

## FIFTY-EIGHTH DAY

Friday, April 26, 2002

The Senate of the Twenty-First Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2002, convened at 6:50 o'clock p.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Divine Blessing was invoked by the Honorable Bob Hogue, Hawaii State Senate, after which the Roll was called showing all Senators present with the exception of Senators Hanabusa, Ige and Matsuura who were excused.

The President announced that he had read and approved the Journal of the Fifty-Seventh Day.

## MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

Gov. Msg. No. 358, dated April 22, 2002, transmitting the 2001-2002 Annual Report for the Enterprise Zones Partnership, prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism pursuant to Chapter 209E, HRS, was read by the Clerk and was placed on file.

## HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the House (Hse. Com. Nos. 632 to 635) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Hse. Com. No. 632, informing the Senate that the House reconsidered its action taken in disagreeing to the amendments made by the Senate to H.B. No. 2582, H.D. 1, and the amendments proposed by the Senate were agreed to by the House and H.B. No. 2582, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, passed Final Reading in the House of Representatives on April 25, 2002.

Hse. Com. No. 633, returning S.C.R. No. 37, S.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 25 2002.

Hse. Com. No. 634, returning S.C.R. No. 85, S.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 25, 2002.

Hse. Com. No. 635, informing the Senate that the amendments proposed by the Senate to the following House concurrent resolutions were agreed to by the House and said resolutions were finally adopted in the House of Representatives on April 25 2002:

H.C.R. No. 94, H.D. 1, S.D. 1; and  
H.C.R. No. 103, H.D. 1, S.D. 1.

## CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Kawamoto, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2843, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 45-02) recommending that H.B. No. 2843, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 45-02 and H.B. No. 2843, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Hanabusa, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2720, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf.

Com. Rep. No. 46-02) recommending that H.B. No. 2720, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 46-02 and H.B. No. 2720, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE USE TAX," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Matsuura, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 594, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 81-02) recommending that S.B. No. 594, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 81-02 and S.B. No. 594, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NEUROTRAUMA," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Nakata, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 733, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 82-02) recommending that S.B. No. 733, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 82-02 and S.B. No. 733, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Kawamoto, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3063, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 83-02) recommending that S.B. No. 3063, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 83-02 and S.B. No. 3063, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Nakata, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2757, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 84-02) recommending that S.B. No. 2757, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 84-02 and S.B. No. 2757, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AMENDMENTS TO ACT 253, SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII 2000," 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. 2802, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 85-02) recommending that S.B. No. 2802, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 85-02 and S.B. No. 2802, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEASING OF PUBLIC

LANDS TO RENEWABLE ENERGY PRODUCERS,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

#### STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3534) recommending that H.B. No. 2365 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator English, seconded by Senator Hemmings and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2365, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION,” passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3535) recommending that H.B. No. 2556 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator English, seconded by Senator Hemmings and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2556, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SECTION 13 OF ACT 15, THIRD SPECIAL SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII 2001,” passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3536) recommending that H.B. No. 2248, H.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3536 and H.B. No. 2248, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR PROCESSING ENTERPRISES,” was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3537) recommending that H.B. No. 2385 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3537 and H.B. No. 2385, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST WINES OF KAUAI, LLC.,” was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3538) recommending that H.B. No. 2708, H.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3538 and H.B. No. 2708, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMAL DISEASES,” was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3539) recommending that H.B. No. 2231 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3539 and H.B. No. 2231, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AUDITOR,” was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3540) recommending that H.B. No. 2518 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3540 and H.B. No. 2518, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES,” was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3541) recommending that H.B. No. 2523 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3541 and H.B. No. 2523, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES,” was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3542) recommending that H.B. No. 682 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3542 and H.B. No. 682, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTESTS OF OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH MATTERS,” was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3543) recommending that H.B. No. 1772 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3543 and H.B. No. 1772, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESIDENCY OF POLICE OFFICER APPLICANTS,” was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3544) recommending that H.B. No. 2329 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3544 and H.B. No. 2329, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MANAGED COMPETITION,” was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Taniguchi, for the majority of the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3545) recommending that H.B. No. 2460, H.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3545 and H.B. No. 2460, H.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES’ RETIREMENT SYSTEM,” was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3546) recommending that H.B. No. 2481, H.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3546 and H.B. No. 2481, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL SERVICE EXEMPTIONS,” was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3547) recommending that H.B. No. 2531, H.D. 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3547 and H.B. No. 2531, H.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEMPORARY HEALTH INSURANCE FOR UNEMPLOYED PERSONS,” was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3548) recommending that H.B. No. 2478 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3548 and H.B. No. 2478, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT STATUS OF PERSONNEL OF THE HAWAII NATIONAL GUARD YOUTH CHALLENGE ACADEMY," was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3549) recommending that H.B. No. 2128, H.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3549 and H.B. No. 2128, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR PROJECTS ON THE ISLAND OF HAWAII," was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3550) recommending that H.B. No. 2538 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3550 and H.B. No. 2538, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AQUATIC RESOURCES," was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3551) recommending that H.B. No. 2554 pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3551 and H.B. No. 2554, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NONCOMMERCIAL PIERS," was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3552) recommending that H.B. No. 2710, H.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3552 and H.B. No. 2710, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OCEAN LEASING," was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3553) recommending that H.B. No. 2429, H.D. 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3553 and H.B. No. 2429, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOBACCO," was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senators Inouye and Tam, for the Committee on Water, Land, Energy, and Environment and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3554) recommending that H.C.R. No. 17 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3554 and H.C.R. No. 17, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE LEASE OF EASEMENT COVERING PORTION OF SUBMERGED LANDS AT MAUNALUA, OAHU, HAWAII, FOR MAINTENANCE OF THE HAWAII KAI MARINA

