUI, FOR THE USE, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR OF FOUR EXISTING ROCK GROINS," was adopted.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1695) recommending that H.C.R. No. 78, S.D. 1 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 78, S.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR AND DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO INCLUDE IN THE 2017-2018 SUPPLEMENTAL CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM REQUEST IMPROVEMENTS TO CRUISE SHIP PASSENGER TERMINALS AT NAWILIWILI HARBOR IN KAUAI, HONOLULU HARBOR IN OAHU, KAHULUI HARBOR IN MAUI, AND HILO HARBOR IN HAWAII," was adopted.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1696) recommending that H.C.R. No. 73, S.D. 1 be adopted.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 73, S.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING A PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT LAHAINA, MAUI FOR SEAWALL ENCROACHMENT PURPOSES AND AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT FOR THE RIGHT, PRIVILEGE, AND AUTHORITY TO USE, MAINTAIN, REPAIR, AND REPLACE AN EXISTING SEAWALL OVER, UNDER, AND ACROSS STATE-OWNED LAND IN LAHAINA, MAUI," was adopted.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1697) recommending that H.C.R. No. 212 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1697 and H.C.R. No. 212, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING FEDERAL AND STATE AGENCIES TO CONSULT WITH HAWAII SMALL SCALE FARMERS, HAWAII SMALL SCALE PRODUCERS, AND AFFECTED PARTIES ON THE OFFSETTING OF COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE FOOD SAFETY MODERNIZATION ACT," was deferred until Tuesday, April 28, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1698) recommending that H.C.R. No. 182 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1698 and H.C.R. No. 182, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO CONDUCT A TRAFFIC STUDY AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO ALLEVIATE TRAFFIC CONGESTION ON KAHEKILI HIGHWAY FROM THE LIKELIKE HIGHWAY INTERSECTION TO KAMEHAMEHA HIGHWAY," was deferred until Tuesday, April 28, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1699) recommending that H.C.R. No. 34, H.D. 1 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1699 and H.C.R. No. 34, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING A PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT WAIMANALO, KOOLAPOKO, OAHU, FOR THE USE, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR OF THE EXISTING SEAWALL AND STEPS," was deferred until Tuesday, April 28, 2015.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1700) recommending that H.C.R. No. 29 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1700 and H.C.R. No. 29, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES, AFTER CONSULTATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, TO DETERMINE THE COST OF PLACING AN OVERPASS OVER THE H-1 FREEWAY TO EXTEND BETWEEN NUUANU STREAM AND QUEEN

EMMA STREET THAT WOULD REDUCE TRAFFIC NOISE POLLUTION AND BE USED AS A PARK OR OTHER COMMUNITY USE PURPOSE," was deferred until Tuesday, April 28, 2015.

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1701) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of SIMON RUSSELL to the Board of Agriculture, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 718.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1701 and Gov. Msg. No. 718 was deferred until Tuesday, April 28, 2015.

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1702) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Directors of the Agribusiness Development Corporation of the following:

DENISE ALBANO, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 719;

LLOYD HARAGUCHI, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 720;

LLOYD HARAGUCHI, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 721;

MARGARITA HOPKINS, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 722; and

YUKIO KITAGAWA, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 723.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1702 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 719, 720, 721, 722 and 723 was deferred until Tuesday, April 28, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1703) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of LINDA CHU TAKAYAMA as Director of the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 844.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1703 and Gov. Msg. No. 844 was deferred until Tuesday, April 28, 2015.

ORDER OF THE DAY

ADVISE AND CONSENT

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1678 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 621 and 622):

Senator Baker moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1678 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried.

Senator Baker then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Massage Therapy of the following:

GEORGE DAVIS, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 621); and

PAULA BEHNKEN, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 622),

seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Baker rose to speak in support of the nominees as follows:

"Thank you, Madam President. For the boards and commissions under the jurisdiction of your Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, I'd just like to note for the record that we have some excellent nominees, and I would

highly request all of my colleagues to vote up on these wonderful nominees. Thank you.”

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

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (English, Kidani, Nishihara).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1679 (Gov. Msg. No. 624):

Senator Baker moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1679 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried.

Senator Baker then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of JENEE ODANI to the Board of Veterinary Examiners, term to expire June 30, 2019, seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Baker rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

“Thank you, Madam President. For the boards and commissions under the jurisdiction of your Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, I’d just like to note for the record that we have some excellent nominees, and I would highly request all of my colleagues to vote up on these wonderful nominees. Thank you.”

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

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (English, Kidani, Nishihara).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1680 (Gov. Msg. No. 625):

Senator Baker moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1680 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried.

Senator Baker then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of TIMOTHY O. BRYAN to the Cable Advisory Board, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Cable Advisory Board amended to Cable Advisory Committee by Gov. Msg. No. 756), seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Baker rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

“Thank you, Madam President. For the boards and commissions under the jurisdiction of your Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, I’d just like to note for the record that we have some excellent nominees, and I would highly request all of my colleagues to vote up on these wonderful nominees. Thank you.”

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

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (English, Kidani, Nishihara).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1681 (Gov. Msg. No. 626):

Senator Baker moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1681 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried.

Senator Baker then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of NANTE MANANGAN to the State Boxing Commission of Hawaii, term to expire June 30, 2019 (as amended by Gov. Msg. No. 874), seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Baker rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

“Thank you, Madam President. For the boards and commissions under the jurisdiction of your Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, I’d just like to note for the record that we have some excellent nominees, and I would highly request all of my colleagues to vote up on these wonderful nominees. Thank you.”

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

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (English, Kidani, Nishihara).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1682 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 728, 729, 730 and 731):

Senator Baker moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1682 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried.

Senator Baker then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Electricians and Plumbers of the following:

MATTHEW BRADY, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 728);

PHILLIP LUCERO, term to expire June 30, 2015 (Gov. Msg. No. 729);

PHILLIP LUCERO, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 730); and

VERNON TA’A, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 731),

seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Baker rose to speak in support of the nominees as follows:

“Thank you, Madam President. For the boards and commissions under the jurisdiction of your Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, I’d just like to note for the record that we have some excellent nominees, and I would highly request all of my colleagues to vote up on these wonderful nominees. Thank you.”

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

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (English, Kidani, Nishihara).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1683 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 732, 733, 734 and 735):

Senator Baker moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1683 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried.

Senator Baker then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Examiners in Optometry of the following:

GAYLE C. CHANG, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 732);

DR. GEFREY E. REYNOLDS, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Nominee’s name amended to DR. GEOFFREY E. REYNOLDS by Gov. Msg. No. 755) (Gov. Msg. No. 733);

DR. JERE H. E. LOO, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 734); and

DR. SEULYN K.L. AU, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 735),

seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Baker rose to speak in support of the nominees as follows:

“Thank you, Madam President. For the boards and commissions under the jurisdiction of your Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, I’d just like to note for the record that we have some excellent nominees, and I would highly request all of my colleagues to vote up on these wonderful nominees. Thank you.”

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

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (English, Kidani, Nishihara).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1684 (Gov. Msg. No. 736):

Senator Baker moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1684 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried.

Senator Baker then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of LAWRENCE MORINAGA to the Elevator Mechanics Licensing Board, term to expire June 30, 2019, seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Baker rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

“Thank you, Madam President. For the boards and commissions under the jurisdiction of your Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, I’d just like to note for the record that we have some excellent nominees, and I would highly request all of my colleagues to vote up on these wonderful nominees. Thank you.”

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

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (English, Kidani, Nishihara).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1685 (Gov. Msg. No. 739):

Senator Baker moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1685 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried.

Senator Baker then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of ROBERT FIGAROA, JR. to the Motor Vehicle Repair Industry Board, term to expire June 30, 2018, seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Baker rose to speak in support of the nominees as follows:

“Thank you, Madam President. For the boards and commissions under the jurisdiction of your Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, I’d just like to note for the record that we have some excellent nominees, and I would highly request all of my colleagues to vote up on these wonderful nominees. Thank you.”

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

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (English, Kidani, Nishihara).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1686 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 773, 774, 775, 777 and 778):

Senator Baker moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1686 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried.

Senator Baker then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Directors of the Hawai’i Health Connector of the following:

ANDREW GARRETT, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 773);

CALVIN L. HUTTON, term to expire June 30, 2015 (Gov. Msg. No. 774);

CALVIN L. HUTTON, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 775);

JOANNE H. KEALOHA, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 777); and

RICHARD KEENE, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 778),

seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Baker rose to speak in support of the nominees as follows:

“Thank you, Madam President. For the boards and commissions under the jurisdiction of your Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, I’d just like to note for the record that we have some excellent nominees, and I would highly request all of my colleagues to vote up on these wonderful nominees. Thank you.”

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

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (English, Kidani, Nishihara).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1687 (Gov. Msg. No. 779):

Senator Baker moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1687 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried.

Senator Baker then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of CAROLYN MA to the Board of Pharmacy, term to expire June 30, 2019, seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Baker rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

“Thank you, Madam President. For the boards and commissions under the jurisdiction of your Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, I’d just like to note for the record that we have some excellent nominees, and I would highly request all of my colleagues to vote up on these wonderful nominees. Thank you.”

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

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (English, Kidani, Nishihara).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1688 (Gov. Msg. No. 781):

Senator Baker moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1688 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried.

Senator Baker then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of PETER HOLT, MD to the Hawai’i Medical Board, term to expire June 30, 2018, seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Baker rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

“Thank you, Madam President. For the boards and commissions under the jurisdiction of your Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, I’d just like to note for the record that we have some excellent nominees, and I would highly request all of my colleagues to vote up on these wonderful nominees. Thank you.”

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

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (English, Kidani, Nishihara).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1689 (Gov. Msg. No. 830):

Senator Baker moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1689 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried.

Senator Baker then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of KATHARYN DAUB to the State Board of Nursing, term to expire June 30, 2017, seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Baker rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

“Thank you, Madam President. For the boards and commissions under the jurisdiction of your Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, I’d just like to note for the record that we have some excellent nominees, and I would highly request all of my colleagues to vote up on these wonderful nominees. Thank you.”

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

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (English, Kidani, Nishihara).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1690 (Gov. Msg. No. 875):

Senator Baker moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1690 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried.

Senator Baker then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of DR. KATHRYN TAKETA-WONG to the Board of Naturopathic Medicine, term to expire June 30, 2018, seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Baker rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

“Thank you, Madam President. For the boards and commissions under the jurisdiction of your Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, I’d just like to note for the record that we have some excellent nominees, and I would highly request all of my colleagues to vote up on these wonderful nominees. Thank you.”

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

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (English, Kidani, Nishihara).

ADOPTION OF RESOLUTIONS

MATTERS DEFERRED FROM FRIDAY, APRIL 24, 2015

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1677 (H.C.R. No. 66):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and

H.C.R. No. 66, entitled: “HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING AN EMPHASIS ON COLLABORATION, OPENNESS, AND STRENGTHENING OF THE LONG TERM RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE STATE AND UNITED STATES NAVY IN ADDRESSING AND RESOLVING ISSUES RELATING TO THE LEAKAGE OF FUEL FROM THE NAVY’S RED HILL UNDERGROUND FUEL STORAGE FACILITY,” was adopted.

H.C.R. No. 141, H.D. 1, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.C.R. No. 141, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: “HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES AND THE COUNTIES TO IMPROVE PUBLIC BEACH ACCESS FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES IN HAWAII,” was adopted.

FINAL READING

S.B. No. 143, S.D. 1, H.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Green and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 143, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 143, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION TO CHANGE THE THRESHOLD VALUE IN CONTROVERSY REQUIREMENT FOR JURY TRIALS IN CIVIL CASES AT COMMON LAW FROM \$5,000 TO \$10,000,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (English, Kidani, Nishihara).

S.B. No. 148, S.D. 1, H.D. 1:

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that S.B. No. 148, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Green.

Senator Slom rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations as follows:

“I think there is a technical flaw in the bill the way it’s drafted. There were comments and suggested changes by the attorney general, but those changes were not adopted. Thank you.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 148, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 148, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NUISANCE ABATEMENT,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 22; Ayes with Reservations, 1 (Slom). Noes, none. Excused, 3 (English, Kidani, Nishihara).

S.B. No. 1208, S.D. 1, H.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Green and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1208, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 1208, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES’ RETIREMENT SYSTEM,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (English, Kidani, Nishihara).

WAIVER OF REFERRAL

Senator Keith-Agaran, Chair of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, requested that the referral of the following House concurrent resolutions to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor be waived:

H.C.R. No. 138, H.D. 1; and
H.C.R. No. 205, S.D. 1.

Senator Keith-Agaran noted:

“The reason is to expedite the legislative process.”

The Chair granted the waiver.

By unanimous consent, the following House concurrent resolutions were placed on the calendar for adoption on Tuesday, April 28, 2015:

H.C.R. No. 138, H.D. 1, entitled: “HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO EXAMINE ALL POSSIBILITIES TO ENABLE STUDENT ATHLETIC TEAMS TO RUN AND TRAIN OFF CAMPUS,” and

H.C.R. No. 205, S.D. 1, entitled: “HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO EXAMINE EXISTING AND ALLEGED VIOLATIONS IN THE SOLID WASTE RECYCLING INDUSTRY AND FAIRLY AND EQUALLY ENFORCE APPLICABLE LAWS AND REGULATIONS FOR ALL COMPANIES.”

RECONSIDERATION OF ACTIONS TAKEN

S.B. No. 550, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

Senator Green moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on April 16, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 550, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Espero and carried.

In accordance with the Conference Committee Procedures agreed upon by the Senate and the House of Representatives, the managers on the part of the Senate recommended that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 550, S.D. 1, on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 3 (Green, Keith-Agaran, Ruderman). Noes, none. Excused, 2 (Espero, Ihara).

Senator Green then moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 550, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Espero.

Senator Green noted:

“Thank you, Madam President. This is a bill that we believed in, the conference committee believed in. It establishes a misdemeanor for a person consuming, purchasing or possessing, selling, offering for sale, et cetera powdered alcohol in the state. They added the definitions. This is something that we, for years, worked on. We really felt that this was the right thing to do in the conference committee.”

Senator Ihara rose to speak on a point of information as follows:

“Could I request that the maker of the motion explain the difference between the previous draft?”

Senator Green responded:

“Thank you. Let’s see. So, yes, the drafts are quite different. We worked on two separate issues this session. One, the previous Senate Bill 550 was submitted, heard, passed by our Senate body, which worked on electronic smoking devices,

possession, tobacco products, et cetera. That language ultimately was adopted into Senate Bill 1030. This vehicle, Senate Bill 550, ultimately, in the House, incorporated language that we had been working on in the Senate. They came to a simple bill that many other states have, like I said, been adopting regarding powdered alcohol, mostly to prevent people from having drinks spiked with powdered alcohol, for alcoholics. So the material was different; it is something that we’ve debated and supported over the years. It simply became a different vehicle on the other side. The title of the bill, if I’m not mistaken, was ‘Relating to Health,’ so that was the clarification.”

The Chair interjected:

“Do we know if there was a public hearing in the House?”

Senator Green responded:

“In the House, yes, Madam President. Thank you.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 550, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 550, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH,” was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Tuesday, April 28, 2015.

S.B. No. 982, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

Senator Green moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on April 16, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 982, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Espero and carried.

In accordance with the Conference Committee Procedures agreed upon by the Senate and the House of Representatives, the managers on the part of the Senate recommended that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 982, S.D. 1, on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 4 (Green, Espero, Keith-Agaran, Slom). Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Wakai).

Senator Green then moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 982, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Espero.

Senator Green noted:

“Thank you, Madam President. I urge my colleagues to join me in supporting this bill. The reason we agreed to the House amendments is that they just made some very minor clarifications. Our version applied language for people seeking medical assistance only in one paragraph; they clarified it a little bit further twice.

“Just to refresh everyone’s memory: This is a bill we’ve worked on for several years. We changed, also, the act to take effect upon approval. We would’ve otherwise had the good senator Judiciary chair’s wife’s hundredth birthday as our defective date of January 7, 2059, so we’ve moved that date up. This bill helps you if you have someone in your company with an overdose, so you can drop them off at a medical facility and get care without being prosecuted for any participation in that overdose. 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.B. No. 982, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 982, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL AMNESTY,” was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Tuesday, April 28, 2015.

The Chair then made the following announcement:

“Conferees are named in accordance with the action sheets which may be updated later today.”

APPOINTMENT OF CONFEREES

S.B. No. 284, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 284, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kahele, chair; Thielen, Tokuda, co-chairs; English, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 268, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 268, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Keith-Agaran, co-chair; Slom as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:46 a.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Tuesday, April 28, 2015.

FIFTY-FIFTH DAY

Tuesday, April 28, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:41 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present with the exception of Senators Galuteria and Ruderman who were excused.

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

Senator Dela Cruz welcomed Dale and Diane Trahan and Jared and Charmaine Lawless, who were visiting from Louisiana.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 232 to 234) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 232, letter dated April 23, 2015, transmitting a proposed conference draft (C.D. 1) amending S.B. No. 1080, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, to fund the settlements concerning Collective Bargaining Unit 5.

Gov. Msg. No. 233, letter dated April 24, 2015, transmitting a proposed conference draft (C.D. 1) amending S.B. No. 1081, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, to fund the settlements concerning Collective Bargaining Unit 10 and United Public Workers Bargaining Unit 1.

Gov. Msg. No. 234, letter dated April 24, 2015, transmitting a proposed conference draft (C.D. 1) amending S.B. No. 1082, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, to fund the settlement concerning Collective Bargaining Unit 11.

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the House (Hse. Com. Nos. 637 to 643) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Hse. Com. No. 637, informing the Senate that on April 27, 2015, the House reconsidered its action taken on April 20, 2015, in giving intent to agree to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1075, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2), and appointed conferees on the part of the House for the consideration of amendments proposed by the Senate to the following bill:

H.B. No. 1075, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Belatti, Nakashima, Luke, co-chairs; Yamashita, Thielen,

was placed on file.

Hse. Com. No. 638, informing the Senate that on April 27, 2015, the House reconsidered its action taken on April 8, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 268, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1), was placed on file.

Hse. Com. No. 639, informing the Senate that on April 27, 2015, the House reconsidered its action taken on April 9, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1007, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2), was placed on file.

Hse. Com. No. 640, informing the Senate that on April 27, 2015, the Speaker discharged the conferees to H.B. No. 393, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2), was placed on file.

Hse. Com. No. 641, informing the Senate that on April 27, 2015, the Speaker appointed conferees on the part of the House

for the consideration of amendments proposed by the House to the following Senate bills:

S.B. No. 717, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Lee, Aquino, McKelvey, co-chairs; Nakashima, Thielen.

S.B. No. 756, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

Representatives McKelvey, Woodson, Rhoads, co-chairs; Yamane, McDermott.

Hse. Com. No. 642, returning S.C.R. No. 57, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 27, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.C.R. No. 57, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1), entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION EXPANDING THE TASK FORCE STUDY OF THE EFFECTS OF THE JANUARY 2014 FUEL TANK LEAK AT THE RED HILL UNDERGROUND FUEL STORAGE FACILITY, ESTABLISHED UNDER SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 73, H.D. 1, REGULAR SESSION OF 2014, TO INCLUDE AN ADDITIONAL TWENTY-SIX UNDERGROUND FUEL STORAGE TANKS IN THE STATE OWNED BY THE UNITED STATES MILITARY," was deferred until Wednesday, April 29, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 643, returning S.C.R. No. 107, S.D. 1, as amended in H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 27, 2015, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on S.C.R. No. 107, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1), entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CONVENING OF A LEGISLATIVE FAMILY CAREGIVERS WORKING GROUP TO EXAMINE AND ASSESS ISSUES RELATING TO THE ROLE OF CAREGIVERS OF PATIENTS DISCHARGED FROM HOSPITALS," was deferred until Wednesday, April 29, 2015.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Thielen, for the majority of the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1704) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of WILLIAM BALFOUR, JR. to the Commission on Water Resource Management, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 820.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1704 and Gov. Msg. No. 820 was deferred until Wednesday, April 29, 2015.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1705) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Center for Nursing Advisory Board of the following:

ELIZABETH HOBAN, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 634; and

SUSAN LEE, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 635.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1705 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 634 and 635 was deferred until Wednesday, April 29, 2015.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1706) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the State Foundation on Culture and the Arts of the following:

DEAN SAKAMOTO, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 762;

JANE CLEMENT, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 763;

KAREN POLIVKA, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 764;

NOELLE KAHANU, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 765; and

PATRICIA HAMAMOTO, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 766.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1706 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 762, 763, 764, 765 and 766 was deferred until Wednesday, April 29, 2015.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1707) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Hawai'i Commission for National and Community Service of the following:

KAI DUPONTE, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 809; and

RONALDO MATA, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 810.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1707 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 809 and 810 was deferred until Wednesday, April 29, 2015.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1708) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Hawai'i Historic Places Review Board of the following:

MATT MCDERMOTT, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 811; and

ZACHARY I. BANTOLINA, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 812.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1708 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 811 and 812 was deferred until Wednesday, April 29, 2015.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Higher Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1709) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the State Rehabilitation Council of the following:

GEORGE MASSENGALE, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 876;

GWEN KELIHOOMALU, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 877;

MARK TRAVALINO, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 878;

MICHELE KU, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 879;

RENE BERTHIAUME, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 880;

RODERICK MACDONALD, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 881;

LANELLE YAMANE, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 882; and

KRISTINE TAKEKAWA, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 883.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1709 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 876, 877, 878, 879, 880,

881, 882, and 883 was deferred until Wednesday, April 29, 2015.

ORDER OF THE DAY

ADVISE AND CONSENT

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1701 (Gov. Msg. No. 718):

Senator Riviere moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1701 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Chun Oakland and carried.

Senator Riviere then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of SIMON RUSSELL to the Board of Agriculture, term to expire June 30, 2016, seconded by Senator Chun Oakland.

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

Ayes, 23. Noes, none. Excused, 2 (Galuteria, Ruderman).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1702 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 719, 720, 721, 722 and 723):

Senator Riviere moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1702 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Chun Oakland and carried.

Senator Riviere then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Directors of the Agribusiness Development Corporation of the following:

DENISE ALBANO, term to expire June 30, 2016 (Gov. Msg. No. 719);

LLOYD HARAGUCHI, term to expire June 30, 2015 (Gov. Msg. No. 720);

LLOYD HARAGUCHI, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 721);

MARGARITA HOPKINS, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 722); and

YUKIO KITAGAWA, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 723),

seconded by Senator Chun Oakland.

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

Ayes, 23. Noes, none. Excused, 2 (Galuteria, Ruderman).

At this time, Senator Riviere congratulated the newly confirmed board members, then introduced Simon Russell of the Board of Agriculture, who was accompanied in the gallery by Vincent Mina, president of the Hawaii Farmers Union United, and Harley Danielson of the National Farmers Union.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1703 (Gov. Msg. No. 844):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1703 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried.

Senator Keith-Agaran then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of LINDA CHU TAKAYAMA as Director of the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations, term to expire December 3, 2018, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro.

Senator Keith-Agaran rose to speak in support of the nominee as follows:

"Linda Chu Takayama brings experience and training from her private law practice and her years of public service at the federal and state level to this position. During her prior tenure

as the Hawai'i insurance commissioner, Ms. Chu Takayama developed programs to stabilize and expand the property insurance market during the highly volatile period following Hurricane Iniki, including establishing the Hawaii Hurricane Relief Fund. She was a member of the governor's subcabinet task force on health care reform and chaired the governor's task force on workers' compensation reform. She also brings her previous experience from Washington, D.C., where she served as chief of staff to United States Senate Sergeant-at-Arms. From her prior service, we can expect that she will be able to balance the needs of workers with the needs of employees and industry.

"The nominee has been described as a person strongly guided by a strong foundation of values, including the right of all of us to an honest day's work, to be fairly compensated for that work, and to be cared for in terms of injury or illness. She's committed to supporting the training of a vibrant workforce to meet the challenges of an evolving community. She's been described as fair, intelligent, and tough – not bad descriptions for the next director of Labor.

"In short, I'm confident that Ms. Chu Takayama's values are consistent with the goals of the Labor department and its attached agencies, and I am confident she'll provide strong leadership and appropriate administrative support to successfully meet their objectives. I urge my colleagues to advise and consent to Linda Chu Takayama as the next Hawai'i director of Labor."

Senator Baker rose to speak in strong support of the nominee as follows:

"Ms. Chu Takayama is an additional outstanding female member of the cabinet, along with other women that our governor has sought fit to appoint and bring into state service. They are strong, talented, able, capable, and actually are the epitome of, I think, the kind of role models we want our daughters, sisters, mothers, aunts to have. So it's my pleasure to stand in strong support of this nominee. We know that she'll do very well, and I invite my colleagues to join me in voting up on her nomination."

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

Ayes, 23. Noes, none. Excused, 2 (Galuteria, Ruderman).

Senator Keith-Agaran introduced newly confirmed Director Linda Chu Takayama, who was present in the gallery with her daughter, Teal Takayama; her brother-in-law Roger Takayama; and her husband, State Representative Gregg Takayama.

At 11:49 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 11:54 a.m.

ADOPTION OF RESOLUTIONS

MATTERS DEFERRED FROM MONDAY, APRIL 27, 2015

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1697 (H.C.R. No. 212):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 212, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING FEDERAL AND STATE AGENCIES TO CONSULT WITH HAWAII SMALL SCALE FARMERS, HAWAII SMALL SCALE PRODUCERS, AND AFFECTED PARTIES ON THE OFFSETTING OF COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE FOOD SAFETY MODERNIZATION ACT," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1698 (H.C.R. No. 182):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 182, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO CONDUCT A TRAFFIC STUDY AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO ALLEVIATE TRAFFIC CONGESTION ON KAHEKILI HIGHWAY FROM THE LIKELIKE HIGHWAY INTERSECTION TO KAMEHAMEHA HIGHWAY," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1699 (H.C.R. No. 34, H.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 34, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING A PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT WAIMANALO, KOOLAUPOKO, OAHU, FOR THE USE, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR OF THE EXISTING SEAWALL AND STEPS," was adopted.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1700 (H.C.R. No. 29):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 29, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES, AFTER CONSULTATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, TO DETERMINE THE COST OF PLACING AN OVERPASS OVER THE H-1 FREEWAY TO EXTEND BETWEEN NUUANU STREAM AND QUEEN EMMA STREET THAT WOULD REDUCE TRAFFIC NOISE POLLUTION AND BE USED AS A PARK OR OTHER COMMUNITY USE PURPOSE," was adopted.

H.C.R. No. 138, H.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.C.R. No. 138, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO EXAMINE ALL POSSIBILITIES TO ENABLE STUDENT ATHLETIC TEAMS TO RUN AND TRAIN OFF CAMPUS," was adopted.

H.C.R. No. 205, S.D. 1:

The Chair stated:

"Members, due to a clerical oversight, this resolution was not acted on in time to meet yesterday's crossover deadline for amended concurrent resolutions. After consulting with the subject matter committee chairs, the recommendation is for the Senate to reconsider its previous action in adopting Standing Committee Report No. 1691, then adopt the unamended House concurrent resolution and return it to the House. At this time, if there are no objections from the members, the Chair will entertain a motion for reconsideration at this time."

Senator Gabbard moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on April 24, 2015, in adopting Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1691, seconded by Senator Green.

Senator Gabbard noted:

"Colleagues, this resolution requests the Department of Health to promptly investigate all alleged violations in the solid waste recycling industry and fairly and equally enforce applicable laws and regulations for all companies. In order to move this resolution forward, I am recommending that the Senate adopt this resolution in its original form. The only amendment contained in the S.D. 1 is new language regarding the importance and value of the management of waste through

solid waste recycling and alternative means of waste disposal. The original H.C.R. No. 205 accomplishes the same goal as the S.D. 1, so I ask for your favorable support of this motion.”

The motion was then put by the Chair and carried.

On motion by Senator Gabbard, seconded by Senator Green and carried, H.C.R. No. 205, entitled: “HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO EXAMINE EXISTING AND ALLEGED VIOLATIONS IN THE SOLID WASTE RECYCLING INDUSTRY AND FAIRLY AND EQUALLY ENFORCE APPLICABLE LAWS AND REGULATIONS FOR ALL COMPANIES,” was adopted.

FINAL READING

S.B. No. 550, S.D. 1, H.D. 2:

Senator Green moved that S.B. No. 550, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Espero.

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

“This is an interesting bill. It started out about tobacco and e-cigarettes – it was a bill that I actually signed onto, the original Senate Bill 550. Somewhere between the H.D. 1 and H.D. 2, it became about a new product called ‘powdered alcohol.’ Now, Madam President, I am the last person you want to talk to about alcohol and alcohol products, but I do have concerns, as I always do, about our state bragging about being the first to ban something.

“It’s interesting that the Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau (TTB), which is a division of the Department of the Treasury, approved the sale of powdered alcohol products, or Palcohol, on March 10th of this year. Now, being a diligent member of the Senate, I sent my staff out to bring some packets of powdered alcohol so I could both show them and share them with my colleagues here. Unfortunately, they couldn’t bring me any of the powdered alcohol because there is none; it’s not available yet. And yet, we are going to ban the product before it’s even here, and we’re going to call it a public safety issue or public health issue. It is powdered alcohol. If we’re talking about a public health issue, then we would ban liquid alcohol, but we’re not going to do that. Why? Because it brings in a great deal of revenue, and that brings up another point here.

“If this bill passes and becomes law, then we will have to find funds to enforce the law and, at the same time, we will lose revenues that would ordinarily go to the state. In addition to that, this Senate has debated bills that had to do with the problem of glass recycling and the cost of glass. This helps solve that problem.

“But I’m most concerned about the fact that whenever there is a new product, whether it’s e-cigarettes or now powdered alcohol, we want to jump on top of it; we want to ban it; we want to regulate it out of business. And that’s the reputation that we’re getting in the State of Hawai’i. To ban a product before it’s even here, not to regulate or tax it as an alternative, to me, seems to be short-sighted. 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.B. No. 550, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 550, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 21; Ayes with Reservations (Espero, Ihara, Riviere). Noes, 2 (Slom, Thielen). Excused, 2 (Galuteria, Ruderman).

S.B. No. 982, S.D. 1, H.D. 2:

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 982, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 982, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL AMNESTY,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23. Noes, none. Excused, 2 (Galuteria, Ruderman).

RECONSIDERATION OF ACTIONS TAKEN

S.B. No. 961, S.D. 2 (H.D. 3):

Senator Green moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on April 16, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 961, S.D. 2, seconded by Senator Chun Oakland and carried.

In accordance with the Conference Committee Procedures agreed upon by the Senate and the House of Representatives, the managers on the part of the Senate recommended that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 961, S.D. 2, on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 3 (Green, Keith-Agaran, Harimoto). Noes, none. Excused, 2 (Chun Oakland, Slom).

Senator Green then moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 961, S.D. 2, seconded by Senator Chun Oakland.

Senator Green noted:

“Madam President, I think they made some good additions to this bill. They put in some additional protections that patients who are committed to assistant community treatment for mental illness, these protections be afforded to them by licensed psychiatrists having enough information about their petition to actually give them proper diagnosis and help. So, we agreed with the subject material of their changes. There were additional safety provisions, like I said, for the individual patients, and that was the means for us to agree. Plus, we did have to agree with their effective date.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 961, S.D. 2, and S.B. No. 961, S.D. 2, H.D. 3, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH TREATMENT,” was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Wednesday, April 29, 2015.

At this time, Senator Riviere thanked the members for their support of the food bank drive, and announced that the Senate’s efforts had raised approximately \$5,000 and collected nearly 500 pounds of food.

On behalf of the members of the Senate, the Chair thanked Senator Riviere and his staff for coordinating the food bank drive.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:02 p.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Wednesday, April 29, 2015.

FIFTY-SIXTH DAY

Wednesday, April 29, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:38 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present.

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

Senator Galuteria shared the history of Dr. Sun Yat-sen in Hawai'i, noting that the acknowledged Father of Modern China had attended what are now known as 'Iolani School and Punahou School. Senator Galuteria then introduced the following visitors who were present in the gallery: Leland Sun, great-grandson of Dr. Sun Yat-sen, and his wife, Peggy Sun; Steve and Lucy Yuan, members of the Dr. Sun Yat-sen Foundation; Yeyi Wang, vice president, Angbang Insurance Group Co., Ltd.; Xiaofeng Peng, chairman, SPI Solar; and HK Cheong, chief operating officer, SPI Solar.

Senator Kidani recognized her session intern Chelsea Robinson for her invaluable help throughout session with preparing for committee hearings and general office duties, noting that Chelsea was amazed at and intrigued by the amount of work that went into passing good legislation for the people of Hawai'i. Senator Kidani also noted that Chelsea was recognized as Hawai'i's Young Woman of Distinction in 2013, receiving a four-year scholarship to Hawai'i Pacific University; wished her good luck on her final exams as she ends her sophomore year; and thanked her for her hard work.

Senator Slom introduced internationally-acclaimed opera performer John Easterlin, who would be making his Hawaii Opera Theatre debut in the production of *Sweeney Todd*. Senator Slom noted that John Easterlin began his celebrated career on Broadway and had appeared in the *Great Performances* series on PBS, winning numerous awards and garnering international recognition for his performances worldwide.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following message from the Governor (Gov. Msg. No. 235) was read by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 235, letter dated April 24, 2015, transmitting a proposed conference draft (C.D. 1) amending S.B. No. 1077, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, to fund the settlement concerning Collective Bargaining Unit 2.

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the House (Hse. Com. Nos. 644 to 646) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Hse. Com. No. 644, informing the Senate that on April 28, 2015, the House reconsidered its action taken on April 16, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 467, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1).

Hse. Com. No. 645, informing the Senate that on April 28, 2015, the House reconsidered its action taken on April 14, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 589, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1).

Hse. Com. No. 646, informing the Senate that on April 28, 2015, the House agreed to the amendments proposed by the Senate and passed the following House bills on Final Reading:

H.B. No. 268, H.D. 2, S.D. 1;
H.B. No. 354, H.D. 2, S.D. 1;
H.B. No. 525, H.D. 2, S.D. 2; and
H.B. No. 1007, H.D. 1, S.D. 2.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 287, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 2) recommending that H.B. No. 287, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 2 and H.B. No. 287, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM INFORMATION PRACTICES ACT," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1049, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 3) recommending that S.B. No. 1049, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 3 and S.B. No. 1049, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRONIC WASTE RECYCLING," 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 to S.B. No. 878, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 4) recommending that S.B. No. 878, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 4 and S.B. No. 878, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WASTEWATER," 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 to S.B. No. 419, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 5) recommending that S.B. No. 419, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 5 and S.B. No. 419, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NEIGHBORHOOD BOARDS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1096, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 6) recommending that S.B. No. 1096, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 6 and S.B. No. 1096, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ON-BILL PROGRAMS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 858, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 7) recommending that H.B. No. 858, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 7 and H.B. No. 858, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1075, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 8) recommending that H.B. No. 1075, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 8 and H.B. No. 1075, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," 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 to H.B. No. 119, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 9) recommending that H.B. No. 119, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 9 and H.B. No. 119, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1710) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Regents of the University of Hawaii of the following:

MICHAEL T. MCENERNEY, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 546;

DAVID IHA, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 547;

ERNEST WILSON, JR., in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 548;

HELEN NIELSEN, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 549;

SIMEON ACOBA, JR., in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 550; and

WAYNE HIGAKI, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 551.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1710 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 546, 547, 548, 549, 550 and 551 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2015.

ORDER OF THE DAY

AGREE/DISAGREE

MATTERS DEFERRED FROM TUESDAY, APRIL 28, 2015

S.C.R. No. 57, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Senator Gabbard moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.C.R. No. 57, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Green.

Senator Gabbard noted:

"Colleagues, we are in accord with the House version because their amendments were only for the purpose of adding the congressional delegation as members of the Red Hill Underground Fuel Storage Facility Task Force. This change strengthens the important work of the task force, which is essentially to protect our water supply and our environment."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.C.R. No. 57, S.D. 1, and S.C.R. No. 57, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION EXPANDING THE TASK FORCE STUDY OF THE EFFECTS OF THE JANUARY 2014 FUEL TANK LEAK AT THE RED HILL UNDERGROUND FUEL STORAGE FACILITY, ESTABLISHED UNDER SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 73, H.D. 1, REGULAR SESSION OF 2014, TO INCLUDE AN ADDITIONAL TWENTY-SIX UNDERGROUND FUEL STORAGE TANKS IN THE STATE OWNED BY THE UNITED STATES MILITARY," was placed on the calendar for Final Adoption on Thursday, April 30, 2015.

S.C.R. No. 107, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Senator Chun Oakland moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.C.R. No. 107, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Green.

Senator Chun Oakland noted:

"The House proposed a legislative working group composed of two representatives from the Kupuna Caucus, two chairs of Health, and two chairs of Human Services. We are going to be working during the interim on legislative and regulatory recommendations for next session to address the training for family caregivers for patients who are discharged from hospitals. 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. 107, S.D. 1, and S.C.R. No. 107, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CONVENING OF A LEGISLATIVE FAMILY CAREGIVERS WORKING GROUP TO EXAMINE AND ASSESS ISSUES RELATING TO THE ROLE OF CAREGIVERS OF PATIENTS DISCHARGED FROM HOSPITALS," was placed on the calendar for Final Adoption on Thursday, April 30, 2015.

ADVISE AND CONSENT

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1704 (Gov. Msg. No. 820):

Senator Thielen moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1704 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Galuteria and carried.

Senator Thielen then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of WILLIAM BALFOUR, JR. to the Commission on Water Resource Management, term to expire June 30, 2019, seconded by Senator Galuteria.

Senator English rose to speak in opposition to the nominee as follows:

"Being the senator from East Maui, in particular, I have to note for the record here the contested water cases on the east side of Maui, and this has been going on for many, many years. I know that back in, I think it was 2006 or 2007, there were hearings on the east side. The difference was this, that all the other hearings were contested case hearings; this one was done by rule. Right now it's at the supreme court; right now they're still fighting over this. And I think that the people of East Maui really got the short end of the stick on this. So it's nothing personal with Mr. Balfour, but I think we need to have a new perspective, and we need to have a new view on the board to look at this issue and examine it very carefully. So my vote is 'no' on this for those reasons. Thank you."

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

Ayes, 21; Ayes with Reservations (Chun Oakland, Gabbard, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro). Noes, 4 (English, Green, Riviere, Ruderman).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1705 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 634 and 635):

Senator Taniguchi moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1705 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Inouye and carried.

Senator Taniguchi then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Center for Nursing Advisory Board of the following:

ELIZABETH HOBAN, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 634); and

SUSAN LEE, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 635),

seconded by Senator Inouye.

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1706 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 762, 763, 764, 765 and 766):

Senator Taniguchi moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1706 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Inouye and carried.

Senator Taniguchi then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the State Foundation on Culture and the Arts of the following:

DEAN SAKAMOTO, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 762);

JANE CLEMENT, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 763);

KAREN POLIVKA, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 764);

NOELLE KAHANU, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 765); and

PATRICIA HAMAMOTO, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 766),

seconded by Senator Inouye.

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1707 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 809 and 810):

Senator Taniguchi moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1707 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Inouye and carried.

Senator Taniguchi then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Hawai'i Commission for National and Community Service of the following:

KAI DUPONTE, term to expire June 30, 2016 (Gov. Msg. No. 809); and

RONALDO MATA, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 810),

seconded by Senator Inouye.

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1708 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 811 and 812):

Senator Taniguchi moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1708 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Inouye and carried.

Senator Taniguchi then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Hawai'i Historic Places Review Board of the following:

MATT MCDERMOTT, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 811); and

ZACHARY I. BANTOLINA, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 812),

seconded by Senator Inouye.

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1709 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 876, 877, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882 and 883):

Senator Chun Oakland moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1709 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Green and carried.

Senator Chun Oakland then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the State Rehabilitation Council of the following:

GEORGE MASSENGALE, term to expire June 30, 2016 (Gov. Msg. No. 876);

GWEN KELIHOOMALU, term to expire June 30, 2017 (Gov. Msg. No. 877);

MARK TRAVALINO, term to expire June 30, 2016 (Gov. Msg. No. 878);

MICHELE KU, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 879);

RENE BERTHIAUME, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 880);

RODERICK MACDONALD, term to expire June 30, 2016 (Gov. Msg. No. 881);

LANELLE YAMANE, term to expire June 30, 2016 (Gov. Msg. No. 882); and

KRISTINE TAKEKAWA, term to expire June 30, 2017 (Gov. Msg. No. 883),

seconded by Senator Green.

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

At this time, Senator Thielen introduced William Balfour, newly confirmed member of the Commission on Water Resource Management, who was present in the gallery with his wife, Dee Balfour; Peter Carlisle, former mayor of the City and County of Honolulu; and other friends and supporters.

FINAL READING

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 1 (H.B. No. 952, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 1 was adopted and H.B. No. 952, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL

FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WAGES AND HOURS ON PUBLIC WORKS LAW,” passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

S.B. No. 961, S.D. 2, H.D. 3:

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Chun Oakland and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 961, S.D. 2, and S.B. No. 961, S.D. 2, H.D. 3, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH TREATMENT,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

RECONSIDERATION OF ACTIONS TAKEN

S.B. No. 211, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on April 16, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 211, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Green and carried.

In accordance with the Conference Committee Procedures agreed upon by the Senate and the House of Representatives, the managers on the part of the Senate recommended that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 211, S.D. 1, on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 2 (Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro). Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Slom).

Senator Keith-Agaran then moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 211, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Green.

Senator Keith-Agaran noted:

“This bill was introduced to establish the penalties for this crime. The difference was the Senate’s position was to create a felony and the House position was to establish a misdemeanor, and we were agreeable to the House position as well as the effective date that they had.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 211, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 211, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FORENSIC IDENTIFICATION,” was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Thursday, April 30, 2015.

S.B. No. 440, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on April 16, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 440, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Green and carried.

In accordance with the Conference Committee Procedures agreed upon by the Senate and the House of Representatives, the managers on the part of the Senate recommended that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 440, S.D. 1, on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 2 (Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro). Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Slom).

Senator Keith-Agaran then moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 440, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Green.

Senator Keith-Agaran noted:

“The House draft was basically the same as ours except for an effective date.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 440, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 440, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VACANCIES,” was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Thursday, April 30, 2015.

S.B. No. 1066, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on April 16, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1066, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Green and carried.

In accordance with the Conference Committee Procedures agreed upon by the Senate and the House of Representatives, the managers on the part of the Senate recommended that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1066, S.D. 1, on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 5 (Keith-Agaran, Espero, Ihara, Shimabukuro, Slom). Noes, none. Excused, none.

Senator Keith-Agaran then moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1066, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Green.

Senator Keith-Agaran noted:

“The difference between the two bills was they had a ‘shall’ rather than a ‘may,’ and also that they established the family court as the appropriate tribunal, as the registering tribunal, for purposes of this act.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1066, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 1066, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM INTERSTATE FAMILY SUPPORT ACT,” was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Thursday, April 30, 2015.

The Chair made the following announcement:

“Conferees are named in accordance with the action sheets which may be updated later today.”

APPOINTMENT OF CONFEREES

H.B. No. 169, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 169, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kahele, chair; Tokuda, co-chair; Kouchi as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:57 a.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 6:30 p.m., Thursday, April 30, 2015.

FIFTY-SEVENTH DAY

Thursday, April 30, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 6:30 p.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present.

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

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following message from the Governor (Gov. Msg. No. 236) was read by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 236, letter dated April 28, 2015, transmitting a proposed conference draft (C.D. 1) amending S.B. No. 1078, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, to fund the settlements concerning Collective Bargaining Units 3 and 4.

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the House (Hse. Com. Nos. 647 to 649) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Hse. Com. No. 647, informing the Senate that on April 29, 2015, H.B. No. 952, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 passed Final Reading in the House of Representatives.

Hse. Com. No. 648, informing the Senate that on April 29, 2015, the House agreed to the amendments proposed by the Senate and passed the following House bills on Final Reading:

H.B. No. 467, H.D. 1, S.D. 1; and
H.B. No. 589, H.D. 1, S.D. 1.

