

FIFTEENTH DAY**Friday, February 13, 2026**

The Senate of the Thirty-Third Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2026, convened at 11:44 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

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

The Chair announced that he had read and approved the Journal of the Fourteenth Day.

Senator Keohokalole introduction

Senator Fevella introduction

Senator Kanuha introduction

Senator Inouye introduction

Senator Richards introduction

Senator Elefante introduction

Senator Rhoads introduction

Senator Kanuha introduction

The Chair comments

DEPARTMENTAL COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications (Dept. Com. Nos. 183 to 193) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Dept. Com. No. 183, from the Department of Business, Economic Development and Tourism, dated December 16, 2025, transmitting the Business Revitalization Task Force Report pursuant to Act 142, SLH 2024.

Dept. Com. No. 184, from the Department of Business, Economic Development and Tourism, dated December 16, 2025, transmitting the Dwelling Unit Revolving Fund Equity Pilot Program Report pursuant to Act 92, SLH 2023.

Dept. Com. No. 185, from the Department of Business, Economic Development and Tourism, dated December 10, 2025, transmitting the Government Employee Housing Program Report pursuant to Act 166, SLH 2025.

Dept. Com. No. 186, from the Department of Human Services, dated December 23, 2025, transmitting the Report Related to the Housing First Program pursuant to Section 346-378, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 187, from the Department of Business, Economic Development and Tourism, dated December 15, 2025, transmitting the Hawaii's Targeted & Emerging Industries, 2025 Update Report, pursuant to Sections 201-16 and 201-19, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 188, from the Department of Business, Economic Development and Tourism, dated December 18, 2025, transmitting the Small Business Regulatory Review Board 2025 Annual Report pursuant to Chapter 201M, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 189, from the Department of Agriculture and Biosecurity, dated December 23, 2025, transmitting the Report on the State's Progress Toward Meeting the Milestones and Objectives of the Important Agricultural Land Tax Credit Program pursuant to Act 233, SLH 2008.

Dept. Com. No. 190, from the Department of Business, Economic Development and Tourism, dated December 19, 2025, transmitting the Hawai'i Green Infrastructure Authority

2025 Annual Report pursuant to Act 211, SLH 2013; Act 107, SLH 2021; and Act 296, SLH 2025.

Dept. Com. No. 191, from the Department of Business, Economic Development and Tourism, dated December 8, 2025, transmitting the Statewide Affordable Housing Working Group Annual Report 2025 pursuant to Act 305, SLH 2022.

Dept. Com. No. 192, from the University of Hawai'i, dated December 29, 2025, transmitting the Report on Establishment of K-12 Expanded Teaching Cohort Programs in Each County pursuant to Act 141, SLH 2022.

Dept. Com. No. 193, from the Department of Transportation, dated December 24, 2025, transmitting the Hawai'i Road Usage Charge Long-Term Transition Plan pursuant to Section 249-36(e), HRS.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Agriculture and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2233) recommending that S.B. No. 2097, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator DeCorte and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2097, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUSTAINABLE FOOD SYSTEMS," 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. 2234) recommending that S.B. No. 2317, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator DeCorte and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2317, 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 Agriculture and Environment, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2235) recommending that S.B. No. 2319, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator DeCorte and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2319, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND BIOSECURITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chang, for the Committee on Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2236) recommending that S.B. No. 2177, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator DeCorte and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2177, 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 Chang, for the Committee on Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2237) recommending that S.B. No. 2190, 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 Wakai, seconded by Senator DeCorte and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2190, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCLUSIONARY ZONING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chang, for the Committee on Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2238) recommending that S.B. No. 2424, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator DeCorte and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2424, 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 Chang and Wakai, for the Committee on Housing and the Committee on Energy and Intergovernmental Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2239) recommending that S.B. No. 2524, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator DeCorte and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2524, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator DeCoite, for the Committee on Economic Development and Tourism, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2240) recommending that S.B. No. 2627, as amended in S.D. 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Economic Development and Tourism.

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator DeCorte and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2627, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND TOURISM," was recommitted to the Committee on Economic Development and Tourism.

Senator DeCoite, for the Committee on Economic Development and Tourism, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2241) recommending that S.B. No. 3084, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator DeCorte and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 3084, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kim, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2242) recommending that S.B. No. 895, as amended in S.D. 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Education.

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator DeCorte and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 895, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," was recommitted to the Committee on Education.

Senator Kim, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2243) recommending that S.B.