ENTRANCE CHANNEL PURPOSES," was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Kim, for the Committee on Tourism and Intergovernmental Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3555) recommending that H.C.R. No. 72 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3555 and H.C.R. No. 72, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY TO DEVELOP AN OVERALL STRATEGY, POLICY, AND PLAN TO AWARD TOURISM PRODUCT ENRICHMENT AND DIVERSIFICATION GRANTS," was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3556) recommending that H.C.R. No. 105 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3556 and H.C.R. No. 105, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A STUDY OF PRINTING PRODUCTS AND SERVICES UTILIZED, CONTRACTED, AND SUBCONTRACTED BY HAWAII STATE GOVERNMENT," was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Matsuura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3557) recommending that H.C.R. No. 123 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3557 and H.C.R. No. 123, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNITED NATIONS TO CONSIDER THE ESTABLISHMENT IN HAWAII, OF A CENTER FOR THE HEALTH, WELFARE, AND EDUCATION OF CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND FAMILIES FOR ASIA AND THE PACIFIC AND REQUESTING SUPPORT FOR THE CENTER FROM THE PRESIDENT AND THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES," was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3558) recommending that S.R. No. 68, S.D. 1, be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3558 and S.R. No. 68, S.D. 1, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION CONVENING AN INTERIM STUDY BY THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES TO EXPLORE WAYS TO MAXIMIZE FEDERAL FUNDING FOR HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES PROGRAMS," was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3559) recommending that S.R. No. 110 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3559 and S.R. No. 110, entitled: "SENATE RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING AN INTERIM WORKING GROUP TO DISSEMINATE INFORMATION REGARDING PRESCRIPTION DRUG CARD DISCOUNT PROGRAMS OFFERED BY PHARMACEUTICAL COMPANIES," was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Matsuura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3560) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations of JENNIFER DIESMAN and DARYL-JEAN

WONG to the Honolulu Subarea Health Planning Council, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 314.

In accordance with Senate Rule 36(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3560 and Gov. Msg. No. 314 was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Matsuura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3561) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations of MARTHA O. AQUINO, JOANNE H. KEALOHA and LAURIE A.B. OISHI to the West Oahu Subarea Health Planning Council, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 315.

In accordance with Senate Rule 36(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3561 and Gov. Msg. No. 315 was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Matsuura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3562) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations of CHRISTOPHER J. LUTZ and GREIG E. GASPAS to the Windward Oahu Subarea Health Planning Council, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 316.

In accordance with Senate Rule 36(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3562 and Gov. Msg. No. 316 was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Matsuura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3563) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of JAMIE CAMEROS to the Hawai'i County Subarea Health Planning Council, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 317.

In accordance with Senate Rule 36(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3563 and Gov. Msg. No. 317 was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Matsuura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3564) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations of COREY N. DOBASHI, SUSAN GUCWA-BUCASAS, AIDA PASCUAL and ROY K. SASAKI to the Kauai County Subarea Health Planning Council, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 318.