Hse. Com. No. 649, informing the Senate that on April 29, 2015, the Speaker appointed conferees on the part of the House for the consideration of amendments proposed by the Senate to the following House bill:

H.B. No. 293, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Kawakami, McKelvey, co-chairs; Kong, Tupola.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Wakai, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1090, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 10) recommending that H.B. No. 1090, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 10 and H.B. No. 1090, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENTS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 623, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 11) recommending that H.B. No. 623, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 11 and H.B. No. 623, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE STANDARDS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 17, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 12) recommending that S.B. No. 17, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 12 and S.B. No. 17, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL ESTATE SELLER DISCLOSURE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1094, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 13) recommending that S.B. No. 1094, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 13 and S.B. No. 1094, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," 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 to S.B. No. 1177, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 14) recommending that S.B. No. 1177, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 14 and S.B. No. 1177, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE FOUNDATION ON CULTURE AND THE ARTS," 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 to S.B. No. 868, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 15) recommending that S.B. No. 868, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 15 and S.B. No. 868, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUOR COMMISSIONS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 261, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 16) recommending that H.B. No. 261, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 16 and H.B. No. 261, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 538, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 17) recommending that H.B. No. 538, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 17 and H.B. No. 538, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 464, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 18) recommending that S.B. No. 464, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 18 and S.B. No. 464, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1316, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 19) recommending that S.B. No. 1316, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 19 and S.B. No. 1316, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRIC VEHICLES," 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 to S.B. No. 971, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 20) recommending that S.B. No. 971, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 20 and S.B. No. 971, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 521, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 21) recommending that S.B. No. 521, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 21 and S.B. No. 521, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO WAIMEA NUI COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION," 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 to H.B. No. 87, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 22) recommending that H.B. No. 87, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 22 and H.B. No. 87, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 179, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 23) recommending that H.B. No. 179, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 23 and H.B. No. 179, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERMANENT ABSENTEE BALLOTS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 508, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 24) recommending that S.B. No. 508, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 24 and S.B. No. 508, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN FINANCE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 569, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 25) recommending that S.B. No. 569, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 25 and S.B. No. 569, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THEFT," 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 to H.B. No. 888, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 26) recommending that H.B. No. 888, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 26 and H.B. No. 888, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

ORDER OF THE DAY

ADVISE AND CONSENT

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1710 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 546, 547, 548, 549, 550 and 551):

Senator Taniguchi moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1710 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Inouye and carried.

Senator Taniguchi then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Regents of the University of Hawaii of the following:

MICHAEL T. MCENERNEY, term to expire June 30, 2020 (Gov. Msg. No. 546);

DAVID IHA, term to expire June 30, 2017 (Gov. Msg. No. 547);

ERNEST WILSON, JR., term to expire June 30, 2019 (term amended to June 30, 2020 by Gov. Msg. No. 717) (Gov. Msg. No. 548);

HELEN NIELSEN, term to expire June 30, 2015 (Gov. Msg. No. 549);

SIMEON ACOBA, JR., term to expire June 30, 2017 (Gov. Msg. No. 550); and

WAYNE HIGAKI, term to expire June 30, 2016 (Gov. Msg. No. 551),

seconded by Senator Inouye.

Senator Inouye rose to speak in support of Gov. Msg. No. 551 as follows:

"Thank you, Madam President. Colleagues, I'm very pleased to speak in support of G.M. 551, Wayne Higaki. I have known

Wayne since his arrival on the Big Island in the mid-'90s, and he's a constituent of mine from Senate District 4.

"It gives me great pleasure to greet and welcome and congratulate Wayne Higaki. His brother Wade is with him, and he lives here in Wahiawā.

"He has been employed at the North Hawai'i Community Hospital in various capacities since 1996, and has seen the hospital through many difficult financial times. During this period, he's been able to carve out time to serve on both the county and state workforce development boards. He's also a member of the Waimea Community Association Board of Directors and volunteers in many activities in West Hawai'i, so I'm happy to stand in support of this nominee to the Board of Regents. Thank you, Madam President."

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

FINAL ADOPTION

S.C.R. No. 57, S.D. 1, H.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Gabbard, seconded by Senator Green and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.C.R. No. 57, S.D. 1, and S.C.R. No. 57, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION EXPANDING THE TASK FORCE STUDY OF THE EFFECTS OF THE JANUARY 2014 FUEL TANK LEAK AT THE RED HILL UNDERGROUND FUEL STORAGE FACILITY, ESTABLISHED UNDER SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 73, H.D. 1, REGULAR SESSION OF 2014, TO INCLUDE AN ADDITIONAL TWENTY-SIX UNDERGROUND FUEL STORAGE TANKS IN THE STATE OWNED BY THE UNITED STATES MILITARY," was Finally Adopted.

S.C.R. No. 107, S.D. 1, H.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Chun Oakland, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.C.R. No. 107, S.D. 1, and S.C.R. No. 107, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CONVENING OF A LEGISLATIVE FAMILY CAREGIVERS WORKING GROUP TO EXAMINE AND ASSESS ISSUES RELATING TO THE ROLE OF CAREGIVERS OF PATIENTS DISCHARGED FROM HOSPITALS," was Finally Adopted.

FINAL READING

S.B. No. 211, S.D. 1, H.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Green and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 211, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 211, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FORENSIC IDENTIFICATION," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

S.B. No. 440, S.D. 1, H.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Green and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 440, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 440, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VACANCIES," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

S.B. No. 1066, S.D. 1, H.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Green and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1066, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 1066, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM INTERSTATE FAMILY SUPPORT ACT," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

At this time, Senator Kouchi introduced Michael McEnerney, newly confirmed member of the Board of Regents of the University of Hawai'i, who was seated in the gallery.

Senator Baker rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

"Madam President and colleagues, we've had much discussion on our hospitals, and some of us are very proud of our hospitals, and I just wanted to make sure that this particular item didn't go unnoticed. It was in *Pacific Business News* the other day: It said three Hawai'i hospitals received 'A' grade for patient safety from Leapfrog Group. They got the top honor in the category of patient safety by a group that surveys hospitals throughout the country. I was pleased to see that Maui Memorial Medical Center, along with The Queen's Medical Center and Straub Clinic & Hospital of HPH, received the top grade of 'A' according to the report that was released on Wednesday.

"Since that time, there's been another category and we've had some more of our hospitals in the 'A' category, but overall, Hawai'i ranked number 12 in the nation for the safest hospitals, and I think that's a testament not only to the quality of the staff that we have, but I think it really says why some of us have been fighting so hard to make sure that we have that quality of hospital on the island of Maui. But I wanted to share that Maine was number 1, and the survey covers approximately 2,500 hospitals across the country, and only one-third of them got an 'A' grade. Thank you very much."

The Chair then made the following announcement:

"The decking deadline for all non-fiscal bills in conference is 11:30 p.m. tonight."

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORTS

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom 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 6:39 p.m., the Senate took the following actions:

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 717, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 27) recommending that S.B. No. 717, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 27 and S.B. No. 717, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHANOL," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 831, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 28) recommending that S.B. No. 831, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 28 and

S.B. No. 831, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 871, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 29) recommending that S.B. No. 871, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 29 and S.B. No. 871, S.D. 1, H.D. 3, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 223, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 30) recommending that S.B. No. 223, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 30 and S.B. No. 223, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC GUARDIAN," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 756, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 31) recommending that S.B. No. 756, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 31 and S.B. No. 756, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SECURE AND FAIR ENFORCEMENT FOR MORTGAGE LICENSING ACT," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 436, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 32) recommending that H.B. No. 436, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 32 and H.B. No. 436, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY VEHICLES," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1273, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 33) recommending that H.B. No. 1273, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 33 and H.B. No. 1273, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 391, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 34) recommending that H.B. No. 391, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 34 and H.B. No. 391, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR

AN ACT RELATING TO WAGES AND HOURS ON PUBLIC WORKS," 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 to H.B. No. 894, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 35) recommending that H.B. No. 894, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 35 and H.B. No. 894, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENHANCED 911 BOARD," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1268, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 36) recommending that H.B. No. 1268, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 36 and H.B. No. 1268, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION," 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 to H.B. No. 707, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 37) recommending that H.B. No. 707, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 37 and H.B. No. 707, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NON-GENERAL FUNDS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 15, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 38) recommending that H.B. No. 15, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 38 and H.B. No. 15, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS," 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 to S.B. No. 1131, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 39) recommending that S.B. No. 1131, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 39 and S.B. No. 1131, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 265, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 40) recommending that S.B. No. 265, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 40 and S.B. No. 265, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEX TRAFFICKING," 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 to S.B. No. 181, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 41) recommending that S.B. No. 181, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 41 and S.B. No. 181, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERANS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 26, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 42) recommending that H.B. No. 26, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 42 and H.B. No. 26, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COMPENSATION OF TRUSTEES," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1491, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 43) recommending that H.B. No. 1491, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 43 and H.B. No. 1491, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 896, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 44) recommending that H.B. No. 896, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 44 and H.B. No. 896, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE, ITS OFFICERS, OR ITS EMPLOYEES," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Kaele, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 775, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 45) recommending that H.B. No. 775, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 45 and H.B. No. 775, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, 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 House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 582, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 46) recommending that H.B. No. 582, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 46 and H.B. No. 582, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE NURSING FACILITY SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAM," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 631, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 47) recommending that H.B. No. 631, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 47 and H.B. No. 631, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CERTIFICATES OF BIRTH," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1113, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 48) recommending that S.B. No. 1113, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 48 and S.B. No. 1113, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BACKGROUND CHECKS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1291, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 49) recommending that S.B. No. 1291, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 49 and S.B. No. 1291, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL MARIJUANA," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1117, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 50) recommending that S.B. No. 1117, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 50 and S.B. No. 1117, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:00 a.m. midnight, the Senate adjourned until 6:30 p.m., Friday, May 1, 2015.

FIFTY-EIGHTH DAY

Friday, May 1, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 6:35 p.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present.

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

Senator Dela Cruz welcomed Mrs. Joy Kouchi, wife of Senator Ronald D. Kouchi, who was present in the gallery.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following message from the Governor (Gov. Msg. No. 896) was read by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 896, informing the Senate that on April 30, 2015, the Governor withdrew the nomination of RENWICK V. TASSIL to the Hawaiian Homes Commission, under Gov. Msg. No. 743 dated April 1, 2015, from consideration by the Senate.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 896, the nomination listed under Gov. Msg. No. 743 was returned.

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the House (Hse. Com. Nos. 650 to 652) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Hse. Com. No. 650, informing the Senate that on April 30, 2015, the House agreed to the amendments proposed by the Senate and Finally Adopted the following House concurrent resolutions:

H.C.R. No. 73, S.D. 1;
H.C.R. No. 78, S.D. 1;
H.C.R. No. 86, H.D. 1, S.D. 1;
H.C.R. No. 108, S.D. 1;
H.C.R. No. 119, S.D. 1;
H.C.R. No. 141, H.D. 1, S.D. 1;
H.C.R. No. 155, S.D. 1;
H.C.R. No. 158, H.D. 1, S.D. 1;
H.C.R. No. 168, H.D. 2, S.D. 1;
H.C.R. No. 178, H.D. 1, S.D. 1;
H.C.R. No. 185, S.D. 1;
H.C.R. No. 187, H.D. 1, S.D. 1;
H.C.R. No. 189, H.D. 1, S.D. 1;
H.C.R. No. 204, S.D. 1;
H.C.R. No. 208, H.D. 1, S.D. 1;
H.C.R. No. 217, H.D. 1, S.D. 1; and
H.C.R. No. 224, S.D. 1.

Hse. Com. No. 651, informing the Senate that on April 30, 2015, the House reconsidered its action taken on April 14, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the Senate to the following House bills:

H.B. No. 393, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2); and
H.B. No. 770, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1).

Hse. Com. No. 652, informing the Senate that on April 30, 2015, the House reconsidered its action taken on April 16, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1349, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1)

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1711) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of JASON ESPERO to the Board of Directors of

the Hawai'i Public Housing Authority, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 796.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1711 and Gov. Msg. No. 796 was deferred until Tuesday, May 5, 2015.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1712) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Public Housing Authority of the following:

ALENA MEDEIROS, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 795;

LAURA SMITH, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 797;

LISA A. DARCY, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 798;

NANCY CABRAL, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 799; and

PONO D. SHIM, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 800.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1712 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 795, 797, 798, 799 and 800 was deferred until Tuesday, May 5, 2015.

Senator Kahele, for the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1713) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Tourism Authority of the following:

CRAIG NAKAMURA, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 825;

FRED ATKINS, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 826;

GERALD L. DE MELLO, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 827;

RODNEY G. K. KAM, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 828; and

SEAN DEE, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 829.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1713 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 825, 826, 827, 828 and 829 was deferred until Tuesday, May 5, 2015.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1714) recommending that the Senate consent to the nomination of DYAN M. MEDEIROS to the District Family Court of the First Circuit, in accordance with Jud. Com. No. 7.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1714 and Jud. Com. No. 7 was deferred until Tuesday, May 5, 2015.

ORDER OF THE DAY

FINAL READING

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 2 (H.B. No. 287, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 2 was adopted and H.B. No. 287, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM INFORMATION PRACTICES ACT," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 3 (S.B. No. 1049, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Gabbard, seconded by Senator Green and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 3 was adopted and S.B. No. 1049, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRONIC WASTE RECYCLING," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 4 (S.B. No. 878, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Green and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 4 was adopted and S.B. No. 878, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WASTEWATER," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 5 (S.B. No. 419, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 5 was adopted and S.B. No. 419, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NEIGHBORHOOD BOARDS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 6 (S.B. No. 1096, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1):

Senator Baker moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 6 be adopted and S.B. No. 1096, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Harimoto.

Senator Baker rose to request that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Baker's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President, I rise in support of SB1096 SD1 HD2 CD1, Relating to On-Bill Programs.

"This administration bill is a priority of the Public Utilities Commission. It exempts electric utilities serving as billing and collection agents in a purely pass-through capacity for on-bill financing and repayment programs from certain state and county taxes and financial regulations.

"This measure would benefit consumers. On-bill programs administered by an electric utility allow customers to purchase a renewable energy system while the utility serves as a billing and collecting agent. Electric utilities that are functioning in this 'pass-through' capacity for on-bill financing and repayment programs are not raising revenue from the monies collected and remitted. Levying revenue-related taxes on them or imposing other financial regulations creates additional costs for the utilities, which could then be passed on to ratepayers. This measure eliminates these additional costs.

"I urge my colleagues to join me in supporting the passage of SB1096 SD1 HD2 CD1."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 6 was adopted and S.B. No. 1096, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ON-BILL PROGRAMS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 7 (H.B. No. 858, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

Senator Baker moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 7 be adopted and H.B. No. 858, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran.

Senator Baker rose to request that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Baker's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President, I rise in strong support of HB858 HD2 SD2 CD1, Relating to Domestic Violence.

"This measure will help protect victims of domestic violence, making it easier for them to leave an abuser. HB858 CD1 permits early termination of a residential rental agreement in cases of domestic violence.

"Feeling safe in your own home is not a reality for victims of domestic violence. Being locked into a lease may prevent a victim from leaving an abuser. Many victims are under the financial control of abusers and may be unable to pay fees or other associated penalties that could come with ending or exciting a rental agreement. These penalties and fees create added barriers to the already difficult task of getting out of an abusive relationship.

"HB858 CD1 enables victims of domestic violence to terminate residential rental agreements and specifies procedures under the residential landlord-tenant code for instances of domestic violence.

"The issue of housing is critical for domestic violence victims. I urge my colleagues to join me in supporting HB858 CD1."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 7 was adopted and H.B. No. 858, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 8 (H.B. No. 1075, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

Senator Green moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 8 be adopted and H.B. No. 1075, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Baker.

Senator Baker rose to request that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Baker's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President, I rise in support of HB1075 HD2 SD2 CD1, Relating to Health.

"This measure authorizes the Hawai'i Health Systems Corporation to negotiate an agreement to partner with a private entity to create and transition to a new non-profit entity to manage, operate and staff the health care facilities of the Maui Region. Those facilities are Maui Memorial Medical Center, Kula Hospital and Lanai Community Hospital. This measure was developed collaboratively and is the culmination of several years of work. It reflects the consensus from the community, administration and legislative leaders that the current operating model does not work and is not sustainable in this current, reimbursement challenged healthcare climate. The bill creates a new operating model to enable Maui Region to maintain and deliver high quality healthcare to our residents and visitors. This bill addresses community concerns about keeping quality

healthcare services on Maui and provides protection for the employees affected by the transfer from public to private employment. Impacts bargaining for the affected employees will be undertaken and jobs will be maintained during the transition. Both Hawaii Pacific Health and Kaiser Permanente Hawaii have expressed interest in partnering with the Maui Region to improve health care in Maui County.

“Maui Memorial Medical Center is an important part of our Maui Community. It delivers top-rated hospital and emergency care to many, including visitors who vacation on Maui. Without a quality hospital, our visitor industry and our economy would suffer. Without MMMC, the people of Maui would have limited options and might have to fly to O‘ahu for acute care services or do without. However, O‘ahu hospitals often operate at capacity and would be negatively impacted if MMMC lost its ability to provide acute and tertiary care service. MMMC plays an important role to the other neighbor islands as well, since patients fly to Maui for trauma, stroke and cardiac care.

“Ranked among the top hospitals in the nation this spring, receiving an ‘A’ grade in the Hospital Safety category, MMMC provides high quality healthcare to its patients. But, Maui Memorial also loses money and operates in deficit, relying on ever-shrinking state subsidies from year to year. Already, MMMC has eliminated in-patient adolescent psychiatric services and has been forced to begin the process to consider cutting additional services in order to keep its doors open. Cutting services vital to the health and safety of our community will create a robust hospital and will negatively impact the quality of life of all of us. Unfortunately, the Executive budget cannot provide the appropriate level of resources to maintain the 24/7 services the Maui Community needs and deserves. This measure gives us hope. It will help to ensure that MMMC will be able to continue to provide essential, vital services to our community.

“I urge my colleagues to join me in supporting this important measure. Mahalo for your aye vote.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 8 was adopted and H.B. No. 1075, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Taniguchi).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 9 (H.B. No. 119, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Chun Oakland, seconded by Senator Riviere and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 9 was adopted and H.B. No. 119, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

RECONSIDERATION OF ACTIONS TAKEN

S.B. No. 218, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on April 16, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 218, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Green and carried.

In accordance with the Conference Committee Procedures agreed upon by the Senate and the House of Representatives, the managers on the part of the Senate recommended that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 218, S.D. 1, on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 2 (Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro). Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Gabbard).

Senator Keith-Agaran then moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 218, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Green.

Senator Keith-Agaran noted:

“The only difference in the House draft was a conforming amendment that they made in another section of the same statute, and they also made the effective date upon its approval.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 218, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 218, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ORDER OF SUCCESSION,” was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Tuesday, May 5, 2015.

At 6:41 p.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 6:43 p.m.

The Chair then made the following announcement:

“Conferees are named in accordance with the action sheets which may be updated later tonight; and the decking deadline for all fiscal bills in conference is 11:30 p.m. tonight.”

APPOINTMENT AND DISCHARGE OF CONFEREES

H.B. No. 321, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

The President appointed Senator Ihara as a manager, discharged Senator Green as chair, and discharged Senator Espero as co-chair and added him as chair on the part of the Senate at the conference to be held for the consideration of amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 321, H.D. 1.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORTS

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom 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 6:44 p.m., the Senate took the following actions:

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 482, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 51) recommending that H.B. No. 482, 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 Hawai‘i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 51 and H.B. No. 482, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 573, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 52) recommending that H.B. No. 573, 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 Hawai‘i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 52 and H.B. No. 573, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII GOOD AGRICULTURAL PRACTICES,” 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 to H.B. No. 850, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 53) recommending that H.B. No. 850, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 53 and H.B. No. 850, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION SERVICE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1332, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 54) recommending that H.B. No. 1332, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 54 and H.B. No. 1332, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IRRIGATION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 10, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 55) recommending that H.B. No. 10, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 55 and H.B. No. 10, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 11, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 56) recommending that H.B. No. 11, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 56 and H.B. No. 11, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHERS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 831, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 57) recommending that H.B. No. 831, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 57 and H.B. No. 831, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 820, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 58) recommending that H.B. No. 820, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 58 and H.B. No. 820, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1140, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 59) recommending that H.B. No. 1140, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 59 and

H.B. No. 1140, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CESSPOOLS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1513, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 60) recommending that H.B. No. 1513, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 60 and H.B. No. 1513, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1394, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 61) recommending that H.B. No. 1394, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 61 and H.B. No. 1394, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER RECLAMATION," 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 to H.B. No. 1214, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 62) recommending that H.B. No. 1214, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 62 and H.B. No. 1214, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE-COUNTY FUNCTIONS WORKING GROUP," 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 to H.B. No. 1432, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 63) recommending that H.B. No. 1432, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 63 and H.B. No. 1432, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE INTERIM ASSISTANCE REIMBURSEMENT SPECIAL FUND," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1180, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 64) recommending that H.B. No. 1180, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 64 and H.B. No. 1180, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 318, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 65) recommending that H.B. No. 318, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 65 and H.B. No. 318, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR

AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS,” 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 to H.B. No. 1153, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 66) recommending that H.B. No. 1153, 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 Hawai‘i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 66 and H.B. No. 1153, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERANS,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 206, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 67) recommending that H.B. No. 206, 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 Hawai‘i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 67 and H.B. No. 206, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN PLANTS,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Shimabukuro, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 207, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 68) recommending that H.B. No. 207, 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 Hawai‘i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 68 and H.B. No. 207, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAINING,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1489, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 69) recommending that H.B. No. 1489, 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 Hawai‘i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 69 and H.B. No. 1489, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL LICENSE PLATES FOR NATIONAL PARKS,” 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 to H.B. No. 1010, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 70) recommending that H.B. No. 1010, 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 Hawai‘i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 70 and H.B. No. 1010, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COMMUTER BENEFITS PROGRAM,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 252, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 71) recommending that H.B. No. 252, 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 Hawai‘i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 71 and H.B. No. 252, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PHARMACY BENEFIT MANAGERS,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Shimabukuro, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 142, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 72) recommending that H.B. No. 142, 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 Hawai‘i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 72 and H.B. No. 142, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING ON HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS,” 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 to H.B. No. 277, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 73) recommending that H.B. No. 277, 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 Hawai‘i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 73 and H.B. No. 277, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INFRASTRUCTURE,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1251, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 74) recommending that H.B. No. 1251, 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 Hawai‘i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 74 and H.B. No. 1251, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Kahele, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 169, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 75) recommending that H.B. No. 169, 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 Hawai‘i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 75 and H.B. No. 169, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1361, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 76) recommending that S.B. No. 1361, 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 Hawai‘i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 76 and S.B. No. 1361, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUDGETING,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 996, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 77) recommending that S.B. No. 996, 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 Hawai‘i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 77 and S.B. No. 996, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHICS,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

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

the House to S.B. No. 1345, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 78) recommending that S.B. No. 1345, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 78 and S.B. No. 1345, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 374, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 79) recommending that S.B. No. 374, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 79 and S.B. No. 374, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DUAL CREDIT PROGRAMS," 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 to S.B. No. 92, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 80) recommending that S.B. No. 92, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 80 and S.B. No. 92, 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 Tokuda, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 104, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 81) recommending that S.B. No. 104, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 81 and S.B. No. 104, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUDGETING," 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 to S.B. No. 105, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 82) recommending that S.B. No. 105, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 82 and S.B. No. 105, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET," 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 to S.B. No. 118, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 83) recommending that S.B. No. 118, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 83 and S.B. No. 118, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT TRUSTS," 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 to S.B. No. 250, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 84) recommending that S.B. No. 250, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 84 and S.B. No. 250, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FEDERAL FUNDS," 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 to S.B. No. 253, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 85) recommending that S.B. No. 253, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 85 and S.B. No. 253, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE DEBT," 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 to S.B. No. 254, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 86) recommending that S.B. No. 254, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 86 and S.B. No. 254, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 854, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 87) recommending that S.B. No. 854, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 87 and S.B. No. 854, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SCHOOL LANDS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 376, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 88) recommending that S.B. No. 376, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 88 and S.B. No. 376, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A FARM TO SCHOOL PROGRAM," 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 to S.B. No. 387, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 89) recommending that S.B. No. 387, S.D. 2, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 89 and S.B. No. 387, S.D. 2, H.D. 3, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFIRMATIVE CONSENT," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 40, S.D. 3, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 90) recommending that S.B. No. 40, S.D. 3, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 90 and S.B. No. 40, S.D. 3, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR

AN ACT RELATING TO LICENSING,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 158, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 91) recommending that S.B. No. 158, 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 Hawai‘i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 91 and S.B. No. 158, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET DOCUMENTS,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1080, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 92) recommending that S.B. No. 1080, 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 Hawai‘i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 92 and S.B. No. 1080, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1081, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 93) recommending that S.B. No. 1081, 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 Hawai‘i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 93 and S.B. No. 1081, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1082, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 94) recommending that S.B. No. 1082, 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 Hawai‘i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 94 and S.B. No. 1082, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 544, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 95) recommending that S.B. No. 544, 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 Hawai‘i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 95 and S.B. No. 544, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NATURAL RESOURCES,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1090, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 96) recommending that S.B. No. 1090, 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 Hawai‘i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 96 and S.B. No. 1090, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR

AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES’ RETIREMENT SYSTEM,” 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 to S.B. No. 661, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 97) recommending that S.B. No. 661, 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 Hawai‘i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 97 and S.B. No. 661, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNMANNED AERIAL SYSTEMS TEST SITES,” 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 to S.B. No. 1158, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 98) recommending that S.B. No. 1158, 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 Hawai‘i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 98 and S.B. No. 1158, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL SPACE CENTER FOR EXPLORATION SYSTEMS SPECIAL FUND,” 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 to S.B. No. 1211, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 99) recommending that S.B. No. 1211, 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 Hawai‘i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 99 and S.B. No. 1211, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MAJOR DISASTER FUND,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 791, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 100) recommending that S.B. No. 791, 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 Hawai‘i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 100 and S.B. No. 791, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDERS,” 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 to H.B. No. 500, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 101) recommending that H.B. No. 500, 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 Hawai‘i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 101 and H.B. No. 500, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 290, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 102) recommending that H.B. No. 290, 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 Hawai‘i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 102 and H.B. No. 290, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY,” 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 to H.B. No. 73, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 103) recommending that H.B. No. 73, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 103 and H.B. No. 73, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE BONDS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Shimabukuro, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 209, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 104) recommending that H.B. No. 209, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 104 and H.B. No. 209, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET OF THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Wakai, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1069, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 105) recommending that H.B. No. 1069, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 105 and H.B. No. 1069, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 241, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 106) recommending that H.B. No. 241, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 106 and H.B. No. 241, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST SEAWATER AIR CONDITIONING PROJECTS ON OAHU," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 242, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 107) recommending that H.B. No. 242, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 107 and H.B. No. 242, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEAWATER AIR CONDITIONING," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Wakai, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1343, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 108) recommending that H.B. No. 1343, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 108 and H.B. No. 1343, 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.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1292, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 109) recommending that H.B. No. 1292, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 109 and H.B. No. 1292, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 174, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 110) recommending that H.B. No. 174, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 110 and H.B. No. 174, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 448, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 111) recommending that H.B. No. 448, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 111 and H.B. No. 448, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 581, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 112) recommending that H.B. No. 581, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 112 and H.B. No. 581, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOSPITAL SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAM," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 943, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 113) recommending that H.B. No. 943, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 113 and H.B. No. 943, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CIVIL MONETARY PENALTY SPECIAL FUND," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 782, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 114) recommending that H.B. No. 782, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 114 and H.B. No. 782, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CYTOMEGALOVIRUS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1440, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 115) recommending that H.B. No. 1440, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 115 and H.B. No. 1440, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 576, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 116) recommending that H.B. No. 576, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 116 and H.B. No. 576, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE AFFORDABLE CARE ACT INNOVATION WAIVER," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1168, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 117) recommending that H.B. No. 1168, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 117 and H.B. No. 1168, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOATING SPECIAL FUND," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1366, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 118) recommending that H.B. No. 1366, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 118 and H.B. No. 1366, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE ACQUISITION OR DEVELOPMENT OF REAL PROPERTY," 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 to H.B. No. 158, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 119) recommending that H.B. No. 158, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 119 and H.B. No. 158, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY OF THE COUNTY OF MAUI," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 832, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 120) recommending that H.B. No. 832, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 120 and H.B. No. 832, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Thielen, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1124, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 121) recommending that S.B. No. 1124, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 121 and S.B. No. 1124, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO USE PERMITS FOR SMALL BOAT HARBORS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1060, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 122) recommending that S.B. No. 1060, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 122 and S.B. No. 1060, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LOANS," 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 to S.B. No. 273, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 123) recommending that S.B. No. 273, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 123 and S.B. No. 273, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IDENTIFICATION CARDS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Kahele, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1009, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 124) recommending that S.B. No. 1009, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 124 and S.B. No. 1009, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SERVICE CHARGES," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Shimabukuro, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1324, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 125) recommending that S.B. No. 1324, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 125 and S.B. No. 1324, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DIVORCE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1028, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 126) recommending that S.B. No. 1028, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 126 and S.B. No. 1028, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH CONNECTOR," 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 to S.B. No. 1297, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf.

Com. Rep. No. 127) recommending that S.B. No. 1297, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 127 and S.B. No. 1297, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISPOSITION OF TAX REVENUES," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Kahele, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 519, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 128) recommending that S.B. No. 519, S.D. 2, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 128 and S.B. No. 519, S.D. 2, H.D. 3, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Wakai, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 892, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 129) recommending that S.B. No. 892, S.D. 2, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 129 and S.B. No. 892, S.D. 2, H.D. 3, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OMNIBUS HAWAII RESILIENCE AND SUSTAINABILITY STRATEGY," 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 to S.B. No. 423, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 130) recommending that S.B. No. 423, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 130 and S.B. No. 423, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO APPROPRIATIONS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU," 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 to S.B. No. 524, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 131) recommending that S.B. No. 524, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 131 and S.B. No. 524, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING A GRANT TO THE HAWAII COUNTY OFFICE OF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY," 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 to S.B. No. 1305, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 132) recommending that S.B. No. 1305, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 132 and S.B. No. 1305, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO THE COUNTY OF KAUAI OFFICE OF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1214, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 133) recommending that S.B. No. 1214, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 133 and S.B. No. 1214, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST HAWAIIAN ELECTRIC COMPANY, INC., MAUI ELECTRIC COMPANY, LIMITED, AND HAWAII ELECTRIC LIGHT COMPANY, INC.," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1050, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 134) recommending that S.B. No. 1050, S.D. 2, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 134 and S.B. No. 1050, S.D. 2, H.D. 3, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 349, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 135) recommending that S.B. No. 349, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 135 and S.B. No. 349, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 359, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 136) recommending that S.B. No. 359, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 136 and S.B. No. 359, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENTAL RESPONSE, ENERGY, AND FOOD SECURITY TAX," 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 to S.B. No. 964, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 137) recommending that S.B. No. 964, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 137 and S.B. No. 964, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGING," 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 to S.B. No. 64, S.D. 3, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 138) recommending that S.B. No. 64, S.D. 3, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 138 and S.B. No. 64, S.D. 3, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Wakai, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1001, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 139) recommending that S.B. No. 1001, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 139 and S.B. No. 1001, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MANUFACTURING," 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 to S.B. No. 504, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 140) recommending that S.B. No. 504, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 140 and S.B. No. 504, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION," 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 to H.B. No. 126, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 141) recommending that H.B. No. 126, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 141 and H.B. No. 126, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT COST ITEMS," 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 to H.B. No. 553, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 142) recommending that H.B. No. 553, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 142 and H.B. No. 553, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 696, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 143) recommending that H.B. No. 696, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 143 and H.B. No. 696, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 697, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 144) recommending that H.B. No. 697, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 144 and H.B. No. 697, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE FACILITIES," 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 to H.B. No. 547, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 145) recommending that H.B. No. 547, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 145 and H.B. No. 547, H.D. 2, 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 to H.B. No. 541, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 146) recommending that H.B. No. 541, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 146 and H.B. No. 541, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TUITION AND FEES SPECIAL FUND," 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 to H.B. No. 540, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 147) recommending that H.B. No. 540, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 147 and H.B. No. 540, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII ACCOUNTING AND FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT SYSTEM," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Wakai, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1296, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 148) recommending that H.B. No. 1296, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 148 and H.B. No. 1296, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1471, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 149) recommending that H.B. No. 1471, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 149 and H.B. No. 1471, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE FUNDING OF GOVERNMENT PROGRAMS," 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 to H.B. No. 1509, H.D. 3, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 150) recommending that H.B. No. 1509, H.D. 3, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 150 and H.B. No. 1509, H.D. 3, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

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

the Senate to H.B. No. 444, H.D. 3, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 151) recommending that H.B. No. 444, H.D. 3, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 151 and H.B. No. 444, H.D. 3, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BEACH PROTECTION," 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 to H.B. No. 830, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 152) recommending that H.B. No. 830, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 152 and H.B. No. 830, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 461, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 153) recommending that H.B. No. 461, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 153 and H.B. No. 461, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF INFORMATION PRACTICES," 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 to S.B. No. 101, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 154) recommending that S.B. No. 101, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 154 and S.B. No. 101, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET," 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 to S.B. No. 1312, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 155) recommending that S.B. No. 1312, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 155 and S.B. No. 1312, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE FUNDS," 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 to S.B. No. 1299, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 156) recommending that S.B. No. 1299, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 156 and S.B. No. 1299, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISPOSITION OF TAX REVENUES," 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 to S.B. No. 1180, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 157) recommending that S.B. No. 1180, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 157 and S.B. No. 1180, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATIONS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 213, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 158) recommending that S.B. No. 213, S.D. 2, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 158 and S.B. No. 213, S.D. 2, H.D. 3, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PENAL CODE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1083, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 159) recommending that S.B. No. 1083, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 159 and S.B. No. 1083, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 654, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 160) recommending that S.B. No. 654, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 160 and S.B. No. 654, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGNS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1072, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 161) recommending that S.B. No. 1072, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 161 and S.B. No. 1072, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1077, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 162) recommending that S.B. No. 1077, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 162 and S.B. No. 1077, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1084, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 163) recommending that S.B. No. 1084, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 163 and S.B. No. 1084, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," 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 to S.B. No. 555, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 164) recommending that S.B. No. 555, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 164 and S.B. No. 555, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX CREDITS," 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 to S.B. No. 160, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 165) recommending that S.B. No. 160, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 165 and S.B. No. 160, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII NON-GENERAL FUNDS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 134, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 166) recommending that H.B. No. 134, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 166 and H.B. No. 134, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Kahele, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 284, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 167) recommending that S.B. No. 284, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 167 and S.B. No. 284, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS TAX," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1078, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 168) recommending that S.B. No. 1078, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 168 and S.B. No. 1078, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1079, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 169) recommending that S.B. No. 1079, 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 Hawai'i, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 169 and S.B. No. 1079, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:00 a.m. midnight, the Senate adjourned until 10:00 a.m., Tuesday, May 5, 2015.

FIFTY-NINTH DAY

Tuesday, May 5, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 10:05 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present.

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

Senator Slom introduced Monica Antony and Sarah Coulson, cousins of Senate Minority Research Office Senior Attorney Tisha Panter, who were visiting from Australia.

Senator English welcomed Ozkur Yildiz, president of the West America Turkic Council; Emrah Erduran, director of the West America Turkic Council in Hawai'i; and Melik Sayin, calligraphy artist, and noted that they would be hosting a reception the following day to promote cultural interaction and business development between Hawai'i and Turkey.

Senator Green introduced Luke Pinnow, for whom S.B. No. 791 was named as "Luke's Law," and his mother, Geri Pinnow, who were present in the gallery to witness the passage of the bill. Senator Green also introduced Anya Maga, for whom H.B. No. 174 was named as "Anya's Law," and her mother, Michelle Pestel-Maga, both of whom were also present to witness the bill's passage.

Senator Keith-Agaran acknowledged the presence of Chief Justice Mark E. Recktenwald of the Supreme Court, State of Hawai'i, in the gallery.

Senator Shimabukuro recognized her friends Gary Slovin and Mike Kido, and their bosses Tiffany and Mihoko.

Senator Tokuda introduced the following staff members of the Committee on Ways and Means who were present in the gallery, and thanked them for their hard work: Calvin Azama, Kendra Oishi, Nora Graham, Erin Conner, Sabrina Nasir, Dina Poma-Barnes, Julie Haruki, Michael Fialkiewicz, Angely Vallarta, Christopher Tu, Lee Leonard, Nic Ayabe, Sarah Beamer, Nazune Menka, and Daniel Pluchinotta.

Senator Kouchi extended additional recognition to Sabrina Nasir for her hard work with him on the capital improvement projects portion of the budget bill.

Senator Nishihara introduced the following members of his staff who were present in the gallery: Priscilla Kubota, office manager; Wayne Nakatsu, legislative assistant; and Amanda Ehe, committee clerk.

Senator Shimabukuro welcomed former State Representative Karen Awana, who was seated in the gallery.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 237 and 1122 to 1128) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 237, letter dated May 1, 2015, transmitting a proposed conference draft (C.D. 1) amending S.B. No. 1083 S.D. 1, H.D. 1, to fund the supplemental agreement concerning Collective Bargaining Unit 8 Employer-Union Trust Fund contributions.

Gov. Msg. No. 1122, informing the Senate that on May 1, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1212, S.D. 1 as Act 22, entitled: "RELATING TO AMENDING OR REPEALING VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF HAWAII TAX

LAWS FOR THE PURPOSE OF DELETING OBSOLETE OR UNNECESSARY PROVISIONS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1123, informing the Senate that on May 1, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1134 as Act 23, entitled: "RELATING TO THE ESTATE AND GENERATION-SKIPPING TRANSFER TAXES."

Gov. Msg. No. 1124, informing the Senate that on May 1, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1141, S.D. 1 as Act 24, entitled: "RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION."

Gov. Msg. No. 1125, informing the Senate that on May 1, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1118, S.D. 1 as Act 25, entitled: "MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR HAZARD EVALUATION AND EMERGENCY RESPONSE PREPAREDNESS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1126, informing the Senate that on May 1, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1098, S.D. 1 as Act 26, entitled: "RELATING TO LIBRARIES."

Gov. Msg. No. 1127, informing the Senate that on May 1, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 729 as Act 27, entitled: "RELATING TO ADVANCED PRACTICE REGISTERED NURSES."

Gov. Msg. No. 1128, informing the Senate that on May 1, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 114, S.D. 1 as Act 28, entitled: "RELATING TO DENTISTRY."

DEPARTMENTAL COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications (Dept. Com. Nos. 88 to 90) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Dept. Com. No. 88, from the Office of the Auditor dated April 27, 2015, transmitting the Fiscal Year 2014 Financial Statement Audit Reports for the Department of Accounting and General Services, State Parking Revolving Fund; and the State of Hawai'i, Single Audit of Federal Finance Assistance Programs, pursuant to Article VII, Section 10, Hawai'i State Constitution, and as authorized by Chapter 23, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 89, from the Elections Commission dated April 9, 2015, transmitting the Biennial Report to the Legislature on the Office of Elections pursuant to Act 57, SLH 2004.

Dept. Com. No. 90, from the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands dated April 24, 2015, transmitting Resolution Number 281, which was adopted by the Hawaiian Homes Commission on April 20, 2015.

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the House (Hse. Com. Nos. 653 to 677) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Hse. Com. No. 653, informing the Senate that on May 1, 2015, the House reconsidered its action taken on April 10, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 140, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1).

Hse. Com. No. 654, informing the Senate that on May 1, 2015, the House reconsidered its action taken on April 16, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the Senate to the following House bills:

H.B. No. 139, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2); and
H.B. No. 821, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1).

Hse. Com. No. 655, informing the Senate that on May 1, 2015, the House agreed to the amendments proposed by the Senate and passed the following House bills on Final Reading:

H.B. No. 393, H.D. 2, S.D. 2;
H.B. No. 770, H.D. 1, S.D. 1; and
H.B. No. 1349, H.D. 2, S.D. 1.

Hse. Com. No. 656, informing the Senate that on May 1, 2015, the following bills passed Final Reading in the House of Representatives:

H.B. No. 119, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 287, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 858, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 1075, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
S.B. No. 419, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
S.B. No. 878, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
S.B. No. 1049, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1; and
S.B. No. 1096, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1.

Hse. Com. No. 657, returning S.C.R. No. 2, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on May 1, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 658, returning S.C.R. No. 8, S.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on May 1, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 659, returning S.C.R. No. 9, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on May 1, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 660, returning S.C.R. No. 10, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on May 1, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 661, returning S.C.R. No. 11, S.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on May 1, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 662, returning S.C.R. No. 12, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on May 1, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 663, returning S.C.R. No. 14, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on May 1, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 664, returning S.C.R. No. 15, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on May 1, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 665, returning S.C.R. No. 16, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on May 1, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 666, returning S.C.R. No. 17, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on May 1, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 667, returning S.C.R. No. 24, S.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on May 1, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 668, returning S.C.R. No. 25, S.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on May 1, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 669, returning S.C.R. No. 55, S.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on May 1, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 670, returning S.C.R. No. 62, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on May 1, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 671, returning S.C.R. No. 82, S.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on May 1, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 672, returning S.C.R. No. 88, S.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on May 1, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 673, returning S.C.R. No. 97, S.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on May 1, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 674, returning S.C.R. No. 162, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on May 1, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 675, returning S.C.R. No. 165, S.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on May 1, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 676, returning S.C.R. No. 185, S.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on May 1, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 677, returning S.C.R. No. 201, S.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on May 1, 2015.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

At this time, the Chair stated:

"Members, the 2015 Joint Conference Procedures specified that all conference committee reports for fiscal measures were to be filed by 11:30 p.m. on Friday, May 1, 2015. On Friday night, the Speaker and I extended the deadline to complete negotiations for H.B. No. 321, H.D. 1, S.D. 2 to 2:00 p.m. on Monday, May 4. The Speaker and I also extended the deadline to file the committee report for this measure to 5:00 p.m. on Monday.

"The conference committee report and accompanying draft on our Order of the Day today for 48-hour notice are the result of these extended negotiations."

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 321, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 170) recommending that H.B. No. 321, 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. 170 and H.B. No. 321, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL MARIJUANA," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

ORDER OF THE DAY

FINAL READING

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 101 (H.B. No. 500, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1):

Senator Tokuda moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 101 be adopted and H.B. No. 500, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

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

"Thank you. Before I begin, I would like to take this opportunity to once again thank our amazing 'WAMily,' who made the budget before us and the bills we'll be voting on the best they could possibly be. On so many occasions, from long meetings to late nights, weekend work sessions, and nonexistent holidays, our WAM team was always 110 percent committed to doing what was right for the people of our state and representing the Senate well. I find myself constantly humbled by their dedication, and today's vote is a bit bittersweet of a celebration in that it marks the culmination of our work together but also signals the ending of our legislative session. While our remaining days and hours are limited, I have no doubt I'll be hearing about many good things from each and every one of them in the days, months, weeks, and years ahead.

"I would also like to thank my vice chair, Senator Ron Kouchi, for his steadfast support and dedication to preparing a fair and balanced CIP budget. The task of making difficult decisions amidst limited resources is never easy, and I truly appreciate the thoughtfulness with which he approached the various requests that came before our committee and our ability to communicate and work together to effectuate the kind of fiscal policy changes we envisioned for this session.

"This year, we also sought to better engage our committee members in the work of the committee, especially during

conference, and a great deal of thanks goes out to each and every one of them for their commitment and active participation.

"I'd also like to thank my counterpart in the House, Chair Luke, and her outstanding staff. I have learned much from her this past session, and our ability to work well together has resulted in a solid budget based on good fiscal policy.

"The budget before us is fiscally responsible and, similar to the goals we set forth in the Senate draft, allows us to reach our target of positive revenues over expenditures by the end of the fiscal biennium, an improvement from prior to the start of session. And as a result of carefully scrutinizing and considering every sequence, we have approved less than what was requested by the administration in both fiscal years '16 and '17, reducing total adds in all funds to the operating budget.

"A concept that was developed in our Senate draft of the budget and was adopted in our conference draft was the consolidation of information technology and business modernization projects under the office of the chief information officer. By breaking down the silos that exist among our departments in the procuring of these systems, we hope to achieve both operational and fiscal efficiencies, as well as ensure better oversight and management controls.

"We implemented consolidation efforts in other areas of the budget as well, making a conscious decision to combine office move costs for various divisions into single appropriations to their department's administration program ID to take advantage of economies of scale and bulk purchasing.

"The budget before us also works in concert with a number of measures we'll be considering that help to shape and dictate the prudent fiscal policy we were seeking to achieve in order to provide us with the sustained resources necessary to support important legislative priorities ranging from public health, education, and natural resource protection. One such example that is also a carryover concept from our Senate draft is our efforts to change the means of financing for various positions and programs in order to both increase oversight and transparency, and better manage costs in order to sustain important services.

