

FIFTY-FOURTH DAY

Wednesday, April 29, 2026

The Senate of the Thirty-Third Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2026, convened at 6:38 p.m. with the President in the Chair.

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

The Chair announced that he had read and approved the Journal of the Fifty-Third Day.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 816 and 1105 to 1108) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Gov. Msg. No. 816, informing the Senate that on April 29, 2026, the Governor withdrew the nomination of NICHOLAS BELLUZZO to the Hawai'i Historic Places Review Board, under Gov. Msg. No. 643, from consideration by the Senate, was placed on file.

In compliance with Gov. Msg. No. 816, the nomination listed under Gov. Msg. No. 643 was returned.

Gov. Msg. No. 1105, informing the Senate that on April 28, 2026, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 2088 as Act 5, entitled: "RELATING TO ADOPTIONS," was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 1106, informing the Senate that on April 28, 2026, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 2089 as Act 6, entitled: "RELATING TO CERTIORARI REVIEW BY THE HAWAII SUPREME COURT," was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 1107, informing the Senate that on April 28, 2026, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 2090 as Act 7, entitled: "RELATING TO DOMESTIC ABUSE ORDERS FOR PROTECTION," was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 1108, informing the Senate that on April 28, 2026, the Governor signed into law House Bill No. 2099 as Act 8, entitled: "RELATING TO VACANCIES," was placed on file.

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the House (Hse. Com. Nos. 873 to 876) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Hse. Com. No. 873, informing the Senate that on April 28, 2026, 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. 2876 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Matayoshi, chair; Grandinetti, Pierick.

S.B. No. 3253, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Hashem, Lowen, Morikawa, co-chairs; Shimizu.

Hse. Com. No. 874, informing the Senate that on April 28, 2026, 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. 2125, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

Representatives Woodson, Sayama, Lee, co-chairs; La Chica, Olds, Muraoka.

S.B. No. 2781, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

Representatives Chun, Kusch, co-chairs; Kahaloa, Matsumoto.

Hse. Com. No. 875, informing the Senate that on April 28, 2026, 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. 549, H.D. 3 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Garrett, Marten, Lee, co-chairs; Amato, Souza.

Hse. Com. No. 876, informing the Senate that on April 29, 2026, the House made the following changes to the conferees on the following bill:

H.B. No. 1768, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2)

Representative Templo added as co-chair.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Inouye, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2053, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 11-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2053, 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. 11-26 and S.B. No. 2053, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Rhoads, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2494, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 12-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2494, 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. 12-26 and S.B. No. 2494, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRUPTION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Inouye, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2851, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 13-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2851, 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. 13-26 and S.B. No. 2851, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEAF INDIVIDUALS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Rhoads, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3073, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 14-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3073, 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. 14-26 and S.B. No. 3073, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RETENTION OF BIOLOGICAL EVIDENCE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Fukunaga, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1678, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 15-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1678, 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. 15-26 and H.B. No. 1678, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ASSOCIATIONS," 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. 1721, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 16-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1721, 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. 16-26 and H.B. No. 1721, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Richards, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2475, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 17-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2475, 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. 17-26 and H.B. No. 2475, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LABELING REQUIREMENTS," 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. 2246, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 18-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2246, 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. 18-26 and H.B. No. 2246, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL GRANT ADMINISTRATION," 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. 1667, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 19-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1667, 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. 19-26 and H.B. No. 1667, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL IDENTIFICATION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Rhoads, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1516, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 20-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1516, 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. 20-26 and H.B. No. 1516, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRETRIAL RELEASE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Rhoads, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2532, presented a report (Conf. Com.

Rep. No. 21-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2532, 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. 21-26 and S.B. No. 2532, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CAMPAIGN SPENDING COMMISSION'S ELECTRONIC FILING SYSTEM," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Elefante, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3131, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 22-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3131, 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. 22-26 and S.B. No. 3131, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERSONNEL," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Inouye, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3154, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 23-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3154, 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. 23-26 and S.B. No. 3154, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Kim, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2297, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 24-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2297, 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. 24-26 and H.B. No. 2297, 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 Gabbard, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1737, H.D. 3, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 25-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1737, 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. 25-26 and H.B. No. 1737, H.D. 3, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FARM EMPLOYEE HOUSING," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Rhoads, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2143, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 26-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2143, 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. 26-26 and S.B. No. 2143, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CHIEF ELECTION OFFICER," 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. 2398, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf.

