THIRTY-FIFTH DAY

Wednesday, March 21, 2018

The Senate of the Twenty-Ninth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2018, 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 Harimoto who was excused.

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

At this time, Senator Baker recognized volunteers from the American Cancer Society Cancer Action Network (ACS CAN), who were visiting the State Capitol to promote cancer awareness and policies that will help reduce the incidences of cancer in Hawai'i.

The Chair thanked the volunteers for their advocacy work, and referenced a newspaper article from earlier that week that cited a savings of over a billion dollars in healthcare costs for the State of Hawai'i due to such efforts.

Senator Rhoads extended an additional welcome to Devon Ayagi, a volunteer with the ACS CAN who used to work in Senator Rhoads's office.

Senator Chang introduced Julianne Chu, Miss Hawai'i USA 2018, who hails from Niu Valley and was visiting the State Capitol in support of Education Week. Senator Chang noted that Miss Chu is a second grade teacher at Kahala Elementary School, from which Senator Chang had graduated back in 1994.

Senator Kahele noted that it was Hawai'i Aerospace and Aviation Day at the State Capitol, and introduced Melissa McCaffrey of the Aircraft Owners and Pilots Association, Stacy Howard of the National Business Aviation Association, and Ross Garelick of the Aerospace States Association – Hawai'i chapter, all of whom were present in the gallery.

Senator Espero welcomed representatives from HawaiiKidsCAN, a nonprofit organization dedicated to education and making certain that every child in Hawai'i has the opportunity to succeed, who were visiting the State Capitol to discuss the importance of computer science. Present in the gallery were executive director David Miyashiro; Redwan Chowdhury, Edward Flores, and Arynn Dyer, students from the James Campbell High School computer science program; Alyssa Knight, a teacher at DevLeague; Henry Longburg; and Kekoa McClellan.

Senator Kidani rose and stated:

"Our guests this morning include two high school teams of super-science achievers. Each has excelled in top-level competitions: in one case, winning top honors against other finalists in an international forum, and, in the other, making a return performance to a premier national contest. To introduce our first honorees: Senator Riviere."

Senator Riviere congratulated the Waialua High School Robotics Team, Team 359, and presented the following remarks:

"It gives me great pleasure to introduce to those gathered here today and to talk about the Waialua robotics program. They're known as Team 359; they're known as the Hawaiian Kids. They're the first robotics program in the State of Hawaiia, and they have achieved so many victories and accomplishments that we could go on all day about that. But, most recently, they've come from Montreal. We talked about an international competition; I don't know about you folks, but when you meet somebody who travels a lot, you say, 'Where are you going

now?' Well, these guys are off to Japan this week; they're off to Montreal last month; they're off to, you know, Kansas coming up later. They're always traveling; they're always working; they're always earning their funds to travel; they're working on their projects. This project, if you don't understand robotics: There's a day when the game is revealed nationally, and these kids get up at four in the morning or three in the morning or some godawful hour because they're going to announce globally the competition, and they're there and they don't stop these kids go all day; they go all night. Many of them are in other programs, but their hearts are with the robotics program. When you go to the Waialua robotics classroom, the staging area, it's like walking into Yankee Stadium and seeing all the Yankees banners or walking into Boston Garden and seeing all the Celtics banners. These guys come home with awards that you can't believe.

"And it's a great privilege of mine to be from the same community as these guys - Waialua - because if you talk to anybody globally, they say, 'Oh, yeah, we have a robotics team.' You say, 'Well, I'm from Waialua,' and they always go, 'Oh, I see. Yeah.' So they recognize that name. So the small town that we are - the sugar mill closed in 1996. Glenn Lee came along and took up the challenge to start robotics and the STEMs – all the stuff we talk about STEM now was originated partly through the robotics efforts and that brought back a vitality to Waialua. When the sugar mill closed, people were leaving town; there was no future; things were happening; there was a great funk in our community, but now we have these guys as a great example of the pride that they bring to us every day. Glenn Lee just got back from Dubai: He was honored as one of the top 10 finalists in the world – there's 30,000 applications to be the global teacher; the prize was \$1 million. He's one of the top 10 finalists. They flew him to Dubai, and he just got back a couple days ago or last night. So he's driving the program; he's a former Milken Educator Award winner in 2011. With him today is Vicky Pescaia - and I'm going to introduce them all in just a moment - and three representatives of the team. But I want to encourage everybody to go to the FIRST Robotics Hawai'i regional tournament at the Stan Sheriff Center. It's warming up today but the competitions begin Friday morning. If you haven't been to one of these things, it is a spectacle. It is fun; the competition is intense, and what's most amazing is, as competitive as they are, they have to work in conjunction with other teams. So, although Waialua comes home with banners fairly regularly, they have to do it with an alliance of two other teams, so there's three teams who come together to compete in the end, to make it happen.