"For the last few years, we have struggled to find a way to support the Environmental Response Revolving Fund. What was clear was that increased taxation was not the answer, both in the short and the long term. Working with the department, protecting what was important in terms of essential services and warm bodies, making tough decisions and reducing position counts and narrowing their statutory function, looking at a balance of both general and special funds: This has proven to be the best path forward for ERRF, and as a result of the enthusiastic response we have received from some of the departments that manage large special funds, our conference budget reflects a careful interplay between corresponding bills to begin the process of considering the most appropriate means of financing and level of fiscal autonomy in an effort to increase transparency, oversight, and adequate resources for important programs and services.

"From the cigarette tax to the Tobacco Master Settlement to the conveyance tax, working closely with your departments, your committee's top priorities were protecting warm bodies and preserving essential functions while looking to establish better fiscal management policies that will ultimately help us to sustain resources and ensure the delivery of services going forward. From instituting caps to converting positions and programs to general funds, these kinds of fiscal approaches have been recommended over the years as a result of auditor comments as to the questionable nexus of certain non-general funds as well as the recent attorney general opinion in regard to

transfers between such funds, and they provided us with a thoughtful way to provide adequate resources to the departments while also increasing transparency and oversight through the management of positions and funds.

"Maintaining a very disciplined approach to budgeting, our budget makes clear what can and cannot be afforded, based upon the existing obligations and commitments of our state. By reviewing, considering, questioning, and taking innovative and fiscally sound approaches to the myriad of requests put before us, we were able to not only produce a budget that comes in below the administrative request, but also provides for a constitutionally mandated deposit of \$10 million into the emergency Rainy Day Fund.

"We also are acutely aware of the regressive nature of the GET, and we will be able to provide some form of relief for our working men, women, and families through the passage of S.B. 555, which restructures and increases the food tax credit.

"Showing fiscal restraint and tightening our budget has also allowed us to make targeted investments that will result in job creation and economic development through a number of measures. From a \$2 million infusion into the Small Business Innovation Research grants and loans phase II and III program to the development of a \$2 million manufacturing development grant program through the High Technology Development Corporation, as well as a reinvestment of \$2 million into the Agricultural Loan Revolving Fund to support local farmers and food production – these are just a few of the different ways that we have been able to support and grow our local economy.

"Resiliency and sustainability was a legislative priority for your Senate Majority, and we were also able to make focused investments in our state's infrastructure to ensure our preparedness, not only in times of disaster, but to enable our state to thrive in a global and digital economy.

"In addition, we recognize that investing wisely requires investing in our human resources. We have supported services to our kūpuna by providing an additional \$3 million and have been able to continue our support for struggling working families by providing \$6 million in subsidies for the child care school readiness program administered by the Department of Human Services.

"Overall, our prudent actions in our budget have set the stage well for us to be able to move forward in this biennium with targeted investments and support for our residents, local businesses, and our natural resources. We are proud of the work of our committees and our staff, and all that we have done, and I humbly ask for your support of this measure."

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

"It's never easy to oppose anything, particularly an omnibus budget bill that contains so many things, many of which are very good. And I, too, acknowledge and support the good work of the staff and everybody who's been involved in the budgetary process. But the fact of the matter is, we're not doing our job for the taxpayers. You know, after we pass a budget or we have an appropriations bill, people come up to us and they thank us for giving them the money. But in fact, we don't give them any money at all; the only money that we have in this state government is money that we've taken from the people of this state.

"The people of this state, since 2008, continue to struggle economically. We have not had an overall improvement in the economy. The budget, in fact, does not do anything to improve the overall business climate, particularly for small businesses – small, independent businesses. And we know by every rating organization in the United States – every time they put out a

rating of economic vitality, economic opportunity, economic vision, and so forth – the State of Hawai‘i is number 49 or number 50. That’s not me saying that; that’s all of these other organizations. You can discount them if you want, but that happens to be the perception, and that perception is reality.

“So what we have done in this budget is spent more money. We’re talking about a two-year budget of \$26 billion. We’re talking about a CIP budget. We’re talking about a budget for the judiciary. We’re talking about a budget for OHA. We’re talking about grants-in-aid, and we are talking about additional specific appropriation bills, some of which we’re going to be voting on in a few minutes. So when the statement is made that the budget is below the asks of the governor, that’s true, technically, but if we take all of the amounts of money, we find that some of those appear in specific and separate appropriations bills. I understand, recently, this comes as a shock and a new understanding for several members of this state legislature; they don’t seem to get as excited about monetary policies and budgetary constraints.

“And while the budget is more transparent, and while I applaud the effort not to have new taxes – other than the extension of the rail tax – and also, to consolidate and abolish a number of special funds, which I have been railing against for 18 years, we still are faced with a situation that is going to have more cost, more debt, more new state employees, more new state programs and offices – in other words, more cost.

“The Senate Minority has done an alternative budget for the last six years. We’ve been fully transparent with that. We ask people to look at it: It’s online; it’s been distributed in printed materials. At no step of the way were the figures that we used or the conclusions we came to found to be incorrect. It is a difference in philosophy and ideology, and our ideology remains: We cannot, we must not, keep expanding the scope of government and the costs thereto because it falls to a narrower and narrower base of taxpayers.

“Yes, we have done things for the poorest among us, and that’s a positive thing. Yes, we have done things for some of the kūpuna and the elderly among us. And yet, overall, it is the middle class which continues to be squeezed, which continues to have a difficult time to make a living – not only the middle class, but also their families, their children. We continue to hear their cries, but we haven’t done anything about it. All we continue to do is slap ourselves on the back and say, ‘Good job,’ and raise the cost even more.

“We have said that the general fund reserves are unsustainable, that in fact, we don’t have a truly balanced budget, that we have deficits looming. Because of a surplus last year, we’ve pushed that deficit position back to 2020. We have kicked the can down the road, but at some point, the road rises up to meet us. We do not have the tools to improve the business climate that people in the business climate have told us are necessary. We can turn this economy around; we can make additional opportunities, but it doesn’t come from taxes, and it doesn’t come from subsidies. It comes from a greater economic base and from more people wanting to come here, stay here, grow here, work here, and create the opportunities that all of us need and benefit from.

“So, as I say, reluctantly, I vote against the budget even though there are many good things in this budget. But it is the travel that we are taking, the road that we are taking – ever increasing the cost, ever increasing the balance and the burden on those that we say we care the most about, our keiki. We’re leaving them with bigger debts and financial crises. We cannot continue to ignore this. We cannot continue to do what we’re doing the way we’ve done it and expect any different results. At some point, we’re going to have to pay the piper.

“I say this, again, and repeat that I am optimistic and bullish on the future of Hawai‘i. We have many good people within this state. We have many opportunities, and we have many people who want to come here to do business, but they don’t. And we have many people who are leaving the state and leaving the business – not the drug addicts, not the people on welfare, but people who know how to create businesses and jobs and opportunities and, yes, tax welfare and revenues for the state. So, humbly, I ask you to reconsider and to consider the overall impact of bigger government with a population of 1.4 million. Thank you, Madam President.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 101 was adopted and H.B. No. 500, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

ADVISE AND CONSENT

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1711 (Gov. Msg. No. 796):

Senator Chun Oakland moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1711 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Green and carried.

Senator Chun Oakland then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of JASON ESPERO to the Board of Directors of the Hawai‘i Public Housing Authority, term to expire June 30, 2019, seconded by Senator Green.

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1712 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 795, 797, 798, 799 and 800):

Senator Chun Oakland moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1712 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Green and carried.

Senator Chun Oakland then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Directors of the Hawai‘i Public Housing Authority of the following:

ALENA MEDEIROS, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 795);

LAURA SMITH, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 797);

LISA A. DARCY, term to expire June 30, 2016 (Gov. Msg. No. 798);

NANCY CABRAL, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 799); and

PONO D. SHIM, term to expire June 30, 2019 (Gov. Msg. No. 800),

seconded by Senator Green.

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1713 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 825, 826, 827, 828 and 829):

Senator Kahele moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1713 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator English and carried.

Senator Kahele then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Tourism Authority of the following:

CRAIG NAKAMURA, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 825);

FRED ATKINS, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 826);

GERALD L. DE MELLO, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 827);

RODNEY G. K. KAM, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 828); and

SEAN DEE, term to expire June 30, 2018 (Gov. Msg. No. 829),

seconded by Senator English.

Senator Kahele rose to introduce gubernatorial nominee Sean Dee, who was present in the gallery with Max Sword of Outrigger Enterprises.

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

At this time, Senator Chun Oakland recognized newly confirmed members of the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Public Housing Authority: Jason Espero, who was accompanied in the gallery by his grandparents, mother, and sister Tiana; and Alena "Nani" Medeiros, who was present in the gallery with her father, Albert, and her sister, Dyan.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1714 (Jud. Com. No. 7):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1714 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried.

Senator Keith-Agaran then moved that the Senate consent to the nomination of DYAN M. MEDEIROS to the District Family Court of the First Circuit, term to expire in 6 years, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro.

Senator Keith-Agaran rose to speak in strong support of the nominee as follows:

"Ms. Medeiros was born and raised in Hawai'i, attended 'Iolani School and later the University of Hawai'i. She received a Regent Scholarship all four years as an undergraduate and graduated Phi Beta Kappa. She then proceeded directly to the William S. Richardson School of Law, where she was a Dean's Scholar.

"For the past 17 years, Ms. Medeiros has practiced exclusively in the area of family law and has developed extensive practical experience in divorce, abuse, and paternity cases. She's a recognized expert in property division of complex assets. She has litigated numerous judgments and negotiated even more numerous settlements. She has developed a reputation among her peers for intelligence, expertise, and fairness in a field of law that, to say the least, does not often lend itself to collegial praise.

"The Committee on Judiciary and Labor received unanimous testimony in support of her nomination, including praise from several former courtroom adversaries. In addition to her law practice, Dyan Medeiros is a former chair of the Family Law Section of the Hawaii State Bar Association. In recent years, she's been appointed frequently by the Family Court to serve as a volunteer settlement master for high-conflict, multi-issue cases. For nearly two decades, she has also volunteered her time

and talents through programs organized by Volunteer Legal Services Hawai'i.

"And as some of you may know, she has provided valuable testimony and detailed recommendations on a variety of measures in recent sessions to members of both the House and the Senate. Insofar as judges are not usually permitted to express opinions on matters before the Legislature, her wise and practical advice will be missed. But our loss is the judiciary's gain. As one of her colleagues has noted, 'Ms. Medeiros has been particularly effective because of her calm and caring demeanor, her patience, her attention to detail, her reasoned guidance, and most importantly, her fairness.' I have little doubt that these skills and qualities will transfer seamlessly to the bench. Madam President, I urge my colleagues to vote in favor of the appointment of Dyan Medeiros to the Family Court of the First Circuit."

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

At this time, Senator Keith-Agaran introduced Judge Dyan Medeiros and her supporters in the gallery, including her father, Albert; her sister, Nani; several aunts and uncles; law partners Chuck Kleintop and Tim Luria; and other colleagues from her law firm.

At 10:35 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 10:42 a.m.

FINAL READING

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 10 (H.B. No. 1090, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator Baker and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 10 was adopted and H.B. No. 1090, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENTS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 12 (S.B. No. 17, H.D. 2, C.D. 1):

Senator Baker moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 12 be adopted and S.B. No. 17, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Baker requested that remarks in strong support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Baker's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President, I rise in support of SB17 HD2 CD1, 'A Bill for an Act Relating to Real Estate Seller Disclosure.'

"This measure clarifies the required disclosure of documents by a seller for residential real property that is subject to restrictions or conditions on use.

"Currently, an unknowing seller, acting in good faith, could be held liable for failing to disclose information that he or she does not know and could not reasonably have known because it was unrecorded.

"This measure clarifies that the required disclosure of documents by a seller of residential real property applies to documents relating to restrictions or conditions within a seller's knowledge or control, consistent with and subject to the seller's

duty of good faith under section 508D-9, Hawai'i Revised Statutes.

"As the Hawaii Realtors Association testified, this measure still ensures consumer protection. Buyers would still be entitled to request information related to unrecorded rules or guidelines within the sellers' knowledge or control. This measure adds necessary protections for the sellers of real property and ensures buyers remain protected as well.

"I urge my colleagues to join me in voting 'yes' on this measure."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 12 was adopted and S.B. No. 17, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL ESTATE SELLER DISCLOSURE," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 13 (S.B. No. 1094, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 13 was adopted and S.B. No. 1094, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 15 (S.B. No. 868, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Baker and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 15 was adopted and S.B. No. 868, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUOR COMMISSIONS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 16 (H.B. No. 261, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Baker and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 16 was adopted and H.B. No. 261, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 18 (S.B. No. 464, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1):

Senator Baker moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 18 be adopted and S.B. No. 464, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Baker requested that remarks in strong support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Baker's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President, I rise in support of SB464 SD1 HD2 CD1, 'A Bill for an Act Relating to Consumer Protection.'

"This measure enhances the regulation of automatic renewal and continuous service clauses and ensures adequate safeguards for Hawai'i consumers subject to these clauses. It requires:

- Clear and conspicuous disclosure of a continuous service clause for a product or service and the procedure for cancellation;
- That persons charging a consumer's credit or debit card or account for an automatic renewal or a continuous service obtain affirmative consent from the consumer and an acknowledgment of the terms;
- That free trial offers clearly disclose the right of the consumer to cancel before payment is made; and
- That consumers are notified of any change to the terms of an automatic renewal contract.

"This is an important consumer protection measure. As the Department of Consumer Affairs Office of Consumer Protection testified, clear disclosure of all terms and conditions in a consumer contract is a fundamental tenet of consumer protection law. Businesses should not be allowed to impose binding contractual language without the knowledge of the consumer, and no consumer should be laden with a legal obligation that he or she does not understand or affirmatively accept.

"I urge my colleagues to join me in voting 'yes' on this measure."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 18 was adopted and S.B. No. 464, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 19 (S.B. No. 1316, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Gabbard, seconded by Senator Baker and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 19 was adopted and S.B. No. 1316, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRIC VEHICLES," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 20 (S.B. No. 971, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Chun Oakland, seconded by Senator Riviere and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 20 was adopted and S.B. No. 971, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 23 (H.B. No. 179, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 23 was adopted and H.B. No. 179, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERMANENT ABSENTEE BALLOTS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 24 (S.B. No. 508, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 24 was adopted and S.B. No. 508, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN FINANCE,"

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 27 (S.B. No. 717, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

Senator Gabbard moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 27 be adopted and S.B. No. 717, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Baker.

Senator Baker requested that remarks in strong support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Baker's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President, I rise in support of SB717 SD2 HD1 CD1, 'A Bill for an Act Relating to Ethanol.'

"This measure repeals the requirement that gasoline sold in the State for use in motor vehicles include ten percent ethanol. It also increases the membership of the Petroleum Advisory Council to include a representative of the biofuel industry and the biotechnology industry, and requires the council to study the impacts of Hawaii's ethanol requirement and report to the Legislature.

"Since 2006, Hawai'i has required that gasoline sold in the State include ten percent ethanol. Although ethanol has reduced the consumption of petroleum products in the transportation sector, the ethanol has been imported and not produced locally despite the availability of production tax credits. Even though dozens of biomass, biodiesel, and ethanol facilities have been proposed for Hawai'i, no ethanol plants currently exist in the State.

"The requirement of blending ethanol into Hawaii's gasoline does not produce any economic benefit for the State, and the import of ethanol creates an economic burden for state residents. Repealing the ethanol requirement will ensure any added costs associated with ethanol blending will not affect gasoline price and supply.

"I urge my colleagues to join me in supporting SB717 SD2 HD1 CD1."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 27 was adopted and S.B. No. 717, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHANOL," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 28 (S.B. No. 831, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Kidani, seconded by Senator Harimoto and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 28 was adopted and S.B. No. 831, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 29 (S.B. No. 871, S.D. 1, H.D. 3, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator English and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 29 was adopted and S.B. No. 871, S.D. 1, H.D. 3, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 30 (S.B. No. 223, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 30 was adopted and S.B. No. 223, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC GUARDIAN," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 31 (S.B. No. 756, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1):

Senator Baker moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 31 be adopted and S.B. No. 756, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Baker requested that remarks in strong support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Baker's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President, I rise in support of SB 756 SD1 HD2 CD1, 'Relating to the Secure and Fair Enforcement for Mortgage Licensing Act.'

"This measure establishes a mortgage licensee exemption for a seller of real property who offers or negotiates terms of a residential mortgage loan, agreement of sale, purchase money mortgage, rent-to-own agreement, or other loan that is secured by the seller's own real property and for which the seller is the mortgagee.

"Owner financing is a useful tool in the credit market. This measure can expand the pool of potential buyers for owners and give buyers an opportunity to make a purchase that may otherwise have been out of reach. Seller financing can also assist in intra-family transactions and transfers of property.

"Last year, Act 198 was passed into law and it inadvertently removed exemptions that allowed non-licensed property owners to provide owner financing to family members or other purchasers of their own property. This measure will put those exemptions back into place.

"Colleagues, please join me in supporting SB756 CD1."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 31 was adopted and S.B. No. 756, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SECURE AND FAIR ENFORCEMENT FOR MORTGAGE LICENSING ACT," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 32 (H.B. No. 436, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Nishihara, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 32 was adopted and H.B. No. 436, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY VEHICLES," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 33 (H.B. No. 1273, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Ruderman, seconded by Senator Gabbard and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 33 was adopted and H.B. No. 1273, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY," having

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 35 (H.B. No. 894, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 35 was adopted and H.B. No. 894, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENHANCED 911 BOARD," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 36 (H.B. No. 1268, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Inouye and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 36 was adopted and H.B. No. 1268, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 37 (H.B. No. 707, S.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator English and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 37 was adopted and H.B. No. 707, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NON-GENERAL FUNDS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 38 (H.B. No. 15, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Gabbard and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 38 was adopted and H.B. No. 15, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 39 (S.B. No. 1131, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 39 was adopted and S.B. No. 1131, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 40 (S.B. No. 265, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 40 was adopted and S.B. No. 265, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEX TRAFFICKING," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 41 (S.B. No. 181, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Kidani and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 41 was adopted and S.B. No. 181, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN

ACT RELATING TO VETERANS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 42 (H.B. No. 26, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 42 was adopted and H.B. No. 26, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COMPENSATION OF TRUSTEES," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 48 (S.B. No. 1113, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Chun Oakland and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 48 was adopted and S.B. No. 1113, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BACKGROUND CHECKS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 55 (H.B. No. 10, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Kidani, seconded by Senator Harimoto and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 55 was adopted and H.B. No. 10, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 57 (H.B. No. 831, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Kidani, seconded by Senator Harimoto and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 57 was adopted and H.B. No. 831, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 59 (H.B. No. 1140, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Gabbard, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 59 was adopted and H.B. No. 1140, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CESSPOOLS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 64 (H.B. No. 1180, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Dela Cruz, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 64 was adopted and H.B. No. 1180, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 65 (H.B. No. 318, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Dela Cruz, seconded by Senator Harimoto and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 65 was adopted and

H.B. No. 318, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 66 (H.B. No. 1153, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Nishihara and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 66 was adopted and H.B. No. 1153, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERANS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 67 (H.B. No. 206, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Dela Cruz, seconded by Senator Galuteria and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 67 was adopted and H.B. No. 206, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN PLANTS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 68 (H.B. No. 207, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Shimabukuro, seconded by Senator Dela Cruz and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 68 was adopted and H.B. No. 207, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAINING," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 69 (H.B. No. 1489, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Nishihara, seconded by Senator English and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 69 was adopted and H.B. No. 1489, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL LICENSE PLATES FOR NATIONAL PARKS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 71 (H.B. No. 252, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Baker and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 71 was adopted and H.B. No. 252, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PHARMACY BENEFIT MANAGERS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 72 (H.B. No. 142, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Shimabukuro, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 72 was adopted and H.B. No. 142, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING ON HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 73 (H.B. No. 277, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Chun Oakland, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 73 was adopted and

H.B. No. 277, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INFRASTRUCTURE," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 74 (H.B. No. 1251, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Kidani, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 74 was adopted and H.B. No. 1251, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 80 (S.B. No. 92, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Dela Cruz and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 80 was adopted and S.B. No. 92, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 82 (S.B. No. 105, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 82 was adopted and S.B. No. 105, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 86 (S.B. No. 254, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 86 was adopted and S.B. No. 254, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 87 (S.B. No. 854, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Kidani, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 87 was adopted and S.B. No. 854, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SCHOOL LANDS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 89 (S.B. No. 387, S.D. 2, H.D. 3, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Taniguchi, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 89 was adopted and S.B. No. 387, S.D. 2, H.D. 3, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFIRMATIVE CONSENT," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 91 (S.B. No. 158, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 91 was adopted and S.B. No. 158, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR

AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET DOCUMENTS,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 96 (S.B. No. 1090, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 96 was adopted and S.B. No. 1090, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES’ RETIREMENT SYSTEM,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 109 (H.B. No. 1292, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Dela Cruz, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 109 was adopted and H.B. No. 1292, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 111 (H.B. No. 448, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 111 was adopted and H.B. No. 448, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 114 (H.B. No. 782, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Inouye and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 114 was adopted and H.B. No. 782, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CYTOMEGALOVIRUS,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 116 (H.B. No. 576, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Baker, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 116 was adopted and H.B. No. 576, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE AFFORDABLE CARE ACT INNOVATION WAIVER,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 117 (H.B. No. 1168, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Thielen, seconded by Senator Riviere and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 117 was adopted and H.B. No. 1168, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOATING SPECIAL FUND,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 120 (H.B. No. 832, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Kidani, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 120 was adopted and H.B. No. 832, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 121 (S.B. No. 1124, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Thielen, seconded by Senator Galuteria and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 121 was adopted and S.B. No. 1124, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO USE PERMITS FOR SMALL BOAT HARBORS,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 122 (S.B. No. 1060, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Ruderman, seconded by Senator Riviere and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 122 was adopted and S.B. No. 1060, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LOANS,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 124 (S.B. No. 1009, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Kahele, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 124 was adopted and S.B. No. 1009, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SERVICE CHARGES,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 125 (S.B. No. 1324, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Shimabukuro, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 125 was adopted and S.B. No. 1324, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DIVORCE,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 127 (S.B. No. 1297, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 127 was adopted and S.B. No. 1297, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISPOSITION OF TAX REVENUES,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 134 (S.B. No. 1050, S.D. 2, H.D. 3, C.D. 1):

Senator Gabbard moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 134 be adopted and S.B. No. 1050, S.D. 2, H.D. 3, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Baker.

Senator Gabbard requested that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Gabbard's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President, I rise in strong support of S.B. 1050, S.D. 2, H.D. 3, C.D. 1.

"Colleagues, this bill would direct our electric utilities to file an application with the PUC by October 1, 2015, to establish a community-based renewables program. The basic concept is that people will be able to hui up, find a piece of land, and purchase or lease however many PV panels they want and then get a credit on their electricity bill for the energy they produce. By the way, this can also apply to wind energy systems. The fact is that 40 percent of our state's residents can't benefit from PV because they're renters; then you add in all the folks who don't have roof space and those who live in shaded areas.

"This bill was definitely a compromise between clean energy advocates, the PUC, DBEDT, and our utilities. This bill ensures everyone can benefit and participate in the program, that it's available to both small and larger projects, and that we get this thing in place sooner than later.

"Community-based renewables makes a lot of sense for both our state and the other states of our nation. The Solar Energy Power Association reports that there are at least 58 community renewables programs in 22 states. Colorado and Massachusetts are leading the pack in terms of community solar markets, so if we get on board soon, I don't think it will be that difficult for us to surge ahead given our strong energy goals and solar resources. Please join me in supporting S.B. 1050. Mahalo."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 134 was adopted and S.B. No. 1050, S.D. 2, H.D. 3, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 135 (S.B. No. 349, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1):

Senator Gabbard moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 135 be adopted and S.B. No. 349, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Tokuda.

Senator Gabbard requested that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Gabbard's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President, I rise in strong support of S.B. 349, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1.

"Colleagues, today we are passing H.B. 623, which will set a target of reaching 100 percent renewable energy as it applies to our electricity production by 2045. This is a great accomplishment. However, S.B. 349 brings into focus another part of the clean energy equation because it will provide a tax credit for the production of renewable fuels, such as methanol, hydrogen, biodiesel, and biogas, at a local facility. And that is our transportation sector. Right now, the fuel for our cars, ships, and planes makes up two-thirds of the amount of petroleum that we use each year. In 2014 alone, cars and trucks went through almost 500 million gallons of gasoline and diesel.

"So, it makes a lot of sense for us to scrap the existing tax credit for ethanol that never was used and to expand that to other renewable fuels companies that can take advantage of this incentive to produce biofuels. These renewable fuels can be

made from feedstocks, such as algae, jatropha, palm oil, solid waste, and used cooking oil. Renewable fuels can also provide electricity for our homes and businesses. And their production will mean a big investment in our economy and the creation of many jobs.

"This is a good bill that sets us on the path of truly becoming sustainable for all our energy needs! I ask you to join me in supporting this important bill. Mahalo."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 135 was adopted and S.B. No. 349, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 143 (H.B. No. 696, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 143 was adopted and H.B. No. 696, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 146 (H.B. No. 541, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Taniguchi, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 146 was adopted and H.B. No. 541, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TUITION AND FEES SPECIAL FUND," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 147 (H.B. No. 540, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Taniguchi, seconded by Senator Inouye and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 147 was adopted and H.B. No. 540, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII ACCOUNTING AND FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT SYSTEM," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 148 (H.B. No. 1296, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator Gabbard and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 148 was adopted and H.B. No. 1296, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 165 (S.B. No. 160, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Taniguchi, seconded by Senator Inouye and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 165 was adopted and S.B. No. 160, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII NON-GENERAL FUNDS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 11 (H.B. No. 623, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

Senator Gabbard moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 11 be adopted and H.B. No. 623, H.D. 2, S.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 as follows:

“While I certainly have supported the Clean Energy Initiative, I don’t think that the renewable standards and the dates here are achievable and reliable. And in addition to that, I see that we continue our all-out assault on fossil fuels before we have adequate substitutes. Thank you.”

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

“Colleagues, our state is spending \$3 billion to \$5 billion dollars annually on importing dirty fossil fuels, which is not good for the environment, our future sustainability, or our pocketbooks. Our islands are blessed with abundant renewable energy provided to us by ke Akua. We should be using these resources for the benefit of our people and ‘āina. H.B. 623 will raise the state’s clean energy goals to 100 percent by 2045. This would be the first law in the nation; by moving forward, we can be the model for other states and even nations to follow.

“And by the way, this is not fantasyland; if we’re able to pull this off – and it’s clear that this is doable – we’ll achieve the biggest energy turnaround in the country, going from 90 percent dependence on fossil fuels to 100 percent clean energy. Although I don’t plan to be in office in 2045, as my body will be 97, I am marking my calendar to come to the Capitol and roll my wheelchair to the rotunda to celebrate with whoever the governor is at that time that we will have reached our 100 percent goal.

“So to give you an idea of what’s happening around the world on this issue, Scotland is on track to achieve its mandated target of 100 percent renewable power by 2020, and already last year generated the equivalent of 98 percent of household electricity demand with local renewable sources. Denmark, by federal law, must reach 100 percent renewable energy in all sectors by 2050. Several cities and counties on the mainland are committed to procuring 100 percent renewable energy within the next decade, including Marin County, San Francisco, Lancaster, and Palo Alto in California; Georgetown, Texas; and East Hampton, New York. Burlington, Vermont, has already reached 100 percent renewable electricity procurement from local sources, and Greensburg, Kansas, already exports a surplus of renewable power to neighboring towns.

“Islands are widely viewed as compelling test beds to renewable energy industries, investors, and advocates, and our state is no exception. With the passage of this bill, Hawai‘i will be the most populated set of islands in the world with an independent grid to establish a 100 percent renewable electricity goal. Colleagues, let’s do this. Mahalo.”

Senator Chun Oakland requested that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Chun Oakland’s remarks read as follows:

“I stand in support of HB 623, CD 1. When I sponsored the first renewable portfolio bill in the 1990s, I knew then as I do now that Hawai‘i can and will achieve the goal of 100 percent of Hawai‘i’s energy being generated through renewable

resources. Thank you to everyone who worked so hard on this bill.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 11 was adopted and H.B. No. 623, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE STANDARDS,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 17 (H.B. No. 538, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

Senator Baker moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 17 be adopted and H.B. No. 538, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran.

Senator Slom rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations as follows:

“I’ve supported the measure and I certainly support the intent, but I think there’s a problem that needs to be corrected within the bill. Checking with my legal staff, 47 U.S. Code § 332, there’s a provision that no state can change rates or certain details of mobile carriers – that’s a function of the federal government. And termination and elimination of fees, I think, would fall under that, so I think the bill needs to be changed, if not this session, next session. So I support it, but call that to my colleagues’ attention. Thank you.”

Senator Baker rose to speak in strong support of the measure as follows:

“Colleagues, this measure provides an avenue to release a victim of domestic violence from a shared wireless plan and/or change their number without accruing fees or penalties. Many victims struggle to leave their abusers, and one of the main barriers can be financial. The charges associated with terminating a wireless contract are costly for many victims, who are often under the financial control of their abuser. By eliminating those costs, there will be fewer barriers to overcome when leaving an abuser.

“House Bill 538, Conference Draft 1, provides a variety of options to show evidence of domestic violence. Along with an opt-out request, the victim can present any of the following: a valid police report documenting domestic violence; an order of protection; or a signed affidavit from a licensed medical or mental health care provider, employee of the court acting within their scope of employment, or social worker. Providing multiple avenues for victims to prove abuse will make it easier for those who aren’t able to receive a court order or order of protection to be released from a wireless plan.

“The independence of a phone plan helps victims escape from their relationship, especially in situations when the abuser is an account manager or when the plan is a family plan, and abusers are able to view calls and track locations and account activity. This measure certainly helps create a pathway to safety for victims.

“And colleagues, I would just note for the record that when this measure was moving through, there were none of the concerns raised by the Minority Leader in any of our hearings. I believe this measure’s on solid ground, and I ask my colleagues to join me in supporting it. Thank you.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 17 was adopted and H.B. No. 538, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25; Ayes with Reservations (Slom). Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 22 (H.B. No. 87, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 22 was adopted and H.B. No. 87, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Thielen).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 25 (S.B. No. 569, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 25 be adopted and S.B. No. 569, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Espero.

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

"This bill is bad for small business. It tends to increase the level of theft for that particular penalty from \$300 to \$750; and the only reason that's given is, well, the number hasn't changed since 1986. However, what it does is provide more leniency for thieves and says, in effect, that we're going to raise that rate, raise that ceiling, to \$750. If you steal something valued at \$749, you're not subject to that penalty. It just doesn't make sense, and those small businesses that have come in have indicated to us, over and over again, \$300 is still important to them. We should not be rewarding theft. Thank you."

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

"Colleagues, the last time we looked at this raising of the theft threshold was 1986. Since then, nationally, many states have been looking at this because it has also to do with overcrowded prisons, incarceration of inmates, and what is the proper way of dealing with these individuals who are nonviolent. This will still be a crime in terms of anything from \$750 or below – it will be theft in the second degree. Those individuals will still be getting jail time, if that is the case, although in many instances, we look at deferred acceptance pleas or probation.

"Plus, nowadays, colleagues, I was just looking at a woman's purse, a single purse, and the price of that purse was \$3,000. And yet, would we want to put someone in prison for up to five years for stealing a single purse? Some people may say yes, but nationally, across the country, these have been recommendations from experts and advocates in Washington, D.C. Most recently, our Justice Reinvestment Initiative, which we were a part of the last two or three years, suggested this as well. I do urge you to pass this measure. Thank you."

Senator Keith-Agaran requested that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Keith-Agaran's remarks read as follows:

"SB569 SD1 HD1 CD1 implements part of the recommendation of Hawaii's Justice Reinvestment Initiative, consistent with similar efforts in other states. As NCSL reports, '[s]ince 2009, at least 14 states have adjusted felony theft threshold amounts to keep pace with inflation and the increase in prices of consumer goods.' (Trends in Sentencing and Corrections: State Legislation p. 5 National Conference of State Legislatures). Justice Reinvestment reforms defer minor offenders from costly prison and jail sentences and saving on prosecution costs.

"In 2011, Nevada lawmakers increased the amount from \$250 to \$650. With threshold amounts that ranged from \$200 to \$750, Arkansas, Maryland, Ohio, Oregon and the District of Columbia set new felony thresholds at \$1,000. Delaware, Georgia, Montana and Utah raised thresholds to \$1,500. In 2010, South Carolina increased their felony theft threshold from \$1,000 to \$2,000. (Trends, p. 5). In 2011, the average cost to house a state prisoner was \$62 per day in the U.S. which works out to over \$22,000 annually.

"This may not be the most popular choice to make but it is a part of the Justice Reinvestment effort that Hawai'i has embarked upon to more judiciously use our criminal justice resources. I urge support for this bill."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 25 was adopted and S.B. No. 569, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THEFT," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23. Noes, 2 (Slom, Thielen).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 26 (H.B. No. 888, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1):

Senator Espero moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 26 be adopted and H.B. No. 888, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran.

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

"At first blush, it sounds reasonable; it sounds like a good bill – a penalty for having a loaded firearm and being intoxicated. Part of the problem is that that law really already exists. What this particular version of this bill would do is it would take it a step further, and anyone who has a loaded firearm in their home, in their possession, in a locked safe – if they were drinking and someone, either a neighbor or someone anonymously, called and reported them to the police, they could be criminalized because that's what the law says: intoxicated and having a loaded firearm, even though there'd be no misuse of the firearm, even though it's in a personal home. So what we're doing is broadening the definition, and we're criminalizing more legitimate firearms users. Thank you."

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

"The key word in this phrase, colleagues, is 'recklessly' – recklessly possessing a firearm if you are intoxicated. And I believe the majority of the people in this state support this measure. Thank you very much."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 26 was adopted and H.B. No. 888, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24; Ayes with Reservations (Taniguchi). Noes, 1 (Slom).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 34 (H.B. No. 391, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 34 be adopted and H.B. No. 391, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Tokuda.

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

"What this bill will do is it will add to the cost of all public projects and, again, more burden for the taxpayers."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 34 was adopted and H.B. No. 391, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WAGES AND HOURS ON PUBLIC WORKS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 21. Noes, 4 (Riviere, Ruderman, Slom, Thielen).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 43 (H.B. No. 1491, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 43 was adopted and H.B. No. 1491, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25; Ayes with Reservations (Slom). Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 47 (H.B. No. 631, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1):

Senator Green moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 47 be adopted and H.B. No. 631, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran.

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

"This is a bill that allows people to change their birth certificate and the sex on their birth certificate. There's no limitation on how many times they can do it; there's no requirement any more that they actually go through a transformation. So what we're doing is, we're creating a false document, which leads to other documents – IDs and passports – and because the information would be sealed, we then have a situation where, if it was a question of background checks or other information, which this legislature has been fond of pursuing, we would not be able to get information from there.

"We also have the genealogical and biological basis of this: You're either born a man or a woman; that's the way it is. And if you change, the changes that you make are not changes to your genealogical or DNA background. We have too many opportunities for misusing this possible new law, and we also have more unintended consequences. And we're going down a very sketchy path here and, in effect, doctoring the truth. Thank you."

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

"Well, we are doctoring the truth: We're having doctors assess the truth about a person's identity in a compassionate way. That's the reason to pass this bill. A great number of people have really serious identity crises based on, yes, their genetics, their physiologic identity, their biologic identity, and so we put safeguards in there to make sure it was a medical question about these individuals, who have great challenges in life. They have a profoundly higher risk of committing harm to themselves and committing suicide because of the criticisms and challenges they face in society. So your committees and your colleagues decided it was time to act because we wanted to be kind to individuals with these challenges in life; to let them decide, with their healthcare provider, what their identity was; and so they'd go on with their lives in a safe and more healthy way. Thank you, Madam President."

Senator Baker requested that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Baker's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President, I rise in support of HB631 HD2 SD1 CD1, 'Relating to Certificates of Birth.'

"This measure amends the requirements for the issuance of a new birth certificate to accurately reflect an individual's gender identity and, if applicable, name change, following a gender transition. Instead of requiring a sex change operation as a prerequisite for changing sex designation on a birth certificate, this measure requires that an individual provide an affidavit from a licensed medical or mental health provider attesting that the current birth certificate does not align with the birth registrant's gender identity and a court order granting the individual's petition. This measure also provides for a legal name change and confidentiality.

"Current Hawai'i law allows transgender people to have their birth certificates changed to reflect their identity, but only after they have completed a 'sex change operation.' While surgery is an option for some, the majority of transgender individuals do not choose to undergo such surgeries for various reasons, including prohibitive costs and other medical or personal reasons. Moreover, experts agree that surgery is unnecessary for the transgender individual to be described accurately as male or female. This measure also protects the privacy of transgender individuals and helps to negate potential, albeit illegal, discrimination by keeping the new birth certificates free of markings noting amendments.

"Currently, there are six states that already allow transgender individuals to change their birth certificates without requiring surgery, with three other states considering legislation similar to this measure. This is the right course of action to help one of the most marginalized groups in our society.

"I ask you to join me support of HB631 HD2 SD1 CD1."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 47 was adopted and H.B. No. 631, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CERTIFICATES OF BIRTH," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 22; Ayes with Reservations (Riviere). Noes, 3 (Gabbard, Harimoto, Slom).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 49 (S.B. No. 1291, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 49 was adopted and S.B. No. 1291, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL MARIJUANA," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 58 (H.B. No. 820, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1):

Senator Kidani moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 58 be adopted and H.B. No. 820, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Kouchi.

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

"I rise in support of this measure, and request that my written remarks on this and other education bills be inserted in today's Journal." (The Chair so ordered.)

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Kidani's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President and colleagues, when I accepted the appointment to chair your Committee on Education, I made it clear that my priority would be to take steps to strengthen early education programs to give our keiki a good start on their way to successful years of schooling and beyond. We also had some work to do to more clearly and directly address the challenge of fiscal responsibility in our charter schools. And I wanted to do what we could to assist teachers within the scope of our authority.

"Early education: We have before us today HB 820 that establishes in statute a State of Hawai'i prekindergarten program under the Office of Early Learning that will be administratively attached to the Department of Education next year. The goal is to assist 'gap group' families who don't qualify for subsidized programs such as Preschool Open Doors or Head Start, but who cannot afford private preschool.

"I am pleased to note that the Committee on Ways and Means agreed to fund Preschool Open Doors for another year – restoring \$6 million that was left out of the administration's budget.

"And we also will vote on HB 1440 that appropriates \$1 million for school-based health programs that screen students for medical conditions and make referrals to primary care providers to catch health problems while they can be controlled.

"Public Charter Schools: The Charter Schools Commission asked us to take care of some housekeeping matters, but also asked us for authority to more easily meet situations such as that in which the Commission was forced to revoke the charter of a school that was in deep financial trouble. Our HB 831 would allow charter revocation outside the so-called 'normal' process to deal with schools that are financially insolvent – defined as being unable to make payroll payments. Another bill, HB 1251, would make it easier for charter schools to find facilities in which to operate.

"Teachers: Teachers – and administrators – would benefit from amendments we made to the 'instructional hours' requirement by delaying implementation of new requirements scheduled to go into effect next school year. Faculty pointed to lack of classroom preparation time under the new scheme, and so a redefinition of 'hours' gives them additional flexibility. The bill to do this has already been signed into law by the Governor.

"Teachers – and administrators – related their experiences with the so-called multi-track school calendar – in effect at four O'ahu schools. They told us that the year-round schedules were not workable for faculty, facilities and families, and not especially effective in student achievement either. Our SB 1345 phases out the multi-track schedules, and the construction budget includes money to add to classroom inventory to put students back on the traditional school calendar.

"Also, our HB 11 would expand opportunities for board-certified teachers to receive incentive pay for accepting assignments in certain island schools.

"In a year in which we were faced with limited resources, Madam President, I think we did okay. I thank my colleagues for their support during our hearings process.

"Every one of us has public schools in her or his district, and so we are all in this together.

"The needs are great and many... but with will and commitment, working harder and smarter, we are up to the challenge."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 58 was adopted and H.B. No. 820, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 70 (H.B. No. 1010, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

Senator Espero moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 70 be adopted and H.B. No. 1010, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Nishihara.

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

"My opposition is specific to the possibility that the counties would require employers to pay for benefits for commuting. I support the commuter benefits; I think that tax breaks or whatever we can do to incentivize it is fine, but when we mandate that a small business have an additional cost, or worse, reduce somebody's pay so that they can pay the benefit, I don't think this is good policy, so, opposed. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 70 was adopted and H.B. No. 1010, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COMMUTER BENEFITS PROGRAM," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23; Ayes with Reservations (Ihara, Inouye). Noes, 2 (Riviere, Slom).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 75 (H.B. No. 169, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Kahele, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 75 was adopted and H.B. No. 169, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 76 (S.B. No. 1361, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 76 was adopted and S.B. No. 1361, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUDGETING," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25; Ayes with Reservations (Slom). Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 79 (S.B. No. 374, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Kidani, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 79 was adopted and S.B. No. 374, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DUAL CREDIT PROGRAMS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25; Ayes with Reservations (Slom). Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 98 (S.B. No. 1158, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

Senator Espero moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 98 be adopted and S.B. No. 1158, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, having been

read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Harimoto.

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

"While I support the bill and support space exploration, I oppose special funds, so I'll be voting 'no.' Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 98 was adopted and S.B. No. 1158, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL SPACE CENTER FOR EXPLORATION SYSTEMS SPECIAL FUND," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 100 (S.B. No. 791, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1):

Senator Green moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 100 be adopted and S.B. No. 791, S.D. 1, 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 as follows:

"As my colleagues know, I continue to oppose any mandated bill. I salute the people who have worked so diligently and so hard to pass this legislation to help the autism community, but I continue to oppose the mandatory nature of any of these measures because it takes it out of the realm of insurance. It's no longer insurance when you can make these changes and force companies to accept the cost. Thank you."

Senator Green rose to speak in strong support of the measure as follows:

"Colleagues, congratulations. Today Hawai'i joins more than 30 other states in the country to guarantee insurance coverage, healthcare service coverage, for children who suffer with autism spectrum disorder. We have too long been in the shadows of a big mistake, which was not to be completely compassionate for the families that need care.

"We're joined today by Luke Pinnow, for whom we have had the honor to name this Luke's Law. He has fought hard and long for this bill. Children will now be able to get up to \$25,000 of insurance coverage from age 0 to 13. Their lives will be strong; their bodies will be strong; their minds will be stronger. They will do well in society; they will take care of their mothers as they age instead of the opposite. They will be loved by society. Today we pass Luke's Law and take care of people who need a little help sometimes with some services. Congratulations, everyone. Congratulations, Luke."

Senator Baker rose to speak in strong support of the measure as follows:

"I have some written remarks that I'd like to have included, but I just want to say for the record how much I have appreciated working with Senator Green on this measure and on the behavioral analysts measure that we passed earlier on a consent calendar. Because clearly, with the incidence of autism continuing to rise in our country and the estimates from other jurisdictions, this is not only the right thing to do, it's a cost-effective thing to do, and it will not add to the financial burden of the overall insured population.

"I've often been at odds with some of our insurers; I do appreciate the fact that they did come to the table. We already had a court decision that ruled that we had to provide autism services for Medicaid. This measure levels the playing field, but

our insurance companies came forward, and without us having to put in grandfathering language in this measure, to say that they will not be seeking to charge back to the state for any of the other plans that would be included by this measure as well in our efforts to make sure that we have seamless services for families with children who have disorders in the autism spectrum.

"It's a good thing that all stakeholders came together to do the right thing, and I'm really proud of being part of this legislature that finally accomplishes this goal. Mahalo."

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Baker's additional remarks read as follows:

"Madam President, I rise in support of SB791 SD1 HD2 CD1, 'A Bill for an Act Relating to Autism Spectrum Disorders.'

"This measure requires accident and health or sickness insurers, mutual benefit societies, and health maintenance organizations to provide coverage for autism diagnosis and treatment. The Legislature has worked hard to make autism insurance coverage a reality.

"No child with autism in Hawai'i should be denied proper treatment due solely to the cost of the treatment.

"The State Department of Health, the State Council on Developmental Disabilities, the Special Education Advisory Council, the Hawai'i Disability Rights Center, Autism Speaks, the Autism Behavior Consulting Group, and The Lovaas Institute of Early Intervention have all testified that adequate early diagnosis and treatment of autism, including applied behavior analysis, often results in increased independence and coping skills, reduced long-term impairment and decreased long-term services through a person's lifetime. Requiring insurance coverage now will decrease costs to the State in the long-run and help children with autism spectrum disorders grow into adults who function at the highest of their capabilities.