Com. Rep. No. 27-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2398, 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. 27-26 and S.B. No. 2398, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESIDENTIAL HOUSING UTILITIES," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Lamosao, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2623, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 28-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2623, 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. 28-26 and S.B. No. 2623, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LICENSING," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Chang, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1740, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 29-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1740, 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. 29-26 and H.B. No. 1740, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HOUSING FINANCE AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Chang, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1920, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 30-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1920, 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. 30-26 and H.B. No. 1920, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LOW-INCOME HOUSING TAX CREDIT," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Elefante, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1682, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 31-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1682, 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. 31-26 and H.B. No. 1682, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DISCLOSURE OF INTIMATE IMAGES," 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. 2153, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 32-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2153, 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. 32-26 and S.B. No. 2153, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Fukunaga, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3140, presented a report (Conf. Com.

Rep. No. 33-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3140, 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. 33-26 and S.B. No. 3140, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE FIRE COUNCIL," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Elefante, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1515, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 34-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1515, 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. 34-26 and H.B. No. 1515, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION," 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. 2835, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 35-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2835, 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. 35-26 and S.B. No. 2835, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUOR," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Keohokalole, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2282, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 36-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2282, 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. 36-26 and H.B. No. 2282, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Fukunaga, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3083, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 37-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3083, 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. 37-26 and S.B. No. 3083, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROTECTIVE ORDERS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator DeCoite, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2031, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 38-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2031, 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. 38-26 and S.B. No. 2031, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Fukunaga, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2519, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 39-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2519, 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. 39-26 and S.B. No. 2519, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Inouye, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2667, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 40-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2667, 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. 40-26 and S.B. No. 2667, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Lee, for the Committee on Water, Land, Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3937) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Legacy Land Conservation Commission of the following:

MICHAEL BUCK, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 648; and

KIM FALINSKI, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 691.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3937 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 648 and 691 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator Lee, for the Committee on Water, Land, Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3938) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Pacific States Marine Fisheries Commission of the following:

GILBERT KUALI'I, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 649; and

PHILIP FERNANDEZ, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 650.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3938 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 649 and 650 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator Lee, for the Committee on Water, Land, Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3939) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Hawai'i Community Development Authority of the following:

ADENA DUVAUCHELLE, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 611; and

JO-ANN LEONG, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 727.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3939 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 611 and 727 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator Lee, for the Committee on Water, Land, Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3940) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Commission on Water Resource Management of the following:

MOSES HAIA III, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 639; and

JUANITA REYHER-COLON, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 640.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3940 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 639 and 640 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3941) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of JOY KOERTE to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Health Systems Corporation, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 529.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3941 and Gov. Msg. No. 529 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3942) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of ASHLEY NISHIHARA to the Fuel Tank Advisory Committee, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 534.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3942 and Gov. Msg. No. 534 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3943) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Disability and Communication Access Board of the following:

JUDY PAIK, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 530; and

ED CHEVY, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 700.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3943 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 530 and 700 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3944) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of CHRISTOPHER LUTHY to the Hawai'i State Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Queer, Plus Commission, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 716.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3944 and Gov. Msg. No. 716 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3945) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of CRISSI DOYLE to the Hawai'i State Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Queer, Plus Commission, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 732.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3945 and Gov. Msg. No. 732 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3946) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of SYLVIA ROMM to the Hawaii State Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Queer, Plus Commission, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 733.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3946 and Gov. Msg. No. 733 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3947) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of HANNAH PRESTON-PITA to the Statewide

