THIRTY-FIFTH DAY

Monday, March 20, 2000

The Senate of the Twentieth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2000, convened at 11:35 o'clock a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Divine Blessing was invoked by Associate Pastor Burton Maxwell, Central Seventh-day Adventist Church, after which the Roll was called showing all Senators present with the exception of Senators Bunda, Chun Oakland, Fukunaga, Ihara, Inouye, Iwase, Levin and Tam who were excused.

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

At this time, the following introductions were made to the members of the Senate:

Senator Kawamoto introduced General Edward L. Correa, Jr., and congratulated him on his appointment as Adjutant General and promotion to Major General.

Senator Chun then introduced General Myron Dobashi, Commander of the Hawaii Air National Guard, and congratulated him on his promotion to Brigadier General.

At 11:42 o'clock a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 11:47 o'clock a.m.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senators Chumbley and Matsunaga, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2820) recommending that H.B. No. 2414, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Chun, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2414, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE ASBESTOS PROPERTY DAMAGE LITIGATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Chumbley and Matsunaga, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2821) recommending that H.B. No. 2829, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Chun, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2829, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ELECTIONS APPOINTMENT AND REVIEW PANEL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

ORDER OF THE DAY

THIRD READING

H.B. No. 2565:

By unanimous consent, H.B. No. 2565, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GARMENT INDUSTRY HOMEWORK," was recommitted to the Committee on Labor and Environment.

H.B. No. 2526, H.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Nakata, seconded by Senator M. Ige and carried, H.B. No. 2526, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO USED OIL," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 17. Noes, none. Excused, 8 (Bunda, Chun Oakland, Fukunaga, Ihara, Inouye, Iwase, Levin, Tam).

Senator Buen, for the Committee on Economic Development, requested a waiver of the 72-hour Notice of a Public Hearing for H.B. No. 2183, and the Chair granted the waiver.

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:50 o'clock a.m., on motion by Senator Chun, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 o'clock a.m., Tuesday, March 21, 2000.