"The Hawai'i Disability Rights Center emphasized that the point of insurance is to spread risk and cost among an entire population, so that disproportionate, catastrophic expenses are not heaped upon specific individuals or groups. The Autism Society testified that the cost of care taken on by a family for a child with autism is \$42,000 per year, as cited by the Harvard School of Public Health. Act 185 of the 2014 Hawai'i Session Laws estimates that the cost to policy holders would be \$2 per month, or \$24 per year. As the Hawai'i Disability Rights Center reminded us, this is the point and benefit of insurance. Thirty-seven states and the District of Columbia have mandates that require autism coverage. The experience of these states is that required coverage causes a very small increase in insurance costs.

"While requiring this benefit may trigger an obligation to the State to defray the costs of coverage, the largest health maintenance organizations under Chapter 432D have agreed not to seek reimbursement from the State for providing coverage. This means that there will be coverage for autism in all markets without a cost to the State. This will create a huge benefit for the State and significant savings for families.

"The Centers for Disease Control found that autism is occurring at a rate of 1 in 68 births. These statistics are staggering and mean that each of us, whether or not someone in our family has autism, will be impacted by it. Children and families with children who have autism will feel the impacts of mandated coverage now, and our community will see the positive impacts in the long-run.

"I urge my colleagues to join me in supporting this important measure. Let's vote 'yes' and make Luke's Law a reality."

Senator Galuteria rose to speak in strong support of the measure as follows:

"Many times, colleagues, we fly at 30,000 feet. I want to take this opportunity to thank you, as a grandfather of a young man, 10 years old, with autism. He lives up in Arizona, and this may just be his parents' reason to bring him back to Hawai'i, because we now can support my grandson. Thank you so much for that."

Senator Chun Oakland requested that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Chun Oakland's remarks read as follows:

"I stand in support of SB 791, CD 1. Having been supportive of this issue for over 25 years, this is a wonderful day. Thank you to all the parents and children over the years who advocated so hard at the Legislature. Thank you to everyone who worked so hard in crafting this bill."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 100 was adopted and S.B. No. 791, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDERS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 110 (H.B. No. 174, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1):

Senator Green moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 110 be adopted and H.B. No. 174, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Baker.

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

"Again, because it is a mandatory bill, and I would just add that compassion doesn't come from forcing people to do things. Thank you."

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

"Ironically, sometimes compassion does seem to come from forcing people to do things. In this case, it was forcing ourselves to make sure that children who are born with orofacial anomalies – and kind of an easier term is 'cleft lip and palate.' You see a lot of people walking around in society with a scar in the middle of their lip. What that means is that when they were young, they were born with a hole through part of their face, through their palate – they couldn't eat properly; they couldn't speak. Their families, unfortunately, were unable to get services because we don't cover all of those services in our state, until today. To imagine that a family that's poor might not be able to get that care for their baby is really just something that is unconscionable.

"Today we honor Anya, and these bills happen to come next to each other, so forgive me for the emotion. But today we recognize Anya because this beautiful little girl came, and we actually passed the bill on her birthday. Her mom's up there. Families will all be able to get this care; that is exactly what insurance is about. We all pay a little bit more for the problems that affect any one of us, whether it's our grandchild or our child or our next-door neighbor or someone we just heard about who had severe struggles.

"So Hawai'i has become extraordinarily compassionate today, not just for autism services, but today for children who

are born with what can be a very serious challenge. These children deserve to be beautiful, just like all the rest of the children. Thank you, Madam President."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 110 was adopted and H.B. No. 174, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 123 (S.B. No. 273, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Chun Oakland, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 123 was adopted and S.B. No. 273, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IDENTIFICATION CARDS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 128 (S.B. No. 519, S.D. 2, H.D. 3, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Kahele, seconded by Senator Baker and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 128 was adopted and S.B. No. 519, S.D. 2, H.D. 3, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 136 (S.B. No. 359, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Gabbard, seconded by Senator Ruderman and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 136 was adopted and S.B. No. 359, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENTAL RESPONSE, ENERGY, AND FOOD SECURITY TAX," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 142 (H.B. No. 553, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Taniguchi, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 142 was adopted and H.B. No. 553, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23; Ayes with Reservations (Baker, Harimoto, Ruderman, Thielen). Noes, 2 (Slom, Wakai).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 150 (H.B. No. 1509, H.D. 3, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

Senator Taniguchi moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 150 be adopted and H.B. No. 1509, H.D. 3, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Gabbard.

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

"This bill attempts to have a net zero energy policy for the University of Hawai'i, and it talks about saving money and the university paying back the state. Actually, the university does not pay back the state; the reduction in energy, to the extent that

it occurs, will be a reduction in the amount of money that the university comes to us every year and asks us for, for increased costs, including energy costs. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 150 was adopted and H.B. No. 1509, H.D. 3, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24; Ayes with Reservations (Galuteria). Noes, 1 (Slom).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 152 (H.B. No. 830, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1):

Senator Taniguchi moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 152 be adopted and H.B. No. 830, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Thielen.

Senator Keith-Agaran requested that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Keith-Agaran's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President, I rise in support of this measure. It addresses a problem that arises with increasing frequency in many established local neighborhoods throughout our state. The important and well-intended chapter 6E of Hawai'i Revised Statutes concerning historic preservation has, in the course of many years of application, now run up against the simple fact that not every older home is of particularly historical or cultural significance, simply because of the structure's age.

"This measure strikes a compromise set of standards that would protect those residences deemed valuable based on important recognition according to other civic programs, in place of applying a simple '50 years' test. Without this bill, many local homes in Dream City in Kahului, older communities in Wailuku, Paukukalo, Waikapu and other neighborhoods on Maui would have to undergo a full review by the State Historic Preservation Division before undertaking even relatively simple renovations, alterations, or additions. Taken in tandem with SB504, SD2, HD1, CD1, which appropriates funds for SHPD to conduct a survey identifying potential historic districts and single-family residences that may be eligible for listing on the Hawai'i Register of Historic Places, this bill will encourage local investment in housing and allow the State Historic Preservation Division to dedicate its limited resources on identifying and protecting truly significant and historic homes. I support this measure and encourage my colleagues to do likewise."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 152 was adopted and H.B. No. 830, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25; Ayes with Reservations (Ihara). Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 158 (S.B. No. 213, S.D. 2, H.D. 3, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 158 was adopted and S.B. No. 213, S.D. 2, H.D. 3, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PENAL CODE," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25; Ayes with Reservations (Slom). Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 160 (S.B. No. 654, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 160 was adopted and S.B. No. 654, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGNS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 164 (S.B. No. 555, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 164 was adopted and S.B. No. 555, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX CREDITS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 166 (H.B. No. 134, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

Senator Nishihara moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 166 be adopted and H.B. No. 134, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Espero.

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

"This is such a terrible bill. This has been such a wrenching time during this legislative session. The City and County of Honolulu, HART, and the City Council are extorting the taxpayers in this state because this rail project failed from the beginning, and have not kept the promises to the people, have not met any of their deadlines, and have not met any of their budget.

"Let's just remember that this started out as a \$3 billion project, then went to \$5 billion, then went to \$6 billion, and with less than 10 percent of the construction completed, it's over \$1 billion in debt already. And we had the situation of the mayor down here, camping out; I thought he was homeless, Madam President. He was here every day, and I was worried about the sit-and-lie law, because he's sitting and he's certainly lied.

"The point is, the taxpayers are being fleeced again. We already have the surcharge that goes until 2022, and now we're about to extend that tax to 2027. Remember, the mayor wanted it ad infinitum, then he settled for 25 years; we're down to 5 years. But it's a heck of a lot of money, and it's hurting the people of Honolulu, who are called upon to subsidize the rest of the people in the state.

"And then we have the state, which has been dipping its beak into this fund since 2007 and taking 10 percent for administrative costs, even though it does not cost 10 percent to administer the funds. Perhaps if the state had not misappropriated that 10 percent, then the rail would have had more money and they wouldn't have had to come and beg us for an extension, which the governor had said was not necessary – which we all know is not necessary. But yet, this body is poised to give that extension and more money.

"There are so many problems with the bill and so many problems with the taking of this money. We get back to the fact that this project is not a transportation project. It did not create the 10,000 jobs it promised. It has not provided economic benefits. Instead, it is wreaking havoc in terms of traffic and dislocations in the western part of our island. It is a project for

development, transit-oriented development. In league with Ho'opili and Koa Ridge, it takes farmland to make sure that there's more development, more of the things that the rail needs to succeed. Then the mayor came and asked for more money to add another \$4 billion to the cost of this project, to \$10 billion, to extend the project to Kapolei and to the University of Hawai'i.

"This project was ill-conceived. It cannot succeed. It is costing us money. We can't get any accurate and honest figures from HART or from the mayor. And yet, there are many members of the Legislature who are willing to keep on paying the taxpayers' money – not our own, the taxpayers' money! Please rethink your thoughts on this. If we talk about money that we should have to go to needy causes, to deserving people, this rail to nowhere is not one of them. Thank you."

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

"Madam President, I rise in support of this measure, but I'd like to have my comments be placed into the Journal as opposed to what was debated here already. Thank you." (The Chair so ordered.)

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Nishihara's additional remarks read as follows:

"Madam President, colleagues: I rise in support of this measure and ask for your support for this bill. The committees of both houses spent a considerable effort to see its passage. The purpose of this bill, as we all know, proposes to extend the current 0.05 percent of the state general excise tax and use tax from January 1, 2023, until December 31, 2027.

"It also limits the surcharge revenues to capital costs and authorizes the counties that have not yet established a surcharge to do so by adopting an ordinance prior to July 1, 2016, but no earlier than July 1, 2015. The county surcharge on state tax may be authorized but not levied prior to January 1, 2018.

"The locally preferred alternative (the HART rail project) cannot be used to build or repair public roads or highways, bicycle paths, or other transportation systems built prior to July 1, 2005.

"Counties other than Honolulu shall use the surcharge for operating or capital costs for public transportation systems including public roadways or highways, buses, trains, ferries, pedestrian paths, sidewalks, or bicycle paths as well as includes nonrecurring costs that are intended to construct a transit system and all costs associated with its construction.

"The bill further grants in the use of public lands the air rights over any portion of state land upon which the rail is developed.

"The Senate Ways and Means and Transportation committees negotiated an agreement with the House that makes it possible for the rail project to complete its plan to build a 20 mile, 21 stations system that will extend from a part of Kapolei to Ala Moana and be in operation by January 2020.

"The major infrastructure undertaking will ensure that the citizens of Honolulu will have the option to travel on a multi-modal system, relieving some of the traffic congestion that occurs regularly along the H-1 freeway. So I ask again for the support of my colleagues in this Senate to vote in favor of this bill."

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

"My comment today involves the full funding grant agreement, which has been talked about quite often for the last few months: that we must do this; we must do 20 miles, 21

stations, 80 cars; et cetera; we must do it and we must do it this year, and you guys have to act. On page 5 of that FFGA, there's a clause that says, 'Should the grantee ever realize that it has gone over budget, it must immediately notify the government of the cost overruns. Further, the grantee must establish a recovery plan to bring the figures back in line and to balance the budget.'

"HART has not presented a recovery plan; it's not there. So it's my observation that probably by passing this tax, that is the recovery plan. And I've said from day one in the debates, I'm not opposed to the rail going forward, but I am opposed to the blank check and the fact that we're not holding them accountable this year, which is the year when we need to hold them accountable and see some responsibility on the funding. So for those reasons, I oppose this bill. Thank you."

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

"Again, I'd like to say my vote on this bill is not in opposition to the rail project, but I noticed in the headlines in today's paper, the council chairman is saying, in order for the council to support extending the GE tax, there needs to be more oversight and accountability on the rail project.

"Members, I feel like we got played and we blew it. This was our one chance to make sure that we put into place parameters that would hold the city and county accountable for greater fiscal transparency and greater oversight of this spending. And while many people may say that's a home rule issue, it's not a home rule issue about whether we were going to extend the GE tax another five years; and that should have been the bargain where we held the mayor's feet to the fire and the council's feet to the fire on this.

"The general excise tax is the most regressive tax that we have. It is hitting our lower-income people harder than anybody else on this island. And because the state does take a 10 percent amount of that tax, we are taxing low-income people on O'ahu to fund services and programs that are going to the neighbor islands under the state budget. It is grossly unfair, and I feel that we were very derelict in our duties."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 166 was adopted and H.B. No. 134, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 21; Ayes with Reservations (Gabbard, Ihara, Shimabukuro). Noes, 4 (Riviere, Slom, Thielen, Wakai).

S.B. No. 218, S.D. 1, H.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Green and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 218, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 218, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ORDER OF SUCCESSION," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 14 (S.B. No. 1177, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Taniguchi, seconded by Senator Inouye and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 14 was adopted and S.B. No. 1177, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE FOUNDATION ON CULTURE AND THE ARTS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 21 (S.B. No. 521, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Ruderman, seconded by Senator Inouye and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 21 was adopted and S.B. No. 521, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO WAIMEA NUI COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 45 (H.B. No. 775, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Kahele, seconded by Senator English and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 45 was adopted and H.B. No. 775, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 46 (H.B. No. 582, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Chun Oakland, seconded by Senator Green and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 46 was adopted and H.B. No. 582, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE NURSING FACILITY SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAM," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 50 (S.B. No. 1117, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 50 was adopted and S.B. No. 1117, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 51 (H.B. No. 482, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Ruderman, seconded by Senator Inouye and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 51 was adopted and H.B. No. 482, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 52 (H.B. No. 573, S.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Ruderman, seconded by Senator Dela Cruz and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 52 was adopted and H.B. No. 573, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII GOOD AGRICULTURAL PRACTICES," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 53 (H.B. No. 850, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Taniguchi, seconded by Senator Ruderman and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 53 was adopted and H.B. No. 850, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AGRICULTURAL

EXTENSION SERVICE," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 54 (H.B. No. 1332, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Ruderman, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 54 was adopted and H.B. No. 1332, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IRRIGATION," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 60 (H.B. No. 1513, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Gabbard, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 60 was adopted and H.B. No. 1513, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 61 (H.B. No. 1394, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Gabbard, seconded by Senator Dela Cruz and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 61 was adopted and H.B. No. 1394, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER RECLAMATION," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 62 (H.B. No. 1214, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 62 was adopted and H.B. No. 1214, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE-COUNTY FUNCTIONS WORKING GROUP," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 77 (S.B. No. 996, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Riviere and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 77 was adopted and S.B. No. 996, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHICS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 84 (S.B. No. 250, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Dela Cruz and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 84 was adopted and S.B. No. 250, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FEDERAL FUNDS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 85 (S.B. No. 253, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 85 was adopted and S.B.

No. 253, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE DEBT," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 88 (S.B. No. 376, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Ruderman, seconded by Senator Kidani and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 88 was adopted and S.B. No. 376, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A FARM TO SCHOOL PROGRAM," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 90 (S.B. No. 40, S.D. 3, H.D. 2, C.D. 1):

Senator Baker moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 90 be adopted and S.B. No. 40, S.D. 3, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Tokuda.

Senator Baker requested that remarks in strong support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Baker's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President, I rise in support of SB40 SD3 HD2 CD1, 'Relating to Licensing.'

"SB40 CD1 establishes the Behavior Analyst Program within the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs. This new program will require licensing of behavior analysts beginning January 1, 2016. This measure goes hand in hand with SB791 SD1 HD2 CD1, 'Relating to Autism Spectrum Disorders.

"SB40 CD1 is necessary to ensure that those providing services for autism spectrum disorders are able to provide an appropriate level of care and be reimbursed for their services. Furthermore, federal requirements specify that providers of services must be licensed in their profession in order to participate in Medicaid. In order to make sure there isn't a gap in services, it is imperative that SB40 and SB791 become law in the same year.

"Colleagues, please join me in voting 'yes' to support this important measure."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 90 was adopted and S.B. No. 40, S.D. 3, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LICENSING," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 95 (S.B. No. 544, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Thielen, seconded by Senator Gabbard and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 95 was adopted and S.B. No. 544, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NATURAL RESOURCES," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 97 (S.B. No. 661, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Taniguchi and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 97 was adopted and S.B. No. 661, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNMANNED AERIAL

SYSTEMS TEST SITES," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 99 (S.B. No. 1211, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 99 was adopted and S.B. No. 1211, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MAJOR DISASTER FUND," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 103 (H.B. No. 73, S.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 103 was adopted and H.B. No. 73, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE BONDS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 105 (H.B. No. 1069, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 105 was adopted and H.B. No. 1069, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 106 (H.B. No. 241, S.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Gabbard, seconded by Senator Galuteria and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 106 was adopted and H.B. No. 241, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST SEAWATER AIR CONDITIONING PROJECTS ON OAHU," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 107 (H.B. No. 242, S.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Gabbard, seconded by Senator Galuteria and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 107 was adopted and H.B. No. 242, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEAWATER AIR CONDITIONING," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 108 (H.B. No. 1343, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator Espero and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 108 was adopted and H.B. No. 1343, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 112 (H.B. No. 581, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Chun Oakland and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 112 was adopted and H.B. No. 581, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOSPITAL SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAM," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 115 (H.B. No. 1440, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Kidani, seconded by Senator Green and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 115 was adopted and H.B. No. 1440, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 119 (H.B. No. 158, S.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 119 was adopted and H.B. No. 158, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY OF THE COUNTY OF MAUI," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 130 (S.B. No. 423, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 130 was adopted and S.B. No. 423, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO APPROPRIATIONS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 131 (S.B. No. 524, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 131 was adopted and S.B. No. 524, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING A GRANT TO THE HAWAII COUNTY OFFICE OF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 132 (S.B. No. 1305, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 132 was adopted and S.B. No. 1305, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO THE COUNTY OF KAUAI OFFICE OF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 137 (S.B. No. 964, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Chun Oakland, seconded by Senator Green and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 137 was adopted and S.B. No. 964, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGING," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 138 (S.B. No. 64, S.D. 3, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Chun Oakland, seconded by Senator Kidani and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 138 was adopted and S.B. No. 64, S.D. 3, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 139 (S.B. No. 1001, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 139 was adopted and S.B. No. 1001, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MANUFACTURING," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 140 (S.B. No. 504, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Taniguchi, seconded by Senator Thielen and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 140 was adopted and S.B. No. 504, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 141 (H.B. No. 126, S.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 141 was adopted and H.B. No. 126, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT COST ITEMS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 145 (H.B. No. 547, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Taniguchi, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 145 was adopted and H.B. No. 547, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 149 (H.B. No. 1471, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Gabbard, seconded by Senator Baker and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 149 was adopted and H.B. No. 1471, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE FUNDING OF GOVERNMENT

PROGRAMS,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 151 (H.B. No. 444, H.D. 3, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Kahele, seconded by Senator Thielen and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 151 was adopted and H.B. No. 444, H.D. 3, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BEACH PROTECTION,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 153 (H.B. No. 461, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Dela Cruz and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 153 was adopted and H.B. No. 461, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF INFORMATION PRACTICES,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 155 (S.B. No. 1312, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator English and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 155 was adopted and S.B. No. 1312, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE FUNDS,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 161 (S.B. No. 1072, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 161 was adopted and S.B. No. 1072, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 44 (H.B. No. 896, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 44 be adopted and H.B. No. 896, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Tokuda.

Senator Slom rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations as follows:

“Every year, we go through this bill and we find that there are more claims against the state, some of them very questionable, and it comes down to a point of whether or not our largest law firm in the state—that is, the state attorney general and his staff—are willing to go to battle and tell people we are not deep pockets. A lot of people see that as an easy way of getting money, and that separates out from those legitimate expenses. So I would just urge that we do a better job and that we have legislative oversight into approving all of these amounts. Thank you.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 44 was adopted and H.B. No. 896, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE,

ITS OFFICERS, OR ITS EMPLOYEES,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25; Ayes with Reservations (Slom). Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 56 (H.B. No. 11, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

Senator Kidani moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 56 be adopted and H.B. No. 11, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Harimoto.

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

“Thank you, Madam President. We’ll be discussing other bills that add increased costs for collective bargaining and teachers this year, but what this bill does, in effect, is remove the control of local schools, particularly principals and superintendents, from the process of providing merit pay. Thank you.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 56 was adopted and H.B. No. 11, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHERS,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 63 (H.B. No. 1432, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1):

Senator Chun Oakland moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 63 be adopted and H.B. No. 1432, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Tokuda.

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

“Yes, Madam President. I rise in opposition because of the creation of the new special fund. Thank you.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 63 was adopted and H.B. No. 1432, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE INTERIM ASSISTANCE REIMBURSEMENT SPECIAL FUND,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 78 (S.B. No. 1345, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

Senator Kidani moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 78 be adopted and S.B. No. 1345, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Tokuda.

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

“The bill seeks to end the multi-track system; the multi-track system has been problematic for a lot of families and a lot of parents, and I get that and I understand that. But what I don’t understand—maybe somebody can explain it to me—is why we need \$200,000 and a legal bill to have the DOE do what the DOE should do, and that is to simply end multi-track. Thank you.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 78 was adopted and S.B. No. 1345, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 81 (S.B. No. 104, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

Senator Tokuda moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 81 be adopted and S.B. No. 104, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Inouye.

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

"I'm all for efficiency and improvements in the budgeting process. I'm afraid, however, the way this bill is structured, where one agency is selected and there's no criteria for the way it's selected for the pilot program, may prove that we overlook many other agencies that should be subject to scrutiny and changes in the budgetary process."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 81 was adopted and S.B. No. 104, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUDGETING," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 83 (S.B. No. 118, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1):

Senator Tokuda moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 83 be adopted and S.B. No. 118, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Dela Cruz.

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

"We spent last year and this session talking about the evils of the REITs. They're not evil; they provide investment. And while this bill has been toned down to provide a study, the inclination has been clear that there are forces within our community that want to tax, restrict, or eliminate REITs. I think they serve a valuable purpose. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 83 was adopted and S.B. No. 118, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT TRUSTS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 92 (S.B. No. 1080, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 92 be adopted and S.B. No. 1080, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Tokuda.

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

"As I've said previously on the floor, I don't believe that we can afford all of these union demands for increases. The increases alone—increases alone—this year will total nearly \$1 billion. The fact that many of the unions have reopened their contract negotiations and have been able to get more money from this legislature, even before the ink was dry on their recently negotiated contracts, I think, should be something that we would be opposed to and that we would stand up and say so. But if I've got to be the one to vote 'no' on all of them, I will do so. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 92 was adopted and S.B. No. 1080, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING

COST ITEMS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 93 (S.B. No. 1081, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 93 was adopted and S.B. No. 1081, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 94 (S.B. No. 1082, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 94 was adopted and S.B. No. 1082, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 102 (H.B. No. 290, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 102 was adopted and H.B. No. 290, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 104 (H.B. No. 209, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

Senator Shimabukuro moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 104 be adopted and H.B. No. 209, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Tokuda.

Senator Slom rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations as follows:

"We're talking about the OHA budget, and during the budget hearings it was interesting to hear some of the testimony and the positions of OHA, which, from some quarters now, is disputing whether or not it's actually a state agency. OHA is a state agency—that was determined in 1978 at the Constitutional Convention. And OHA has no trouble trying to get salary and benefit and healthcare benefits like people in other state agencies, but they seem to have difficulty in also being required to provide information as do other state agencies. I know this has been very frustrating; we went through this in Ways and Means. Questions were asked; data was requested; it has not been provided. I think we need to do a better oversight on OHA. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 104 was adopted and H.B. No. 209, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET OF THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25; Ayes with Reservations (Slom). Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 113 (H.B. No. 943, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

Senator Green moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 113 be adopted and H.B. No. 943, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Chun Oakland.

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

“A new special fund. Thank you.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 113 was adopted and H.B. No. 943, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CIVIL MONETARY PENALTY SPECIAL FUND,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 118 (H.B. No. 1366, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

Senator Dela Cruz moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 118 be adopted and H.B. No. 1366, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Tokuda.

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

“This is the bill to purchase the Ali‘i Place luxury office building across the street. Some of us have asked questions from the very beginning as to the cost; as to the length of the fee; as to the operations, operational costs, maintenance costs; how many of the current tenants were going to remain; and other fiscal matters as well as an independent assessment of how much the building is actually worth. We’ve not gotten those answers.

“I don’t know why we’re rushing to purchase this building, but I do know that it is a symptom of the fact that as government continues to grow here and the taxpayers have to pay more money, then we ask for more personnel, then we ask for more offices and more expenses. And I think until these questions are answered, we should not rush headlong into the purchase. Right now, we’re looking at between \$2 million and \$3 million to study whether or not we should even purchase it. We should have an inventory, as was requested by this legislature years ago, in the state. We still don’t know, completely, all of the buildings and all of the square footage that we have. We should take it one step at a time; this is putting the cart before the horse. Thank you.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 118 was adopted and H.B. No. 1366, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE ACQUISITION OR DEVELOPMENT OF REAL PROPERTY,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23; Ayes with Reservations (Gabbard, Riviere). Noes, 2 (Slom, Thielen).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 126 (S.B. No. 1028, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

Senator Baker moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 126 be adopted and S.B. No. 1028, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Tokuda.

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

“No, no, no. The Hawai‘i Health Connector, which has added nothing to our value in this state; which took away from

the successful Prepaid Health Care Act, which did not add bureaucracy, which did not come in for subsidies – we’re now asked to support, at the state level, the Hawai‘i Health Connector. The Hawai‘i Health Connector has burned through nearly \$200 million of federal funds, came to this body, wanted \$28 million in questionable bond funds – they called them debentures but they were a charge against the taxpayers. They then lowered their request, or the Legislature lowered the request, to \$5 million. This bill lowers it to \$2 million. They should not get another penny. They haven’t been able to run their program fiscally in a responsible manner, and the taxpayers should not have to give them any more money. It should be disbanded. We should work as hard as we can to get the exemption that we should have had to go back to the Hawai‘i Prepaid Health Care Act. Thank you.”

Senator Baker rose to speak in strong support of the measure as follows:

“I always enjoy having an opportunity to spar with the Minority Leader, particularly over the health connector, because he so often gets the facts wrong. But be that as it may, after a very rocky start, which all of us acknowledge, partly due to the fits and starts and different rules and mandates from the federal government, we finally have leadership in place at the connector and the connector had a very successful open enrollment this year. We have over 40,000 folks, both in SHOP and in the individual market, enrolled. These are folks who have never had health insurance before. Because of Prepaid, we are in the enviable position by states across the country of having very low uninsured rates to begin with, so we didn’t have huge numbers to bring into the connector. And because the feds require a sustainability plan, not taking into account some of our unique circumstances here in Hawai‘i, we don’t have huge numbers going into the connector to create sustainability just from enrollments.

“But the folks who are there – whether they are COFA migrants, students, others who have been able to participate in the program and receive tax benefits or credits – it’s really been a boon for them. For the first time, they’re covered and they’re able to access high-quality health care as a result of having insurance.

“The sad thing would be if we do not continue to work with the connector to make sure that it can be successful and access the additional federal funds that are being withheld at the moment to enable some of the IT fixes that all of the other state-based exchanges are having, we run the risk of losing Prepaid by being forced into a federal-facilitated marketplace. That would mean that there would be no ability for us to take into account Prepaid. We wouldn’t be able to factor it in in the rules engine; we wouldn’t be able to factor it in as a monitor to make sure that all employers who are required to offer their employees health insurance do so. This bill is very important because it helps us keep Prepaid; it keeps us from having to disenroll everybody who’s in the current exchange and go to another exchange.

“And, oh, by the way, if we have to go to a federally facilitated marketplace, the feds are going to make us pay for the move; pay for the exchange that would continue with SHOP, because they say they don’t want SHOP because they don’t want to have to deal with it; and then, in six months, when we would be allowed to bring it back, we have to pay for it again. It doesn’t make good economic sense, but this bill does. I ask my colleagues to join me in supporting it. Mahalo.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 126 was adopted and S.B. No. 1028, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH CONNECTOR,” having been read

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

Ayes, 23. Noes, 2 (Gabbard, Slom).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 129 (S.B. No. 892, S.D. 2, H.D. 3, C.D. 1):

Senator Wakai moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 129 be adopted and S.B. No. 892, S.D. 2, H.D. 3, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Espero.

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

"I'd like to have comments supporting this inserted into the Journal, as well as the Hawai'i Resilience and Sustainability Strategy and the 2015 Senate Majority Legislative Program."

The Chair having so ordered, Senator English's additional remarks read as follows:

"Senate Bill 892 is an important omnibus bill to address many of the State's critical infrastructure needs. Many of the objectives in this measure emerge from our Hawai'i Resilience and Sustainability Strategy and the 2015 Senate Majority Legislative Program. The Senate held a bi-partisan retreat that featured military leadership discussing important aspects of their operations—power, water, and communications—that are also critical to everyone in our State.

"As a body, we sought guidance from expert researchers on these crucial topics and developed a white paper on where new technologies can be applied to the state's strategic and critical infrastructure to improve the resilience of our communities while promoting economic development. The white paper and retreat discussions were the foundations for the Hawai'i Resilience and Sustainability Strategy. The Senate utilized a comprehensive and collaborative process in order to solicit feedback from all of the Senators and combine it to shape an overall Legislative program for the full Senate to support. The final program, the 2015 Senate Majority Legislative Program highlighted a number of resilience and sustainability issues to include specifics for alternative energy and food security as well as this comprehensive omnibus bill that focused on the dire improvements to the State's broadband communication, energy, and water infrastructure."

The Chair having so ordered, the Hawai'i Resilience and Sustainability Strategy and 2015 Senate Majority Legislative Program are identified as "**ATTACHMENT A**" to the Journal of this day.

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 129 was adopted and S.B. No. 892, S.D. 2, H.D. 3, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OMNIBUS HAWAII RESILIENCE AND SUSTAINABILITY STRATEGY," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 133 (S.B. No. 1214, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

Senator Gabbard moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 133 be adopted and S.B. No. 1214, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Baker.

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

"Normally, I'm very ecumenical about passing SPRB, special purpose revenue bonds. But in this case, one has to ask, 'Why does Hawaiian Electric want the state to guarantee the

issuance of SPRB for \$80 million?' And then they talk about the need for \$800 million over the years.

"We know that they're going through a horizontal merger with NextEra of Florida, which raises a number of questions. And so the issue really becomes, if the State of Hawai'i is condoning and supporting the issuance of this on behalf of HECO, how does that play out with the potential merger? And if the merger does occur, what is NextEra's role in special purpose revenue bond, or if someone buys out NextEra after that merger? There are a lot of unanswered questions here, but the main one is why the utility monopoly feels necessary to come and get legislative support at this time. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 133 was adopted and S.B. No. 1214, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST HAWAIIAN ELECTRIC COMPANY, INC., MAUI ELECTRIC COMPANY, LIMITED, AND HAWAII ELECTRIC LIGHT COMPANY, INC.," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 144 (H.B. No. 697, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Dela Cruz, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 144 was adopted and H.B. No. 697, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE FACILITIES," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 154 (S.B. No. 101, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Kouchi and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 154 was adopted and S.B. No. 101, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23. Noes, 1 (Slom). Excused, 1 (Riviere).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 156 (S.B. No. 1299, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

Senator Tokuda moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 156 be adopted and S.B. No. 1299, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Dela Cruz.

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

"Thank you. Colleagues, I was really torn on how to vote on this bill, but I think, when it came down to it, what was clear to me is the policy change that was made in this bill is something that I cannot support.

"We've had a year where our Ways and Means Committee has taken a look at a number of special funds: the barrel tax, the conveyance tax, the tobacco tax among them. This bill, in particular, affects the conveyance tax. It caps the amount of money that goes to the Rental Housing Trust Fund but allows the continued dedicated revenues from the conveyance tax to that purpose. But it eliminates the dedication of conveyance tax revenues for the Natural Area Reserves System.

"This tax was put into place with very broad-based public support because of the fact that, over the years, it's been clear

that this legislative body, when it's making allocations of general fund revenues, does not place as great an importance on our natural resources as it does on our people. The Department of Land and Natural Resources' general fund revenues has remained flat at just under \$30 million for the last 20 years. The only increase in revenues to the department have come through the special funds, due to the support of a lot of people who have supported our natural and cultural resources. And it's with that reliable stream of revenue that the department has been able to build strong programs to take care of the additional hundreds of thousands of acres of land that have been put in the department's jurisdiction and responsibility without a single increase in general fund dollars, without a single increase in staff. It's with that steady revenue that they have been able to build programs to combat the increasing number of invasive species, the increasing number of tourists who go to the Natural Area Reserves System, the increasing threats that are destroying these areas.

"In discussing the budget, our Ways and Means chair talked about how some of these decisions were assuring a continuation of funds. That was true for many of the other special funds, but it was not true for the Natural Area Reserves System. It could have been true; we could have dedicated those funds in the budget itself for the first and second year of the biennium, but we didn't. We have a one-year appropriation in this bill, with no guarantee of continued funds for these programs in the upcoming years. And while we have moved some staff over to the general funds, we're not moving the other programmatic funds over there. We're leaving the department in a very precarious and vulnerable position, at the whim of what we're going to do in the upcoming years.

"An article caught my eye back on February 26, where the Ways and Means Committee was taking a look at S.B. 844, dealing with early childhood programs. The WAM Committee decided to amend the bill to remove a blank appropriation amount. Instead, what the Chair said is she wanted to put the funding directly in the budget because she wanted a little more permanency so that the program—this is a new program, I should say—doesn't have to come back every single year to request funding. That bill, S.B. 844, was passed by the Ways and Means Committee two days after passing S.B. 1299. What we've done is cut an established, long-term, popularly supported funding for natural and cultural resource programs in order to create a new program in other parts of our state.

"I hope I'm wrong. I hope next year we come back and put these funds into the budget. But in the conversations I've had, I keep hearing things like, 'lack of transparency,' 'we haven't had accountability.' This is not accurate. Every single budgetary transfer within DLNR is on the budget tables that the department provided to this legislature. They are also provided to B&F. Yes, you have to look at it, but that's because we ask for a heck of a lot of paper here. But they're all there on record. Furthermore, many of these transfers of money are because the Legislature itself has frequently ordered transfers from the special funds within DLNR to support other programs. When I was chair, the Legislature cut the general funding for the dam safety staff, and ordered that their salaries be paid out of the Special Land and Development Fund. In the past, the Legislature has ordered that the lifeguard contracts be paid out of the special funds. It's not new.

"So I'm not real clear why in Senate Bill 1299 we have permanently ended the conveyance tax revenues to go to the Natural Area Reserves System. Again, I hope I'm wrong; I hope that I can stand on this floor next year and say that I was proven wrong and that we have the funding then in the budget so that there is that security that Ways and Means has provided to other new programs, for these longstanding important programs. While they may not affect people in the same way that early

childhood education does or affordable housing does, they affect our 'āina, our sense of place, our economy, our history, and our obligation to future generations to maintain these places for them. Thank you."

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

"I'd like to just make some brief comments, and I would also like to insert some comments into the Journal in support of this particular measure. In response to some of the things that have been said about S.B. 1299, I will say this: All change is very difficult, especially when you take a look at longstanding fiscal practices that have been going on for multiple administrations, under multiple chairs, and especially given that we are coming to some understanding about some practices that perhaps may not have been so appropriate.

"But fortunately, now, we do know that we have a hardworking team at DLNR that is very open to taking a look at how they can work better with us to make sure that we can properly fund our natural resources, and we have, through S.B. 1299, provided two-year funding, as they have requested, for the natural area reserves. In fact, this bill represents just under \$21 million in general fund support for NARF as well as other programs and services for DLNR. If you also read H.B. 500 and the committee report, it explains the intent that we will be funding these particular programs in the budget in the supplemental requests that come forward next year.

"Also, all of the NARF positions—and we painstakingly went through every single one of the positions funded by NARF—are generally funded as well. As many of us know, having positions funded on special funds is a very precarious position at times; in fact, that was the situation with ERRF. That could not be sustained; that was something that we had to take off of special funds and move toward general funds. What we have done is made sure that all of those NARF positions are now put onto general funds. And that is not reflected only in this particular measure, but it's also reflected in the budget. As I mentioned in my floor speech on H.B. 500, the budget and these bills work in concert together to reflect the kind of sound fiscal policies we want to see.

"And, yes, the process of going through conference means that we cannot only have what we would like to have reflected from our Senate draft in the end; it is a compromise that we reach with our House counterparts. Working with the House, we were able to come up with what I believe is a very good policy that reflects a balanced approach to supporting our natural resources as well as other legislative priorities that we felt were important.

"One of those things was S.B. 1299, again, where we were able to provide supports just under \$21 million for DLNR as well as being able to, for once, generally fund all of those particular positions under NARF. We painstakingly—again, I will say this—had our staff go through and make sure that we accounted for all the warm bodies, all the filled positions, that were specially funded and made sure that we converted those positions to general funds, giving those the permanency and security so that we can make sure that they are priorities going forward. And we are committed with our staff to working to make sure that we can work with them to get the transparency and good management and help make it a priority that we would like to see it made. I don't disagree with the Water and Land chair that this is something that we would like to see going forward, and I believe that S.B. 1299 puts us on that good path as we move ahead.

"So, again, I do have some additional comments I would like to have placed in the Journal, and humbly ask for your support on this measure. Thank you." (The Chair so ordered.)

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Tokuda's additional remarks read as follows:

"Senate Bill 1299, HD 1, SD 1, CD 1 amends the distribution of conveyance tax revenues. It caps the distribution to the land conservation (or legacy land) fund and rental housing trust fund. It also repeals the distribution to the natural area reserve fund. Conveyance tax revenues in excess of the caps now will become general fund realizations.

"SB 1299 is one of a trio of bills passed this session that cap revenues from specific sources to certain non-general funds. The other two bills are SB 101, which amends the distribution of tobacco master settlement agreement moneys, and SB 1297, which caps the distribution of the cigarette tax.

"The general purpose of caps on the revenue streams for the non-general funds is to improve legislative budgeting. The caps are intended to:

- (1) Make forecasts of general fund revenues more reliable;
- (2) Increase legislative oversight of the agencies and programs supported by non-general funds; and
- (3) Subject those agencies and programs to competition for limited public funds if the agencies or programs want more than the amount automatically distributed to their non-general funds.

"With respect to SB 1299, most attention and concern have been focused on the repeal of the conveyance tax distribution to the natural area reserve fund.

"Under present law, the natural area reserve fund receives twenty-five per cent of the conveyance tax revenues, and the Department of Land and Natural Resources expends the revenues for various purposes besides the management, operation, and maintenance of the natural area reserves. The Department also has made expenditures for watershed management, forest stewardship, and forestry programs, all of which are worthy of support.

"Under SB 1299, the natural area reserve fund will not receive conveyance tax revenues but, instead, receive general funds appropriated to the Department of Land and Natural Resources for the management, operation, and maintenance of programs and projects formerly funded by the natural area reserve fund. The general fund appropriations in SB 1299 for the forestry (LNR172), native resources and fire protection (LNR402), and natural area reserves and watershed (LNR407) are at least equivalent, if not greater, to what the special fund appropriation for those programs would have been in the budget bill.

"This year is a transition year. SB 1299 is intended to complement the actions in HB 500, the General Appropriations Act of 2015. In HB 500, the ceiling of the natural area reserve fund is reduced to reflect the loss of conveyance tax revenues, and the means of financing for positions funded by those revenues are changed to general funds. SB 1299 appropriates just under \$21 million for fiscal year 2015-16 and fiscal year 2016-17 to fund those positions and programs, the means of financing of which are now general funds under HB 500. The Governor is provided with explicit authority to transfer the general fund appropriations in SB 1299 to fund positions and programs authorized in HB 500. This intent also is explicitly stated by the Legislature in Conference Committee Report 101 (page 16) for HB 500.

"After this year, the intent is to appropriate the general funds for those positions and programs in the general or supplemental appropriations acts. The intent is to include in the Supplemental Appropriations Act of 2016 the general fund appropriations for fiscal year 2016-17 for the program IDs funded under SB 1299.

By doing so, the appropriations will become part of the Department of Land and Natural Resources' base budget going forward. (Correspondingly, when these appropriations are made, SB 1299 should be amended to delete the appropriations in that bill for fiscal year 2016-17. The appropriations in SB 1299 will no longer be necessary since they will be replaced by the appropriations in the Supplemental Appropriations Act of 2016.)

"These remarks close with a comment on the natural area reserve fund. The Department of Land and Natural Resources, apparently for some years, has expended and transferred amounts from the fund in excess of the legislatively set ceiling. The House Finance Committee raised a concern about this practice, which resulted in a request for an Attorney General opinion on the legality of the practice. Basically, the Attorney General opined that the expenditures and transfers from the fund should not have exceeded the ceiling."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 156 was adopted and S.B. No. 1299, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISPOSITION OF TAX REVENUES," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 22; Ayes with Reservations (Riviere, Ruderman). Noes, 2 (Slom, Thielen). Excused, 1 (Taniguchi).

At 11:49 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 11:53 a.m.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 157 (S.B. No. 1180, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

Senator Nishihara moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 157 be adopted and S.B. No. 1180, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Espero.

Senator Nishihara requested that remarks in support of the measure be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Nishihara's remarks read as follows:

"Madam President and members, I rise to speak in support of SB 1180. The purpose of this measure is to ensure that the Metropolitan Planning Organization(s) in Hawai'i are in compliance with federal laws, thus ensuring that federal transportation funding will continue.

"The clarifying language in this bill makes it comport with the federal requirements for MPOs. O'ahu's MPO was under scrutiny by the Federal Transportation Agency for not aligning with the requirements. This attempt via this bill is a best effort on both Transportation committees of the Legislature to fulfill those requirements.

"I ask that my colleagues support that effort and vote in favor of this bill."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 157 was adopted and S.B. No. 1180, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATIONS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 21. Noes, none. Excused, 4 (Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Harimoto, Inouye).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 159 (S.B. No. 1083, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 159 be adopted and S.B. No. 1083, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Tokuda.

Senator Keith-Agaran rose to speak in support of the measure as follows:

“Just a clarification for my colleagues: This only covers the EUTF portion. The unit is going to arbitration for the remainder of their contract.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 159 was adopted and S.B. No. 1083, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 22. Noes, 1 (Slom). Excused, 2 (Chun Oakland, Inouye).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 162 (S.B. No. 1077, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 162 was adopted and S.B. No. 1077, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 21. Noes, 1 (Slom). Excused, 3 (Chun Oakland, Ihara, Inouye).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 163 (S.B. No. 1084, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 163 be adopted and S.B. No. 1084, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Tokuda.

Senator Baker rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations as follows:

“This is a cost item for unit (9), which are the nurses. Many of these nurses are at our Hawaii Health Systems Corporation. I rise with strong reservations on this measure, not because I don’t think the nurses deserve a raise, not because I don’t think they deserve step movement; I actually do. I think we should get our public hospital nurses as close to the private sector as possible.

“My objection to this measure is that it’s paid with special funds. The hospitals simply don’t have the funds to pay for it, so rather than nurses getting a pay raise and a step movement, I’m afraid that some of the hospitals are going to be forced to provide reductions in force or reductions in services, and I don’t think that’s what any of us want to see.

“I’m disappointed that this has come down to us with a special fund method of financing; I don’t fault the Ways and Means or Finance folks. I do fault the negotiators who negotiated this provision without giving us the resources to take care of the employees involved. Mahalo.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 163 was adopted and S.B. No. 1084, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING

COST ITEMS,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 22; Ayes with Reservations (Baker). Noes, 1 (Slom). Excused, 2 (Chun Oakland, Ihara).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 167 (S.B. No. 284, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1):

Senator Kahele moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 167 be adopted and S.B. No. 284, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Thielen.

Senator Riviere rose to speak in strong support of the measure as follows:

“Thank you. I want to thank everybody for working so hard this year: Senate President, Ways and Means chair, the vice chair, to everybody in the membership here, to the Speaker of the House and the members in the House who made the Turtle Bay conservation easement a better project that’s more palatable for the members. I know it was a traumatic experience last year when it was dropped on the membership, and I appreciate the efforts made last year to pull it off, to the governor for his insightful planning and fundings mechanism. This year, I know the members are more comfortable with fee simple acquisition and the conservation easement.

“This is important, members, to the State of Hawai‘i. The Turtle Bay plan to build 3,500 hotel rooms at the end of a narrow two-lane road out in the rural area was a mistake in the eighties. The developers have, for 30 years, claimed that they have a right and they’re entitled to do what was approved. The Land Use Commission did zoning changes. In the mid-eighties, there was a plan to put a four-lane highway out to Kahuku; the visioning plans in 1985 envisioned a four-lane highway. By the time this project was approved, that four-lane highway was no longer there. So this has been an ongoing problem, not to mention the fact that monk seals are now there, the wildlife, the native and endangered bird species that are there adjacent to the Campbell Estate and the natural wildlife sanctuary.