Health Coordinating Council, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 557.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3947 and Gov. Msg. No. 557 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3948) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of AMY FEELEY-AUSTIN to the Statewide Health Coordinating Council, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 558.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3948 and Gov. Msg. No. 558 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3949) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of PETER SYBINSKY to the Statewide Health Coordinating Council, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 559.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3949 and Gov. Msg. No. 559 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3950) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of ROBERT SHRODER to the Statewide Health Coordinating Council, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 722.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3950 and Gov. Msg. No. 722 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3951) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of JOHN MCCOMAS to the Statewide Health Coordinating Council, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 782.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3951 and Gov. Msg. No. 782 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3952) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of ALLEN NOVAK to the Health Planning Council, Hawai'i County Subarea, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 538.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3952 and Gov. Msg. No. 538 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3953) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of CHRISTINE CABINGABANG-TINGCANG to the Health Planning Council, West Oahu Subarea, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 541.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3953 and Gov. Msg. No. 541 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3954) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of JAIME GAGNON to the Health Planning Council, West Oahu Subarea, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 542.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3954 and Gov. Msg. No. 542 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3955) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of MICHELE KUAHINE to the Health Planning Council, West Oahu Subarea, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 702.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3955 and Gov. Msg. No. 702 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3956) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of ELLA SIROSKEY to the Health Planning Council, Windward Oahu Subarea, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 543.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3956 and Gov. Msg. No. 543 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3957) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of MIRIAM CHANG to the Health Planning Council, Windward Oahu Subarea, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 544.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3957 and Gov. Msg. No. 544 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3958) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of HAYLEY KANE to the Health Planning Council, Windward Oahu Subarea, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 545.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3958 and Gov. Msg. No. 545 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3959) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of TRICIA-LYNN YAMASHITA to the Health Planning Council, Kauai County Subarea, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 724.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3959 and Gov. Msg. No. 724 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3960) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of MARGARET JACKSON to the State Council on Mental Health, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 555.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3960 and Gov. Msg. No. 555 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3961) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of MARY PAT WATERHOUSE to the State

Council on Mental Health, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 556.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3961 and Gov. Msg. No. 556 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3962) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of KATHLEEN MERRIAM to the State Council on Mental Health, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 712.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3962 and Gov. Msg. No. 712 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3963) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of DANIELLE BERGAN to the State Council on Mental Health, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 554.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3963 and Gov. Msg. No. 554 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3964) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of MARISSA CELESTE to the State Council on Mental Health, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 711.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3964 and Gov. Msg. No. 711 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3965) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of WAIANUHEA GETGEN to the Mental Health and Substance Abuse, Maui Service Area Board, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 546.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3965 and Gov. Msg. No. 546 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3966) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of NICOLE HOKOANA to the Mental Health and Substance Abuse, Maui Service Area Board, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 708.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3966 and Gov. Msg. No. 708 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3967) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of PRITI TAYAL to the Mental Health and Substance Abuse, Kaua'i Service Area Board, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 706.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3967 and Gov. Msg. No. 706 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3968) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of KANWARDEEP KALEKA to the Mental Health and Substance Abuse, Kaua'i Service Area Board, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 707.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3968 and Gov. Msg. No. 707 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3969) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of RAVEN SEVILLEJA to the Mental Health and Substance Abuse, Oahu Service Area Board, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 709.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3969 and Gov. Msg. No. 709 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3970) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of MAX MATIAS, JR. to the Emergency Medical Services Advisory Committee, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 532.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3970 and Gov. Msg. No. 532 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3971) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Radiologic Technology Board of the following:

RENA SHIMATA, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 547; and

DAVID WADSWORTH, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 550.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3971 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 547 and 550 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3972) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Radiologic Technology Board of the following:

KEVIN KANEKO, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 548; and

REIKO NAKAMOTO, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 549.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3972 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 548 and 549 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3973) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of JAMES LANDGRAF to the Board of Certification of Public Water System Operators, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 528.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3973 and Gov. Msg. No. 528 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3974) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of KUNANE DREIER to the Hawai'i Advisory Commission on Drug Abuse and Controlled Substances, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 537.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3974 and Gov. Msg. No. 537 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3975) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of JODI HASHIMOTO to the Health Planning Council, Honolulu County Subarea, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 539.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3975 and Gov. Msg. No. 539 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3976) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of ROBERT SHRODER to the Health Planning Council, Tri-Isle County Subarea, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 540.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3976 and Gov. Msg. No. 540 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3977) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Health Planning Council, Tri-Isle County Subarea of the following:

JUDITH MIKAMI, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 701;