No. 896, as amended in S.D. 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Education.

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator DeCorte and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 896, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," was recommitted to the Committee on Education.

Senator Inouye, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2244) recommending that S.B. No. 3102, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator DeCorte and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 3102, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PORT PILOTAGE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senator Inouye, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2245) recommending that S.B. No. 3157 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator DeCorte and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 3157, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Inouye and Elefante, for the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Labor and Technology, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2246) recommending that S.B. No. 3215 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator DeCorte and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 3215, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HARBOR SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2247) recommending that S.B. No. 2050, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator DeCorte and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2050, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHIROPRACTIC," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2248) recommending that S.B. No. 2090 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator DeCorte and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2090, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD CUSTODY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2249) recommending that S.B. No. 2211, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator DeCorte and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2211, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2250) recommending that S.B. No. 2572 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator DeCorte and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2572, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGGRAVATED CIRCUMSTANCES IN CHILD PROTECTIVE PROCEEDINGS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senators San Buenaventura and Gabbard, for the Committee on Health and Human Services and the Committee on Agriculture and Environment, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2251) recommending that S.B. No. 2096, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator DeCorte and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2096, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WASTEWATER MANAGEMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2252) recommending that S.B. No. 2025, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator DeCorte and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2025, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JURY DUTY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senators San Buenaventura and Gabbard, for the Committee on Health and Human Services and the Committee on Agriculture and Environment, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2253) recommending that S.B. No. 2127, 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 Wakai, seconded by Senator DeCorte and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2127, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER POLLUTION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators San Buenaventura and Gabbard, for the Committee on Health and Human Services and the Committee on Agriculture and Environment, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2254) recommending that S.B. No. 2046, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator DeCorte and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2046, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senators San Buenaventura, Gabbard, and Wakai, for the Committee on Health and Human Services and the Committee on Agriculture and Environment and the Committee on Energy and Intergovernmental Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2255) recommending that S.B. No. 2262, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means and the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator DeCorte and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2262, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POLLUTION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means and the Committee on Judiciary.

Senators Keohokalole and DeCoite, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Economic Development and Tourism, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2256) recommending that S.B. No. 2354, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator DeCorte and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2354, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Keohokalole and Elefante, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Labor and Technology, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2257) recommending that S.B. No. 2387, 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 Wakai, seconded by Senator DeCorte and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2387, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DIGITAL FINANCIAL ASSET TRANSACTION KIOSKS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Keohokalole and Wakai, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Energy and Intergovernmental Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2258) recommending that S.B. No. 2487, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator DeCorte and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2487, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Inouye, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2259) recommending that S.B. No. 2955, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator DeCorte and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2955, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HONOAPIILANI HIGHWAY COASTAL MITIGATION PROJECT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Inouye, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2260) recommending

that S.B. No. 3234, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator DeCorte and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 3234, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Inouye and San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2261) recommending that S.B. No. 2851, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator DeCorte and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2851, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEAF INDIVIDUALS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senators Inouye and Elefante, for the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Labor and Technology, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2262) recommending that S.B. No. 2573, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator DeCorte and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2573, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADMINISTRATIVE DRIVERS LICENSE REVOCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senators Elefante and Kim, for the Committee on Labor and Technology and the Committee on Education, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2263) recommending that S.B. No. 2391, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator DeCorte and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2391, 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 Elefante and Kim, for the Committee on Labor and Technology and the Committee on Education, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2264) recommending that S.B. No. 3282, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator DeCorte and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 3282, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WORKFORCE PELL GRANT PROGRAM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Elefante, for the Committee on Labor and Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2265) recommending that S.B. No. 3055, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator DeCorte and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 3055, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FALSE IMPERSONATION OF UNION REPRESENTATIVES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senator Chang, for the Committee on Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2266) recommending that S.B. No. 2189 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator DeCorte and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2189, 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 Judiciary.

Senator Chang, for the Committee on Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2267) recommending that S.B. No. 2194 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator DeCorte and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2194, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Inouye, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2268) recommending that S.B. No. 3152, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator DeCorte and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 3152, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL PORT ADMINISTRATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senator Richards, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2269) recommending that S.B. No. 2635, as amended in S.D. 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator DeCorte and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2635, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS," was recommitted to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs.

Senator Keohokalole, for the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2270) recommending that S.B. No. 888, as amended in S.D. 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator DeCorte and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 888, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION," was recommitted to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

ORDER OF THE DAY

THIRD READING

S.B. No. 2203, S.D. 1:

Senator Rhoads moved that S.B. No. 2203, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Gabbard.