“This is a pristine area that is worth saving for future generations, not just for the wildlife, but for the residents and the visitors to the state. They don’t all come here to ride elevators up and down in Waikiki. As a matter of fact, the majority of visitors to the state now go to the North Shore on every visit that they’re here, so preserving this is in everybody’s interests. I know it didn’t come cheap, and I know it’s been with some effort, but I really applaud everybody for making this happen. I thank you, and so, with strong support, mahalo.”

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

“I also just want to add, over the last two sessions, to the Tourism Committee chair, who has played an instrumental role in making this happen, and extend my thanks to him as well. Thank you.”

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

“Madam President, reluctantly, I rise in opposition. I have supported the preservation of the North Shore and the property, Turtle Bay. As was previously noted by the senator from the North Shore, last year’s last-minute haste did make waste; it was a terrible financing attempt. This year, it was a much more careful approach, and I was able to sit in with the governor. Congratulations to the governor for talking to the Legislature first before announcing this bill.

“My opposition comes from the fact that it creates a new special fund, and that’s what I’m bound by. Otherwise, I think

it's a good measure, although it is a costly measure: It's now \$45 million – \$35 million from the state, \$7.5 million from the city and county, and \$1.5 million from an environmental fund. It remains to be seen whether we, in fact, will protect the land and still allow for the development under the contract for two new hotels on the Turtle Bay property. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 167 was adopted and S.B. No. 284, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS TAX," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 168 (S.B. No. 1078, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Tokuda and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 168 was adopted and S.B. No. 1078, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, 1 (Slom).

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 169 (S.B. No. 1079, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

By unanimous consent, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 169 and S.B. No. 1079, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS," were recommitted to the Committee on Conference.

MISCELLANEOUS COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications (Misc. Com. Nos. 6 and 7) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Misc. Com. No. 6, letter from the Honorable Donna Mercado Kim, President of the Senate, and the Honorable Joseph M. Souki, Speaker of the House of Representatives, dated May 1, 2015, transmitting a Legislative Communication extending the Conference Committee negotiation and committee report filing deadlines for H.B. No. 321, H.D. 1, S.D. 2.

Misc. Com. No. 7, letter from the Honorable Donna Mercado Kim, President of the Senate, and the Honorable Joseph M. Souki, Speaker of the House of Representatives, dated May 1, 2015, transmitting a Legislative Communication extending the filing deadline for conference committee reports and conference drafts for S.B. No. 284, S.D. 2, H.D. 2; S.B. No. 1078, S.D. 1, H.D. 1; and S.B. No. 1079, S.D. 1, H.D. 1.

SENATE RESOLUTION

The following resolution (S.R. No. 136) was read by the Clerk and was disposed of as follows:

S.R. No. 136 "SENATE RESOLUTION ELECTING THE SENATE PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT OF THE TWENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE."

Offered by: Senator English.

Senator Kidani moved that S.R. No. 136 be adopted, seconded by Senator Nishihara.

Senator Slom rose to request a Roll Call vote, and the Chair so ordered.

The motion was then put by the Chair and carried, and S.R. No. 136, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION ELECTING THE SENATE PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT OF THE TWENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE," Roll Call vote having been requested, was adopted on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 19; Ayes with Reservations (Chun Oakland). Noes, 6 (Ihara, Kim, Riviere, Ruderman, Slom, Thielen).

Senator Ronald D. Kouchi was declared elected President of the Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015.

Senate President Kouchi then approached the rostrum to preside as Chair.

Senator Slom rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

"First of all, congratulations, but this is certainly a session with changes and unexpected occurrences and all of that. Let me just say, since I can speak freely – I'm not a member of any club; no club would have me here. I'm not with the Opihis; I'm not with the Chess Club or anyone else, just my own club. But I find it interesting that we do take a vote while we are still in session to change leadership.

"I would just like to say that I have always found the former president to be what she has a poster on her door saying: a strong woman for a strong America. I know that a lot of people had feathers ruffled because of her dogged determination to ask questions during committees. And I would hope that that process would continue because I think that we have been derelict in our duty in oversight of specific programs and the expenditure of public monies. We need to ask more questions; more importantly, we need to get answers. And I think too few of us raise those questions or continue until we get a real answer from the people that are getting paid, again, by taxpayers' money.

"So, I fully support the new leadership. I appreciate and say thank you for prior leadership. For someone who is really on the outside, I think I've been treated fairly by five separate Senate presidents; I hope that will continue with the sixth. We have always worked together well.

"But I would just tell my colleagues: It's extremely important that we hold people accountable for the use of public money and public trust, and we have not done that. And we have to do it. It's not being disrespectful to ask a question or to demand that somebody indicate how, in fact, their mission statement or their requirement from the Legislature has been attained. We've allowed the auditor's reports that have been excellent in detail to go unattended; and some agencies basically thumb their noses at the Legislature, figuring that they will be there long after we are and that they will continue to be able to do what they do.

"So I hope that we will take a more measured approach and make sure that, in fact, we do not only ask questions, but even in this body, be willing to stand up and say why you support something or why you oppose something. Thank you, and congratulations, Mr. President."

Senator Kim rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

"I'd just like to say it's been a privilege to have served this body as president for the past three sessions. I congratulate you and pledge my support to work with you and the new leadership. Mahalo."

Senator Thielen rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

“I would also like to thank the prior president for her three years of service as president, and I look forward to working with the new leadership as well. Thank you.”

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:09 p.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 10:30 a.m., Thursday, May 7, 2015.

ATTACHMENT A

*The State of Hawai'i's Resilience and
Sustainability Initiative*



28th State of Hawai'i Legislature

Senator J. Kalani English
Senate Majority Leader
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Executive Summary

This document identifies what is needed to make Hawaii resilient and sustainable, which is vital to achieving growth, safety and security within the global community. In many ways, resilience and sustainability are buzzwords among those inside and out of government because they are at a loss on how to translate these concepts into a coherent strategy. This public private partnership initiative seeks to transcend this problem by adopting an approach focused on developing a knowledge-based workforce, diversifying the economic base by promoting research, education and technological innovation and simultaneously strengthen our critical infrastructure.

SB 892 is an omnibus bill that describes the key components of this new strategy designed to specifically address the vulnerabilities of our critical infrastructure, as well as develop a technologically advanced, knowledge-based workforce. Each section of this document provides a roadmap for how we can address our critical infrastructure needs in partnership with the private and civil sectors through manageable, prioritized next steps without putting the overall strategy at risk.

SB 890 and **SB 893** provide for the expansion of a smart grid analysis, which is already underway on Oahu, and initiates a similar study for water and sewer distribution systems. **SB 887** provides for a research and development business model designed to integrate new technology. These industries include unmanned aerial vehicles (UAVs), next generation buoys, and advanced satellites to develop an operational framework for improving ocean hazard modeling — weather and seismic events (e.g. tsunami).

SB 891 provides the resources to build cable landing sights and attracts new capital investment to lay a new transpacific cable, which will provide the necessary connectivity for workforce development and economic growth.

SB 889 establishes a Joint Emergency Management Center (JEMC) which could prototype the suite of operational tools—providing a space for education and training to prepare the necessary workforce—including operational cyber ranges, thus providing additional funding for our infrastructure needs.

Perhaps the most complex challenge for this approach is the non-technological attributes, such as fostering a culture of innovation and developing partnerships to implement new ideas across the spectrum of community stakeholders. This approach calls for the integration of science, social transformation and leadership into a coherent framework for community resilience that implements awareness-based collective action requiring collaborative solutions among stakeholders.

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Comprehensive Critical Infrastructure Strategy*Intermediate Objective and Resources:*

- Support SB 892, which is an omnibus bill focused on the strategy of addressing our critical infrastructure
- Establish a project management staff of 3 Full Time Equivalents (FTEs) with the Lt. Governor's office to implement SB2742 and this strategy

Methods:

In 2014 the Hawaii State Legislature passed Senate Bill 2742, which facilitated the creation of the Pacific-Asia Institute for Resilience and Sustainability (AIRS). This bill calls for the integration of science, social transformation, and leadership into a coherent framework for community resilience and requires an all-hands effort that extends beyond state jurisdictions and conventional security.

AIRS is managed by Swansea University's Network Science Research Center (NSRC) in the United Kingdom, hosted on the mainland in San Diego, and is hosted locally in Honolulu at Hawaii Pacific University (HPU).

Through the NSRC, AIRS has access to a wealth of technology and human capital in the form of the Sensemaking-PACOM Fellowship. The fellowship is a cadre of doctoral students and post-doctoral fellows from around the world that specialize in innovative solutions for complex community issues. Additionally, they bring in the commercial and military specification technological horsepower of IBM, especially in the new world of cognitive computing technologies (e.g. Aurora and Watson platforms).

The Sensemaking-PACOM Fellowship has already been established in Hawaii with the assistance of the U.S. Pacific Command and leadership of the State Adjutant General to begin examining Hawaii's power grid. To conduct the project, and all future AIRS research on Hawaii's critical infrastructure, the Maui High Performance Computing Center will be installing the latest technology from IBM as part of a research and development effort.

The AIRS research team is committed to Hawaii because of its strategic importance and gateway to the Pacific and Asia, and as an archipelago the literal bounded problem sets represented by each island are attractive for demonstrating the capabilities for new solutions to problems shared around the globe.

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Smart Grid*Intermediate Objectives and Resources:*

- Support SB 890, which expands the smart grid study to include the neighbor islands
- Support two full-time equivalent (FTE) project management staff members to administer projects with neighbor islands and explore a smart grid, micro grid for the rail

Methods:

A Smart Grid combines communications networks with the standard electric grid. The primary difference between an electric grid and a smart grid is the generation and exploitation of the massive amounts of data (petabytes per year) generated by smart sensors and meters along the entire system's pathways. A Smart Grid management system will use this data to effectively and efficiently control the production and distribution of electricity.

The AIRS research team and the State of Hawaii Adjutant General initiated a study with HECO to architect and develop a "Smart Grid" using predictive analytics and state of the art edge processing technology to meet the various challenges posed by challenges generated by the high penetration of renewables. Edge processing will allow HECO to mortgage the data transmission latency inherent in a central computing model.

This initial study will focus on the Oahu power grid, including hardware and software upgrades at specific substations. The equipment is expected to start with a phased delivery and installation starting in January 2015. The key benefits of this study include better integration of renewables that enhance the stability of the grid, peak load shifting, and robust data sets to inform more prudent decisions on capital investments on electricity supply, transmission and distribution, and demand.

As the research is further developed on Oahu and other islands, the smart grid's real-time analytics can find discoveries where automatic decisions can be executed or alerts can be sent to users. Alerts can trigger real time responses by HECO or a more deliberate decision process, such as further system adaptation or reconfiguration to prevent increased system instability. HECO will also be able to modify other grid parameters including: security settings, bandwidth allocation and pathway selection.

Ideally, the development of a true "Smart Grid" will give HECO the ability to monitor, command, and control the power generation from multiple sources (renewables) and distribute to areas of peak load demand. This study is moving forward and is the first step to meeting this capability.

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Water and Sewer*Intermediate Objectives and Resources*

- Support SB 893 on Water and Sewer Distribution Systems
- Evaluate regulatory mandates to facilitate water utility improvement projects
 - Specifically consider the Environmental Protection Agency's SRF program administered by the State Department of Health.
- Support two project management staff to initiate projects with county governments

Methods:

As water and sewer management costs continue to increase, information technology and collaborative innovation play a vital role in helping communities, businesses and governments deal with complex water issues.

Current systems are generally stand-alone and limited in scalability, but water and sewer management systems need to provide an integrated operating picture with robust real-time analytics, modeling and decision-support capabilities. Using this approach and deploying the right technology, the AIRS research team can provide comprehensive visibility and situational awareness that spans water and wastewater operations to include an advanced level of event and incident management, improved decision-making, and enhanced efficiency to benefit the population.

Addressing aging infrastructure problems requires greater visibility into what is happening across the water network. The AIRS research efforts will be designed to continuously capture data on the location, condition of assets, and water flows. This data can be analyzed and visualized in real-time to generate insight on water consumption behavior and supply conditions, as well as generate alerts of actual or potential losses from leaks and aging equipment across the network.

Users can use the insights to more effectively manage their demand, while utilities can more effectively control supply through better decisions about what, when, and how much water to store, treat and distribute. It also enables improved collaboration and more coordinated management across multiple stakeholders by enabling them to access and share data on a single platform.

Given the scale of intensifying water management problems, effectively tackling these challenges requires a shift in thinking and actions around how water is managed and used. The AIRS research team can assist in bringing together different partners and funding opportunities to address our mounting water management challenges.

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BroadbandIntermediate Objectives and Resources:

- Develop the process and budget to establish a Broadband Initiative focused on the development of cable landing sites
- Provide for two project management staff to facilitate an initial study and begin the process of establishing an offshore, high tech park to implement the Buoy in the Middle Project and garner private sector support for a transpacific cable

Method

As the great infrastructure challenge of the 21st Century, broadband is the set of technologies that enables the high-speed transfer of digital data and represents the foundation for economic growth, job creation and global competitiveness.

Broadband contributes to fiscal growth by improving productivity and streamlining business processes. It provides the means for delivering new and innovative services and provides our public, private and civil sectors worldwide access to talent, information, and consumers – ultimately driving sustainable, economic growth. As more data and metadata are created from consumers and businesses, data must transmit faster, in real-time and in unprecedented volumes, all while being analyzed, verified, and made secure.

Currently, Hawaii's broadband infrastructure is inadequate to provide this level of service and places us at a competitive disadvantage. The exponential increase in technological devices, like GPS, smartphones, and sensors, means that broadband capacity will only be further stressed in the near future and to address these issues requires a more astute and capable workforce.

The bandwidth need and associated security requirements for this infrastructure requires a new transpacific cable and multiple cable landing sites throughout the State to provide more overall capacity.

AIRS is creating a partnership with various business groups, and academia to create and deliver a cutting-edge solution that will bring a transpacific broadband cable to the State. The partnership will be predicated on the deployment of a new model for monitoring and analyzing tsunami and weather related threats to Hawaii. Academic Institutions and industry operators in the Pacific are also interested in this improved information source and can support the deployment of the transpacific cable and sensing array.

The significant private and civil sector investment to deliver a transpacific broadband cable will need to be met with an investment from the State of Hawaii to secure landing sites and commission the requisite authorities to begin the terrestrial development for a new age of information capacity available to everyone in the State.

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Joint Emergency Management Center (JEMC)Intermediate Objectives and Resources:

- Support SB 889, which authorizes a study that will identify the scope, design and costs for building a Joint Emergency Management Center
- Provide for two project management staff to facilitate an initial study and begin the process of identifying the needs and requirements of the JEMC

Method:

Developing a Joint Emergency Management Center (JEMC) will provide the Governor, Mayors and municipal leaders a single, unified view of all the information they require for situational awareness and provide the opportunity to make decisions in emergency situations based on real-time information. The JEMC is meant to optimize municipality and state functioning, especially in the face of large-scale events, and to respond proactively to emergency situations.

The JEMC will accomplish this by integrating all the stages of a crisis management situation: from the prediction, mitigation and preparedness, to the immediate response to events, and finally to capture feedback from the system to be used in future incidents. By consolidating data from various critical infrastructure systems for real-time visualization, monitoring and analysis, managers will be able to monitor dozens of data feeds for information concerning weather, traffic, transportation systems, police, medical services on a real-time basis and anticipate looming problems—putting defenses in place to diminish their impact. This system will be especially vital for protecting lives in rural areas as well.

While much of the attention paid to the JEMC focuses on its emergency monitoring and response, especially related to weather, a significant portion of the work it can perform relates to ensuring smooth functioning of day-to-day operations. For example, through the JEMC, a municipal waste corporation can monitor where its trucks are and better sequence trash collection, minimizing gas usage and improving waste management services. Real-time traffic monitors allow transit agency employees to redirect traffic around blockages and provide alternate routes for drivers, reducing stall time for vehicles with public notices. Each agency has a small bank of desks with computers in front of a wall of television monitors, which can show real-time images or be used to run modeling. This information managed by the JEMC can also be developed into citizen-friendly formats, including social networking venues, such as Twitter.

The AIRS research team will initiate this work by building a prototype JEMC at HPU in their new Aloha Tower facility. This experimental JEMC will serve as the training ground to begin building the necessary work force and continuously evolve the IT platforms to integrate more information, data feeds and technology as it becomes available. This initiative also provides stakeholders an opportunity to see the importance of why working these focus areas simultaneously is so important.

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Developing the Resources and a Sustainable Business Model*Intermediate Objective and Resources:*

- Support SB 887, which provides the structure to organize an offshore, high tech park to attract research and development
- Provide for three project management staff to facilitate an initial study and begin the process of establishing an offshore, high tech park to implement the Buoy in the Middle Project and garner private sector support for a transpacific cable

Methods:

AIRS will create a partnership with various business groups, and academia to create and deliver a cutting-edge solution that will bring a transpacific broadband cable to the State. The partnership will be predicated on the deployment of a new model for monitoring and analyzing tsunami and weather related threats to Hawaii. Academic Institutions and industry operators in the Pacific are also interested in this improved information source and can support the deployment of the transpacific cable and sensing array.

This R&D effort includes the deployment of a transpacific cable in partnership with multiple sectors in private industry that have a real interest in developing technology focused on an ocean modeling framework using buoys, UAVS, satellite communications and remote sensing. Various partners are willing to contribute to this plan as they see value in demonstrating the commercial applicability of the technology and in the data itself.

The significant private and civil sector investment to deliver a transpacific broadband cable (approximately \$300 million) will need to be met with an investment from the State of Hawaii to secure cable landing sites (approximately \$75 million) and provide the communication backbone it will need for future economic growth, work force development and competitiveness.

Additionally, the establishment of the prototype JEMC will use high performance computing to perform analytics on the data received from the cable sensor array. This will serve as the demonstration for a full JEMC, which will have a comprehensive set of end-to-end tools that can be used for four-dimensional hydrodynamic modeling for forecasts, real time warnings for weather, and potential catastrophic events caused by seismic activity (e.g. tsunami).

To complete the public-private partnership model for this project, the AIRS researchers will need to integrate the planning for cable landing sites into the overall business plan.

This project will provide an estimated \$300 million in savings to the State of Hawaii, serve as a catalyst for making progress in multiple areas and function as a barometer for gauging our community's overall progress of becoming a more resilient and sustainable community in the future.

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Conclusion and Next Steps

The economic climate continues to place huge budgetary constraints on communities and this limits their ability to respond to the various pressures described in this paper. This means the strategy for developing a resilient and sustainable community is not executed with a typical linear approach that applies step-by-step progression, but rather a non-linear approach characterized by expansion in multiple areas simultaneously (5 focus areas). This increases possible outcomes by not being so certain about the starting point and allows vital areas to progress that may require more collaboration or time.


Nonlinear approaches often produce anxiety because of the fear of the unknown, but these issues can be mitigated through the adoption of scalable solutions that take advantage of information and communication technology to increase efficiencies, reduce costs, and enhance quality of life.

For example, the AIRS approach to the Hawaii problem set has his five distinct functional phases listed below that requires a robust resource development phase throughout the life cycle of this initiative. In addition, certain focus areas (smart grid, broadband etc.) may be completed prior to the comprehensive solution being available.


A non-linear approach allows progress to be made without having to wait and provides the space for the research team to both adapt the schedules and findings as well as provide maximum flexibility to include implementation.

- **Community Assessment Phase** – requires data collection in each of the focus areas to clearly understand exactly where each area stands in relation to the other areas using a multitude of indices. This assessment provides the understanding for the community's current position and how we will pinpoint the important factors to take into account when preparing a strategy, which is integrated into an IAP.
- **Integrated Action Plan (IAP) Phase** – turns the research team analysis into something tangible by providing community decision-makers a dynamic vision for what the community could look like in the long-term, and make sure the various short-term projects and initiatives have a direct line of sight to the longer strategic vision.
- **Findings and Recommendations Phase:** The IAP will be delivered as a written report and formal presentation to the stakeholders of the initiative. The presentation will include a detailed business plan based on the analysis of the data and the completed IAP.
- **Implementation Phase.** This phase will require more typical project management as the findings and recommendations are implemented.
- **Resource Development Phase** – The AIRS team is currently developing resources to provide a sustained funding effort fund the overall effort throughout the duration of the initiative.

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2015 SENATE MAJORITY LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM



We of the Democratic Majority of the Hawai'i State Senate, are committed to a vision and future for Hawai'i that will stabilize Hawai'i's economy and improve our quality of life for generations to come. We have a unique opportunity to serve the people of Hawai'i. In that spirit, the Senate Majority is committed to being open, inclusive, and collaborative in its decision-making on behalf of the people of the State of Hawai'i.

We enter the first year of the Twenty-Eighth Legislative biennium with three over-arching themes and priorities for legislation that will improve the quality of life for everyone in Hawai'i, including our keiki, kūpuna, and na 'Ōhana who are most in need.

The Democratic Majority of the Senate will focus on the following areas during the 2015 Session:

Energy and Food Resiliency - Ensuring a sustainable future for Hawai'i will continue to be a priority. Improving energy resiliency and food self-sufficiency will have positive effects on our local job market and economy.

We will focus on renewable energy alternatives that are practical and economical for the State that take into account Hawai'i's unique geographical and topographical circumstances. As Hawai'i continues to make progress in this area and with our overall clean energy goals in mind, we will encourage the availability of renewable energy, facilitate processes for the development of renewable energy, and advance projects to improve energy efficiencies.

We will ensure that Hawai'i is well-prepared for any disaster, economic disruption, or other external factor by encouraging the production and consumption of locally grown and locally raised food through good agricultural practices and support of local farmers.

Community Well-Being and Smart Growth - We will strengthen our social safety net to ensure that our keiki, kūpuna, family care givers, and all members of a family are healthy and safe, while continuing to work together in the community development process of any and all lands to address housing, agricultural, environmental, and health concerns. Smart growth allows for future thinking on how to best utilize the different types of land available for Hawai'i's myriad of communities and their needs.

We will explore opportunities to protect Hawai'i's natural resources through preservation and protective measures, including addressing agricultural practices, climate change, and zoning concerns. Because of Hawai'i's unique geographical features, including coastline, volcanoes, and watersheds, we can implement innovative processes and procedures, as well as explore new technologies and applications to existing systems, to accommodate Hawai'i residents for today and the future.


We will focus on efforts to create a holistic overview and understanding for community development in the State, such as transit-oriented development. Because comprehensive community development presents an opportunity for the State to solve many socio-economic challenges that face Hawai'i's residents, understanding the issues from various parties will further synergize the development to meet housing, critical infrastructure, and community needs.

Government Effectiveness - We will support efforts that ensure that the government is providing effective services in which residents are well-served, safe, and protected. We will work toward greater efficiency, security, and accountability.

We will encourage effectiveness, transparency, and accountability across all branches of government by insisting on high standards of ethical conduct, proper training, and reliable systems and procedures.

We will strengthen and protect government infrastructure by upgrading technology and services to meet the demand of Hawai'i's residents and visitors. We will continue to promote the enhancement of the State's information technology services and concentrate on our critical infrastructure such as broadband.

It is our sincere hope that we can work collaboratively with the House of Representatives and the Governor to achieve all the goals outlined in this 2015 Senate Majority Legislative Program.



Sustainability & Resiliency- A new approach

A new Legislature, a new administration and a new approach that is what the Hawai'i State Senate Majority considered as we developed this Legislative Program for the 28th Legislative Session. On behalf of the 24 members of the Senate Majority, I am pleased to present our hopes and goals for all of Hawai'i.

Kalani English

Senator Kalani English
Majority Leader

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SIXTIETH DAY

Thursday, May 7, 2015

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 10:33 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present with the exception of Senator Ruderman who was excused.

The President announced that he had read and approved the Journal of the Fifty-Ninth Day.

Senator Kahele recognized his session staff, University of Hawai'i at Hilo intern Lilinoe Ka'iolana Kamahele Heaukulani and legislative aide Evan Kauano Chikara Oue, and expressed his appreciation for their support and assistance with the Committee on Tourism and International Affairs.

Senator Espero thanked his staff for their hard work during the legislative session: Marlene Uesugi, Ryan Toyomura, Venus Delos Santos, and session staff Jan Farrant.

Senator English welcomed a group of students from Pukalani Elementary School on Maui who were visiting the State Capitol and 'Iolani Palace. Among the students and chaperones were fifth-grade teachers Mary Jean Bega, Sherry Enriquez, and Kamealoha Blackburn.

Senator Dela Cruz recognized Mrs. Joy Kouchi, wife of Senate President Ronald D. Kouchi, who was present in the gallery.

Senator Keith-Agaran introduced his session staff, Ashlee Affonso and Danielle Evangelista, and thanked them for their hard work.

Senator Slom introduced guests from France who were present in the gallery: Martine Godfroy-Cooper, Ingrid Godfroy, Amandine Houtot, David Houtot, Mark Fortes, Loulou Houtot, Oceanne Houtot, and Arlette Bouin.

Senator Nishihara recognized his staff members who were present in the gallery: Priscilla Kubota, Wayne Nakatsu, and Amanda Ehe.

Senator Tokuda introduced Nic Ayabe, staff member for the Committee on Ways and Means, and remarked on his diligence during the conference period.

Senator Chun Oakland recognized members of her staff who were present in the gallery: Tyler Ingraham, Xan Avendano, Mudra Josephson, Russell Higa, Tyrell Ma'ae, and Alisha Leisek.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 238 and 1129 to 1148) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 238, dated April 28, 2015, transmitting the Hawaii Gas 2014 Renewable Energy Report, prepared by the Public Utilities Commission pursuant to Section 269-45, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 1129, informing the Senate that on May 5, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 14, S.D. 1, H.D. 2 as Act 29, entitled: "RELATING TO THE RESIDENTIAL LANDLORD-TENANT CODE."

Gov. Msg. No. 1130, informing the Senate that on May 5, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 388, H.D. 1 as Act 30, entitled: "RELATING TO POLICE DEPARTMENTS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1131, informing the Senate that on May 5, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 434, S.D. 2, H.D. 1 as Act 31, entitled: "RELATED TO AGRICULTURE."

Gov. Msg. No. 1132, informing the Senate that on May 5, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 589, S.D. 2, H.D. 2 as Act 32, entitled: "RELATING TO INSURANCE."

Gov. Msg. No. 1133, informing the Senate that on May 5, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 736, S.D. 1, H.D. 2 as Act 33, entitled: "RELATING TO INSURANCE."

Gov. Msg. No. 1134, informing the Senate that on May 5, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 987, S.D. 1, H.D. 1 as Act 34, entitled: "RELATING TO POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION."

Gov. Msg. No. 1135, informing the Senate that on May 5, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1156, S.D. 1, H.D. 1 as Act 35, entitled: "RELATING TO STATUTORY REVISION: AMENDING OR REPEALING VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE HAWAII REVISED STATUTES AND THE SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII FOR THE PURPOSES OF CORRECTING ERRORS AND REFERENCES, CLARIFYING LANGUAGE, AND DELETING OBSOLETE OR UNNECESSARY PROVISIONS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1136, informing the Senate that on May 5, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 253, H.D. 2, S.D. 1 as Act 36, entitled: "RELATING TO VACCINATIONS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1137, informing the Senate that on May 5, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 1099, H.D. 2, S.D. 2 as Act 37, entitled: "RELATING TO OUTDOOR ADVERTISING."

Gov. Msg. No. 1138, informing the Senate that on May 5, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 1286, H.D. 2, S.D. 2 as Act 38, entitled: "RELATING TO ENERGY."

Gov. Msg. No. 1139, informing the Senate that on May 6, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 1272, H.D. 2, S.D. 2 as Act 39, entitled: "RELATING TO MOVIE THEATERS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1140, informing the Senate that on May 6, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 611, S.D. 1, H.D. 2 as Act 40, entitled: "RELATING TO USE OF INTOXICANTS WHILE OPERATING A VEHICLE."

Gov. Msg. No. 1141, informing the Senate that on May 6, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 279, H.D. 2, S.D. 1 as Act 41, entitled: "RELATING TO REAL ESTATE BROKERS AND SALESPERSONS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1142, informing the Senate that on May 6, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 1325, H.D. 1, S.D. 1 as Act 42, entitled: "RELATING TO STORMWATER MANAGEMENT."

Gov. Msg. No. 1143, informing the Senate that on May 6, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 1410, H.D. 1, S.D. 1 as Act 43, entitled: "RELATING TO THE YOUTH CONSERVATION CORPS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1144, informing the Senate that on May 6, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 1412, H.D. 2, S.D. 1 as Act 44, entitled: "RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Gov. Msg. No. 1145, informing the Senate that on May 6, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1115, S.D. 1, H.D. 1 as Act 45, entitled: "RELATING TO BUILDING DESIGN FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES."

Gov. Msg. No. 1146, informing the Senate that on May 6, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 283, S.D. 1, H.D. 1 as Act 46, entitled: "RELATING TO THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY."

Gov. Msg. No. 1147, informing the Senate that on May 6, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 233, S.D. 1, H.D. 1 as Act 47, entitled: "RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION."

Gov. Msg. No. 1148, informing the Senate that on May 6, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 2, S.D. 2, H.D. 2 as Act 48, entitled: "RELATING TO PILOTAGE."

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the House (Hse. Com. Nos. 678 to 680) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Hse. Com. No. 678, informing the Senate that on May 5, 2015, the House reconsidered its action taken on April 16, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the Senate to the following House bills:

H.B. No. 346, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2); and
H.B. No. 971, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2).

Hse. Com. No. 679, informing the Senate that on May 5, 2015, the House agreed to the amendments proposed by the Senate and passed the following House bills on Final Reading:

H.B. No. 139, H.D. 1, S.D. 2;
H.B. No. 140, H.D. 1, S.D. 1; and
H.B. No. 821, H.D. 1, S.D. 1.

Hse. Com. No. 680, informing the Senate that on May 5, 2015, the following bills passed Final Reading in the House of Representatives:

H.B. No. 10, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 11, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 15, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 26, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 73, S.D. 1, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 87, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 126, S.D. 1, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 134, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 142, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 158, S.D. 1, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 169, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 174, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 179, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 206, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 207, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 209, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 241, S.D. 1, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 242, S.D. 1, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 252, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 261, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 277, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 290, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 318, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 391, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 436, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 444, H.D. 3, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 448, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 461, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 482, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 500, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1;

H.B. No. 538, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 540, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 541, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 547, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 553, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 573, S.D. 1, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 576, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 581, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 582, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 623, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 631, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 696, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 697, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 707, S.D. 1, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 775, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 782, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 820, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 830, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 831, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 832, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 850, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 894, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 896, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 943, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 1010, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 1069, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 1090, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 1140, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 1153, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 1168, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 1180, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 1214, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 1251, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 1268, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 1273, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 1292, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 1296, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 1332, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 1343, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 1366, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 1394, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 1432, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 1440, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 1471, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 1489, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 1491, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 1509, H.D. 3, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
H.B. No. 1513, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1;
S.B. No. 17, H.D. 2, C.D. 1;
S.B. No. 40, S.D. 3, H.D. 2, C.D. 1;
S.B. No. 64, S.D. 3, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
S.B. No. 92, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
S.B. No. 101, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
S.B. No. 104, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
S.B. No. 105, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
S.B. No. 118, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1;
S.B. No. 158, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
S.B. No. 160, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
S.B. No. 181, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
S.B. No. 213, S.D. 2, H.D. 3, C.D. 1;
S.B. No. 223, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
S.B. No. 250, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
S.B. No. 253, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
S.B. No. 254, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
S.B. No. 265, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
S.B. No. 273, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1;
S.B. No. 284, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1;
S.B. No. 349, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1;
S.B. No. 359, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
S.B. No. 374, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1;
S.B. No. 376, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;

S.B. No. 387, S.D. 2, H.D. 3, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 423, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 464, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 504, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 508, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 519, S.D. 2, H.D. 3, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 521, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 524, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 544, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 555, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 569, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 654, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 661, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 717, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 756, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 791, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 831, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 854, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 868, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 871, S.D. 1, H.D. 3, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 892, S.D. 2, H.D. 3, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 964, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 971, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 996, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 1001, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 1009, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 1028, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 1050, S.D. 2, H.D. 3, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 1060, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 1072, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 1077, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 1078, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 1080, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 1081, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 1082, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 1083, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 1084, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 1090, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 1094, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 1113, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 1117, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 1124, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 1131, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 1158, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 1177, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 1180, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 1211, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 1214, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 1291, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 1297, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 1299, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 1305, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 1312, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 1316, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 1324, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1;
 S.B. No. 1345, H.D. 1, C.D. 1; and
 S.B. No. 1361, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1.

ORDER OF THE DAY

FINAL READING

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 170 (H.B. No. 321, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1):

Senator Espero moved that Conf. Com. Rep. No. 170 be adopted and H.B. No. 321, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Keith-Agaran.

Senator Green requested that remarks in support of the measure with reservations be entered into the Journal, and the Chair so ordered.

The Chair having so ordered, Senator Green's remarks read as follows:

"I support the launch of medical marijuana dispensaries in Hawai'i as both a physician and as a Senator. Patients with serious health problems need this help. I cast this vote however with severe reservations and concerns, that there are at present inadequate protections in the bill to prevent mainland interests, and very likely organized crime, from taking over Hawai'i's program and damaging the fabric of our society.

"In the years to come we must be vigilant and insist that the administration prevent this from coming to pass."

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

"Thank you. Colleagues, we first passed the medical marijuana law in 2000. And although we were applauded for having the courage to pass this in the Legislature, the measure was incomplete and there were gaps and questions on many areas, which, with this legislation, we are finally closing. With H.B. 321, now we will be able to provide to our patients a secure, safe, high-quality medicine, which they currently do not have access to today. And this will change the medical marijuana issue for many individuals who have had to go to the black market – that's what they were forced to do because we did not pass the proper bill 15 years ago.

"So, colleagues, I want to applaud the good senator from the Big Island, our doctor, for all of the work and effort that he put into this bill. He was hesitant, but he knew that this was the right thing to do. He heard from the advocates and the patients, and he took this to the very, very end, and with a little assistance, we were able to get a great measure passed for our residents, which will provide eight dispensaries, eight licenses statewide, and within each license, you will have two production or grow sites and two retail or dispensary sites. And if all goes according to plan, these first dispensaries could be operational by July of 2016, so I urge you to support this measure; it is certainly one that we sorely need. Thank you very much."

Senator Baker rose to speak in strong support of the measure as follows:

"I wanted to acknowledge, not only the folks in conference, Senator Green, Senator Espero, president emerita Kim for helping to move this measure forward after there seemed to be a stalemate, but I also want to acknowledge the hard work of the task force – the stakeholders who came together from around Hawai'i: lawmakers, advocates, prosecutors, law enforcement, Department of Health, DCCA, everybody else who came together to really try to come up with a consensus measure, and a lot of their hard work is reflected in the bill that we're about to pass.

"It always pains me when we set up task forces or working groups and then summarily dismiss what they tell us. So, I'm pleased that the work that so many people put in, the long hours to come to an agreement, some kind of consensus on this very complicated and somewhat controversial – in some parts of our state, anyway – to come up with a bill that I think will not only be very workable but will help move us forward and make sure that those patients who need medical marijuana to ease their pain, their convulsions, their other maladies that other kinds of pharmaceuticals or remedies don't provide any relief, that we will now have a way to do that in a safe, controlled, and effective way. And I appreciate all the hard work that all of my colleagues put in on this measure. Mahalo."

Senator Slom rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations as follows:

"Isn't it interesting: It took 15 years to get this far. I was the thirteenth vote in this Senate body 15 years ago to pass the medical marijuana bill. We should have done this much earlier; it should have been much simpler. Some of the patients who depended on us for use are no longer with us today.

"But we did craft a bill; it was a very interesting process, and it's interesting, too, that it has gotten so much publicity and so much discussion – the discussion about how to ease the pain. I wish we would have had half the energy to ease the pain of our taxpayers with some of the other measures that we pass, but be that as it may, we pass this bill, and I thank the Senate original sponsors, who removed the heavy additional tax burden from this bill, which was a poison pill for me.

"But I'm still concerned because the funding of the bill is going to continue through a special fund – already existing, but still, that mechanism rather than the general fund. And we're talking about the \$5,000 nonrefundable fee for application. We're requiring a \$1 million asset amount for anyone submitting an application. We are getting a dispensing licensing fee of \$75,000 and a \$50,000 annual renewal fee. Hey, this is a lot of money just to provide patient care. We could've done it through Longs Drugs and through some of the others much easier, much sooner.

"I do appreciate, though, my colleagues' work on trying to make sure that abuses are held to a minimum, although abuses will occur; the opportunity to try to work closer with law enforcement to make this a workable bill; and remembering that it is for the patients, the medical patients. So from that standpoint, it's a good thing. So I support the measure, but I also caution that we don't want to continue to make everything that we do into a money-making opportunity for the state. Thank you."

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

"I tend to agree with at least one thing that the previous speaker said: We should've done this a lot earlier. In fact, over the last 10 years, I've been introducing bills along these lines and some very simple mechanisms to make this happen. But be that as it may, we've reached this point; we have this bill moving forward, and I support it.

"However, the country's moving on: There are areas that are legalizing marijuana straight up, and that's the next step for us in Hawai'i. Once we do that, this becomes moot. So the debate for us, moving forward, is not about medical marijuana any more, but it's about legalization, much like the end of Prohibition at the end of the last century, when alcohol became legal again in the United States. So that is the issue that we're going to deal with in the coming session, and I hope that we take it on fully and straightforward and deal with it as the issue that it is, which is legalization. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 170 was adopted and H.B. No. 321, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL MARIJUANA," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24; Ayes with Reservations (Green, Harimoto, Slom). Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Ruderman).

RECONSIDERATION OF ACTIONS TAKEN

S.B. No. 159, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Senator Tokuda moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on April 16, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 159, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Green and carried.

Senator Tokuda then moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 159, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Green.

Senator Tokuda noted:

"Thank you, Mr. President. In discussions with the House, these measures contain the appropriate non-general funds for repeal and reclassification based on the auditor's report and the work of the money committees. It was determined that this measure and the following will be the vehicles that will move through for this session."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried.

On motion by Senator Tokuda, seconded by Senator Green and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 159, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 159, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REPEAL OF NON-GENERAL FUNDS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Ruderman).

S.B. No. 1092, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Senator Tokuda moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on April 16, 2015, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1092, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Green and carried.

Senator Tokuda then moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1092, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Green.

Senator Tokuda noted:

"Thank you. Colleagues, same justification on this measure as the previous one: This will also be the vehicle for the reclassification/repeal of non-general funds."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried.

Senator Tokuda moved that S.B. No. 1092, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Green.

Senator Ihara rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations as follows:

"Mr. President, I would like you to note for the record my reservations. Perhaps the point I want to make is technical, but contrary to the bill title, which is 'Relating to the Repeal of Non-General Funds,' the House inserted five non-general funds, not to repeal but to reclassify. This may be a technical point, but I'm sure the attorney general will take a good look at it. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1092, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 1092, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REPEAL OF NON-GENERAL FUNDS," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24; Ayes with Reservations (Ihara). Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Ruderman).

At 10:54 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 10:55 a.m.

SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions (S.R. Nos. 137 and 138) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

S.R. No. 137 “SENATE RESOLUTION
REGARDING COMPLETION OF THE WORK OF THE
TWENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE, REGULAR SESSION
OF 2015, SUBSEQUENT TO THE ADJOURNMENT
THEREOF.”

Offered by: Senators English, Slom.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, S.R. No. 137 was adopted.

S.R. No. 138 “SENATE RESOLUTION INFORMING
THE HOUSE AND GOVERNOR THAT THE SENATE IS
READY TO ADJOURN SINE DIE.”

Offered by: Senators English, Slom.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, S.R. No. 138 was adopted.

At this time, Senator Taniguchi introduced his intern from the University of Hawai‘i, Patsy Correia, and his session employees Russ Toyooka and Derek Okubo.

At 10:56 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 11:00 a.m.

Senator Thielen rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

“Thank you. Colleagues, I just wanted to share with you, as you may notice that Senator Russell Ruderman is not with us today: As you recall, he was nominated as the Small Business Person of the Year for the State of Hawai‘i, and he spent yesterday all day on a plane, flying to Washington, D.C., to go to the White House, where the Small Business Administration is inviting all 50 Small Business People of the Year for a reception at the White House today. So while we miss him on this last day of the session, I just want to share congratulations and pride in our colleague as a Hawai‘i representative Small Business Person of the Year.”

Senator English rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

“Thank you. Yes, I’d like to join the senator from the other side of the island in congratulating Senator Ruderman. It’s amazing, the modern technology: We were able to text as he was on the plane yesterday, so it was a very interesting discussion about his time at the White House. He’s going to land and go straight into the White House; I don’t think he even has enough time to take a shower. Thank you, Mr. President.”

Senator Kim rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

“Thank you. I know my staff is not here, but I did want to acknowledge them: Bobby Aiu, Lisa Vargas, Nancy Bernal, Cecile Yasay, and my intern for the session, BJ Ramos, and also the two volunteers, Sam and Bridget. I’d like to thank them for all their hard work. Thank you.”

The Chair then made the following announcement:

“Members, at this time, we’ll be taking a short recess to inform the House that the Senate is ready to adjourn.”

The Chair also remarked on the correct pronunciation of “sine die,” as noted by staff member Jesselyn Chong, who had studied Latin.

At 11:01 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 11:19 a.m.

Senator English welcomed an additional group of students from Pukalani Elementary School who were present in the gallery.

Senator Galuteria introduced his office manager, Tommie Suganuma, who was seated in the gallery.

Senator Slom rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

“I just wanted to thank my colleagues, again, for this session, which, by all accounts, was a very unusual session. It was very quiet on the outside, but a lot of things brewing on the inside. We’ve accomplished a number of important pieces of legislation this year, but we still have a lot to do, and I’m looking forward to working with all of you and to work during the interim.

“We have many problems that we must solve, not the least of which is the impending fiscal crisis for the state. We’ve got to solve these problems; we’ve got to solve homelessness; we’ve got to really make it better for everyone. We all believe in that – we want to better Hawai‘i, and we’re optimistic about our possibilities, but we have the power and the responsibility in this body to do things and to do things differently so that we have real, meaningful change in the state.

“And finally, Mr. President, after weeks of negotiation – I tried my best, I really did; I tried to gain membership with either the Opihis or with those other guys, the Chess Club. I failed, Mr. President, so I am going to be starting my own club, the Spoiled Kittens, and anyone who feels disenfranchised or who would like a new perspective on things, they are welcome. We do have room, and remember, our caucus room is the same size as yours, but much more space. So thank you, Mr. President. Thank you, my colleagues. Aloha.”

Senator Espero rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

“I’d like to just say, colleagues, that in my biased way, we did an A this year. We passed some outstanding legislation; we dealt with some very tough and difficult issues and some issues that have been on the table for years. And I want to congratulate all of you for your hard work.

“I want to welcome our new president; I look forward to working with him and the new chairs. And I want to acknowledge our president for the last three sessions for the outstanding work she has done – Senator Kim – in guiding us through difficult and challenging, yet very exciting, times. So, colleagues, I look forward to working with everybody in 2016. Thank you, Mr. President.”

Senator English recognized a third group of students from Pukalani Elementary School who were seated in the gallery.

ADJOURNMENT

Senator Green moved that the Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai‘i, Regular Session of 2015, adjourn Sine Die, seconded by Senator Slom and carried.

At 11:24 a.m., the President rapped his gavel and declared the Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai‘i, Regular Session of 2015, adjourned Sine Die.

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGES RECEIVED AFTER THE ADJOURNMENT
OF THE LEGISLATURE SINE DIE

Gov. Msg. No. 239, dated May 28, 2015, transmitting the Good Agricultural Practices (GAPs) Task Force Report, prepared by the Department of Agriculture pursuant to Act 106, SLH 2013.

Gov. Msg. No. 1149, informing the Senate that on May 15, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 896, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 49, entitled: "MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE, ITS OFFICERS, OR ITS EMPLOYEES."

Gov. Msg. No. 1150, informing the Senate that on May 15, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1072, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 50, entitled: "MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL."

Gov. Msg. No. 1151, informing the Senate that on May 15, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1117, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 51, entitled: "MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION."

Gov. Msg. No. 1152, informing the Senate that on May 20, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1133, S.D. 1, H.D. 1 as Act 52, entitled: "RELATING TO CONFORMITY OF THE HAWAII INCOME TAX LAW TO THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE."

Gov. Msg. No. 1153, informing the Senate that on May 20, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1136, H.D. 1 as Act 53, entitled: "RELATING TO SECTION 235-55.91, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES."