PENNY KOVAL, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 723; and

KATHLEEN HAGAN, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 754.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3977 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 701, 723, and 754 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3978) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of RICK TABOR to the Policy Advisory Board for Elder Affairs, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 687.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3978 and Gov. Msg. No. 687 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3979) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of RAELENE TENNO to the Policy Advisory Board for Elder Affairs, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 688.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3979 and Gov. Msg. No. 688 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3980) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of STEPHEN LUNG to the Policy Advisory Board for Elder Affairs, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 781.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3980 and Gov. Msg. No. 781 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3981) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to

the nominations to the Policy Advisory Board for Elder Affairs of the following:

SCOTT SPALLINA, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 689; and

ROY KATSUDA, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 737.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3981 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 689 and 737 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3982) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of KEVIN NAKAMURA to the Board of Certification of Operating Personnel in Wastewater Treatment Plants, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 768.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3982 and Gov. Msg. No. 768 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3983) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of GARY HUTCHINSON to the Board of Certification of Operating Personnel in Wastewater Treatment Plants, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 734.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3983 and Gov. Msg. No. 734 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3984) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of VIRGILIO VIERNES to the Board of Certification of Operating Personnel in Wastewater Treatment Plants, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 791.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3984 and Gov. Msg. No. 791 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3985) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of TAO YAN to the Board of Certification of Operating Personnel in Wastewater Treatment Plants, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 735.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3985 and Gov. Msg. No. 735 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3986) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of JON KAWAMURA to the Board of Certification of Operating Personnel in Wastewater Treatment Plants, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 736.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3986 and Gov. Msg. No. 736 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3987) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of EMILY DONG to the Board of Certification of Operating Personnel in Wastewater Treatment Plants, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 790.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3987 and Gov. Msg. No. 790 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3988) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of SARAH KAMAKAWIWO'OLE to the Center for Nursing Advisory Board, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 660.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3988 and Gov. Msg. No. 660 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3989) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of TAMMIE NAPOLEON to the Center for Nursing Advisory Board, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 663.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3989 and Gov. Msg. No. 663 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3990) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Center for Nursing Advisory Board of the following:

OLIVIA KIM, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 662; and

TERILYN LUKE, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 705.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3990 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 662 and 705 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

Senator Rhoads, for the majority of the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3991) recommending that the Senate consent to the appointment of VLADIMIR P. DEVENS as Chief Justice of the Hawai'i State Supreme Court, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 801.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3991 and Gov. Msg. No. 801 was deferred until Thursday, April 30, 2026.

ORDER OF THE DAY

ADVISE AND CONSENT

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3932 (Gov. Msg. No. 744):

Senator Kim moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3932 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Fukunaga and carried.

Senator Kim then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of ANNE MARIE MATSUZAKI to the Hawai'i Commission for National and Community Service, term to expire June 30, 2027, seconded by Senator Fukunaga.

The motion was put by the Chair and carried on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Kidani).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3933 (Gov. Msg. No. 752):

Senator Kim moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3933 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Fukunaga and carried.

Senator Kim then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of CHERYL CUDIAMAT to the Early

Learning Board, term to expire June 30, 2029, seconded by Senator Fukunaga.

Senator Elefante rose and stated:

REMARKS

The Chair ruled that there was no conflict of interest.

The motion was put by the Chair and carried on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Kidani).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3934 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 804 and 805):

Senator Kim moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3934 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Fukunaga and carried.

Senator Kim then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Regents of the University of Hawai'i of the following:

MARIE LADERTA, term to expire June 30, 2031 (Gov. Msg. No. 804); and

KEITH AMEMIYA, term to expire June 30, 2031 (Gov. Msg. No. 805),

seconded by Senator Fukunaga.

Senator Kim rose to speak in support of Gov. Msg. No. 804 as follows:

REMARKS

Senator Kim rose to speak in support of Gov. Msg. No. 805 as follows:

REMARKS

The motion was put by the Chair and carried on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Kidani).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3935 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 695 and 802):

Senator Kim moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3935 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Fukunaga and carried.

Senator Kim then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Directors of the Research Corporation of the University of Hawai'i of the following:

MICHAEL NEDBAL, term to expire June 30, 2030 (Gov. Msg. No. 695); and

DAVID KARL, term to expire June 30, 2029 (Gov. Msg. No. 802),

seconded by Senator Fukunaga.