"So, we're here to honor this year's team; we have three representatives of the team. Abraham Shell, Anthony Miyataki, and Toshio Yoshizumi: these are the three guys who are more or less the captains or some of the leaders of the team. And next to them is Vicky Pescaia – she's a teacher who helps immensely – and, of course, their leader, Glenn Lee. Ladies and gentlemen, Waialua robotics."

Senator Dela Cruz recognized the Leilehua High School CyberPatriot Team, and presented the following remarks:

"I also want to congratulate Waialua High School. Even though we've honored them, Glenn Lee's a proud graduate of Leilehua High School.

"Mr. President and colleagues, the Leilehua High School CyberPatriot team was named the U.S. Army All Service Team in the Nation for 2017. CyberPatriot is the nation's premier high school cyber defense competition that challenges teams to develop solutions to real-life cybersecurity situations. The National Cyber Defense Competition has over 4,000 teams

registered and more than 1,500 teams in the All Service Division representing all 50 states, the District of Columbia, Canada, the U.S. Department of Defense Dependent Schools in Europe and the Pacific, as well as other teams abroad. The teams advance through extremely competitive qualifying rounds to earn the distinction of being one of the 13 final teams in the CyberPatriot National Finalist field. The Leilehua High School Army JROTC team has previously won two consecutive Army Service Championships in 2012 and 2013, making this their third win in addition to the three consecutive Hawai'i State CyberPatriot championships. This year, the Leilehua CyberPatriot team has again won the Hawai'i State championship and advanced to the national finals in April in Baltimore, Maryland. Here with us today, we have Lieutenant Colonel Nicholas Spiridigliozzi and team members Cadet Jacob Huerta, Cadet Tyler McWilliams, and Cadet Jarod Olive-Stalling. I'd also like to recognize, in the gallery, First Sergeant and Mrs. Jacob Huerta, Cadet Jacob Huerta's parents. Congratulations, and go Mules!"

Senator Dela Cruz then honored the 2017 Outstanding Educator, and presented the following remarks:

"Today, we'd also like to recognize Colette Miyamoto-Kajiwara. She was named in 2017 the Outstanding Educator by corporate sponsors Spectrum and Hawai'i Pizza Hut. Colette is the director of the alternate learning center Storefront School in Wahiawa, where she has engaged at-risk students for more than 30 years. In fact, when I was in high school, I used to work for her. (She looks the same; it's the Wahiawā water.) Storefront is totally dedicated to motivating students from central O'ahu who face challenges at home or in the classroom, giving students the encouragement and motivation to make good decisions and to overcome and succeed. Storefront's curriculum focuses on language arts, math, social studies, science, and electives. Some of us may wonder, where do some of these students go when they get suspended or when they get kicked out? And Colette is always there to make sure that they can continue their education. In Colette's own words, 'We become the students' friends, confidants, advisors, disciplinarians, and surrogate parents, and help rebuild lives. We teach our students that they need to be resilient to move forward because backward is not an option if they want to survive.' Let's give her another round of applause. Joining Colette, we also have her proud husband, Glen Kajiwara. Thank you, Mr. President."

Senator Kidani rose and stated:

"As with the Teachers of the Year yesterday, a challenge is in recognizing just a few when so many deserve to be honored. As an example, just a few days after we invited our guests for the week, we learned that the Moanalua High School Symphony Orchestra won first place in a national music festival competition in Atlanta. We congratulate them for this achievement, and we expect that before the school year ends in a few weeks, we will hear of other such accomplishments by other exceptional students and the teachers, advisors, coaches, and counselors who mentor them. As chair of your Committee on Education, I have been privileged to visit so many of our public schools, where wonderful, wonderful things are happening – where principals, teachers, and students are doing exceptional things and making us proud. We will share more stories of excellence tomorrow."