Gov. Msg. No. 1154, informing the Senate that on May 28, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1077, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 54, entitled: "MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1155, informing the Senate that on May 28, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1078, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 55, entitled: "MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1156, informing the Senate that on May 28, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1080, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 56, entitled: "MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1157, informing the Senate that on May 28, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1081, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 57, entitled: "MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1158, informing the Senate that on May 28, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1082, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 58, entitled: "MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1159, informing the Senate that on May 28, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1083, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 59, entitled: "MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1160, informing the Senate that on May 28, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1084, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 60, entitled: "MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1161, informing the Senate that on May 28, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 743, S.D. 1, H.D. 2 as Act 61, entitled: "RELATING TO ACTIVITY DESKS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1162, informing the Senate that on May 28, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1093, S.D. 2, H.D. 1 as Act 62, entitled: "RELATING TO MORTGAGE SERVICERS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1163, informing the Senate that on May 28, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1094, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 63, entitled: "RELATING TO INSURANCE."

Gov. Msg. No. 1164, informing the Senate that on May 28, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1262, S.D. 1, H.D. 1 as Act 64, entitled: "RELATING TO THE SECURE AND FAIR ENFORCEMENT FOR MORTGAGE LICENSING ACT."

Gov. Msg. No. 1165, informing the Senate that on May 29, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 158, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 65, entitled: "MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY OF THE COUNTY OF MAUI."

Gov. Msg. No. 1166, informing the Senate that on May 29, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 126, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 66, entitled: "MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT COST ITEMS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1167, informing the Senate that on May 29, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 104, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 67, entitled: "RELATING TO BUDGETING."

Gov. Msg. No. 1168, informing the Senate that on May 29, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 242, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 68, entitled: "RELATING TO SEAWATER AIR CONDITIONING."

Gov. Msg. No. 1169, informing the Senate that on May 29, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 582, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 69, entitled: "RELATING TO THE NURSING FACILITY SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAM."

Gov. Msg. No. 1170, informing the Senate that on May 29, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 581, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 70, entitled: "RELATING TO THE HOSPITAL SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAM."

Gov. Msg. No. 1171, informing the Senate that on May 29, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 943, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 71, entitled: "RELATING TO THE CIVIL MONETARY PENALTY SPECIAL FUND."

Gov. Msg. No. 1172, informing the Senate that on May 29, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 139, H.D. 1, S.D. 2 as Act 72, entitled: "RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST ANAERGIA INC."

Gov. Msg. No. 1173, informing the Senate that on May 29, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 140, H.D. 1, S.D. 1 as Act 73, entitled: "RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE

OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR CHAMINADE UNIVERSITY OF HONOLULU.”

Gov. Msg. No. 1174, informing the Senate that on May 29, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 241, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 74, entitled: “RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST SEAWATER AIR CONDITIONING PROJECTS ON OAHU.”

Gov. Msg. No. 1175, informing the Senate that on May 29, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1214, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 75, entitled: “RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST HAWAIIAN ELECTRIC COMPANY, INC., MAUI ELECTRIC COMPANY, LIMITED, AND HAWAII ELECTRIC LIGHT COMPANY, INC.”

Gov. Msg. No. 1176, informing the Senate that on June 3, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1028, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 76, entitled: “RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH CONNECTOR.”

Gov. Msg. No. 1177, informing the Senate that on June 3, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1066, S.D. 1, H.D. 1 as Act 77, entitled: “RELATING TO THE UNIFORM INTERSTATE FAMILY SUPPORT ACT.”

Gov. Msg. No. 1178, informing the Senate that on June 3, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 654, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 78, entitled: “RELATING TO CAMPAIGNS.”

Gov. Msg. No. 1179, informing the Senate that on June 3, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 508, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 79, entitled: “RELATING TO CAMPAIGN FINANCE.”

Gov. Msg. No. 1180, informing the Senate that on June 3, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 148, S.D. 1, H.D. 1 as Act 80, entitled: “RELATING TO NUISANCE ABATEMENT.”

Gov. Msg. No. 1181, informing the Senate that on June 3, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 524, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 81, entitled: “MAKING A GRANT TO THE HAWAII COUNTY OFFICE OF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY.”

Gov. Msg. No. 1182, informing the Senate that on June 3, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 423, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 82, entitled: “RELATING TO APPROPRIATIONS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU.”

Gov. Msg. No. 1183, informing the Senate that on June 3, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1305, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 83, entitled: “MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO THE COUNTY OF KAUAI OFFICE OF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY.”

Gov. Msg. No. 1184, informing the Senate that on June 3, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1299, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 84, entitled: “RELATING TO DISPOSITION OF TAX REVENUES.”

Gov. Msg. No. 1185, informing the Senate that on June 5, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1087, S.D. 1, H.D. 1 as Act 85, entitled: “RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES’ RETIREMENT SYSTEM.”

Gov. Msg. No. 1186, informing the Senate that on June 5, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1089, S.D. 1, H.D. 1 as Act 86, entitled: “RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES’ RETIREMENT SYSTEM.”

Gov. Msg. No. 1187, informing the Senate that on June 5, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1090, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 87, entitled: “RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES’ RETIREMENT SYSTEM.”

Gov. Msg. No. 1188, informing the Senate that on June 5, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1208, S.D. 1, H.D. 1 as Act 88, entitled: “RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES’ RETIREMENT SYSTEM.”

Gov. Msg. No. 1189, informing the Senate that on June 5, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 504, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 89, entitled: “RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION.”

Gov. Msg. No. 1190, informing the Senate that on June 5, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1124, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 90, entitled: “RELATING TO USE PERMITS FOR SMALL BOAT HARBORS.”

Gov. Msg. No. 1191, informing the Senate that on June 5, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 419, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 91, entitled: “RELATING TO NEIGHBORHOOD BOARDS.”

Gov. Msg. No. 1192, informing the Senate that on June 5, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 461, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 92, entitled: “RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF INFORMATION PRACTICES.”

Gov. Msg. No. 1193, informing the Senate that on June 5, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 169, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 93, entitled: “RELATING TO TAXATION.”

Gov. Msg. No. 1194, informing the Senate that on June 5, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 92, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 94, entitled: “RELATING TO TAXATION.”

Gov. Msg. No. 1195, informing the Senate that on June 5, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 971, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 95, entitled: “RELATING TO TAXATION.”

Gov. Msg. No. 1196, informing the Senate that on June 5, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 1168, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 96, entitled: “RELATING TO THE BOATING SPECIAL FUND.”

Gov. Msg. No. 1197, informing the Senate that on June 8, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 623, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 97, entitled: “RELATING TO RENEWABLE STANDARDS.”

Gov. Msg. No. 1198, informing the Senate that on June 8, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 1296, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 98, entitled: “RELATING TO ENERGY.”

Gov. Msg. No. 1199, informing the Senate that on June 8, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 1509, H.D. 3, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 99, entitled: “RELATING TO ENERGY.”

Gov. Msg. No. 1200, informing the Senate that on June 8, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1050, S.D. 2, H.D. 3, C.D. 1 as Act 100, entitled: “RELATING TO ENERGY.”

Gov. Msg. No. 1201, informing the Senate that on June 9, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 87, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 101, entitled: “RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY.”

Gov. Msg. No. 1202, informing the Senate that on June 9, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 142, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 102, entitled: "RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING ON HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1203, informing the Senate that on June 10, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 1075, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 103, entitled: "RELATING TO HEALTH."

Gov. Msg. No. 1204, informing the Senate that on June 12, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 547, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 104, entitled: "RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."

Gov. Msg. No. 1205, informing the Senate that on June 12, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 850, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 105, entitled: "RELATING TO THE AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION SERVICE."

Gov. Msg. No. 1206, informing the Senate that on June 12, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 160, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 106, entitled: "RELATING TO UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII NON-GENERAL FUNDS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1207, informing the Senate that on June 12, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 11, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 107, entitled: "RELATING TO TEACHERS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1208, informing the Senate that on June 12, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 821, H.D. 1, S.D. 1 as Act 108, entitled: "RELATING TO EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION."

Gov. Msg. No. 1209, informing the Senate that on June 12, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 820, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 109, entitled: "RELATING TO PUBLIC EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION."

Gov. Msg. No. 1210, informing the Senate that on June 12, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 831, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 110, entitled: "RELATING TO PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1211, informing the Senate that on June 12, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 832, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 111, entitled: "RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Gov. Msg. No. 1212, informing the Senate that on June 12, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 1349, H.D. 2, S.D. 1 as Act 112, entitled: "RELATING TO TEACHER TENURE."

Gov. Msg. No. 1213, informing the Senate that on June 12, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 374, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 113, entitled: "RELATING TO DUAL CREDIT PROGRAMS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1214, informing the Senate that on June 12, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 831, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 114, entitled: "RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Gov. Msg. No. 1215, informing the Senate that on June 12, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 854, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 115, entitled: "RELATING TO PUBLIC SCHOOL LANDS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1216, informing the Senate that on June 12, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1345, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 116, entitled: "RELATING TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1217, informing the Senate that on June 12, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 444, H.D. 3, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 117, entitled: "RELATING TO BEACH PROTECTION."

Gov. Msg. No. 1218, informing the Senate that on June 12, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 101, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 118, entitled: "RELATING TO THE BUDGET."

Gov. Msg. No. 1219, informing the Senate that on June 12, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 500, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 119, entitled: "RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET."

Gov. Msg. No. 1220, informing the Senate that on June 12, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 1140, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 120, entitled: "RELATING TO CESSPOOLS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1221, informing the Senate that on June 12, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 284, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 121, entitled: "RELATING TO THE TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS TAX."

Gov. Msg. No. 1222, informing the Senate that on June 19, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1030, S.D. 1, H.D. 2 as Act 122, entitled: "RELATING TO HEALTH."

Gov. Msg. No. 1223, informing the Senate that on June 19, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 525, H.D. 2, S.D. 2 as Act 123, entitled: "RELATING TO STATE PARKS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1224, informing the Senate that on June 19, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 181, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 124, entitled: "RELATING TO VETERANS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1225, informing the Senate that on June 19, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 346, H.D. 1, S.D. 2 as Act 125, entitled: "RELATING TO THE CIVIL PROCESS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1226, informing the Senate that on June 19, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 1471, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 126, entitled: "RELATING TO THE FUNDING OF GOVERNMENT PROGRAMS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1227, informing the Senate that on June 19, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 354, H.D. 2, S.D. 1 as Act 127, entitled: "RELATING TO NURSES."

Gov. Msg. No. 1228, informing the Senate that on June 19, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 1153, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 128, entitled: "RELATING TO VETERANS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1229, informing the Senate that on June 19, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1211, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 129, entitled: "RELATING TO THE MAJOR DISASTER FUND."

Gov. Msg. No. 1230, informing the Senate that on June 19, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 971, H.D. 1, S.D. 2 as Act 130, entitled: "RELATING TO ALOHA TOWER DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION."

Gov. Msg. No. 1231, informing the Senate that on June 19, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 871, S.D. 1, H.D. 3, C.D. 1 as Act 131, entitled: "RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY."

Gov. Msg. No. 1232, informing the Senate that on June 19, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1180,

S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 132, entitled: "RELATING TO METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATIONS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1233, informing the Senate that on June 19, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 26, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 133, entitled: "RELATING TO THE COMPENSATION OF TRUSTEES."

Gov. Msg. No. 1234, informing the Senate that on June 19, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 1214, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 134, entitled: "RELATING TO THE STATE-COUNTY FUNCTIONS WORKING GROUP."

Gov. Msg. No. 1235, informing the Senate that on June 19, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 17, H.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 135, entitled: "RELATING TO REAL ESTATE SELLER DISCLOSURE."

Gov. Msg. No. 1236, informing the Senate that on June 19, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 868, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 136, entitled: "RELATING TO LIQUOR COMMISSIONS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1237, informing the Senate that on June 19, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1009, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 137, entitled: "RELATING TO SERVICE CHARGES."

Gov. Msg. No. 1238, informing the Senate that on June 25, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 290, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 138, entitled: "RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY."

Gov. Msg. No. 1239, informing the Senate that on June 25, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 1440, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 139, entitled: "RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Gov. Msg. No. 1240, informing the Senate that on June 25, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 287, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 140, entitled: "RELATING TO THE UNIFORM INFORMATION PRACTICES ACT."

Gov. Msg. No. 1241, informing the Senate that on June 25, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 223, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 141, entitled: "RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC GUARDIAN."

Gov. Msg. No. 1242, informing the Senate that on June 25, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 544, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 142, entitled: "RELATING TO NATURAL RESOURCES."

Gov. Msg. No. 1243, dated June 29, 2015, transmitting 8 proclamations giving notice of the Governor's plans to return the following bills with his objections: House Bill Nos. 540 and 553, and Senate Bill Nos. 105, 218, 265, 349, 569, and 1324, which read as follows:

"PROCLAMATION"

WHEREAS, under Section 16 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, the Governor is required to give notice, by a proclamation, of the Governor's plan to return with the Governor's objections any bill presented to the Governor less than ten days before adjournment sine die or presented to the Governor after adjournment sine die of the Legislature; and

WHEREAS, House Bill No. 540, entitled "A Bill for an Act Relating to the University of Hawaii Accounting and Financial Management System," passed by the Legislature, was presented to the Governor within the aforementioned period; and

WHEREAS, House Bill No. 540 is unacceptable to the Governor of the State of Hawaii;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, DAVID Y. IGE, Governor of the State of Hawaii, do hereby issue this proclamation, pursuant to the provisions of Section 16 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, giving notice of my plan to return House Bill No. 540 with my objections thereon to the Legislature as provided by said Section 16 of Article III of the Constitution.

DONE at the State Capitol, Honolulu,
State of Hawaii, this 29
day of June, 2015.

/s/ David Y. Ige
DAVID Y. IGE
Governor of Hawaii"

"PROCLAMATION"

WHEREAS, under Section 16 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, the Governor is required to give notice, by a proclamation, of the Governor's plan to return with the Governor's objections any bill presented to the Governor less than ten days before adjournment sine die or presented to the Governor after adjournment sine die of the Legislature; and

WHEREAS, House Bill No. 553, entitled "A Bill for an Act Relating to Collective Bargaining," passed by the Legislature, was presented to the Governor within the aforementioned period; and

WHEREAS, House Bill No. 553 is unacceptable to the Governor of the State of Hawaii;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, DAVID Y. IGE, Governor of the State of Hawaii, do hereby issue this proclamation, pursuant to the provisions of Section 16 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, giving notice of my plan to return House Bill No. 553 with my objections thereon to the Legislature as provided by said Section 16 of Article III of the Constitution.

DONE at the State Capitol, Honolulu,
State of Hawaii, this 29
day of June, 2015.

/s/ David Y. Ige
DAVID Y. IGE
Governor of Hawaii"

"PROCLAMATION"

WHEREAS, under Section 16 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, the Governor is required to give notice, by a proclamation, of the Governor's plan to return with the Governor's objections any bill presented to the Governor less than ten days before adjournment sine die or presented to the Governor after adjournment sine die of the Legislature; and

WHEREAS, Senate Bill No. 105, entitled "A Bill for an Act Relating to the Budget," passed by the Legislature, was presented to the Governor within the aforementioned period; and

WHEREAS, Senate Bill No. 105 is unacceptable to the Governor of the State of Hawaii;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, DAVID Y. IGE, Governor of the State of Hawaii, do hereby issue this proclamation, pursuant to the provisions of Section 16 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, giving notice of my plan to return Senate Bill No. 105 with my objections thereon to the Legislature as provided by said Section 16 of Article III of the Constitution.

DONE at the State Capitol, Honolulu,
State of Hawaii, this 29
day of June, 2015.

/s/ David Y. Ige
DAVID Y. IGE
Governor of Hawaii"

"PROCLAMATION"

WHEREAS, under Section 16 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, the Governor is required to give notice, by a proclamation, of the Governor's plan to return with the Governor's objections any bill presented to the Governor less than ten days before adjournment sine die or presented to the Governor after adjournment sine die of the Legislature; and

WHEREAS, Senate Bill No. 218, entitled "A Bill for an Act Relating to Order of Succession," passed by the Legislature, was presented to the Governor within the aforementioned period; and

WHEREAS, Senate Bill No. 218 is unacceptable to the Governor of the State of Hawaii;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, DAVID Y. IGE, Governor of the State of Hawaii, do hereby issue this proclamation, pursuant to the provisions of Section 16 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, giving notice of my plan to return Senate Bill No. 218 with my objections thereon to the Legislature as provided by said Section 16 of Article III of the Constitution.

DONE at the State Capitol, Honolulu,
State of Hawaii, this 29
day of June, 2015.

/s/ David Y. Ige
DAVID Y. IGE
Governor of Hawaii"

"PROCLAMATION"

WHEREAS, under Section 16 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, the Governor is required to give notice, by a proclamation, of the Governor's plan to return with the Governor's objections any bill presented to the Governor less than ten days before adjournment sine die or presented to the Governor after adjournment sine die of the Legislature; and

WHEREAS, Senate Bill No. 265, entitled "A Bill for an Act Relating to Sex Trafficking," passed by the Legislature, was presented to the Governor within the aforementioned period; and

WHEREAS, Senate Bill No. 265 is unacceptable to the Governor of the State of Hawaii;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, DAVID Y. IGE, Governor of the State of Hawaii, do hereby issue this proclamation, pursuant to the provisions of Section 16 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, giving notice of my plan to return Senate Bill No. 265 with my objections thereon to the Legislature as provided by said Section 16 of Article III of the Constitution.

DONE at the State Capitol, Honolulu,
State of Hawaii, this 29
day of June, 2015.

/s/ David Y. Ige
DAVID Y. IGE
Governor of Hawaii"

"PROCLAMATION"

WHEREAS, under Section 16 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, the Governor is required to give notice, by a proclamation, of the Governor's plan to return with the Governor's objections any bill presented to the Governor less than ten days before adjournment sine die or

presented to the Governor after adjournment sine die of the Legislature; and

WHEREAS, Senate Bill No. 349, entitled "A Bill for an Act Relating to Taxation," passed by the Legislature, was presented to the Governor within the aforementioned period; and

WHEREAS, Senate Bill No. 349 is unacceptable to the Governor of the State of Hawaii;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, DAVID Y. IGE, Governor of the State of Hawaii, do hereby issue this proclamation, pursuant to the provisions of Section 16 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, giving notice of my plan to return Senate Bill No. 349 with my objections thereon to the Legislature as provided by said Section 16 of Article III of the Constitution.

DONE at the State Capitol, Honolulu,
State of Hawaii, this 29
day of June, 2015.

/s/ David Y. Ige
DAVID Y. IGE
Governor of Hawaii"

"PROCLAMATION"

WHEREAS, under Section 16 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, the Governor is required to give notice, by a proclamation, of the Governor's plan to return with the Governor's objections any bill presented to the Governor less than ten days before adjournment sine die or presented to the Governor after adjournment sine die of the Legislature; and

WHEREAS, Senate Bill No. 569, entitled "A Bill for an Act Relating to Theft," passed by the Legislature, was presented to the Governor within the aforementioned period; and

WHEREAS, Senate Bill No. 569 is unacceptable to the Governor of the State of Hawaii;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, DAVID Y. IGE, Governor of the State of Hawaii, do hereby issue this proclamation, pursuant to the provisions of Section 16 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, giving notice of my plan to return Senate Bill No. 569 with my objections thereon to the Legislature as provided by said Section 16 of Article III of the Constitution.

DONE at the State Capitol, Honolulu,
State of Hawaii, this 29
day of June, 2015.

/s/ David Y. Ige
DAVID Y. IGE
Governor of Hawaii"

"PROCLAMATION"

WHEREAS, under Section 16 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, the Governor is required to give notice, by a proclamation, of the Governor's plan to return with the Governor's objections any bill presented to the Governor less than ten days before adjournment sine die or presented to the Governor after adjournment sine die of the Legislature; and

WHEREAS, Senate Bill No. 1324, entitled "A Bill for an Act Relating to Divorce," passed by the Legislature, was presented to the Governor within the aforementioned period; and

WHEREAS, Senate Bill No. 1324 is unacceptable to the Governor of the State of Hawaii;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, DAVID Y. IGE, Governor of the State of Hawaii, do hereby issue this proclamation, pursuant to

the provisions of Section 16 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, giving notice of my plan to return Senate Bill No. 1324 with my objections thereon to the Legislature as provided by said Section 16 of Article III of the Constitution.

DONE at the State Capitol, Honolulu,
State of Hawaii, this 29
day of June, 2015.

/s/ David Y. Ige
DAVID Y. IGE
Governor of Hawaii"

Gov. Msg. No. 1244, informing the Senate that on June 26, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 892, S.D. 2, H.D. 3, C.D. 1 as Act 143, entitled: "RELATING TO OMNIBUS HAWAII RESILIENCE AND SUSTAINABILITY STRATEGY."

Gov. Msg. No. 1245, informing the Senate that on June 26, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 707, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 144, entitled: "RELATING TO NON-GENERAL FUNDS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1246, informing the Senate that on June 26, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 1489, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 145, entitled: "RELATING TO SPECIAL LICENSE PLATES FOR NATIONAL PARKS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1247, informing the Senate that on June 26, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 158, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 146, entitled: "RELATING TO THE BUDGET DOCUMENTS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1248, informing the Senate that on June 26, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 159, S.D. 1, H.D. 1 as Act 147, entitled: "RELATING TO THE REPEAL OF NON-GENERAL FUNDS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1249, informing the Senate that on June 26, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 250, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 148, entitled: "RELATING TO FEDERAL FUNDS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1250, informing the Senate that on June 26, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 253, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 149, entitled: "RELATING TO STATE DEBT."

Gov. Msg. No. 1251, informing the Senate that on June 26, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 254, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 150, entitled: "RELATING TO THE BUDGET."

Gov. Msg. No. 1252, informing the Senate that on June 26, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 996, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 151, entitled: "RELATING TO ETHICS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1253, informing the Senate that on June 26, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 482, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 152, entitled: "RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."

Gov. Msg. No. 1254, informing the Senate that on June 26, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 573, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 153, entitled: "RELATING TO HAWAII GOOD AGRICULTURAL PRACTICES."

Gov. Msg. No. 1255, informing the Senate that on June 26, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 1332, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 154, entitled: "RELATING TO IRRIGATION."

Gov. Msg. No. 1256, informing the Senate that on June 26, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1060,

S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 155, entitled: "RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LOANS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1257, informing the Senate that on June 26, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 277, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 156, entitled: "RELATING TO INFRASTRUCTURE."

Gov. Msg. No. 1258, informing the Senate that on June 26, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 775, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 157, entitled: "RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Gov. Msg. No. 1259, informing the Senate that on June 26, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 1090, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 158, entitled: "RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENTS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1260, informing the Senate that on June 26, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 1513, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 159, entitled: "RELATING TO ENERGY."

Gov. Msg. No. 1261, informing the Senate that on June 26, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1361, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 160, entitled: "RELATING TO BUDGETING."

Gov. Msg. No. 1262, informing the Senate that on June 26, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 717, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 161, entitled: "RELATING TO ETHANOL."

Gov. Msg. No. 1263, informing the Senate that on June 26, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 73, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 162, entitled: "RELATING TO STATE BONDS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1264, informing the Senate that on June 26, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1158, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 163, entitled: "RELATING TO THE PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL SPACE CENTER FOR EXPLORATION SYSTEMS SPECIAL FUND."

Gov. Msg. No. 1265, informing the Senate that on June 26, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1316, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 164, entitled: "RELATING TO ELECTRIC VEHICLES."

Gov. Msg. No. 1266, informing the Senate that on June 26, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 391, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 165, entitled: "RELATING TO WAGES AND HOURS ON PUBLIC WORKS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1267, informing the Senate that on June 26, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 696, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 166, entitled: "RELATING TO WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT."

Gov. Msg. No. 1268, informing the Senate that on June 26, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 952, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 167, entitled: "RELATING TO WAGES AND HOURS ON PUBLIC WORKS LAW."

Gov. Msg. No. 1269, informing the Senate that on June 26, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 1268, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 168, entitled: "RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."

Gov. Msg. No. 1270, informing the Senate that on June 30, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 207, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 169, entitled: "RELATING TO TRAINING."

Gov. Msg. No. 1271, informing the Senate that on June 30, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 209, H.D. 2,

S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 170, entitled: "RELATING TO THE BUDGET OF THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1272, informing the Senate that on June 30, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1166, S.D. 2, H.D. 2 as Act 171, entitled: "RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE."

Gov. Msg. No. 1273, informing the Senate that on June 30, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 1007, H.D. 1, S.D. 2 as Act 172, entitled: "RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE DRIVER LICENSING."

Gov. Msg. No. 1274, informing the Senate that on June 30, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 15, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 173, entitled: "RELATING TO ELECTIONS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1275, informing the Senate that on June 30, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 179, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 174, entitled: "RELATING TO PERMANENT ABSENTEE BALLOTS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1276, informing the Senate that on June 30, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 252, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 175, entitled: "RELATING TO PHARMACY BENEFIT MANAGERS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1277, informing the Senate that on June 30, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 318, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 176, entitled: "RELATING TO GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1278, informing the Senate that on June 30, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 697, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 177, entitled: "RELATING TO STATE FACILITIES."

Gov. Msg. No. 1279, informing the Senate that on June 30, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 894, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 178, entitled: "RELATING TO THE ENHANCED 911 BOARD."

Gov. Msg. No. 1280, informing the Senate that on June 30, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 440, S.D. 1, H.D. 1 as Act 179, entitled: "RELATING TO VACANCIES."

Gov. Msg. No. 1281, informing the Senate that on June 30, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1177, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 180, entitled: "RELATING TO THE STATE FOUNDATION ON CULTURE AND THE ARTS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1282, informing the Senate that on June 30, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 1180, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 181, entitled: "RELATING TO PROCUREMENT."

Gov. Msg. No. 1283, informing the Senate that on June 30, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 1292, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 182, entitled: "RELATING TO PROCUREMENT."

Gov. Msg. No. 1284, informing the Senate that on June 30, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 1366, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 183, entitled: "RELATING TO STATE ACQUISITION OR DEVELOPMENT OF REAL PROPERTY."

Gov. Msg. No. 1285, informing the Senate that on July 1, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 576, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 184, entitled: "RELATING TO THE STATE AFFORDABLE CARE ACT INNOVATION WAIVER."

Gov. Msg. No. 1286, informing the Senate that on July 1, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 359, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 185, entitled: "RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENTAL RESPONSE, ENERGY, AND FOOD SECURITY TAX."

Gov. Msg. No. 1287, informing the Senate that on July 1, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 550, S.D. 1, H.D. 2 as Act 186, entitled: "RELATING TO HEALTH."

Gov. Msg. No. 1288, informing the Senate that on July 1, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 878, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 187, entitled: "RELATING TO WASTEWATER."

Gov. Msg. No. 1289, informing the Senate that on July 1, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 964, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 188, entitled: "RELATING TO AGING."

Gov. Msg. No. 1290, informing the Senate that on July 1, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1049, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 189, entitled: "RELATING TO ELECTRONIC WASTE RECYCLING."

Gov. Msg. No. 1291, informing the Senate that on July 1, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1113, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 190, entitled: "RELATING TO BACKGROUND CHECKS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1292, informing the Senate that on July 1, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 64, S.D. 3, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 191, entitled: "RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES."

Gov. Msg. No. 1293, informing the Senate that on July 1, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 436, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 192, entitled: "RELATING TO EMERGENCY VEHICLES."

Gov. Msg. No. 1294, informing the Senate that on July 1, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 211, S.D. 1, H.D. 1 as Act 193, entitled: "RELATING TO FORENSIC IDENTIFICATION."

Gov. Msg. No. 1295, informing the Senate that on July 1, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 213, S.D. 2, H.D. 3, C.D. 1 as Act 194, entitled: "RELATING TO THE HAWAII PENAL CODE."

Gov. Msg. No. 1296, informing the Senate that on July 1, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1131, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 195, entitled: "RELATING TO THE UNIFORM CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT."

Gov. Msg. No. 1297, informing the Senate that on July 1, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 1432, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 196, entitled: "RELATING TO THE INTERIM ASSISTANCE REIMBURSEMENT SPECIAL FUND."

Gov. Msg. No. 1298, informing the Senate that on July 2, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 261, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 197, entitled: "RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION."

Gov. Msg. No. 1299, informing the Senate that on July 2, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 268, H.D. 2, S.D. 1 as Act 198, entitled: "RELATING TO DENTISTRY."

Gov. Msg. No. 1300, informing the Senate that on July 2, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 40, S.D. 3, H.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 199, entitled: "RELATING TO LICENSING."

Gov. Msg. No. 1301, informing the Senate that on July 2, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 464, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 200, entitled: "RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION."

Gov. Msg. No. 1302, informing the Senate that on July 2, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1096, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 201, entitled: "RELATING TO ON-BILL PROGRAMS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1303, informing the Senate that on July 2, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1312, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 202, entitled: "RELATING TO STATE FUNDS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1304, informing the Senate that on July 2, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 448, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 203, entitled: "RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE."

Gov. Msg. No. 1305, informing the Senate that on July 2, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 519, S.D. 2, H.D. 3, C.D. 1 as Act 204, entitled: "RELATING TO TAXATION."

Gov. Msg. No. 1306, informing the Senate that on July 2, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 1010, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 205, entitled: "RELATING TO THE COMMUTER BENEFITS PROGRAM."

Gov. Msg. No. 1307, informing the Senate that on July 2, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 119, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 206, entitled: "RELATING TO HEALTH."

Gov. Msg. No. 1308, informing the Senate that on July 2, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 521, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 207, entitled: "AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO WAIMEA NUI COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION."

Gov. Msg. No. 1309, informing the Senate that on July 2, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 661, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 208, entitled: "RELATING TO UNMANNED AERIAL SYSTEMS TEST SITES."

Gov. Msg. No. 1310, informing the Senate that on July 2, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 1491, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 209, entitled: "RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING."

Gov. Msg. No. 1311, informing the Senate that on July 2, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 1343, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 210, entitled: "RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY."

Gov. Msg. No. 1312, informing the Senate that on July 2, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 589, H.D. 1, S.D. 1 as Act 211, entitled: "RELATING TO STROKE CARE."

Gov. Msg. No. 1313, informing the Senate that on July 2, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 467, H.D. 1, S.D. 1 as Act 212, entitled: "RELATING TO HEALTH."

Gov. Msg. No. 1314, informing the Senate that on July 2, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 174, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 213, entitled: "RELATING TO HEALTH."

Gov. Msg. No. 1315, informing the Senate that on July 2, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 10, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 214, entitled: "RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Gov. Msg. No. 1316, informing the Senate that on July 7, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1001, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 215, entitled: "RELATING TO MANUFACTURING."

Gov. Msg. No. 1317, informing the Senate that on July 7, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 1069, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 216, entitled: "RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY."

Gov. Msg. No. 1318, informing the Senate that on July 7, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 982, S.D. 1, H.D. 2 as Act 217, entitled: "RELATING TO MEDICAL AMNESTY."

Gov. Msg. No. 1319, informing the Senate that on July 7, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 376, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 218, entitled: "RELATING TO A FARM TO SCHOOL PROGRAM."

Gov. Msg. No. 1320, informing the Senate that on July 9, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 538, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 219, entitled: "RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE."

Gov. Msg. No. 1321, informing the Senate that on July 9, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 858, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 220, entitled: "RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE."

Gov. Msg. No. 1322, informing the Senate that on July 9, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 226, S.D. 2, H.D. 1 as Act 221, entitled: "RELATING TO ABUSE OF FAMILY OR HOUSEHOLD MEMBER."

Gov. Msg. No. 1323, informing the Senate that on July 9, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 387, S.D. 2, H.D. 3, C.D. 1 as Act 222, entitled: "RELATING TO AFFIRMATIVE CONSENT."

Gov. Msg. No. 1324, informing the Senate that on July 9, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 555, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 223, entitled: "RELATING TO TAX CREDITS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1325, informing the Senate that on July 9, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 830, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 224, entitled: "RELATING TO RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY."

Gov. Msg. No. 1326, informing the Senate that on July 9, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 756, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 225, entitled: "RELATING TO THE SECURE AND FAIR ENFORCEMENT FOR MORTGAGE LICENSING ACT."

Gov. Msg. No. 1327, dated July 13, 2015, transmitting the Governor's statement of objections to House Bill No. 540, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII ACCOUNTING AND FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT SYSTEM," which was returned to the Senate without approval and reads as follows:

"EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS
HONOLULU

July 13, 2015

STATEMENT OF OBJECTIONS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 540

Honorable Members
Twenty-Eighth Legislature
State of Hawaii

Pursuant to Section 16 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, I am returning herewith, without my

approval, House Bill No. 540, entitled, "A Bill for an Act Relating to the University of Hawaii Accounting and Financial Management System."

The purpose of this bill is to extend to June 30, 2018, the authority of the University of Hawaii to maintain a separate accounting and financial management system that is compatible with the State of Hawaii accounting and financial systems, while ensuring that appropriations to the University of Hawaii are expended for the specific purposes intended by the Legislature. The original measure was limited to extending the authority of the University of Hawaii to maintain a separate accounting and financial management system and to amend chapter 304A, Hawaii Revised Statutes, to require the University of Hawaii to submit performance reports to the Legislature. As passed, however, the bill as recommended by the Conference Committee amends chapter 304A, Hawaii Revised Statutes, to provide that any appropriations to the University of Hawaii must be expended by the University of Hawaii for the specific purpose described in the appropriations bill, budget worksheets, or other appropriations vehicle. In addition, the proposed new section requires the University of Hawaii to submit a report to the Legislature if it does not expend the funds for the specific purposes described by the Legislature, and also provides that an amount equal to any moneys appropriated that were not expended in accordance with the specific purposes described by the Legislature shall be returned by the University of Hawaii to the general fund.

This bill is objectionable for several reasons. Operationally, this bill would require, for example, that appropriations made during the 2015 legislative session must be expended by June 30, 2016. If moneys were expended not according to the purposes specified by the Legislature, the University of Hawaii would report that fact to the 2017 session of the Legislature, and the University of Hawaii would be required to return those moneys to the general fund in fiscal year 2017-2018. This could result in a reduction in the base budget for the University of Hawaii and will result in uncertainty for the University of Hawaii with respect to how much money it actually has available to expend and how much it may have to hold in reserve and unexpended to cover the possible contingency that it must repay the general fund.

Second, this bill as passed is subject to challenge for violation of Section 14 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, because there are multiple subjects in the bill, some of which are not expressed in its title. The bill is entitled, "Relating to the University of Hawaii Accounting and Financial Management System." However, section 2 of the bill, which adds a new section to chapter 304A, Hawaii Revised Statutes, imposing requirements on the University of Hawaii regarding spending and reporting appropriations to the Legislature, does not appear to be covered by the bill's title and does not appear to be related to the other sections of the bill that extend the time for the University of Hawaii to use its specific accounting and financial computer systems.

Finally, Section 6 of Article X of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii provides, among other things, that "[t]he board [of regents] shall also have exclusive jurisdiction over the internal structure, management, and operation of the university. This section shall not limit the power of the legislature to enact laws of statewide concern. The legislature shall have the exclusive jurisdiction to identify laws of statewide concern." Because the Legislature did not make the requisite finding that this bill is a law of statewide concern, the bill is vulnerable to a challenge that it violates Section 6 of Article X of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, because it impacts the internal management and operation of the University of Hawaii.

For the foregoing reasons, I am returning House Bill No. 540 without my approval.

Respectfully,

/s/ David Y. Ige
DAVID Y. IGE
Governor of Hawaii"

Gov. Msg. No. 1328, dated July 13, 2015, transmitting the Governor's statement of objections to House Bill No. 553, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING," which was returned to the Senate without approval and reads as follows:

"EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS
HONOLULU

July 13, 2015

STATEMENT OF OBJECTIONS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 553

Honorable Members
Twenty-Eighth Legislature
State of Hawaii

Pursuant to Section 16 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, I am returning herewith, without my approval, House Bill No. 553, entitled "A Bill for an Act Relating to Collective Bargaining."

The purpose of this bill is to allow part-time and full-time graduate student assistants employed by the University of Hawaii to collectively bargain their wages, hours, and other terms and conditions of employment; provided that no collective bargaining agreement shall take effect prior to July 1, 2016. This bill also requires the University and current exclusive representatives of collective bargaining units that represent employees in the University system to meet and submit recommendations on various aspects of collective bargaining for graduate student assistants to the Legislature prior to the regular session of 2016.

This bill is objectionable because it is incomplete and could potentially cause legal and administrative problems. Through this bill, the Legislature allowed graduate student assistants the right to collectively bargain, but did not provide the necessary tools to accomplish it. Specifically, the Legislature did not (1) assign an existing collective bargaining unit or create a new bargaining unit to be included in section 89-6, Hawaii Revised Statutes; (2) identify the applicable employer group and the number of votes each employer must have for purposes of negotiating a collective bargaining agreement under section 89-6(d); and (3) provide an impasse resolution mechanism, such as binding arbitration or strike, in section 89-11, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

Further, requiring the University to engage in discussions with exclusive representatives of bargaining units that represent University employees concerning the scope of negotiations is not consistent with collective bargaining concepts. The University employs workers represented by multiple collective bargaining representatives – the University of Hawaii Professional Assembly, the Hawaii Government Employees Association, and the United Public Workers. Each of the unions has different negotiation perspectives and priorities and do not currently represent graduate student assistants. The purpose of collective bargaining is for the employer and the certified "exclusive representative" of graduate student assistants to negotiate in good faith as to wages, hours, and terms and conditions of employment. Thus, negotiations regarding the subject matter of collective bargaining must occur with the exclusive representative. However, an exclusive representative cannot be certified pursuant to sections 89-7 and 89-8, Hawaii Revised Statutes, unless the Legislature identifies the "appropriate bargaining unit" for graduate student assistants.

Finally, graduate student assistants are students first and employees second. None of these positions is a career position within the government service. There would be significant cost increases for both the University and the State of Hawaii should student assistants become employees with a right to collectively bargain. The current levels of compensation for graduate student assistants are competitive and include tuition waivers and monetary stipends. Including graduate student assistants in collective bargaining will result in additional pension contribution costs and possible increases in health benefits, which will increase demands upon the State general fund.

For the foregoing reasons, I am returning House Bill No. 553 without my approval.

Respectfully,

/s/ David Y. Ige
DAVID Y. IGE
Governor of Hawaii"

Gov. Msg. No. 1329, dated July 13, 2015, transmitting the Governor's statement of objections to Senate Bill No. 105, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET," which was returned to the Senate without approval and reads as follows:

"EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS
HONOLULU

July 13, 2015

STATEMENT OF OBJECTIONS TO SENATE BILL NO. 105

Honorable Members
Twenty-Eighth Legislature
State of Hawaii

Pursuant to Section 16 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, I am returning herewith, without my approval, Senate Bill No. 105, entitled "A Bill for an Act Relating to the Budget."

The purpose of Senate Bill No. 105 is to require that information regarding the projected annual debt service for bonds issued to finance capital improvement projects be included in the six-year program and financial plan and budget documents submitted to the Legislature by the Executive branch and the Judiciary.

While this bill has merit, accurate information in the form required by the bill is unavailable due to the limitations of the State's accounting system. For example, capital improvement projects are usually funded by the sale of bonds whose proceeds are deposited into the bond fund. Moneys from the bond fund are disbursed for capital improvement projects as needed. Consequently, it is not known ahead of time which bond issuance will be used for a specific project or program and accurate information on the debt service costs for each project or each program cannot be provided.

Further, it would be difficult to provide accurate information on the total debt service for capital improvement project appropriations in the budget, because assumptions would need to be made about the start date and disbursement schedule for the projects.

In lieu of the information requested by this bill and in addition to the currently provided bond issuance and debt service information, the Legislature could be provided with an illustration of debt service costs using an example of a \$100,000,000 bond issuance and a generic twenty-year general obligation bond debt service schedule. The debt service costs of a project or a program could then be calculated based on the project's or program's costs as a percentage of the \$100,000,000.

For the foregoing reasons, I am returning Senate Bill No. 105 without my approval.

Respectfully,

/s/ David Y. Ige
DAVID Y. IGE
Governor of Hawaii"

Gov. Msg. No. 1330, dated July 13, 2015, transmitting the Governor's statement of objections to Senate Bill No. 218, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ORDER OF SUCCESSION," which was returned to the Senate without approval and reads as follows:

"EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS
HONOLULU

July 13, 2015

STATEMENT OF OBJECTIONS TO SENATE BILL NO. 218

Honorable Members
Twenty-Eighth Legislature
State of Hawaii

Pursuant to Section 16 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, I am returning herewith, without my approval, Senate Bill No. 218, entitled, "A Bill for an Act Relating to Order of Succession."

The purpose of this bill, among other things, is to provide that the individual who will succeed to the office of Lieutenant Governor when that office becomes vacant by reason of the Lieutenant Governor becoming Governor, the Lieutenant Governor's failure to qualify, or the Lieutenant Governor's removal from office, death, resignation, or otherwise, will first be the Senate President, provided that the Senate President is of the same political party as the Governor and promptly resigns his or her legislative office. If the Senate President does not meet those criteria, then the Speaker of the House of Representatives will become the Lieutenant Governor if that individual is of the same political party as the Governor and promptly resigns his or her legislative office. If neither the Senate President or the Speaker of the House of Representatives is of the same political party as the Governor or promptly resigns their legislative offices, then the Governor may appoint an individual who is a member of the same political party as the Governor and is qualified to hold the office of Lieutenant Governor pursuant to Section 2 of Article V of the Hawaii State Constitution.

This bill is objectionable because it does not provide for succession in the situation when the office of the Governor becomes permanently vacant at the same time as the office of the Lieutenant Governor and the Senate President and the Speaker of the House belong to a political party different from that of the Governor. In that situation, however unlikely to occur, there is no one to appoint a member of the same political party as the Governor to be the Lieutenant Governor to act in the Governor's stead, and there will be no one to succeed to the office of the Governor. This lack of a provision for succession under such circumstances could cause confusion and disrupt the normal functioning of state government activities.

This bill is substantially similar to House Bill No. 1288, which was vetoed by Governor Neil Abercrombie in 2014 for the same reasons. The flaw contained in the previous bill was not remedied by Senate Bill No. 218.

For the foregoing reasons, I am returning Senate Bill No. 218 without my approval.

Respectfully,

/s/ David Y. Ige

DAVID Y. IGE
Governor of Hawaii

Gov. Msg. No. 1331, dated July 13, 2015, transmitting the Governor's statement of objections to Senate Bill No. 265, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEX TRAFFICKING," which was returned to the Senate without approval and reads as follows:

"EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS
HONOLULU

July 13, 2015

STATEMENT OF OBJECTIONS TO SENATE BILL NO. 265

Honorable Members
Twenty-Eighth Legislature
State of Hawaii

Pursuant to Section 16 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, I am returning herewith, without my approval, Senate Bill No. 265, entitled "A Bill for an Act Relating to Sex Trafficking."

The purpose of this bill is to strengthen our laws against sex trafficking. This bill replaces the offense of promoting prostitution in the first degree with the new offense of sex trafficking, also a class A felony; amends the offense of promoting prostitution in the second degree to promoting prostitution, and limits it to the prostitution of persons eighteen and over; reduces the grade of the offense of prostitution to a violation if the offender is a juvenile; includes the offense of sex trafficking in the list of violent crimes for which victims may be eligible for criminal injury compensation; adds sex trafficking to the Prostitution Coercion Liability Act; adds sex trafficking to the list of covered offenses under the forfeiture law; amends the tier level for sex trafficking under the sex offender registration law; includes the offense of sex trafficking in the Department of the Attorney General's statewide witness program; adds the offense of sex trafficking to the list of crimes for which an order to intercept wire, oral, or electronic communications is permitted; and precludes deferred plea dispositions for sex trafficking offenses.

The Attorney General, the Prosecuting Attorneys of the City and County of Honolulu and of the Counties of Maui and of Hawaii, the Office of the Public Defender, and the Honolulu Police Department all objected to provisions of this bill and recommended that it be vetoed. In addition to legal objections, the Attorney General and the three Prosecuting Attorneys noted that the Penal Code Review Committee, which will include the Attorney General, all the county Prosecuting Attorneys, a representative from the Office of the Public Defender, and representatives from the criminal defense bar, will meet this year to review our criminal laws and make recommendations to the Legislature in response to the recently adopted House Concurrent Resolution No. 155, Senate Draft 1 (Requesting the Judicial Council to Appoint a Committee to Review and Recommend Revisions to the Hawaii Penal Code). This Committee will have an opportunity to review sex trafficking laws and propose amendments with a broader base of support.

This bill is objectionable because the provisions that amend the offenses of promoting prostitution in the first and second degrees may actually impair law enforcement's ability to address the problems of prostitution and sex trafficking. The bill will preclude the prosecution of certain crimes, including sex trafficking of some juveniles, and profiting from the acts of another who forced a victim to engage in prostitution.