Senator Rhoads then offered the following floor amendment (Floor Amendment No. 1) to S.B. No. 2203, S.D. 1:

SECTION 1. Senate Bill No. 2203, S.D. 1, section 2, is amended by amending page 2, lines 13 to 17 to read as follows:

"(2) This section shall not apply to a law enforcement officer who is:

- (a) Engaged in an authorized undercover assignment or operation or conducting related duties in support of an undercover assignment or operation; or

- (b) Within the eyesight of another officer from the same law enforcement agency who is unmasked.”

Senator Rhoads moved that Floor Amendment No. 1 be adopted, seconded by Senator Gabbard.

Senator Rhoads rose to speak in support of the amendment as follows:

REMARKS

The motion to adopt Floor Amendment No. 1 was put by the Chair and carried.

By unanimous consent, S.B. No. 2203, S.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT,” was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, February 17, 2026.

REFERRAL OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The President made the following committee assignments of Senate concurrent resolutions offered on Thursday, January 22, 2026; Monday, January 26, 2026; Wednesday, January 28, 2026; Friday, February 6, 2026; and Tuesday, February 10, 2026:

S.C.R. No.:	Referred to:
S.C.R. No. 1	Committee on Health and Human Services
S.C.R. No. 2	Committee on Economic Development and Tourism
S.C.R. No. 3	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Tourism and the Committee on Housing
S.C.R. No. 4	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 5	Committee on Labor and Technology
S.C.R. No. 6	Committee on Education
S.C.R. No. 7	Committee on Health and Human Services
S.C.R. No. 8	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Intergovernmental Affairs and the Committee on Health and Human Services
S.C.R. No. 9	Committee on Energy and Intergovernmental Affairs
S.C.R. No. 10	Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs
S.C.R. No. 11	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Intergovernmental Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary
S.C.R. No. 12	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Intergovernmental Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary
S.C.R. No. 13	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 14	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 15	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 16	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.C.R. No. 17	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs
S.C.R. No. 18	Committee on Health and Human Services, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 19	Committee on Water, Land, Culture and the Arts
S.C.R. No. 20	Committee on Energy and Intergovernmental Affairs
S.C.R. No. 21	Committee on Health and Human Services
S.C.R. No. 22	Committee on Water, Land, Culture and the Arts

REFERRAL OF SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The President made the following committee assignments of Senate resolutions offered on Friday, January 23, 2026; Wednesday, January 28, 2026; and Tuesday, February 10, 2026:

S.R. No.:	Referred to:
S.R. No. 3	Committee on Education
S.R. No. 5	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Intergovernmental Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary
S.R. No. 6	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.R. No. 7	Committee on Health and Human Services
S.R. No. 8	Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs
S.R. No. 9	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Intergovernmental Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary
S.R. No. 10	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Intergovernmental Affairs and the Committee on Health and Human Services
S.R. No. 11	Committee on Energy and Intergovernmental Affairs
S.R. No. 12	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.R. No. 13	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.R. No. 14	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.R. No. 15	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs
S.R. No. 16	Committee on Water, Land, Culture and the Arts
S.R. No. 17	Committee on Energy and Intergovernmental Affairs
S.R. No. 18	Committee on Health and Human Services
S.R. No. 19	Committee on Water, Land, Culture and the Arts

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. 2010	Committee on Transportation, then to the

Committee on Judiciary

- S.B. No. 2627, Jointly to the Committee on Economic
S.D. 1 Development and Tourism and the Committee
on Government Operations, then to the
Committee on Ways and Means
- S.B. No. 2635, Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the
S.D. 1 Committee on Ways and Means
- S.B. No. 3118 Committee on Education, then to the
Committee on Judiciary
- S.B. No. 3276 Committee on Health and Human Services,
then to the Committee on Ways and Means

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

REMARKS

The Chair made the following announcement:

“Pursuant to Senate Rule 21, the notice for any meeting to be held on the first workday of the week shall be filed no later than 4:00 p.m. on the last workday of the prior week.

“Therefore, please file any hearing notices for committee hearings on Tuesday, February 17th, with the Clerk’s office by 4:00 p.m. this afternoon.”

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

REMARKS

The Chair remarked to Senator Kim that, although it was a week late, he was wearing a red shirt that day.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:01 p.m., on motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator DeCorte and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Tuesday, February 17, 2026.