FORTY-SECOND DAY

Thursday, March 29, 2001

The Senate of the Twenty-First Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2001, convened at 11:40 o'clock a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Divine Blessing was invoked by Pastor Falelua Lafitaga, Kananafou Community Church, after which the Roll was called showing all Senators present with the exception of Senators English, Kim and Menor who were excused.

The President announced that he had read and approved the Journal of the Forty-First Day.

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

Senator Tam introduced Mrs. Fumei Wu and Mrs. BJ Ching, volunteers with the Buddhist Compassion Relief Tzu-Chi Foundation who traveled to El Salvador to aid in the earthquake relief efforts earlier this year. Accompanying the honorees was Mrs. Ching Kim of the Tzu-Chi Foundation.

Senator Chun Oakland introduced and congratulated the following YWCA Leader Luncheon 2001 Honorees: Sheryl B. Seaman, Marivic Dar, Alice Flanders Guild (represented by her son, Walter Guild), and Clarice Cornett. Accompanying the honorees was Cheryl Kauhane, President/CEO of YWCA.

At 11:58 o'clock a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 12:04 o'clock p.m.

HOUSE COMMUNICATION

Hse. Com. No. 354, returning S.B. No. 1135, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on March 28, 2001, was read by the Clerk and was placed on file.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Menor, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1299) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of LEE D. DONOHUE, SR., to the Board of Private Detectives and Guards, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 172.

In accordance with Senate Rule 36(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1299 and Gov. Msg. No. 172 was deferred until Monday, April 2, 2001.

Senator Chun, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1300) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations of HENRY CHO SR., THOMAS P. CONTRADES and HERRING K. KALUA to the Hawaiian Homes Commission, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 182.

In accordance with Senate Rule 36(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1300 and Gov. Msg. No. 182 was deferred until Monday, April 2, 2001.

Senator Tam, for the majority of the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1301) recommending that S.C.R. No. 13, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Chun, seconded by Senator Hemmings and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 13, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING SOCIALLY RESPONSIBLE INVESTMENT," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Tam, for the majority of the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1302) recommending that S.R. No. 10, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means

On motion by Senator Chun, seconded by Senator Hemmings and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.R. No. 10, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING SOCIALLY RESPONSIBLE INVESTMENT," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Tam, for the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1303) recommending that S.C.R. No. 48, as amended in S.D. 1, be referred to the Committee on Transportation, Military Affairs, and Government Operations.

On motion by Senator Chun, seconded by Senator Hemmings and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 48, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE FORMATION OF A TASK FORCE TO DEVELOP AN UPTO-DATE MASTER PLAN OF THE HONOLULU WATERFRONT TO STIMULATE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT IN THE AREA," was referred to the Committee on Transportation, Military Affairs, and Government Operations.

ORDER OF THE DAY

THIRD READING

H.B. No. 1176:

On motion by Senator Kawamoto, seconded by Senator Fukunaga and carried, H.B. No. 1176, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSPECTIONS BY THE COUNTY FIRE CHIEF OR THE CHIEF'S DESIGNEES," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 22. Noes, none. Excused, 3 (English, Kim, Menor).

RE-REFERRAL OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The Chair re-referred the following concurrent resolutions that were offered:

Senate Concurrent Resolution

Referred to:

No. 125 Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, the Committee on Water, Land, Energy, and Environment and the Committee on Agriculture

No. 156 Committee on Tourism and Intergovernmental Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:13 o'clock p.m., on motion by Senator Chun, seconded by Senator Hemmings and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 o'clock a.m., Monday, April 2, 2001.

Respectfully submitted,

Clerk of the Senate

Approved:

President of the Senate