This bill is also objectionable because the new sex trafficking offense is confusing, can be difficult or impossible to apply, and requires the prosecution to prove additional elements of the

crime. The conduct that this bill seeks to prohibit is already prohibited as a result of Act 147, Session Laws of Hawaii 2008, which was proposed by the Hawaii Anti-Trafficking Task Force after two years of analysis and discussion, and Act 145, Session Laws of Hawaii 2011. The current offense of promoting prostitution in the first degree would appear to cover the conduct prohibited by this offense, and does so with clearer provisions that state prosecutors would find easier to use and prove.

SEX TRAFFICKING

In section 13, beginning on page 8, line 8, the bill proposes to amend section 712-1202, Hawaii Revised Statutes, the current offense of promoting prostitution in the first degree, to create the new offense of sex trafficking. Section 712-1202 currently provides:

- (1) A person commits the offense of promoting prostitution in the first degree if the person knowingly:
 - (a) Advances prostitution by compelling or inducing a person by force, threat, fraud, or intimidation to engage in prostitution, *or profits from such conduct by another*; or
 - (b) Advances or profits from prostitution of a person less than eighteen years old.
- (2) Promoting prostitution in the first degree is a class A felony.
- (3) As used in this section:

"Fraud" means making material false statements, misstatements, or omissions.

"Threat" means any of the actions listed in section 707-764(1).

Section 707-764(1), upon which "threat" is based, includes the many forms of extortionate conduct.

This bill renames the offense of "promoting prostitution in the first degree" as "sex trafficking." It then amends subsection (1)(a) of the offense in pertinent part as follows:

- (1) A person commits the offense of ~~[promoting prostitution in the first degree]~~ sex trafficking if the person knowingly:
 - (a) Advances prostitution by compelling or inducing a person by force, threat, fraud, or intimidation to engage in prostitution, *or profits from [such conduct by] prostitution of another[-or] by any of the following means. . . .*

While the current law prohibits a person from *profiting from the acts of another* who forced a victim to engage in prostitution ("such conduct of another"), this bill prohibits a person from *profiting from prostitution of another* by any of the specified means. It is a completely different criminal prohibition. The current provision, which is being repealed by the bill, addresses a person profiting from the acts of a trafficker, whereas the new bill provision, replacing the repealed provision, addresses only the trafficker himself, who is already covered by the law. The bill amendments raise two main concerns.

First, by removing the existing wording, the prosecution will no longer be able to prosecute someone (person A) for knowingly profiting from the acts of another person (person B) who compelled or induced a victim (person C) by force, threat, fraud, or intimidation to engage in prostitution. The existing wording provides an important tool for prosecutors when there is insufficient evidence to prove the person was an accomplice to the forced prostitution conduct, but there is adequate evidence to prove the person was *knowingly profiting* from the forced prostitution by another. This bill eliminates this tool, and thereby will prevent prosecutions in those types of cases.

Second, the new provision, which reads “the person knowingly profits from prostitution of another by any of the following means,” requires not only that the person compel or induce another to engage in prostitution by various means, but also requires that the person profit from that conduct. So this provision is very similar in concept to the first part of the offense which requires that “the person knowingly advances prostitution by compelling or inducing a person by force, threat, fraud, or intimidation to engage in prostitution.” But, this provision requires an additional element of proof—that the person profit from that conduct. It would be much easier to just prosecute the offender under the first part of the offense.

PROMOTING PROSTITUTION

In section 14, beginning on page 11, line 12, the bill amends section 712-1203, Hawaii Revised Statutes, to rename the offense of “promoting prostitution in the second degree” by deleting “in the second degree” and to **limit** it to the prostitution of persons eighteen years of age or older. This creates a critical loophole in the law because the new sex trafficking offense under section 712-1202, Hawaii Revised Statutes, includes a provision that prohibits a person from knowingly advancing or profiting from prostitution of a person less than eighteen years old. The new offense of “promoting prostitution” would prohibit a person from knowingly advancing or profiting from prostitution of a person eighteen years of age or older. If a perpetrator knowingly advanced prostitution, but did not know that the person was less than eighteen (or the prosecution could not prove that the perpetrator knew that), the person could not be charged with sex trafficking. But since the person was not eighteen or older, the perpetrator also could not be charged with promoting prostitution, as amended by the bill. This loophole in the law would preclude the prosecution of this offender, even though the offender was trafficking a juvenile.

For the foregoing reasons, I am returning Senate Bill No. 265 without my approval.

Respectfully,

/s/ David Y. Ige
DAVID Y. IGE
Governor of Hawaii”

Gov. Msg. No. 1332, dated July 13, 2015, transmitting the Governor’s statement of objections to Senate Bill No. 349, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION,” which was returned to the Senate without approval and reads as follows:

“EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS
HONOLULU

July 13, 2015

STATEMENT OF OBJECTIONS TO SENATE BILL NO. 349

Honorable Members
Twenty-Eighth Legislature
State of Hawaii

Pursuant to Section 16 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, I am returning herewith, without my approval, Senate Bill No. 349, entitled “A Bill for an Act Relating to Taxation.”

The purposes of this bill are to establish a five-year renewable fuels production tax credit and to repeal the ethanol facility tax credit. This bill allows qualifying taxpayers to claim a refundable income tax credit equal to 20 cents per seventy-six thousand British thermal units of qualifying renewable fuel produced and sold in the State. The credit in this bill is capped at \$3,000,000 per taxpayer per year and the total credits for all taxpayers is capped at \$3,000,000 per year. This bill also: (1)

requires the Department of Business and Economic Development and Tourism to certify all tax credits and submit a report regarding the production and sale of qualifying renewable fuels to the governor and legislature each year; (2) applies to taxable years beginning after December 31, 2015; and (3) repeals the tax credit on July 1, 2020.

This bill is objectionable because the provisions in this bill on page 2, lines 8-11, and page 4, lines 1-6, that restrict the income tax credit for renewable fuels to only renewable fuels produced and sold in the State may be subject to challenge as violating the Commerce Clause of the United States Constitution. The United States Supreme Court has stated that a cardinal rule of Commerce Clause jurisprudence is that “[n]o State, consistent with the Commerce Clause, may ‘impose a tax which discriminates against interstate commerce . . . by providing a direct commercial advantage to local business.’” Bacchus Imports, Ltd. v. Dias, 468 U.S. 263, 268 (1984), *citing* Boston Stock Exchange v. State Tax Comm’n, 429 U.S. 318, 329 (1977). In Bacchus the United States Supreme Court struck down a Hawaii law that provided an exemption from the liquor tax for liquor produced in the State. While the credit in this bill provides an income tax credit as opposed to an exemption from the liquor tax, I believe that a similar result would occur if this income tax credit is challenged.

In addition, although the “credit period” defined on page 2, lines 1-5, sets the maximum period to claim the credit at five consecutive years, section 6 of the bill on page 19, lines 19-21, provides for the repeal of the credit only four and one-half years after the income tax credit becomes available.

For the foregoing reasons, I am returning Senate Bill No. 349 without my approval.

Respectfully,

/s/ David Y. Ige
DAVID Y. IGE
Governor of Hawaii”

Gov. Msg. No. 1333, dated July 13, 2015, transmitting the Governor’s statement of objections to Senate Bill No. 569, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THEFT,” which was returned to the Senate without approval and reads as follows:

“EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS
HONOLULU

July 13, 2015

STATEMENT OF OBJECTIONS TO SENATE BILL NO. 569

Honorable Members
Twenty-Eighth Legislature
State of Hawaii

Pursuant to Section 16 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, I am returning herewith, without my approval, Senate Bill No. 569, entitled “A Bill for an Act Relating to Theft.”

The purpose of this bill is to increase the monetary threshold from \$300 to \$750 with respect to property or services for the offense of theft in the second degree.

This bill is objectionable because it would diminish the seriousness of many theft crimes and reduce the deterrent impact of theft offenses. The Department of the Prosecuting Attorney of the City and County of Honolulu, the Chamber of Commerce of Hawaii, and the Hawaii Food Industry Association oppose this bill, noting that increasing the threshold will cause an increase in theft. Loss prevention experts report that professional shoplifters calculate the value of the merchandise they are stealing to keep it under the threshold

amount to avoid serious penalties and prosecution as a felony. In these cases, the retailer is never compensated and has no hope of recovery. This will harm families and businesses, and incentivize theft.

For the foregoing reasons, I am returning Senate Bill No. 569 without my approval.

Respectfully,

/s/ David Y. Ige
DAVID Y. IGE
Governor of Hawaii

Gov. Msg. No. 1334, dated July 13, 2015, transmitting the Governor's statement of objections to Senate Bill No. 1324, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DIVORCE," which was returned to the Senate without approval and reads as follows:

"EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS
HONOLULU

July 13, 2015

STATEMENT OF OBJECTIONS TO SENATE BILL
NO. 1324

Honorable Members
Twenty-Eighth Legislature
State of Hawaii

Pursuant to Section 16 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, I am returning herewith, without my approval, Senate Bill No. 1324, entitled "A Bill for an Act Relating to Divorce."

The purpose of this bill is to authorize the Employees' Retirement System of the State of Hawaii to make direct payment of benefits to the former spouse of a retiree when the former spouse is awarded a portion of the retiree's retirement benefits as part of a property division adjudicated, ordered, or decreed by a family court in a divorce proceeding.

This bill is objectionable because there is no appropriation for the costs of implementing the bill, which are expected to be at least \$1,000,000. The Employees' Retirement System is unable to utilize the administrative fee authorized by the bill for implementation costs, because doing so will jeopardize the status of the Employees' Retirement System as a tax-qualified plan under the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended. Such costs will have to be paid from the Employees' Retirement System's current operating budget. This will have an adverse fiscal impact on the Employees' Retirement System and its members and retirees.

For the foregoing reasons, I am returning Senate Bill No. 1324 without my approval.

Respectfully,

/s/ David Y. Ige
DAVID Y. IGE
Governor of Hawaii

Gov. Msg. No. 1335, informing the Senate that on July 13, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 631, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 226, entitled: "RELATING TO CERTIFICATES OF BIRTH."

Gov. Msg. No. 1336, informing the Senate that on July 13, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 770, H.D. 1, S.D. 1 as Act 227, entitled: "RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR."

Gov. Msg. No. 1337, informing the Senate that on July 13, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 1273,

H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 228, entitled: "RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY."

Gov. Msg. No. 1338, informing the Senate that on July 13, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 1394, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 229, entitled: "RELATING TO WATER RECLAMATION."

Gov. Msg. No. 1339, informing the Senate that on July 13, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 393, H.D. 2, S.D. 2 as Act 230, entitled: "RELATING TO HAWAIIAN FISHPONDS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1340, informing the Senate that on July 13, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 961, S.D. 2, H.D. 3 as Act 231, entitled: "RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH TREATMENT."

Gov. Msg. No. 1341, informing the Senate that on July 13, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 782, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 232, entitled: "RELATING TO THE CYTOMEGALOVIRUS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1342, informing the Senate that on July 13, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 206, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 233, entitled: "RELATING TO HAWAIIAN PLANTS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1343, informing the Senate that on July 13, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 1251, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 234, entitled: "RELATING TO PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1344, informing the Senate that on July 13, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 791, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 235, entitled: "RELATING TO AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDERS."

Gov. Msg. No. 1345, dated July 14, 2015, informing the Senate that on July 14, 2015, the Governor allowed the following measure to become law without signature, which reads as follows:

House Bill No. 541, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 236, entitled: "RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TUITION AND FEES SPECIAL FUND."

"Dear President Kouchi, Speaker Souki, and Members of the Legislature:

Re: HB541 HD1 SD2 CD1

HB541 HD1 SD2 CD1, entitled "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TUITION AND FEES SPECIAL FUND" will become law without my signature, pursuant to Section 16 of Article III of the State Constitution.

The purpose of this bill is to require each UH campus to prepare operations plans to be reviewed by the President, VP for Budget and Finance, and the CFO for each fiscal year and to lapse moneys from the UH Tuition and Fees Special Fund each year to the credit of Program ID UOH900.

The lapsing of money from the UH Tuition and Fee Special Fund may into UOH900 each year may cause difficulty for various campuses as they prepare their operations plan each year and could result in unintended consequences for the University of Hawai'i system. Additionally, I am concerned that this bill may represent an encroachment on the principle of the University of Hawai'i's autonomy.

For the foregoing reasons, HB541 HD1 SD2 CD1 will become law as ACT 236 (15), Session Laws of Hawaii 2015, effective July 14, 2015, without my signature.

Sincerely,

/s/ David Y. Ige
DAVID Y. IGE
Governor, State of Hawaii

Gov. Msg. No. 1346, dated July 14, 2015, informing the Senate that on July 14, 2015, the Governor allowed the following measure to become law without signature, which reads as follows:

Senate Bill No. 1092, S.D. 1, H.D. 1 as Act 237, entitled: "RELATING TO THE REPEAL OF NON-GENERAL FUNDS."

"Dear President Kouchi, Speaker Souki, and Members of the Legislature:

Re: SB1092 SD1 HD1

SB1092 SD1 HD1, entitled "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REPEAL OF NON-GENERAL FUNDS" will become law without my signature, pursuant to Article III, Section 16 of the State Constitution.

This measure repeals or reclassifies various non-general funds and lapses the unencumbered remaining balances to the credit of the general fund. While I support the intent of the measure to streamline unused or inactive non-general funds, the reclassification of non-general funds violates the single subject requirement of Article III, Section 14 of the State Constitution.

Article III, Section 14 of the State Constitution states, in relevant part, that "Each law shall embrace but one subject, which shall be expressed in its title." Thus, a bill that addresses subjects outside of its title violates the provision.

The title of this bill is "Relating to the Repeal of Non-General Funds," which meets the single subject requirement, but several sections in the body of the legislation seek to reclassify, not repeal the non-general funds, which becomes a violation of single subject requirement.

For the reasons stated above, SB1092 SD1 HD1 will become law as ACT 237 (15), Session laws of Hawaii 2015, effective July 14, 2015, without my signature.

Sincerely,

/s/ David Y. Ige
DAVID Y. IGE
Governor, State of Hawaii

Gov. Msg. No. 1347, dated July 14, 2015, informing the Senate that on July 14, 2015, the Governor allowed the following measure to become law without signature, which reads as follows:

Senate Bill No. 1297, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 as Act 238, entitled: "RELATING TO DISPOSITION OF TAX REVENUES."

"Dear President Kouchi, Speaker Souki, and Members of the Legislature:

Re: SB 1297 SD1 HD1 CD1

SB 1297 SD1 HD1 CD1, entitled "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISPOSITION OF TAX REVENUES" will become law without my signature, pursuant to Section 16 of Article III of the State Constitution.

This measure modifies annual deposits from the cigarette tax into the Trauma System Special Fund, Community Health Centers Special Fund, Emergency Medical Services Special Fund, and the Hawai'i Cancer Research Special Fund. However, by placing annual caps on deposits into these special funds—despite the fact that program costs will continue to increase—the practical effect of this bill is to constrain the

flexibility of core public health services supporting statewide infrastructure for emergency medical services, injury prevention, and trauma.

For the Trauma System Special Fund, this reduction amounts to an approximately 17% cut in the program's budget, which will impact statewide trauma system development and personnel costs.

For the foregoing reasons, SB 1297 SD1 HD1 CD1 will become law as ACT 238 (15), Session laws of Hawai'i 2015, effective July 14, 2015, without my signature.

Sincerely,

/s/ David Y. Ige
DAVID Y. IGE
Governor, State of Hawaii

Gov. Msg. No. 1348, dated July 14, 2015, informing the Senate that on July 14, 2015, the Governor allowed the following measure to become law without signature, which reads as follows:

Senate Bill No. 118, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 239, entitled: "RELATING TO REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT TRUSTS."

"Dear President Kouchi, Speaker Souki, and Members of the Legislature:

Re: SB118 SD1 HD2 CD1

SB118 SD1 HD2 CD1, entitled "RELATING TO REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT TRUSTS" will become law without my signature, pursuant to Section 16 of Article III of the State Constitution.

The reporting date of at least 20 days before the 2016 legislative session will not allow enough time to collect enough data from taxes. Also, there are many categories of required data that currently do not exist. The department will need to create surveys to obtain this date and risk biased results. Finally, it is possible that not all Hawai'i taxpayers who invest in real estate investment trusts can be identified.

While I recognize the value of studying the impact of real estate investment trusts in Hawai'i, I am not certain the study will yield the intended results due to limited time and resources.

For the foregoing reasons, SB118 SD1 HD2 CD1 will become law as ACT 239 (15), Session Laws of Hawaii 2015, effective July 14, 2015, without my signature.

Sincerely,

/s/ David Y. Ige
DAVID Y. IGE
Governor, State of Hawaii

Gov. Msg. No. 1349, informing the Senate that on July 14, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 134, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 240, entitled: "RELATING TO TAXATION."

Gov. Msg. No. 1350, informing the Senate that on July 14, 2015, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 321, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 241, entitled: "RELATING TO MEDICAL MARIJUANA."

Gov. Msg. No. 1351, informing the Senate that on July 14, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 1291, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 242, entitled: "RELATING TO MEDICAL MARIJUANA."

Gov. Msg. No. 1352, informing the Senate that on July 14, 2015, the Governor signed into law Senate Bill No. 273, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1 as Act 243, entitled: "RELATING TO IDENTIFICATION CARDS."

**HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AFTER THE ADJOURNMENT
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Hse. Com. No. 681, transmitting H.R. No. 185, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on May 7, 2015.

Hse. Com. No. 682, informing the Senate that on May 7, 2015, the House agreed to the amendments proposed by the Senate and passed the following bills on Final Reading:

H.B. No. 346, H.D. 1, S.D. 2; and
H.B. No. 971, H.D. 1, S.D. 2.

Hse. Com. No. 683, informing the Senate that on May 7, 2015, H.B. No. 321, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 passed Final Reading in the House of Representatives.

DEPARTMENTAL COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AFTER THE ADJOURNMENT
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Dept. Com. No. 95, from the Office of the Auditor dated May 18, 2015, transmitting the report, "Progress, But Transparency Issues Persist: Follow-Up on Recommendations Made in Report No. 12-03, Management Audit of the Natural Energy Laboratory of Hawai'i" (Report No. 15-04) pursuant to Section 23-9, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 96, from the Office of the Auditor dated May 19, 2015, transmitting the report, "Pushing Boundaries: Follow-Up Recommendations Made in Report No. 12-02, Investigation of the Stadium Authority's Swap Meet Operations" (Report No. 15-05) pursuant to Section 23-9, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 97, from the Office of the Auditor dated May 20, 2015, transmitting the report, "Getting on Board: Follow-Up on Recommendations Made in Report No. 12-07, Management Audit of the Department of Education's School Bus Transportation Services" (Report No. 15-06) pursuant to Section 23-9, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 98, from the Office of the Auditor dated June 1, 2015, transmitting the report, "Audit of the Research Corporation of the University of Hawai'i" (Report No. 15-07) pursuant to Section 23-9, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 99, from the Office of the Auditor dated June 15, 2015, transmitting the report, "Sunset Evaluation: Respiratory Therapists" (Report No. 15-08) pursuant to Section 23-9, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 100, from the University of Hawai'i dated June 4, 2015, transmitting the Semi-Annual Report on Hawai'i Cancer Research Special Fund from July 1, 2014 to December 31, 2014, pursuant to Section 304A-2168, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 101, from the Office of the Auditor dated July 22, 2015, informing the Legislature of the issuance of a financial statement audit report for the 18-month period ended December 31, 2013 for the Hawai'i Convention Center, pursuant to Article VII, Section 10, Hawai'i State Constitution, and as authorized by Chapter 23, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 102, from the Office of the Auditor dated July 29, 2015, transmitting the report, "Procurement Examination of the Department of Health: Lack of Procurement Controls Exposes Health Department to Waste and Abuse" (Report No. 15-09) pursuant to Section 23-9, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 103, from the University of Hawai'i dated August 12, 2015, transmitting a report of hire pursuant to Act 119, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 104, from the University of Hawai'i dated August 18, 2015, transmitting a report of hire pursuant to Act 119, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 105, from the University of Hawai'i dated August 25, 2015, transmitting the report of hire pursuant to Act 119, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 106, from the Public Utilities Commission dated June 25, 2015, transmitting its Decision and Order Nos. 30873, 32685, and 32780 regarding the application of Waikoloa Water Company, Inc. for a general rate increase and revisions to its tariff, pursuant to Section 269-16, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 107, from the Public Utilities Commission dated July 6, 2015, transmitting its Order No. 32944 regarding the application of Kona Water Service Company, Inc. for a general rate increase and revisions to its tariff, pursuant to Section 269-16, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 108, from the Public Utilities Commission dated July 6, 2015, transmitting its Decision and Order No. 32926 regarding the application of Waikoloa Sanitary Sewer Company, Inc. for a general rate increase and other related matters, pursuant to Section 269-16, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 109, from the Office of Information Management and Technology dated July 17, 2015, transmitting the initial report regarding the requirement to conduct periodic information security and penetration audits of the Executive Branch information technology systems pursuant to Act 119, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 110, from the Office of Information Management and Technology dated June 22, 2015, notifying the Legislature of its intent to fill a position utilizing the information technology trust fund pursuant to Act 119, SLH 2015.

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RULES OF THE SENATE

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TWENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII**PREAMBLE**

The members of the Senate do hereby reaffirm the Senate's dedication to upholding the Constitutions of the United States and the State of Hawai'i, to providing for openness and fairness in all of its proceedings, and to promoting collaboration and consultation in its committee work.

The Senate stands as a people-oriented institution that serves all of the people, whatever their background or persuasion. The Senate works for the public good and strives to give every person an equal opportunity to realize his or her highest potential. The Senate's organized debate and deliberative consideration of issues shall be open to the public.

RULES OF THE SENATE

The following Rules shall be the Rules of the Senate of the Twenty-eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i.

PART I. ORGANIZATION, OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES

Rule 1 Organization.

(1) When the Senate convenes in the first Regular Session of each Legislature, the member from the First Senatorial District shall act as temporary chair, call the Senate to order, appoint a temporary Clerk and a Committee of three whose duty it shall be to immediately examine the credentials of the members-elect of the Senate. If, from the report of the Committee, it shall appear that a majority of the credentials are in order, the temporary Clerk shall call the roll.

(2) The temporary Chair shall then appoint a Committee of three to wait upon a justice of the Supreme Court, an Intermediate Appellate Court Judge or a Circuit Court judge to administer the oath of office required by the Hawai'i State Constitution. After the oath has been duly administered, the Senate shall organize.

(3) When the Senate convenes in any succeeding Sessions of the Legislature, the President or the Vice-President, in the absence of the President, shall call the Senate to order.

Rule 2 Officers and Employees.

(1) The officers of the Senate shall consist of a President, Vice-President, Clerk, Assistant Clerk, Sergeant-at-Arms, and Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms, each of whom shall be elected by a majority vote of the members of the Senate.

(2) The President and Vice-President shall hold their respective offices in accordance with Title 3, Hawai'i Revised Statutes. Other officers and employees shall hold their respective offices and positions at the pleasure of the Senate, but a majority vote of the members of the Senate shall be required to terminate the office held by any officer of the Senate.

(3) The Senate, by a majority vote, may authorize positions from time to time as may be deemed necessary.

Rule 3 The President.

It shall be the duty of the President:

- (1) To open the meetings of the Senate by taking the Chair.
- (2) When a quorum is present, to call for the reading of the Journal of the preceding day.
- (3) To maintain order in the Senate Chamber and to require proper decorum on the part of the members.
- (4) To announce the business before the Senate in the order prescribed by the Rules.
- (5) To receive and submit all matters properly brought before the Senate by the members, call for votes upon the same and announce the results.
- (6) To receive all communications, including but not limited to, Governor's messages, budget messages, and Judiciary communications, present them to the Senate and, unless otherwise provided in these Rules, refer these and other matters to the appropriate standing committees.
- (7) To appoint all members of committees unless otherwise determined by the Senate.
- (8) To authenticate by signature, all acts and doings of the Senate which require authentication.
- (9) To make known rules of order when so requested and, subject to an appeal to the Senate, to decide all questions of order.
- (10) To issue warrants and when so directed by the Senate, to carry into effect its orders in the arrest of offenders, the issuance of subpoenas requiring the attendance of witnesses and subpoenas duces tecum requiring the production of books, documents, or other evidence, in any manner pending before the Senate, or committee, as the case may be, or other orders of the Senate.
- (11) To decide and announce the result of any vote taken.
- (12) To do and perform such other duties as are required by law or by these rules or such as may properly pertain to such office.
- (13) To clear the Senate Chamber of all persons, except its members and designated persons if there is a disturbance or disorderly conduct, or on motion duly adopted.
- (14) To control and have direction of the rooms, desks, passages, stairways, corridors, and balconies, in and about the building set apart for the use of the Senate, and all public property of the Senate. The President shall see that all officers of the Senate perform their respective duties, and may assign places to visitors and reporters. The President may admit stenographers or other

reporters, wishing to take down the debates, and assign them such places to effect their object as shall not interfere with the convenience of the Senate.

(15) To establish final dates for action on legislation, including, though not limited to the final date for introducing bills, the dates for the mandatory recess pursuant to Article III, Section 10, of the Hawai'i State Constitution, the final date for third reading of Senate Bills, the final date for third reading of House Bills, the final date for approving Conference Committee agreements and drafts of bills, the final date for final reading of the General Appropriations Bill, and the final date for final reading of the Supplemental Appropriations Bill. The President shall coordinate the date for introducing bills and may coordinate with the Speaker of the House to establish the other final dates.

(16) To mediate and resolve differences between two or more standing committees on the same bill.

(17) To administer oaths to elected officers of the Senate who are not Senators and to witnesses who are compelled to testify under oath before the Senate or a committee thereof; provided that the President may appoint a designee to administer oaths as the President deems necessary.

Rule 4 The Vice-President.

(1) The Vice-President and the President shall prepare and administer a budget for the Senate.

(2) Except as otherwise provided in the Senate Rules, the President and Vice-President shall oversee permanent support staff of the Senate who are not directly employed or supervised by an individual Senator.

(3) In the absence of the President, the Vice-President shall exercise all the duties and powers of the President.

Rule 5 President Pro Tempore.

(1) In case the President and Vice-President shall be absent at the hour to which the Senate had adjourned, the member of the majority party having the longest tenure in the Senate shall preside until a President pro tempore is chosen. If two or more members are equally qualified to preside, the eldest qualified member shall preside.

(2) The President pro tempore shall be invested with all of the powers and shall perform all the duties of the President. Whenever the President pro tempore is required to sign a bill or other instrument, the Clerk shall attach to such bill or instrument a certificate stating that such President pro tempore was duly elected and is authorized to so sign.

Rule 6 The Clerk.

It shall be the duty of the Clerk:

(1) To have charge of all records of the Senate and be responsible for the same. At no time shall the Clerk permit original documents to be withdrawn from the Clerk's keeping unless ordered by the Senate.

(2) To make a concise and complete memorandum of all petitions, motions, resolutions, amendments and other matters brought before the Senate. Such memoranda shall state the nature of the matter and the name of the introducer, and the date and day of the session on which the Senate considered the matter. The memoranda, together with other matters ordered to be placed therein, shall constitute the Journal, a copy of which shall be made available for inspection to any member upon request as soon as practicable. The Journal of each day shall be read the following day. When such Journal is approved by vote of the Senate, it shall be entered by the Clerk in a book entitled "Journal of the Senate. Session of . ." (Giving the Year).

(3) Unless otherwise directed by the Senate, to read all bills, resolutions and other matters (if so required) to the Senate.

(4) To forward at once all letters, messages, communications and other matters to the proper parties.

(5) To immediately deliver to the Chair of the appropriate committee all petitions, resolutions, bills or other matters duly referred to such committee.

(6) To see that all bills and resolutions are properly engrossed and are correct and true as finally acted upon by the Senate.

(7) To draw on the state general fund for expenses of the session as shall be authorized by the Senate and approved by the President.

(8) To pay all bills and accounts as shall be approved by the President or the President's designees, or ordered by the Senate, and no others.

(9) To be responsible for the acquisition and distribution of all of the property of the Senate.

(10) To note all questions of order with the decision thereon, collect the same, and append them to the Senate Journal at the close of the session.

(11) To perform all other clerical duties and functions pertaining to the Office of the Clerk and as the Senate from time to time shall direct. The Clerk shall post the order of business in writing in a conspicuous place each day.

Rule 7 Assistant Clerk.

The Assistant Clerk shall assist the Clerk in the performance of all duties and attend to such other duties as may be required when so directed by the Senate. In the absence of the Clerk, the Assistant Clerk shall perform all duties of the Clerk.

Rule 8 Sergeant-at-Arms.

It shall be the duty of the Sergeant-at-Arms to attend the Senate on every day of meeting; to maintain order among those present as spectators; to give notice to the Presiding Officer of the attendance of any person with communications or otherwise; to supervise the distribution of incidentals which require distribution among the members; to supervise, subject to the control of the President, the Senate Messengers; to attend upon committees if so requested; to serve all orders or process as directed by the President or Senate; to make all required arrests of members or other persons, and to retain the same in custody; to have the charge and responsibility for the postal requirements of the Senate; to refurbish furniture; to oversee and conduct office and building maintenance; and generally to execute all of the requirements of and be answerable to the President of the Senate.

Rule 9 Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms.

The Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms shall assist the Sergeant-at-Arms in the performance of all duties and attend to such duties as may be required when so directed by the President. In the absence of the Sergeant-at-Arms, the Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms shall perform all duties of the Sergeant-at-Arms.

Rule 10 Responsibilities of Officers and Employees.

The employees of the Senate shall perform such duties as may be assigned by the President or prescribed by the Senate.

All officers and employees of the Senate shall be directly answerable to the President and, upon the President's consultation with the Vice President, shall perform all the President's orders and directions, subject to revision by the Senate and to confidentiality guided by standards of professional conduct. Employees under the supervision of a Senate member shall be directly answerable to the Senate member.

An oath of office shall be administered to each officer by the President.

Rule 11 Majority and Minority Party Organization and Staff.

(1) Members of the majority and minority parties may adopt rules of procedure and administration for their respective caucuses. The rules shall not be inconsistent with the Rules of the Senate, and any such rule of procedure for the caucus shall not be enforceable on the floor of the Senate.

(2) The establishment and staffing of the majority and minority staff offices shall be subject to budgetary constraints in the budget for the Senate that is prepared and administered under Rule 4.

Rule 12 Pay of Members, Officers and Employees.

(1) Each member of the Senate, upon being elected or appointed to office, shall receive as compensation such salary as prescribed pursuant to Article III, Section 9, of the Hawai'i State Constitution.

(2) The officers, except the President and Vice-President, and the employees shall receive compensation as the Senate shall fix.

PART II. COMMITTEES**Rule 13 Committees: Types and Composition.**

(1) Standing Committees: The membership of each Standing Committee shall be appointed by the President subject to action by the Senate. The respective Chairs and Vice Chairs of each Standing Committee shall be appointed by the President, subject to action by the Senate. The majority and minority parties shall to the extent practicable be represented on all Standing Committees on a proportional basis or on such basis as may be prescribed by the Senate.

(2) Leadership Committees shall include majority and minority members drawn from the ranks of the Senate leadership.

(3) Special Committees shall consist of not less than three members each, unless otherwise ordered by the Senate or provided by these Rules, include a member or members of the minority party, and upon consultation with the Majority and Minority Leaders, shall be appointed by the President from time to time as occasion requires, to serve until discharged or finally reporting the specific matter referred. The Senate may establish investigative committees pursuant to Chapter 21, Hawai'i Revised Statutes; such committees shall have such powers and be bound by such conditions as may be provided by law or by these Rules.

(4) Conference Committees shall consist of not less than three members each and be managed by the Chair of the Standing Committee having primary responsibility of the subject matter to be resolved, unless otherwise ordered by the Senate. The members of the Conference Committee shall be appointed by the President from time to time as occasion requires, to serve until discharged or finally reporting the matter referred. The President may discharge a Conference Committee only upon concurrence with the Majority Leader.

(5) The Committee of the Whole Senate.

Rule 14 Committee Chairs and Vice Chairs.

The first person named on the committee shall be the Chair, and the second member named shall be Vice-Chair. The Chair of committees shall call meetings and preside. If a chair so requests, the vice chair shall call the meeting and preside.

The purview of the Vice Chair of the Committee on Ways and Means includes the Capital Improvement Project Program Budget for the State of Hawai'i.

Rule 15 Committees: Control and Excuse from Membership.

Committees shall be under the control of and subject to the orders of the Senate, and shall faithfully carry out such orders. Any member may be excused from serving on any committee at the time of appointment, if already a member of four other committees.

Rule 16 Standing Committees.

Standing Committees shall be appointed for major subject matter areas at the opening of the session, or as soon thereafter as possible. The Standing Committees and their areas of jurisdiction shall be as follows:

(1) Committee on Agriculture. The purview of this committee includes those programs relating to agriculture; aquaculture, including mariculture.

(2) Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection. The purview of this committee includes those programs relating to business regulation, professional and vocational licensing, consumer protection, financial institutions, insurance regulation, public utility regulation, telecommunications regulation, the landlord tenant code, condominium property regimes, and leaseholds.

(3) Committee on Economic Development and Technology. The purview of this committee includes those programs relating to economic development, including but not limited to authorities and corporations administratively attached to the Department of Business, Economic Development and Tourism unless the authority or corporation is within the purview of another Committee pursuant to this Rule; other emerging industries development; financial and technical assistance to business; film and digital media production; astronomy, biochemistry, biomedicine, biotechnology, and other scientific research and development activities; and recreation, including commercial ocean recreation activities, sports and athletics, and the Aloha Stadium; development of technology, including but not limited to the use of information storage, transmissions, processing, and telecommunications.

(4) Committee on Education. The purview of this committee includes those programs relating to early education, including the Hawai'i P-20 Initiative, public schools, continuing education, and the public libraries.

(5) Committee on Energy and Environment. The purview of this committee includes those programs relating to energy resources, including the development of alternative energy resources; population; and environmental quality control and protection, including litter control, recycling, wastewater treatment, endangered species, invasive species and hazardous waste.

(6) Committee on Government Operations. The purview of this committee includes those programs relating to state government operations policy, including government efficiency, procurement, and state facilities unless the policy, state facility, or department is within the purview of another Committee pursuant to this Rule.

(7) Committee on Hawaiian Affairs. The purview of this committee includes those programs relating to Hawaiian affairs, including but not limited to the Office of Hawaiian Affairs, Hawaiian home lands, sovereignty, and burial councils.

(8) Committee on Health. The purview of this committee includes those programs relating to general health, maternal and child health, communicable diseases, dental health, medical and hospital services, mental health, developmental disabilities, and hospitals.

(9) Committee on Higher Education and the Arts. The purview of this committee includes those programs relating to the University of Hawai'i, the community college system, private higher education bond financing, and other education matters relevant to higher education, but excluding the Hawaii P-20 Initiative; and culture and the arts in the State, including but not limited to programs relating to historic preservation.

(10) Committee on Human Services and Housing. The purview of this committee includes those programs relating to public assistance; Medquest; youth services; early childhood learning and care programs under the Department of Human Services; vocational rehabilitation; long term care; programs relating to the promotion of the general well-being of Hawai'i's youth, families, elderly population, and the homeless; affordable and public housing; urban renewal; community development; and housing development.

(11) Committee on Judiciary and Labor. The purview of this committee includes those programs relating to the courts; crime prevention and control, including juvenile justice matters; criminal code revision; statutory revision; campaign spending and elections; ethics; constitutional matters; the Attorney General, Public Defender, and Judiciary; individual rights and civil liberties; public officers and employees; labor; employment opportunities and training; labor-management relations; collective bargaining; the Employees' Retirement System; and the Hawai'i Employer-Union Health Benefits Trust Fund.

(12) Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs. The purview of this committee includes those programs relating to public safety, corrections, the narcotics division, and the sheriffs division, military and veterans' affairs, space exploration and aerospace development, civil defense, disaster readiness, county and federal relations, state building code, and matters of concern to the counties.

(13) Committee on Tourism and International Affairs. The purview of this committee includes those programs relating to tourism, including but not limited to the Hawai'i Convention Center, Hawai'i Visitors and Convention Bureau, the Hawai'i Tourism Authority; international affairs, international relations, foreign policy issues, and foreign relations.

(14) Committee on Transportation. The purview of this committee includes those programs relating to air, water, and surface transportation; and programs relating to transit-oriented development as it relates to transportation projects.

(15) Committee on Water and Land. The purview of this committee includes those programs relating to state planning; sustainability; land and water management; forest management and reserve; coastal zone management; land reclamation; naturally occurring fisheries; ocean resources; state parks and beaches; management areas, including ocean recreation management areas and small boat harbors; and programs relating to transit-oriented development as it relates to land use.

(16) Committee on Ways and Means. The purview of this committee includes those programs relating to overall state financing policies, including revenue enhancement, taxation, other revenues, and cash and debt management; statewide implementation of planning, programming, budgeting, and evaluation; government structure and finance.

Rule 17 Standing Committees: General Responsibility.

(1) General Responsibility. On the bills referred to it, the committee shall determine objectives, make program recommendations and, where appropriate, make expenditure recommendations. For those bills which require appropriations, the committee shall make expenditure recommendations consistent with the expenditure allocations established for the bills by the Committee on Ways and Means, which shall make the final recommendation to the Senate.

(2) Subsequent referral committees; prior concurrence. On bills that have been referred to more than one committee, unless otherwise ordered by the Senate, the subsequent referral committee shall make no substantive change, except changes which affect the subject matter over which the subsequent referral committee has primary jurisdiction, without prior written approval of the preceding referral committee chair having primary jurisdiction over the subject matter affected by the change.

Rule 18 Committee on Ways and Means: Special Responsibility.

It shall be the duty of the Committee on Ways and Means, in considering the General Appropriations Bill or the Supplemental Appropriations Bill, to determine for each fiscal year of the biennium the appropriate level of total expenditures and the level of expenditures for program areas.

To the extent practicable, the Committee on Ways and Means shall make available to members of the Senate the contents of the General Appropriations Bill or the Supplemental Appropriations Bill during the 48-hour period prior to the passage of such bills on third and final reading.

Concerning all other bills requiring appropriations, it shall be the duty of the Committee on Ways and Means to inform the Standing Committee responsible for the program area to which the appropriation relates of the amount and type of financial resources available, and it shall review the expenditure recommendation of the Standing Committee to determine that the recommendation is consistent with the resources available.

In determining the amount and type of resources available for a bill requiring an appropriation and in reviewing the expenditure recommendation of the Standing Committee, the Committee on Ways and Means shall invite the recommendation of the chair of the Standing Committee responsible for the program area to which the appropriation relates.

Rule 19 Leadership Committees.

Leadership Committees, upon consultation and agreement with the Majority and Minority Leaders, may be appointed by the President at the opening of the session, or as soon thereafter as necessary. A leadership Committee on Legislative Management, upon consultation and agreement with the Majority and Minority Leaders, may be appointed by the President to perform the duties and responsibilities of the Committee as may be provided by law, or to make recommendations to the President on issues of Senate policy. Because Leadership Committees have jurisdiction over issues of organizational and institutional interest to the Senate, their membership shall include members drawn from the ranks of the Senate Leadership, thus assuring high-level consideration of these issues.

Rule 20 Special Committees on Accountability.

The President may appoint a Special Committee on Accountability which shall conduct informational briefing on matters referred to it by Senate Leadership or investigate matters referred to it by single house or concurrent resolutions. The committee shall be composed of not less than five members, unless otherwise ordered by the Senate, and include a member or members of the minority party. The President shall appoint the committee's vice chair, who may change from time to time, to represent the standing committee having primary jurisdiction over the subject matter referred to the special committee.

Each Special Committee on Accountability shall terminate at the end of the calendar year in which it was appointed, unless otherwise specified. All requirements of standing committees shall apply to the committee.

Rule 21 Meetings of Committees.

Meetings, including decision-making sessions, of leadership committees appointed by the President, and Standing Committees shall be public provided that meetings in executive session may be allowed in such exceptional circumstances when committee discussion could unfairly damage the reputation of individuals or where there is a legal question concerning a bill.

Notice of meetings shall include the number and title of the bills or resolutions, and brief descriptions and committee referrals of each of the subject matters to be covered. The notice for the first Senate meeting on a measure shall be filed at least 72 hours before the meeting and at least 48 hours before any subsequent meeting. The notice for any meeting to be held on the first work day of the week shall be filed no later than 4:00 p.m. on the last work day of the prior week.

These notice requirements may be waived with the approval of the President upon good cause shown. The 72 hour notice requirement is waived for the initial decision-making meeting for short form bills and informational briefings.

No committee shall sit during the time when the Senate is actually in session without first securing the approval of the President, except Conference Committees that may sit at any time.

As practicable, committees shall schedule their meetings at times and at places as are convenient for attendance by the general public, and in coordination with other committees of the House or Senate, shall endeavor to hold joint meetings and public hearings on matters of mutual interest.

The meetings of a Conference Committee shall be conducted as agreed upon by the members of the Conference Committee. Conference Committee meetings and decision-making sessions shall be public. Public notice of Conference Committee meetings shall be given to the extent practicable.

Rule 22 Decision-Making by Committee.

(1) The chair of a standing committee may commence a decision-making meeting and open discussion on matters referred to the committee without a quorum; provided that the decision-making by the committee on matters that are referred to it shall be conducted with a quorum of the committee present. A quorum shall be a majority of the membership of the committee.

(2) A favorable vote of a majority of the members present at a decision-making meeting duly constituted with a quorum is required to report a matter out of committee. A member voting "with reservations" shall be counted as a favorable vote.

(3) The presence of a quorum and the final vote of each member who is present at the decision-making meeting of a standing committee shall be recorded by the chair or by a member of the committee designated by the chair. This record shall be attached to and shall be a part of the report of the standing committee.

Rule 23 Public Hearings on Bills.

(1) Subject to this rule, the selection and scheduling of a bill for public hearing shall be at the discretion of the chair of the committee having jurisdiction over the bill.

(2) The chair's determination that a bill will have a public hearing shall be final notwithstanding the opposition of a majority of the members of the committee.

(3) At the written request of a majority of the members of the committee, the chair shall schedule a bill for public hearing.

(4) If a bill:

- (A) Has been referred to more than one standing committee and at least one committee hearing is required for passage of the bill out of the Senate;
- (B) Contains any significant or substantial amendment made by a committee other than the last standing committee to which the bill has been referred; and
- (C) The public has not been provided with an opportunity to submit testimony on the significant or substantial amendment;

then, prior to reporting the bill out of the last standing committee, the last standing committee to which the bill was referred shall hold a public hearing to provide the public with the opportunity to testify on the bill.

Rule 24 Committee Reports.

(1) The leadership committees as may be appointed by the President and Standing Committees shall report from time to time upon all matters referred to them.

(2) Special Committees shall report upon matters referred to them within the time permitted in the appointment of the Special Committee unless further time is given by vote of the Senate.

(3) A Conference Committee shall not report upon the matter referred unless a majority of the members of each house appointed by their respective presiding officer have concurred in the report.

Rule 25 Committees: Fact-finding and Content of Reports.

(1) Whenever any matter shall be referred to a committee it shall be the duty of the committee to make diligent inquiry into all of the facts and circumstances connected with the matter. If necessary, witnesses shall be summoned or subpoenaed, and everything shall be done to bring all facts pertaining to the matter before the Senate in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 21 of the Hawai'i Revised Statutes. The President may exercise such powers authorized under Chapter 21, relating to the issuance of subpoenas, and the President, committee chair and other duly delegated members of the Senate may exercise such powers authorized under Chapter 21 aforesaid, relating to the administering of oaths, and the compelling of witnesses who have been subpoenaed to testify. All committee meetings held on matters referred to it by the Senate shall be open to the public unless otherwise ordered by the Senate or otherwise provided by these Rules.

(2) The report of the committee shall state findings of fact and conclusions based thereon, together with a distinct recommendation as to the disposal of that matter. A report recommending a measure for passage shall clearly state the legislative intent and purpose of the measure.

(3) The report shall also include the identity of organizations or titles of individuals representing organizations who submitted testimony on legislation for, against or comments only on the measure. A summary of any individual or individuals who submit testimony as private citizens shall also be provided.

(4) A report upon a bill shall state clearly the amendments, if any, proposed. If a substitute bill for one or more referred to the committee shall be reported, such substitute bill shall agree with the subject of the bill or bills referred to the committee.

(5) The committee shall report whenever a majority of the members present at the decision-making meeting duly constituted with a quorum is in favor of reporting the bill or resolution out of the committee. The report, after being made available, for review by the members of the committee, and after subsequent revisions thereto, if any, shall be the final report of the committee. The final report of the committee shall be attested to by the signature of the chair on behalf of the members of the committee. The action of the committee on the bill or resolution or any amendments thereto, if any, and the final vote of each member of the committee recorded by the chair or the chair's designee at a decision-making meeting shall not be changed in the review of the report, unless the change is made at an open decision-making meeting conducted with a quorum of the committee present. The minority of the members present at any decision-making meeting duly constituted with a quorum may report.

