

NINTH DAY

Thursday, January 31, 2019

The Senate of the Thirtieth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2019, 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 and Shimabukuro who were excused.

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

At this time, Senator Chang welcomed a group of third-grade students from Hahaione Elementary School, who were seated in the gallery with chaperones Jonathan Ward, Phil Vondrus, Lisa Ries, Ryoko Saito, Akiko Ooi, and Alicia Ablemann; and teachers Ms. Tsuruda and Dr. Fukuyama, who was Senator Chang's third-grade classmate.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

Senator Ruderman, for the Committee on Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1) recommending that S.B. No. 231 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Kahele, seconded by Senator Fevella and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 231, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE YOUTH COMMISSION," 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. 385	Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health
S.B. No. 400	Jointly to the Committee on Housing and the Committee on Water and Land, then jointly to the Committee on Ways and Means and the Committee on Government Operations
S.B. No. 637	Committee on Judiciary
S.B. No. 1006	Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1081	Jointly to the Committee on Housing and the Committee on Energy, Economic Development, and Tourism, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 1226	Committee on Human Services, then jointly to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health and the Committee on Judiciary
S.B. No. 1266	Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary
S.B. No. 1434	Jointly to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health and the Committee on Judiciary

S.B. No. 1451 Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary

S.B. No. 1460 Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 1482 Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 1492 Jointly to the Committee on Energy, Economic Development, and Tourism and the Committee on Agriculture and Environment and the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

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

"Colleagues, today is Wear Blue Day. It aims to raise awareness about human trafficking. I'm wearing blue in support of the United States Department of Homeland Security's Blue Campaign. It is their effort to fight human trafficking and bring justice to those who exploit human lives. Part of the campaign is, of course, raising public awareness through education and proper training of our law enforcement on dealing with cases of human trafficking, and I believe we've had, in the past, and I believe there may be some on our agenda this session, that also try to address human trafficking. This, I suppose, is color day as well, because I want to call to everyone's attention that tomorrow is Go Red for Women Day. This is the American Heart Association's attempt to raise awareness that there is a lot of heart disease among women; it's a large killer of women. I'm going to speak more about that tomorrow, but I encourage everybody to join with me in wearing red to raise awareness about women's health.

"And I would be remiss if I didn't note that today is the 9th day of our legislative session; the 41st day is the deadline for the governor to submit advise and consent requests—that means his nominations. Mr. President, colleagues, I certainly hope that the governor will not wait until the 41st day in order to provide us with governor's messages outlining his directors and deputies. Mahalo."

The Chair recognized the students in the gallery for also wearing blue.

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:40 a.m., on motion by Senator Kahele, seconded by Senator Fevella and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Friday, February 1, 2019.