The motion was put by the Chair and carried on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Kidani).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3936 (Gov. Msg. Nos. 507, 659, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, and 670):

Senator Kim moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3936 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Fukunaga and carried.

Senator Kim then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Hawai'i Medical Education Council of the following:

CHRISTOPHER YHEULON, term to expire June 30, 2029 (Gov. Msg. No. 507);

JUDE DOMIZIO, term to expire June 30, 2029 (Gov. Msg. No. 659);

LANCE SEGAWA, term to expire June 30, 2029 (Gov. Msg. No. 665);

MARTINA KAMAHA, term to expire June 30, 2029 (Gov. Msg. No. 666);

COLLEEN INOUE BAUM, term to expire June 30, 2029 (Gov. Msg. No. 667);

TAMMY HO, term to expire June 30, 2029 (Gov. Msg. No. 668);

MARY ANN SPADARO ANTONELLI, term to expire June 30, 2029 (Gov. Msg. No. 669); and

RUSSELL WOO, term to expire June 30, 2029 (Gov. Msg. No. 670),

seconded by Senator Fukunaga.

The motion was put by the Chair and carried on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Kidani).

Senator Kim introduction

The Chair made the following comments:

REMARKS

FINAL ADOPTION

S.C.R. No. 110, S.D. 1, H.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator DeCorte and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.C.R. No. 110, S.D. 1, and S.C.R. No. 110, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, IN COORDINATION WITH THE HAWAII HOUSING FINANCE AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION, TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO EVALUATE THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING STATE-OWNED OR STATE-CONTROLLED WAREHOUSE AND LOGISTICS FACILITIES NEAR PORTS, HARBORS, AND AIRPORTS TO REDUCE MATERIAL COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH PUBLICLY FINANCED HOUSING PROJECTS," was Finally Adopted.

FINAL READING

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 1-26 (H.B. No. 1752, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1):

On motion by Senator Fukunaga, seconded by Senator San Buenaventura and carried, Conf. Com. Rep. No. 1-26 was adopted and H.B. No. 1752, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES," having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Kidani).

MISCELLANEOUS COMMUNICATION

The following communication (Misc. Com. No. 5) was read by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Misc. Com. No. 5, from the Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi, President of the Senate, and the Honorable Nadine K. Nakamura, Speaker of the House of Representatives, dated April 28, 2026, transmitting a Legislative Communication

extending the conference deliberation deadline for S.B. No. 3125 beyond 9:00 p.m.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

RECONSIDERATION OF ACTIONS TAKEN

S.C.R. No. 78, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Senator Kim moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on April 28, 2026, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to S.C.R. No. 78, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Wakai and carried.

Senator Kim then moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.C.R. No. 78, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Wakai.

Senator Kim noted:

REMARKS

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.C.R. No. 78, S.D. 1, and S.C.R. No. 78, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO STRENGTHEN MENSTRUAL HEALTH EDUCATION INITIATIVES AND TO ADOPT A COMPREHENSIVE MENSTRUAL CYCLE CURRICULUM," was placed on the calendar for Final Adoption on Thursday, April 30, 2026.

S.C.R. No. 130 (H.D. 1):

Senator Kim moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on April 28, 2026, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to S.C.R. No. 130, seconded by Senator Wakai and carried.

Senator Kim then moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.C.R. No. 130, seconded by Senator Wakai.

Senator Kim noted:

REMARKS

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.C.R. No. 130, and S.C.R. No. 130, H.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND BIOSECURITY TO JOINTLY DEVELOP A FARMER-TO-INSTITUTION COORDINATION PLAN THAT IS ALIGNED WITH THE AINA KITCHEN NETWORK ROLLOUT," was placed on the calendar for Final Adoption on Thursday, April 30, 2026.

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

REMARKS

The Chair made the following announcement:

"The decking deadline for all non-fiscal bills in conference is 11:30 p.m. tonight."