Rule 26 Committee of the Whole.

(1) The Senate from time to time may resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole. Whenever any matter shall be referred to such committee upon the adoption of a motion to that effect, the President shall call some member to take the Chair (unless the Senate shall nominate a chair), which being done, the Senate then shall be in committee.

(2) The Clerk of the Senate shall act as Clerk of the Committee of the Whole without extra compensation, and shall make a careful record of the proceedings, which shall be filed as one of the records of the Senate.

(3) The Committee, on motion, may rise and ask leave to sit at any future time.

(4) When a bill shall be referred to the Committee of the Whole, the bill shall be first read throughout by the Clerk, and then again read and debated by sections, leaving the preamble to be the last. All amendments, noting the page and line, shall be duly entered by the Clerk on a separate paper, as the same shall be agreed to by the committee, and so reported. When a bill is ordered into Committee of the Whole, such order may dispense with the reading of the whole bill before considering it section by section.

(5) In Committee of the Whole, the rules of procedure in the Senate shall be observed except that any member may speak more than once on the same subject, but no person shall speak a second or further time until others desiring to speak shall have had an opportunity, nor shall the motion for the previous question be allowed. A time limit for debate may be fixed by vote.

PART III. SESSIONS; ATTENDANCE; NOMINATIONS

Rule 27 Meetings.

(1) The Senate shall meet for the transaction of public business every day, except Saturdays, Sundays, legal holidays and such other days as the Senate shall designate by motion or resolution duly adopted and entered in the Journal.

(2) The regular hour of meetings of the Senate is established at eleven-thirty o'clock a.m. but the hour of meeting, recess and adjournment for any day may be such as the Senate, by motion, shall decide from time to time.

Rule 28 Attendance.

No member shall be absent from the sessions of the Senate unless given leave by the President or unless the member is sick and unable to attend.

Rule 29 Extension of Session.

Two-thirds of the members to which the Senate is entitled, two-thirds of the House of Representatives concurring, may petition the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House to extend any session of the Legislature. The petition shall read:

“To the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives

Your petitioners, members of the Senate and of the _____ Legislature of the State of Hawai‘i, respectfully request an extension of _____ days of the _____ session of _____ of the _____ Legislature of the State of Hawai‘i.”

The petition shall be in writing, above the signatures of the members.

When the President of the Senate receives such a petition, and it is properly signed by two-thirds of the members to which each house is entitled, the President and the Speaker of the House of Representatives shall jointly issue a proclamation extending the session for the number of days sought in the petition.

Rule 30 Recessed Session.

Any session of the Legislature may be recessed by concurrent resolution adopted by a majority of the members to which each house is entitled. Each regular session shall be recessed pursuant to Article III, Section 10, of the Hawai‘i State Constitution for not less than five days at some period between the twentieth and fortieth days of the regular session.

Rule 31 Special Sessions.

(1) Two-thirds of the members to which the Senate is entitled, two-thirds of the House of Representatives concurring, may petition the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House to call a special session of the Legislature. The petition shall read:

“To the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives

Your petitioners, members of the Senate and of the House of Representatives of the _____ Legislature of the State of Hawai‘i, respectfully request that a special session of the _____ Legislature of the State of Hawai‘i be convened at _____.”

The petition shall be in writing, above the signatures of the members.

When the President of the Senate receives such a petition, and it is properly signed by two-thirds of the members to which each house is entitled, the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives shall jointly issue a proclamation convening the Legislature in special session at the time and place sought in the petition.

(2) Two-thirds of the members to which the Senate is entitled may petition the President of the Senate to call a special session of the Senate for the purpose of carrying out the Senate’s responsibilities under Article VI, Section 3, of the Hawai‘i State Constitution. The petition shall read:

“To the President of the Senate

Your petitioners, members of the Senate of the _____ Legislature of the State of Hawai‘i, respectfully request that a special session of the Senate of the State of Hawai‘i be convened at _____.”

The petition shall be in writing, above the signatures of the members.

When the President of the Senate receives such a petition, and it is properly signed by two-thirds of the members to which the Senate is entitled, the President of the Senate shall issue a proclamation convening the Senate in special session at the time and place sought in the petition.

(3) A meeting of the Senate may be convened at any time for the purpose of carrying out the Senate’s responsibilities under Article III, Section 12, of the Hawai‘i State Constitution, by a petition submitted to the Clerk of the Senate signed by a majority of the members to which the Senate is entitled. In such meeting, the Senate may organize itself, choose its officers, and adopt rules for its administration. The petition shall read:

“To the Clerk of the Senate

The petitioners, members of the Senate of the _____ Legislature of the State of Hawai‘i, shall convene a meeting of the Senate of the State of Hawai‘i at _____.

The meeting of the Senate shall be held for the purpose of carrying out the Senate’s responsibilities under Article III, Section 12, of the Hawai‘i State Constitution to organize itself, choose its officers, and adopt rules for its administration.

The petition shall be in writing, above the signatures of the members.

When the Clerk of the Senate receives such a petition, and it is properly signed by a majority of the members to which the Senate is entitled, the Clerk of the Senate shall issue a notice of the meeting for the time and place sought in the petition.

Rule 32 Adjournments.

Meetings may be adjourned at any time. Unless otherwise specified in the motion, every adjournment shall be considered as being to the established hour of meeting on the following business day; but no adjournment shall be for more than three days, or sine die, without the consent of the House of Representatives.

Rule 33 Motion to Adjourn.

A motion to adjourn is always in order, and shall be decided without debate. One motion to adjourn shall not follow another without intervening business.

Rule 34 Quorum.

For the transaction of business, a majority of the number of members to which the Senate is entitled shall constitute a quorum, of which quorum a majority vote shall suffice, but the final passage of a bill shall require the vote of the majority of the members of the Senate. A smaller number than a quorum may adjourn from day to day and compel the attendance of absent members. For the purpose of compelling the attendance of absent members, a majority of the members present, by resolution, may direct the Sergeant-at-Arms to place the members who are absent under arrest and return them to the Senate. Any warrant pursuant to such a resolution shall be issued in the name of the Senate and shall be signed by the member then presiding. For the purpose of ascertaining whether there is a quorum present, the President shall count the members present.

Rule 35 Executive Session.

(1) If the Senate considers it necessary to act confidentially upon any communication from the Governor or upon any nomination or other matter, it may go into executive session.

(2) When any member desires to make known any matter to the Senate which the member deems should be confidential and private, the member shall communicate that desire to the President who shall decide whether the Senate shall go into executive session. The Senate may decide whether the matter communicated shall be kept secret.

Rule 36 Clearing of the Senate.

(1) When acting upon confidential business in executive session, the Senate Chambers shall be cleared of all persons except the members of the Senate and such other persons as the presiding officer with the consent of the Senate shall deem necessary.

(2) The members, officers and employees shall keep the secrets of the Senate and any other person whose presence is permitted in executive session shall be sworn to secrecy.

(3) All confidential communications made to the Senate, and remarks, votes and proceedings thereon, shall be kept strictly secret by the members, officers and employees, as well as by such other persons as have been detained or permitted to attend upon the consideration of such matters, until the Senate, by resolution, takes off such seal of secrecy, or unless such matter be later considered in open session.

Rule 37 Nominations; Appointments.

(1) Nominations made by the Governor and removal of the chief legal officer of the State which require the advice and consent of the Senate, and appointments which require the confirmation or consent of the Senate shall be referred to the standing committee having jurisdiction within five legislative days of receipt of the nomination or appointment. The standing committee to which a nomination, removal of the chief legal officer or appointment is referred, shall report to the Senate with a recommendation to advise and consent, confirm, or reject on or before the fifty-ninth day of the session.

(2) Except for the appointment of a justice or judge, a nomination or appointment made by the Governor which is received by the Senate after the forty-first day of the session of the Legislature shall be returned to the Governor without action, unless a confirmation or consent is required to further a public purpose which cannot be satisfied by an interim appointment. Notice of this rule shall be given to the Governor not later than the twentieth day of the session of the Legislature.

(3) The final question on nominations made by the Governor shall be: "Will the Senate advise and consent to this nomination?"

(4) The final question on the removal of the chief legal officer of the State shall be: "Will the Senate advise and consent to the removal of the chief legal officer of the State?"

(5) The final question on appointments made by the Governor which require the confirmation or consent of the Senate shall be: "Will the Senate confirm (or consent) to this appointment?"

(6) The final question on nominations, removal of the chief legal officer or on appointments shall not be put sooner than twenty-four hours from the time when the nomination or appointment is received, nor on the day in which it may be reported by a committee, unless by unanimous consent.

(7) Public hearings shall be held for all nominees, for the removal of the chief legal officer of the State, and for all appointees prior to confirmation or consent by the Senate.

(8) Consent to the appointment of justices and judges shall be pursuant to Article VI, Section 3, of the Hawai'i State Constitution.

Rule 38 Meeting at a Place Other than the Capitol.

Whenever, for any reason, the Governor shall convene the Senate at any place other than the Capitol, it shall attend together with all of its officers at the time and place ordered.

PART IV. ORDER OF BUSINESS

Rule 39 Order of Business: General.

After roll call and the reading of the Journal, the President shall call for business in the following order:

- (1) Messages from the Governor.
- (2) Reports and communications from the state officers.
- (3) Communications, bills, resolutions and other matters from the House of Representatives.
- (4) Concurrent and senate resolutions and introduction of bills.
- (5) Reports of Conference and Joint Committees.
- (6) Reports of the Leadership Committee on Legislative Management.
- (7) Reports of Standing Committees.
- (8) Reports of other Leadership Committees.
- (9) Unfinished business, upon which the Senate was engaged at the time of its last adjournment.

- (10) The Order of the Day.
- (11) Miscellaneous communications.
- (12) Any miscellaneous business on the President's table.

Rule 40 Order of Business: Special.

The Senate, by previous motion, may direct that any matter named shall be made a special order of business and that such special order shall take precedence of all business after the fourth order, or that it shall take any other position lower down on the calendar.

Rule 41 Order of Business: Committee Reports and Gubernatorial Messages.

Reports from Conference or Joint Committees, and from Leadership Committee on Legislative Management, shall be in order at all times after the second order of business, and, upon motion, messages from the Governor or from the House of Representatives may be received at any time. Without unanimous consent, however, such messages or reports shall not be in order for discussion when received, but shall be placed on the calendar as unfinished business.

Rule 42 Order of Business: Order of the Day.

- (1) All floor votes on legislation will be posted on the order of the day.
- (2) After the first seven orders of business set forth in Rule 39, it shall be in order, pending consideration thereof, to move that the Senate proceed to dispose of the unfinished business or to the Order of the Day. If such motion be decided in the affirmative, such consideration shall immediately be taken up.

Rule 43 Order of Business: Unfinished Business.

The unfinished business in which the Senate was engaged at the time of the last adjournment shall have the preference in the Order of the Day. Until the former is disposed of, no motion for any other business shall be received without special leave of the Senate.

Rule 44 Order of Business: Questions on Priority.

All questions relating to the priority of business to be acted upon shall be decided without debate.

PART V. BILLS**Rule 45 Bills: Introduction.**

Any bill may be introduced on the report of the committee or by any member, except appropriation bills subject to the next paragraph, and except short form bills which may only be introduced by the majority leader or the minority leader after appropriate consultation with committee chairs and other members of the Senate.

The Executive Budget, Judiciary Budget, Legislative Budget, General Appropriations Bill, Supplemental Appropriations Bill, Office of Hawaiian Affairs Budget, and bills for criminal injuries compensation, for claims against the State and for funding of collective bargaining agreements may be introduced only by the President. Each member may introduce only one bill appropriating money for capital improvements projects in the member's district. The majority leaders and the minority leader shall develop a policy governing introduction by individual members of bills intended to appropriate money or to authorize the issuance of state bonds.

Bills, which shall carry over from a regular session in an odd-numbered year to the next regular session, shall retain the numbers assigned to them. The Clerk shall keep a record of the status of all bills in possession of the Senate at the end of the odd-numbered year session and shall publish the record of the status of all such bills prior to the convening of the next regular session.

Every bill introduced or reported out of any committee, which amends an existing section or subsection of the Hawai'i Revised Statutes or Session Laws of Hawai'i, shall set forth the section or subsection in full, and the matter to be deleted shall be enclosed in brackets and stricken and any new matter added to the section or subsection shall be underscored. However, a Supplemental Appropriations Bill need not conform to this rule, nor an amending bill where the intent and effect of the amending bill can be clearly identified and understood without repeating the entire section or subsection, in which case only the paragraphs, subparagraphs, clauses or items to be amended need be set forth as the President may allow. The President may allow additional exceptions to this rule.

Rule 46 Bills: Referral to Committee.

- (1) Upon introduction, all bills shall be numbered by the Clerk in numerical sequence, shall bear an identification as a Senate Bill, and shall pass first reading.
- (2) The majority research office shall make recommendations to the majority leadership on the referral of each such bill to appropriate Leadership or Standing Committees.
- (3) Each such bill shall be referred by members of the majority leadership appointed by the President, to one or more appropriate Leadership or Standing Committees for consideration.

(4) Any referral may be reconsidered by the President upon written request of any chair who is aggrieved by the referral made within three working days. The President shall decide the request for reconsideration within a reasonable time, which decision shall be final. No request for reconsideration shall be considered if the timing of the request would have the effect of killing a bill or resolution.

(5) Any proposed senate draft that makes major amendments or wholesale changes that could affect the referral of the bill shall be submitted to the President for review and if the President deems it appropriate, the bill may be re-referred as determined by the President. The President's determination of any proposed re-referral shall be made within twenty-four hours of receipt of the proposed senate draft.

(6) Each Leadership and Standing Committee shall consider the bills and other matters referred to it as expeditiously as may be possible.

Rule 47 Bills: Required Readings.

No bill shall pass the Senate unless it shall have passed three readings in the Senate on separate days. The President shall give notice in each instance whether it be the first, second or third reading.

Rule 48 Bills: First Reading.

(1) The first reading of a bill shall be for information. If opposition be made to it, the question shall be: "Shall this bill be rejected?" which question may be debated. But no one shall speak more than once upon such question, except the introducer of the bill, who may close the debate.

(2) If the question to reject be negative, the bill shall go to its second reading without question.

Rule 49 Bills: Second Reading.

A bill upon its second reading may be read by its title only. It then shall be subject to a motion to commit. If it is not referred to a Leadership Committee, Standing Committee, or Special Committee, but is ordered to be considered in Committee of the Whole, a day for such consideration shall be determined by the chair of such committee. When the bill is reported from committee it shall take its place in the order of business for future consideration.

Rule 50 Bills: Third Reading.

(1) No bill shall pass third or final reading in the Senate unless copies of the bill in the form to be passed have been made available to the members of the Senate for at least 48 hours. Form to be passed means the form in which a bill is to be (a) passed on third reading in the Senate, (b) concurred to by the Senate after amendments have been made by the House, or (c) passed by the Senate after a Conference Committee has agreed upon it.

(2) A bill on its third or final reading may be read by its title only. Upon the final passage of any bill, the Ayes and Noes shall be called. Such passage shall require the affirmative vote of a majority of all the members of the Senate and the Ayes and Noes shall be entered on the Journal.

(3) All bills, except on first reading, shall be identified by title on the Order of the Day before consideration by the members unless waived by the President.

Rule 51 Bills: Property of Senate.

All bills introduced in the Senate shall be deemed the property of the Senate and under its control unless they shall become law, subject however to the right of the House of Representatives to amend or to refuse to agree with the bills.

Any bill pending at the final adjournment of a regular session in an odd-numbered year shall carry over with the same status to the next regular session; provided that if such bill shall have passed third reading in the Senate in an odd-numbered session, it shall pass at least one reading in the Senate in the next regular session upon its return to the Senate from the House.

Rule 52 Bills: Recall from Committee.

Twenty days after a bill has been referred to a committee, the same may be recalled from such committee by the affirmative vote of one-third of the members of the Senate.

Rule 53 Matters Tabled.

When a bill or resolution or other matter has been laid upon the table, it shall not thereafter be taken from the table and be considered or restored to a place upon the calendar of the Senate without the consent of a majority.

Rule 54 Bills: Amendments.

(1) All amendments proposed to any bill shall be in writing, unless otherwise ordered by the Senate, and shall be sent to the Clerk's desk to be filed with the bill.

(2) The fundamental purpose of any amendment to a bill shall be germane to the fundamental purpose of the bill.

(3) The Clerk shall prepare and distribute copies of any proposed floor amendment to each member of the Senate present.

(4) A floor amendment shall be deemed pending only after its proponent has been recognized by the President and its adoption has been properly moved and seconded.

(5) A floor amendment that relates to a different subject, is intended to accomplish a different purpose, incorporates any other bill pending before the Senate, or would alter the nature of the bill as reported, is not germane and shall not be considered by the Senate.

(6) An amendment to a floor amendment that is not germane to both the floor amendment and the bill as reported shall not be considered by the Senate.

Rule 55 Bills: Certification.

When a bill is passed it shall be certified by the Clerk who shall note the day of its passage in the journal along with a record of the ayes and noes.

Rule 56 Bills: Received from House of Representatives.

Whenever a House bill which has passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives shall be certified to the Senate for its action, such bill shall be read three times before final passage, in accordance with the provision of the rules for the passage of bills introduced in the Senate.

Rule 57 Bills: Transmittal to House of Representatives.

When a bill originating in the Senate shall have passed its third reading, or when a bill originating in the House which has been received from the House shall have been amended, or when a carry-over bill from an odd-numbered year originating in the House passes its third reading in the Senate in an even-numbered year session, such bill or such amended bill shall immediately be certified by the President and Clerk and sent to the House of Representatives for its consideration.

Rule 58 Bills: Correction of Errors.

When a bill has passed both the Senate and the House of Representatives and an error in it is discovered prior to its having received the approval of the Governor, the bill may be returned by Concurrent Resolution to the house last considering the bill for proper correction.

Rule 59 Bills: Order of Consideration.

(1) The Clerk shall ensure that bills that have passed first reading are made immediately available. When the bills have been made available to the members of the Senate, the Majority Leadership, appointed by the President, shall refer the bills to the various committees. When the committees have considered the bills and reported on them, the committees shall return the bills to the Clerk, and the Clerk shall place the bills in the Second Reading File. The Senate shall consider the bills in the order in which they appear in the Second Reading File.

(2) The Clerk shall arrange bills that have passed second reading in the order of their passage on second reading, regardless of the date of their reference to committee or the date of the committee report on them. The Clerk shall place them on the Third Reading File in the order in which they passed second reading and the Senate shall consider them on third reading in that same order. However, if the third reading of a bill is set for some particular date, that bill shall be removed from the Third Reading File.

Rule 60 Bills: Special Order of Consideration.

All bills and other matters set for consideration on particular dates, shall be arranged in the order of the several votes making such assignments. A list shall be made of such special orders, and when the time for consideration arrives, such bills and other matters shall be considered in the order of assignment. If an adjournment shall be had before all of such special orders are disposed of, the remainder shall go over and come under the head of unfinished business on the following day, unless otherwise ordered.

PART VI. RESOLUTIONS; MOTIONS

Rule 61 Resolutions and Motions: Form.

All resolutions shall be typewritten, dated and signed by the introducer, otherwise they shall not be considered. The Senate shall not introduce any congratulatory, commemorative or memorial resolution but shall express the sentiment contained in such resolutions by means of a suitable certificate. Motions and amendments may be verbal but shall be reduced to writing if requested by the President, and shall be read from the desk if so ordered.

Rule 62 Motions: Disposition.

After a motion is stated or read by the President, it shall be deemed to be in the possession of the Senate, and shall be disposed of by vote of the Senate; however, it may be withdrawn by the mover at any time before an amendment has been adopted or before the decision on the motion if not amended.

Rule 63 Motions Applicable to Pending Matters.

Whenever any bill or resolution or other matter shall be under discussion, the only motions relative thereto shall be:

- (1) To lay upon the table,
- (2) To postpone to a certain time,
- (3) To postpone indefinitely,
- (4) To commit or recommit, and
- (5) To amend, which motions shall have precedence in the order named.

The first two motions shall be decided without debate and shall be put as soon as made.

A motion to recommit will require a floor vote.

When any of the motions shall be decided in the negative, they shall not be revived the same day relative to the main question under discussion. If all are negative as aforesaid, the only remaining question shall be as to the adoption of the bill, resolution or other main question.

Rule 64 Matters Postponed Indefinitely.

When a question is postponed indefinitely, the question shall not be acted upon again during the session in which it was introduced.

Rule 65 Motion for Previous Question.

The object of the motion for the previous question is to cut off debate. It shall always be in order. It shall require a three-fifths vote to carry it.

Whenever the motion shall be carried, the author of the resolution or introducer of the bill under discussion shall be permitted to close the debate, after which the main question, subject to Rule 63, shall be put. The author or introducer may delegate to another such right to close.

Rule 66 Motion for Reconsideration.

(1) When a motion has been once made and carried in the affirmative or negative, it shall not be in order for any member who voted on the side that did not prevail to move for a reconsideration thereof; but any member who voted on the prevailing side may move to reconsider it on the same or the succeeding day of session, or, with the consent of the Senate, on any subsequent day and such motion shall take precedence of all other questions, except a motion to adjourn.

(2) When a motion for reconsideration has been decided by vote, that vote shall not be reconsidered.

(3) When a bill or resolution or other matter upon which a vote has been taken shall have gone out of the possession of the Senate, and shall have been transmitted to the House of Representatives, a motion to reconsider shall be deemed to include a request to the House to return the same. If not complied with by the House, then the vote on the motion to reconsider shall be set aside. If such motion shall pass, the Clerk shall promptly communicate to the House the request for return of the matter to be reconsidered.

PART VII. PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

Rule 67 Petitions, Memorials, and Miscellaneous Communications.

(1) Any person may petition the Senate. Petitions and other memorials, except as provided in Rule 61, shall be in writing, signed by the petitioners.

(2) All petitions, memorials and other papers addressed to the Senate or to the President and members shall be presented to the Senate by the Clerk.

(3) A brief statement of the contents of such petitions, memorials or other papers shall be made orally by the Clerk.

(4) Every such petition, memorial or other paper shall be ordered filed or referred to a committee, as of course, by the President, unless such action is objected to by a member at the time such petition, memorial or other paper is presented.

(5) No such petition, memorial or other paper shall be debated on the day it is presented, except with the consent of the Senate.

PART VIII. ORDER; DEBATE; VOTING

Rule 68 Questions of Order.

(1) A question of order may be raised at any stage of the proceedings, except during the calling of the roll when the Ayes and Noes are called for. Unless submitted to the Senate, such questions shall be decided without debate by the presiding officer, subject to an appeal to the Senate. Laying such appeal on the table shall be held as sustaining the ruling of the presiding officer.

(2) Any question of order may be submitted to the Senate for its decision.

Rule 69 Debate: General Limitation.

No member shall speak more than twice, unless such member be the mover of the matter pending, in which case such member shall not be permitted to speak in reply until every member choosing to speak shall have spoken.

Rule 70 Voting: Methods.

There shall be five methods of ascertaining the decision of the Senate upon any matter.

(1) First, by voice; Second, by raising of hands; Third, by rising; Fourth, by call of the roll of the members and a record of the Clerk of the vote of each; and Fifth, by unanimous consent.

(2) Whenever the Senate is ready to vote on any question, the President shall rise, and after stating the question, shall request all those in favor of the affirmative of the question to vote "Aye." The President then shall call upon all voting in the negative of the question to vote "No." The President then shall announce the result to the Senate.

(3) If any member shall doubt the result, as announced, the President again shall state the question and call upon the members to vote either by rising in their places, and they shall remain standing until counted, or by raising their hands and the result again shall be announced.

(4) The President shall, when one-fifth of the members present so request, and may, when one member so requests, allow a roll-call vote. Clerk shall call the roll of the members of the Senate. Each member, when called, shall vote in a clear loud voice, "Aye," if voting in the affirmative, or "No," if voting in the negative. The Clerk shall record each vote and such record shall become a part of the Journal of the Senate. The President shall announce the results as above set forth.

(5) With the unanimous consent of the Senate, the President may direct the Clerk to record an "Aye" vote for each member of the Senate. If there is no objection, the Clerk shall so record the vote. If there is objection, the President shall ask for the names of the members voting "No" and order the Clerk to record no votes for them.

Rule 71 Voting: Rights of Members.

(1) No member, on any account, shall refrain from voting unless excused by the President. A member voting "with reservations" shall be counted as a favorable vote. A member may vote "Kanalua" the first time the member's name is called by the Clerk on any vote, but if the member votes "Kanalua" on the next call of the member's name, the member's vote shall be recorded as "Aye."

(2) The President may excuse a member who has a monetary interest in the question, or whose right to a seat in the Senate will be affected by the question, or whose official conduct is involved in the question. If a member thinks there may be a personal interest in the question, the member shall rise and disclose the interest to the President. The President then shall rule whether the member has a conflict of interest. If so, the member shall be excused from voting.

(3) Whenever the Ayes and Noes are called, no one, without unanimous consent, shall be permitted to explain a vote.

(4) After the announcement by the President of the result, no one shall be allowed to vote or to change a vote.

PART IX. DECORUM; DISCLOSURES; PEER REVIEW; PUNISHMENT**Rule 72 Misconduct; Procedure; Peer Review.**

No member of the Senate shall be subject to a charge for misconduct, disorderly behavior, or neglect of duty unless the person making the charge shall have first given notice of the charge to the President and to the member being charged.

Upon receipt of the charge, the President shall attempt to resolve the matter in an administrative proceeding. If the matter cannot be resolved administratively, the President may appoint a Special Committee to be chaired by the Vice-President or such other member as the President may designate to investigate, hear and report upon the conduct of the member charged for misconduct, disorderly behavior or neglect of duty. Any member so charged shall be informed in writing of the specific charge or charges made against the member and have opportunity to present evidence and be heard in the member's own defense before the Special Committee. Following its investigation and hearing, the Special Committee shall file its report with the President setting forth its findings and recommendations.

If the committee recommends dismissal of the charge or charges, the President may dismiss the charges without further hearing, or the President may present the report of the committee to the Senate for its consideration. The Senate, by a majority vote, may dismiss the charge or charges against the member without a hearing.

If there is no dismissal of the charge or charges, or if the committee recommends censure, suspension or expulsion, the President shall present the report of the committee to the Senate for its consideration and decision. The member who is charged, shall be informed in writing of the presentation of the charge or charges of the committee report to the Senate and be given an opportunity to be heard in the member's own defense. The Senate, by a majority vote, may dismiss the charge or charges without a hearing, or with notice and an opportunity to be heard in the member's own defense, censure a member or, upon a two-thirds vote of all the members of the Senate, suspend or expel a member.

At any stage of the charge against a member, the member shall have a right to be represented by a person or persons of the member's own choosing.

Rule 73 Decorum: Transgression of Rules.

If any member transgresses the rules of the Senate, the President, or any member, may call such member to order, and, when so called to order, the member immediately shall sit down. The President then shall decide the question of order without debate, subject to an appeal to the Senate.

The President may call for the sense of the Senate on any question of order.

Rule 74 Decorum: Address.

When any member is about to speak, such member shall rise from the member's seat and address all remarks to the President. While speaking, the member shall confine all remarks to the question under debate, shall refer to other Senators by title only (e.g., "Senator from the _____ District"; "The Chair of the Committee on _____"; "The Majority Leader,") and not by name and shall avoid personalities.

Rule 75 Decorum: Person Called to Order While Speaking.

Whenever any person shall be called to order while speaking, such person shall be deemed to be in possession of the floor when the question of order is decided and may proceed with the matter under discussion.

Rule 76 Decorum: Presence in Senate.

No person shall sit at the desk of the President or Clerk, except by permission of the President, nor shall any person, other than a member, officer or permitted employee or person, sit in the main Senate floor area during any of the sessions of the Senate.

Rule 77 Decorum: Conduct in Session.

When the President is putting any question or addressing the Senate, no one shall walk out of the room or across the floor. When a member is speaking, no one shall entertain a private discourse, nor shall anyone pass between the member speaking and the Chair.

No one shall cause any annoyance or disturbance on the Senate floor by use of sound-emitting electronic devices such as cell phones or pagers.

Rule 78 Decorum: Disorderly Conduct in Session.

If, during any session of the Senate, any member should behave in a disorderly manner the President shall order the member to be seated and preserve the peace. If such member then shall persist in disorderly conduct, the President shall order the Sergeant-at-Arms to remove the member from the Senate and the member shall not be permitted to take a seat during the remainder of that day's session, except upon satisfactory pledge given to the Senate for future good behavior.

Rule 79 Decorum: Recording of Debate Called to Order.

If any Senator is called to order for words spoken in debate, upon the member's demand or on that of any other Senator, the words objected to shall be taken down in writing and noted by the Clerk, and, if required, shall be read for the information of the Senate.

Rule 80 Decorum: Smoking.

No member or other officer shall smoke anywhere within the capitol.

Rule 81 Standards of Conduct.

(1) Members should conduct themselves in a respectful manner befitting the office with which they as elected officials have been entrusted, respecting and complying with the law and acting at all times in a manner that promotes public confidence in the integrity of the Senate.

(2) Members should not lend the prestige of public office to advance the private interests of themselves or others; nor should members convey or permit others to convey the impression that they are in a special position to unduly influence pending public business before them.

(3) Members should treat their fellow Senate members, staff, and the general public with respect and courtesy, regardless of political or religious beliefs, race, ethnicity, sex, sexual orientation, or physical disability.

(4) The legislative duties of members as prescribed by law and these Rules should take precedence over all of their other business or professional activities. Members should freely and willingly accept certain restrictions on their business activities and professional conduct that might be considered burdensome by an ordinary private citizen, and should perform the duties of elected office impartially and diligently. To the greatest extent reasonably possible, members should:

- (A) Refrain from allowing family, social, business, or other relationships to unduly influence the member's legislative conduct or judgment.
- (B) Refrain from showing bias or prejudice, including but not limited to bias or prejudice based on political or religious beliefs, race, ethnicity, sex, sexual orientation, or physical disability, in the performance of their official duties.

- (C) Exercise patience, tolerance and courtesy to all those with whom they deal with in an official capacity, and require staff and others subject to their direction and control to maintain similar standards of conduct, fidelity, and diligence inherent in public service.
- (D) Exercise the power of appointment impartially and on the basis of merit, refraining from making unnecessary appointments and approving compensation of appointees beyond the fair value of services rendered.
- (E) Afford to every person who wishes to participate in the legislative process the opportunity to be heard according to established procedures.
- (F) Consider at all times whether their conduct would create in reasonable minds the perception that their ability to carry out legislative responsibilities with integrity and independence is either questionable or impaired.
- (G) Refrain from using, or permitting the use of, the privileges and prestige of their public office to derive undue personal, professional, or financial benefits for themselves, members of their families, or others with whom they maintain personal, business, or professional relationships.
- (H) Refrain from engaging in financial and business dealings that involve them in frequent transactions, or continuing business or professional relationships, with those persons likely to derive benefits from public financial matters either pending or already deliberated and voted upon by the Senate, to the extent that such conduct may reasonably be perceived as personal exploitation of their public office.

Rule 82 Decorum: Solicitation Prohibited.

An officer or employee of the Senate shall not solicit subscriptions, for any purpose, from any other officer or employee thereof, nor from any Senator. Nor shall any person be permitted to solicit or receive subscriptions or contributions for any purpose on the floor or in the lobby of the Senate or in any Senate office.

Rule 83 Disclosures.

Each member shall file with the Ethics Commission of the State of Hawai'i, a disclosure of the member's private financial interests, as prescribed by law. Each member shall file with the Ethics Commission any change in such financial interests.

If a legislative matter which affects a member's interests arises before the member has made a disclosure to the Ethics Commission, the member shall disclose orally such interest to the Senate before voting. The member then shall immediately make the written disclosure required by law and the Rules of the Senate.

Any member who has filed a disclosure as required by this Rule need not make a further oral disclosure on the Senate floor of any interest so filed.

Rule 84 Violating Confidence.

If any matter covered in Rule 35 or 36 shall be disclosed by any Senator, the Senator shall be liable to censure, or, by a two-thirds vote, to suspension or expulsion from the Senate. If an officer or other person authorized to hear such matter shall disclose the matter, such officer shall be dismissed and such other person shall be liable to punishment for contempt comparable to the punishment provided for by Article III, Section 18 of the Hawai'i State Constitution and in the manner as therein prescribed.

Rule 85 Conflicts of Interest.

(1) No member shall vote on any legislation if the member has a direct financial interest in the legislation, unless the member is part of the class of people affected by the official action based upon the member's profession, trade or business; provided that this rule shall not apply to votes on the recommendations of a committee when a member has disclosed a potential conflict. For the purposes of this rule, a "direct financial interest" means that the legislation affects the legislator's personal business, property, or financial interest.

(2) If a member is uncertain as to whether a conflict of interest exists, the member may request a ruling from the President by giving notice and disclosing the direct financial interest to the President prior to voting. When making a determination in cases where a portion of a measure may place a member in a conflict of interest, the President shall give due consideration to the context of that portion as it relates to the overall purpose of the measure. If the President determines that a conflict exists, the President shall excuse the member from voting.

PART X. QUESTIONS TO STATE OFFICERS

Rule 86 Questions to State Officers.

Any member of the Senate may ask any question of any state officer relating to the officer's respective department by reducing such questions to writing, over the member's signature, reading the same before the Senate, and furnishing the officer with a copy of such written question. Any officer questioned shall reply to such question upon the following day, unless the Senate shall grant a definite extension of time for replying.

PART XI. AMENDMENT, SUSPENSION AND INTERPRETATION OF RULES

Rule 87 Amendments; Suspension; Violations.

(1) No rule of the Senate shall be amended or rescinded nor shall any new rule be adopted, without one day's notice of such change. Any such action shall require a majority vote of the members of the Senate.

(2) Any rule may be suspended for a particular purpose upon a majority vote of the members of the Senate.

(3) Any violation of these Rules shall be referred to the President for appropriate action.

Rule 88 Parliamentary Procedure.

Mason's Manual of Legislative Procedures, 2010 edition, where not inconsistent with the Rules and practices of the Senate, shall govern.

PART XII. MISCELLANEOUS POWER**Rule 89 Administrative and Financial Manuals.**

The Senate shall adopt by majority vote an administrative and financial manual of guides, the purpose of which is to establish uniformity in administrative practices and to ensure compliance with Senate policies.

Rule 90 Decorum; Disrespectful Conduct During Session by Non-member.

If, during any session of the Senate, any non-member should behave in a disrespectful or disorderly manner the non-member shall be subject to arrest and removal from the Senate Chamber by the Sergeant-at-Arms or by any other law enforcement officer of the State, as directed by the Sergeant-at-Arms. Any removal of a non-member by the Sergeant-at-Arms and its personnel shall be restricted to removal of the non-member from the Senate Chamber and through non-physical means, whenever possible. Once a non-member is removed from the Senate Chamber, the Sergeant-at-Arms shall relinquish control of the non-member to the Department of Public Safety or other law enforcement officers of the State.

For the punishment of a non-member, the provisions of Article III, Section 18, of the Hawai'i State Constitution or section 710-1078, Hawai'i Revised Statutes, pursuant to Act 204, Session Laws of Hawaii 2012, shall govern.

Rule 91 Issuance of the Senate Pin.

(1) The Senate pin is a symbol of service in the Senate and provides a common bond among current and past members.

(2) The President may choose to commission and present the Senate pin to current or past members.

(3) The Senate pin presented under this Rule shall only be worn by current or past members to whom it was presented.

(4) The Senate pin shall not be presented to an individual or representative acting on behalf of any current or past member.

(5) If the Senate pin presented under this Rule is lost, destroyed, or rendered unfit for use without fault or neglect on the part of the current or past member to whom it was furnished, the President may replace the Senate pin upon request.

**28th LEGISLATURE, REGULAR SESSION OF 2015
JOINT HOUSE and SENATE
COMMITTEES ON CONFERENCE PROCEDURES**

The Senate and the House have agreed to the following special procedures for all 2015 Regular Session Committees on Conference. These Conference procedures shall be effective from 8:00 a.m. on Monday, April 20, 2015 until 12:00 midnight on Friday, May 1, 2015.

1. Definitions

For purposes of these procedures:

"Chairs" refers to all of the designated chairs and co-chairs of a Conference Committee.

"Conference Committee" refers to the conference of the House Committee and the Senate Committee assigned by their respective chamber to resolve the differences between the House and the Senate over a particular measure.

"Lead chair" refers to the chair of the House Committee or the Senate Committee who is listed first on the Action Sheets, as provided by the respective chamber.

"Lead committee staff" refers to the staff of the lead Chair from the chamber from which the measure in conference originated.

"Managers" refers to all members of the House and Senate assigned to a Conference Committee.

2. Conference Committee Scope and Amendments

The authority of the Conference Committee shall be limited to resolving differences between the Senate and House drafts of a measure. Accordingly:

- a. With the exception of the Executive Budget, the Judiciary Budget, and the Budget of the Office of Hawaiian Affairs, a Conference Committee shall not amend a measure by inserting any unrelated or new subject matter.
- b. To assure the integrity of individual measures, the merging of two or more distinct but related measures into one encompassing measure shall not be allowed.

3. Conference Committee Meeting Times and Places

Conference Committee deliberations shall take place only between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 12:00 midnight.

A Conference Committee shall meet in the conference room assigned or reserved, pursuant to the Room Scheduling Procedures and Guidelines and Room Assignment Schedule, as attached.

4. Initial Public-Meeting Notice

The signatures of all chairs shall be obtained before the notice of an initial meeting is posted or distributed. Prior to offering the initial meeting notice for signatures, the chairs shall consult with one another on the information to be included in the notice. Lead chairs from both houses are encouraged to sign meeting notices first, before distributing them to other chairs to sign.

Chairs shall provide at least 24 hours public notice of the first meeting of the Conference Committee and are strongly encouraged to provide more than 24 hours notice if at all possible. Written notices shall be submitted to the Senate Chief Clerk and the House Sergeant-at-Arms for official postings on the Legislature's website and Capitol bulletin boards. The lead committee staff shall post the notice adjacent to the door of the assigned conference room at the time of the meeting.

5. Notice of Subsequent Meetings

- a. If agreement is not reached at a duly noticed meeting but the lead chairs of both chambers agree to meet again before midnight on the same day, the lead chairs of both chambers shall publicly announce at the meeting the time and place at which the Conference Committee will reconvene. Written notice of the reconvening of the Conference Committee on the same day is not required to be distributed. However, written notice containing information on the subsequent meeting shall be submitted to the Senate Chief Clerk and the House Sergeant-at-Arms for official posting as soon as possible. The lead committee staff shall post the notice adjacent to the door of the assigned conference room at the time of the meeting.
- b. If agreement is not reached at a duly noticed meeting but the lead chairs of both chambers agree to meet on another day, the lead chairs of both chambers shall publicly announce at the meeting the date(s), time(s), and place of the subsequent meeting(s), and submit written notice to the Senate Chief Clerk and the House Sergeant-at-Arms for official posting. The lead committee staff shall post the notice adjacent to the door of the assigned conference room at the time of the meeting.
- c. If agreement is not reached at a duly noticed meeting and the date(s), time(s), and place of future meetings are not publicly announced at that noticed meeting, chairs shall ensure that a written meeting notice, signed by the lead chairs of their respective chamber, is submitted to the Senate Chief Clerk and the House Sergeant-at-Arms for official posting at least 24 hours in advance of the next meeting of the Conference Committee.

6. Attendance at Meetings

- a. To convene the initial conference committee meeting only the lead House and Senate chair must be present. All other conference committee managers, especially any co-chair, should attempt to be present.
- b. Once a conference has been opened, reconvening of any subsequent meeting of a conference committee shall require the following:

For the Senate, the lead chair or co-chair must be present.

For the House, the lead chair must be present.

All other conference committee managers, especially any co-chair, should attempt to be present at the convening of and during each meeting.
- c. For decision-making at a meeting, a quorum must be present. "A quorum shall be a majority of the House Committee managers and a majority of the Senate Committee managers, and shall include the lead House and Senate chair and majority of the chairs of the Conference Committee for their respective chamber." See Section 9.a of the "Procedures." The lead House and Senate chair of the conference committee must be part of this quorum.
- d. For a measure with fiscal implications, approval must be given by the chair representing the House Finance Committee and Senate Ways and Means Committee during the decision-making on the measure.

7. Conference Discussion

Except as authorized by the respective chairs, only the respective chairs may speak during conference. All other managers or other authorized persons shall be recognized by their respective chairs before speaking on any issue.

8. Decorum in Conference Committee Meetings and Courtesy to the Public and to the Managers

- a. Managers shall respect the differing views of other managers and conduct themselves in a courteous manner.
- b. Chairs shall ensure that meetings convene and reconvene at scheduled times. If none of the chairs of one of the Committees are present within 15 minutes of the scheduled meeting time, the chairs of the other Committee shall have the names of the absent chairs pagged through the State Capitol public address system.
- c. If none of the absent chairs are present within 30 minutes of the scheduled meeting time, the chairs present shall inform the managers and members of public present that the Conference Committee cannot be convened or reconvened, and that, pursuant to 5c of these Committees on Conference Procedures, a 24-hour advance notice shall be provided for a subsequent meeting of the Conference Committee.

9. Decision-making Meeting

The decision-making meeting of a Conference Committee shall comply with the following open meeting provisions:

- a. A quorum of the Conference Committee shall be present for the decision making meeting. A quorum shall be a majority of the House Committee managers and a majority of the Senate Committee managers, and shall include the lead House and Senate chair and majority of the chairs of the Conference Committee for their respective chamber.
- b. To report a measure out of Conference Committee in amended form, Conference Draft (CD), a majority of the quorum of managers for each respective chamber shall vote in favor of the proposed amendments.
- c. The lead chair (or the lead chair's designee) representing their respective chamber shall call the roll and be the recorder of the quorum and the votes on that measure for that chamber. (Sample attached).
- d. If, after naming a Conference Committee on a measure, the Conference Committee managers representing the chamber from which a measure originated agree to the amendments made by the non-originating chamber, only a quorum of those representing the originating chamber shall vote on the agreement at a duly noticed meeting. For example, if after naming a Conference Committee on a House measure, the House managers of the Conference Committee decide to agree to the amendments in the Senate draft (SD) of the measure, then only the House managers of the Conference Committee shall vote on the measure, returning it to the House in its SD form. For such action, only a quorum of the Conference Committee managers representing the chamber from which the measure originated need to be present. The "Record of Votes of a Conference Committee" sheet detailing the votes of the managers of the originating chamber shall be filed with the appropriate chamber without a Conference Committee Report.

10. Conference Committee Reports

- a. A majority of the House and Senate chairs, respectively, of a Conference Committee shall attest to the action of the Conference Committee by signing the Conference Committee Report on behalf of their respective managers; provided that no Conference Committee Report concerning a measure with fiscal implications shall be reported out of a Conference Committee without the signature of the chair (or the chair's designee) of each fiscal committee to which the measure is referred. The "Record of Votes of a Conference Committee" sheet detailing the votes of the managers of the Conference Committee shall be attached to the report as a part thereof.
- b. All House measures reported out of Conference Committee shall be filed with the House Chief Clerk, and likewise all Senate measures shall be filed with the Senate Chief Clerk. A document filed in the originating chamber shall be deemed simultaneously filed in the other chamber. Only the original Conference Committee Report, with the attached Record of Votes, and the Conference Draft of the measure shall be required for filing.
- c. If the Conference Committee votes to report the measure out, the Committee must file a Conference Committee Report and Conference Draft with the appropriate chamber's Chief Clerk.

11. Decision-making Deadlines

On the deadline nights for Final Decking of both non-fiscal and fiscal bills:

- a. Conference Committees shall conclude their negotiations by **6:00 p.m.** to allow adequate time for final preparation of the bills and Conference Committee Reports.
- b. To provide all chairs with ample opportunity to review and sign the Conference Committee Reports before filing, all Conference Committee Reports shall be available for review and signature by **9:00 p.m.**
- c. All Conference Committee Reports and Conference Drafts of measures shall be filed with the respective Chief Clerk by **11:30 p.m.**

12. Electronic Transfer

Should a Conference Committee for which the vehicle is a Senate bill decide to use a proposal drafted by the House, the House chair shall have the House proposal electronically transferred to the appropriate Senate office so that the Conference Draft can be prepared. The converse shall apply to House bills with proposals drafted by the Senate that the Conference Committee agrees to.

13. Exceptions to these Deadlines and Procedures

Exceptions to these deadlines and other procedures may be made only with the advance written approval of both the Senate President and the House Speaker.

/s/ Donna Mercado Kim

Donna Mercado Kim
President of the Senate

4-6-15

Date

/s/ Joseph M. Souki

Joseph M. Souki
Speaker of the House of Representatives

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Date