Senator Kidani then recognized the following early education advocates, who were seated in the gallery: Deborah Zysman and Michael Fahey from Hawaii Children's Action Network; Kim Guieb from University of Hawai'i P-20; Kathy Murphy from the Hawai'i Association for the Education of Young Children; Jordana Ferreira from PATCH – People Attentive to Children; Kerrie Urosevich and Doug Imig from Early Childhood Action Strategy; Caroline Soga and Lori Tagami from the Hawai'i State Public Charter School Commission; and Lauren

Moriguchi and Wimmie Wong Lui from the Executive Office on Early Learning.

Senator Kidani also introduced several University of Hawai'i College of Education graduates who volunteer to host teacher candidates in their own classrooms to provide mentoring support: Susan Nakama, a mentor teacher at Kalei'opu'u Elementary in Village Park who holds a master's degree in education curriculum and instruction; Ben Boltz, a mentor teacher at Waipahu High School who holds a master's degree in teaching; and Joni Wong, a mentor teacher at Pearl Harbor Elementary who holds a master's degree in special education.

At 11:56 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 12:06 p.m.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2980) recommending that H.B. No. 2114, 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2114, H.D. 2, 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 Tokuda, for the Committee on Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2981) recommending that H.B. No. 1726, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1726, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT COST ITEMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2982) recommending that H.B. No. 1725, H.D. 2 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1725, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2983) recommending that H.B. No. 1654 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1654, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NON-GENERAL FUNDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2984) recommending that H.B. No. 1929, 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1929, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII LABOR RELATIONS

BOARD," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Agriculture and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2985) recommending that H.B. No. 1883, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1883, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Agriculture and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2986) recommending that H.B. No. 2305, 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2305, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COFFEE BERRY BORER," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means

Senator Wakai, for the Committee on Economic Development, Tourism, and Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2987) 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English 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 TECHNOLOGY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2988) recommending that H.B. No. 694, H.D. 2 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 694, 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.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2989) recommending that H.B. No. 1926, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1926, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2990) recommending that H.B. No. 1716, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1716, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A YOUTH COMMISSION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means

Senator Green, for the Committee on Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2991) recommending that H.B. No. 2530, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2530, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD CARE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health.

Senator Green, for the Committee on Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2992) recommending that H.B. No. 1718, 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1718, 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 Green, for the Committee on Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2993) recommending that H.B. No. 1859, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1859, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILDREN," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senators Gabbard and Nishihara, for the Committee on Agriculture and Environment and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental, and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2994) recommending that H.B. No. 2219, 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2219, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Friday, March 23, 2018.

Senators Gabbard and Nishihara, for the Committee on Agriculture and Environment and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental, and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2995) recommending that H.B. No. 1800, 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1800, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE TIRES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means

Senators Gabbard and Nishihara, for the Committee on Agriculture and Environment and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental, and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2996) recommending that H.B. No. 2470, 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2470, 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 Espero, for the Committee on Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2997) recommending that H.B. No. 1712, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1712, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2998) recommending that H.B. No. 2122, 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2122, H.D. 1, 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 Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2999) recommending that H.B. No. 2328, 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2328, 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 Espero, for the Committee on Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3000) recommending that H.B. No. 2330, 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2330, 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 Espero, for the Committee on Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3001) recommending that H.B. No. 2332, 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2332, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LOW-INCOME HOUSING TAX CREDIT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3002) recommending that H.B. No. 2703, 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2703, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING AFFORDABILITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3003) recommending that H.B.