APPOINTMENT AND DISCHARGE OF CONFEREES

S.B. No. 2694, 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. 2694, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Keohokalole, chair; Inouye, DeCoite, co-chairs; Lamosao, Awa as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2930, 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. 2930, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators McKelvey, chair; Hashimoto, co-chair; Awa as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 472, 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. 472, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Fukunaga, chair; Keohokalole, Rhoads, co-chairs on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1391, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1:

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1391, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators DeCoite, chair; Lee, Dela Cruz, co-chairs on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1656, 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. 1656, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Elefante, chair; Kim, co-chair; Ihara as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1658, 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. 1658, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Elefante, chair; Kim, co-chair; Lamosao as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1661, 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. 1661, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Elefante, chair; Kim, co-chair; Fevella as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1663, 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. 1663, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Elefante, chair; McKelvey, Kim, co-chairs; Lamosao as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1664, 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. 1664, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Elefante, chair; Rhoads, Kim, co-chairs; Ihara as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2241, 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. 2241, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Wakai, chair; DeCoite, co-chair; Fevella as manager on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2275, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

The President discharged Senator Dela Cruz as chair, discharged Senator Moriwaki as manager and appointed her as chair, and appointed Senator Hashimoto as 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. 2275, H.D. 1.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORTS

On motion by Senator Wakai, seconded by Senator DeCorte 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 6:53 p.m., on a rising vote to observe a moment of silence in memory of Richard "Scotch" Henderson, the Senate took the following actions:

Senator Elefante, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2140, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 41-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2140, 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. 41-26 and S.B. No. 2140, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTY LABOR STANDARDS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Chang, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2544, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 42-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2544, 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. 42-26 and S.B. No. 2544, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Chang, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2069, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 43-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2069, 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. 43-26 and S.B. No. 2069, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DWELLING UNIT REVOLVING FUND," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Inouye, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2697, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 44-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2697, 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. 44-26 and S.B. No. 2697, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION," 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. 874, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 45-26) recommending that S.B. No. 874, 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. 45-26 and S.B. No. 874, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL

FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERINARY MEDICINE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Keohokalole, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2043, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 46-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2043, 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. 46-26 and S.B. No. 2043, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Keohokalole, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 888, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 47-26) recommending that S.B. No. 888, 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. 47-26 and S.B. No. 888, S.D. 2, 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 Rhoads, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2721, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 48-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2721, 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. 48-26 and S.B. No. 2721, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE," 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. 2152, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 49-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2152, 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. 49-26 and H.B. No. 2152, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOG ATTACKS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1334, H.D. 3, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 50-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1334, 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. 50-26 and H.B. No. 1334, H.D. 3, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEAT DONATION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Chang, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2385, H.D. 3, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 51-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2385, H.D. 3, 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. 51-26 and H.B. No. 2385, H.D. 3, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator McKelvey, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1643, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 52-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1643, 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. 52-26 and H.B. No. 1643, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PHARMACY," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator McKelvey, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2314, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 53-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2314, 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. 53-26 and H.B. No. 2314, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MEDICAL SYSTEMS OF CARE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Inouye, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1688, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 54-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1688, 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. 54-26 and H.B. No. 1688, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A GENERAL EXCISE TAX EXEMPTION FOR AIRCRAFT MAINTENANCE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Inouye, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1692, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 55-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1692, 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. 55-26 and H.B. No. 1692, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC SAFETY," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Rhoads, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2568, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 56-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2568, 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. 56-26 and S.B. No. 2568, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OFFENSES AGAINST PUBLIC SERVANTS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator McKelvey, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2983, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 57-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2983, 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. 57-26 and S.B. No. 2983, 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 San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments

proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2108, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 58-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2108, 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. 58-26 and S.B. No. 2108, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JURISDICTION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3136, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 59-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3136, 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. 59-26 and S.B. No. 3136, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEAD MATERIALS IN WATER INFRASTRUCTURE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1959, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 60-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1959, 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. 60-26 and H.B. No. 1959, H.D. 2, 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 Inouye, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3156, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 61-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3156, 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. 61-26 and S.B. No. 3156, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FEDERAL MILITARY INSTALLATIONS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Keohokalole, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1511, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 62-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1511, 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. 62-26 and H.B. No. 1511, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Keohokalole, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1753, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 63-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1753, 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. 63-26 and H.B. No. 1753, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOCIAL MEDIA," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Fukunaga, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1824, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 64-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1824, 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. 64-26 and H.B. No. 1824, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Elefante, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2137, H.D. 3, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 65-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2137, 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. 65-26 and H.B. No. 2137, H.D. 3, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Keohokalole, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1810, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 66-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1810, 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. 66-26 and H.B. No. 1810, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARITABLE SOLICITATION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Fukunaga, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2279, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 67-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2279, 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. 67-26 and H.B. No. 2279, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXPUNGEMENT ORDERS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Richards, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2309, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 68-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2309, 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. 68-26 and H.B. No. 2309, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN HOMES COMMISSION ACT, 1920," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Rhoads, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1548, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 69-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1548, 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. 69-26 and H.B. No. 1548, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SENTENCING," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Fukunaga, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2078, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 70-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2078, 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. 70-26 and H.B. No. 2078, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HABITUAL VIOLENT CRIME," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Kim, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2293, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 71-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2293, 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. 71-26 and H.B. No. 2293, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HARM TO STUDENTS REGISTRY," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Kim, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3262, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 72-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3262, 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. 72-26 and S.B. No. 3262, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator DeCoite, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2169, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 73-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2169, 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. 73-26 and S.B. No. 2169, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AGRIBUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Keohokalole, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2607, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 74-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2607, 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. 74-26 and S.B. No. 2607, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Keohokalole, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2964, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 75-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2964, 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. 75-26 and S.B. No. 2964, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY INSURANCE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Keohokalole, for the majority of the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the

amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3255, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 76-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3255, 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. 76-26 and S.B. No. 3255, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CURRENCY," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2576, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 77-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2576, 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. 77-26 and H.B. No. 2576, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BACKGROUND CHECKS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Keohokalole, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1481, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 78-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1481, 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. 78-26 and H.B. No. 1481, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN REMAINS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1864, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 79-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1864, 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. 79-26 and H.B. No. 1864, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1550, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 80-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1550, 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. 80-26 and H.B. No. 1550, 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 Lee, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2818, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 81-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2818, 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. 81-26 and S.B. No. 2818, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BOATING," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Lee, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3067, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 82-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3067, 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. 82-26 and S.B. No. 3067, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RECORDS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Lee, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2061, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 83-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2061, 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. 83-26 and S.B. No. 2061, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESIDENTIAL CONDOMINIUMS," 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. 1728, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 84-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1728, 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. 84-26 and H.B. No. 1728, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RAINWATER CATCHMENT SYSTEMS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Lee, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1881, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 85-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1881, 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. 85-26 and H.B. No. 1881, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Lee, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2361, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 86-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2361, 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. 86-26 and H.B. No. 2361, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE KANEOHE BAY REGIONAL COUNCIL," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Lee, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2395, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 87-26) recommending that H.B. No. 2395, 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. 87-26 and H.B. No. 2395, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TAKING OF MARINE DEPOSITS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Lee, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by

the Senate to H.B. No. 1823, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 88-26) recommending that H.B. No. 1823, 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. 88-26 and H.B. No. 1823, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT ACT," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator McKelvey, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2050, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 89-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2050, 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. 89-26 and S.B. No. 2050, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHIROPRACTIC," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator McKelvey, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2397, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 90-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2397, 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. 90-26 and S.B. No. 2397, S.D. 1, 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 Lamosao, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2876, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 91-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2876, 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. 91-26 and S.B. No. 2876, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NATURAL HAIR BRAIDING," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2175, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 92-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2175, 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. 92-26 and S.B. No. 2175, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISPOSABLE ELECTRONIC SMOKING DEVICES," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2852, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 93-26) recommending that S.B. No. 2852, 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. 93-26 and S.B. No. 2852, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL RIGHTS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator San Buenaventura, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 847, S.D. 2, presented a

report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 94-26) recommending that S.B. No. 847, 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. 94-26 and S.B. No. 847, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PSYCHOLOGISTS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Keohokalole, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3001, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 95-26) recommending that S.B. No. 3001, 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. 95-26 and S.B. No. 3001, S.D. 2, H.D. 3, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:00 a.m., the Senate adjourned until 12:00 p.m., Thursday, April 30, 2026.