No. 2744, 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2744, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING ASSISTANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3004) recommending that H.B. No. 2745, 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2745, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RENTAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Kahele and Gabbard, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Committee on Agriculture and Environment, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3005) recommending that H.B. No. 474, 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 474, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RAT LUNGWORM DISEASE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kahele, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3006) recommending that H.B. No. 1968, 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1968, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII COLLEGE OF TROPICAL AGRICULTURE AND HUMAN RESOURCES COOPERATIVE EXTENSION SERVICE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kahele, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3007) recommending that H.B. No. 2005, 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2005, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII REVENUE BONDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Kahele and Wakai, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Committee on Economic Development, Tourism, and Technology, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3008) recommending that H.B. No. 2172, 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2172, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIPS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kahele, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3009) recommending that H.B. No. 2300, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2300, 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 Kahele, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3010) recommending that H.B. No. 2501, 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2501, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII COMMUNITY COLLEGE PROMISE PROGRAM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3011) recommending that H.B. No. 2391, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2391, H.D. 2, 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.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3012) recommending that H.B. No. 2118, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2118, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3013) recommending that H.B. No. 1943, 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1943, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LANGUAGE ACCESS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3014) recommending that H.B. No. 1624, 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1624, H.D. 1, 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, Consumer Protection, and Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3015) recommending that H.B. No. 2169, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2169, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO YOUTH SUICIDE PREVENTION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Nishihara and Gabbard, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental, and Military Affairs and the Committee on Agriculture and Environment, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3016) recommending that H.B. No. 2043, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2043, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WASTEWATER," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senators Nishihara and Tokuda, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental, and Military Affairs and the Committee on Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3017) recommending that H.B. No. 2071, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2071, H.D. 2, 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 the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Nishihara and Gabbard, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental, and Military Affairs and the Committee on Agriculture and Environment, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3018) recommending that H.B. No. 2099, 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2099, 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 Nishihara and Tokuda, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental, and Military Affairs and the Committee on Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3019) recommending that H.B. No. 2454, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2454, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII CORRECTIONAL INDUSTRIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Nishihara and Green, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental, and Military Affairs and the Committee on Human Services, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3020) recommending that H.B. No. 2144,

H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2144, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATED TO MEDICAID," 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. 3021) recommending that H.B. No. 1882, 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1882, 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. 3022) recommending that H.B. No. 2162, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2162, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHER INCENTIVES," 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. 3023) recommending that H.B. No. 2352, 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2352, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TEACHER STANDARDS BOARD," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3024) recommending that H.B. No. 1604, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1604, 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 Friday, March 23, 2018.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3025) recommending that H.B. No. 2395, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2395, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRONIC FILING," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Friday, March 23, 2018.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3026) recommending that H.B. No. 2396, 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2396, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX ADMINISTRATION," passed Second

Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Friday, March 23, 2018.

Senator Dela Cruz, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3027) recommending that H.B. No. 2416, 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2416, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX ON INTANGIBLE PROPERTY," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Friday, March 23, 2018.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3028) recommending that H.B. No. 1646, 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1646, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEMBERS OF CONGRESS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3029) recommending that H.B. No. 1667, 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1667, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROBATION," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Friday, March 23, 2018.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3030) recommending that H.B. No. 1770, 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1770, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION 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.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3031) recommending that H.B. No. 1773, 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1773, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEARCH WARRANTS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Friday, March 23, 2018.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3032) recommending that H.B. No. 1774, 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1774, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTION OF RESTITUTION FOR CRIME VICTIMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3033) recommending that H.B. No. 1850, 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1850, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PORNOGRAPHY," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Friday, March 23, 2018.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3034) recommending that H.B. No. 1852, 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1852, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PORNOGRAPHY," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Friday, March 23, 2018.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3035) recommending that H.B. No. 1936, 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1936, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENTAL COURTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3036) recommending that H.B. No. 2033, 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2033, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MANNER OF SERVICE," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Friday, March 23, 2018.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3037) recommending that H.B. No. 2051, 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2051, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WEED AND SEED STRATEGY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3038) recommending that H.B. No. 2131, 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2131, H.D. 1, 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 Taniguchi, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3039) recommending that H.B. No. 2418, 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2418, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FUNDS USED FOR THE SETTLEMENT OF CLAIMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3040) recommending that H.B. No. 2455, 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2455, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM FOR THE 2018 GANNENMONO CELEBRATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3041) recommending that H.B. No. 2698, 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2698, H.D. 3, 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 Taniguchi, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3042) recommending that H.B. No. 2752 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2752, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COMMUNITY COURT OUTREACH PROJECT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Gabbard and Green, for the Committee on Agriculture and Environment and the Committee on Human Services, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3043) recommending that H.B. No. 2670, 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2670, H.D. 2, S.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 Gabbard, for the Committee on Agriculture and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3044) 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 Espero, seconded by Senator English 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 AGRICULTURE TO ESTABLISH THE AGRICULTURE 2030 INVESTMENT PROGRAM AND A FARM TO PLATE PROGRAM IN HAWAII," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental, and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3045) recommending that S.C.R. No. 9 be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 9, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION OF HAWAII AND THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO OPPOSE "CONCEALED CARRY RECIPROCITY" LEGISLATION," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental, and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3046) recommending that S.R. No. 7 be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 7, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION OF HAWAII AND THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO OPPOSE "CONCEALED CARRY RECIPROCITY" LEGISLATION," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senators Nishihara and Gabbard, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental, and Military Affairs and the Committee on Agriculture and Environment, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3047) recommending that S.R. No. 19 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.R. No. 19, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE COUNTY OF HAWAI'I TO PRIORITIZE INFRASTRUCTURE IMPROVEMENTS TO WASTEWATEM MANAGEMENT THROUGH A COMPREHENSIVE STUDY FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, INFRASTRUCTURE, SUSTAINABILITY, EDUCATION, AND PUBLIC POLICY," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3048) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Hawai'i Workforce Development Council of the following:

JASON ITO, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 566;

JASON ITO, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 567;

MICHAEL KAMIYA, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 568; and

YVETTE GIBSON, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 569.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3048 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 566, 567, 568, and 569 was deferred until Thursday, March 22, 2018.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3049) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of DON BAILEY to the Hoisting Machine Operators Advisory Board, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 541.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3049 and Gov. Msg. No. 541 was deferred until Thursday, March 22, 2018.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3050) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the King Kamehameha Celebration Commission of the following:

KATHLEEN MONIZ, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 509;

BRENDON LEE, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 585; and

BRENDON LEE, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 586.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3050 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 509, 585, and 586 was deferred until Thursday, March 22, 2018.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3051) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of RONALD MICHIOKA to the State Foundation on Culture and the Arts Commission, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 510.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3051 and Gov. Msg. No. 510 was deferred until Thursday, March 22, 2018.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3052) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Hawai'i Sister State Committee of the following:

KAY MATSUI, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 595; and

KAY MATSUI, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 596.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3052 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 595 and 596 was deferred until Thursday, March 22, 2018.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3053) recommending that H.B. No. 1172, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3053 and H.B. No. 1172, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS," was deferred until Friday, March 23, 2018.

ORDER OF THE DAY

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. 129 Jointly to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health and the Committee on Judiciary

At this time, Senator Nishihara, Chair of the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental, and Military Affairs, requested a waiver of the notice requirement pursuant to Senate Rule 21 for H.B. No. 2175, H.D. 1.

Senator Nishihara noted:

"House Bill 2175 requires any metropolitan planning organization serving a metropolitan planning area within the jurisdiction of a county that includes at least three islands inhabited by permanent residents to include on its policy board one member of the Senate, one member of the House of Representatives, and an alternate. After previously deferring the measure, your Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental, and Military Affairs received new information, which necessitated the passage of this measure before the deadline for Second Lateral."

The Chair granted the waiver.

Senator Nishihara announced that the Committee on Transportation and Energy and Committee on Public Safety,

Intergovernmental, and Military Affairs would be holding a joint decision making meeting on H.B. No. 2175, H.D. 1 on Thursday, March 22, 2018, at 10:15 a.m. in Conference Room 414.

Senator Kidani announced that the Hawaii Public Charter Schools Network would be organizing displays from various public charter schools the following day at 9:00 a.m. in Conference Room 224 to acquaint legislators with the wide variety of approaches to education they offer. Senator Kidani also announced that the Friends of the Library of Hawai'i would be holding a book fair in Conference Room 225 the following day from 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:09 p.m., on motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator English and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Thursday, March 22, 2018.