In accordance with Senate Rule 36(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3564 and Gov. Msg. No. 318 was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Matsuura, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3565) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations of AGNES M. GROFF, JOSEPH K. KAMAKA III, M.D., WILLIAM F. STATON, KATHLEEN L. STREET and SARAJEAN A. TOKUNAGA to the Maui County Subarea Health Planning Council, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 319.

In accordance with Senate Rule 36(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3565 and Gov. Msg. No. 319 was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Kanno, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3566) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations of KAREN H. IWAMOTO, HELEN Y. RAUER, CARL R. ANDERSON, BERTHA S.J. NAHOPII, MICHAEL A. HAMA, ERWIN

HUDELIST and JACK L. TINER to the Correctional Industries Advisory Committee, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 302.

In accordance with Senate Rule 36(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3566 and Gov. Msg. No. 302 was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Kanno, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3567) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of LISA KEALA CARTER to the Board of Registration, Island of Oahu, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 336.

In accordance with Senate Rule 36(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3567 and Gov. Msg. No. 336 was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Kanno, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3568) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of BEVERLY JEAN WITHINGTON to the Board of Registration, Island of Hawai'i, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 337.

In accordance with Senate Rule 36(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3568 and Gov. Msg. No. 337 was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Kanno, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3569) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of MARK NAKAGOSHI to the Board of Registration, Kauai and Niihau, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 338.

In accordance with Senate Rule 36(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3569 and Gov. Msg. No. 338 was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Kanno, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3570) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of PEGGY ROBERTSON to the Board of Registration, Maui, Molokai, Lanai and Kahoolawe, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 339.

In accordance with Senate Rule 36(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3570 and Gov. Msg. No. 339 was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Kanno, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3571) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations of VALLI KANUHA, PH.D., MARGARET K. MASUNAGA and MARY JO SWEENEY to the State Commission on the Status of Women, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 343.

In accordance with Senate Rule 36(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3571 and Gov. Msg. No. 343 was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3572) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of RICHARD F. KAHLE, JR., to the Board of Taxation Review, First Taxation District (Oahu), in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 283.

In accordance with Senate Rule 36(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3572 and Gov. Msg. No. 283 was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3573) recommending

that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of BERT M. WAGATSUMA to the Board of Taxation Review, Third Taxation District (Hawai'i), in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 284.

In accordance with Senate Rule 36(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3573 and Gov. Msg. No. 284 was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3574) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of SANDRA L. HOWATT to the Board of Taxation Review, Fourth Taxation District (Kauai), in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 285.

In accordance with Senate Rule 36(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3574 and Gov. Msg. No. 285 was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3575) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of MARIA LOWDER to the Board of Taxation Review, First Taxation District (Oahu), in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 341.

In accordance with Senate Rule 36(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3575 and Gov. Msg. No. 341 was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3576) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations of LYLE J. MATSUNAGA and LLOYD Y. GINOZA to the Board of Taxation Review, Second Taxation District (Maui County), in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 348.

In accordance with Senate Rule 36(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3576 and Gov. Msg. No. 348 was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Menor, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3577) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations of ELWIN D.H. GOO, PHARM.D., and DENNIS IWAMURA to the Board of Pharmacy, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 331.

In accordance with Senate Rule 36(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3577 and Gov. Msg. No. 331 was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Menor, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3578) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of THOMAS F. JACKSON to the Board of Psychology, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 334.

In accordance with Senate Rule 36(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3578 and Gov. Msg. No. 334 was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Menor, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3579) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations of ADLEEN ICHINOSE and LES UYEDA to the Radiologic Technology Board, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 335.

In accordance with Senate Rule 36(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3579 and Gov. Msg. No. 335 was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Menor, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3580) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations of STEPHEN K. KAWAHARA and BETTY LOU LARSON to the Rental Housing Trust Fund Advisory Commission, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 340.

In accordance with Senate Rule 36(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3580 and Gov. Msg. No. 340 was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Menor, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3581) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of JAMES H. HATTAWAY, D.C., to the State Board of Chiropractic Examiners, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 349.

In accordance with Senate Rule 36(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3581 and Gov. Msg. No. 349 was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Menor, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3582) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations of KATHRYN RICE ILGEN, D.V.M., and GARY Y. MURAI to the Board of Veterinary Examiners, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 350.

In accordance with Senate Rule 36(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3582 and Gov. Msg. No. 350 was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Kim, for the Committee on Tourism and Intergovernmental Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3583) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of MIKE MCCARTNEY to the Board of Directors, Hawai'i Tourism Authority, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 231.

In accordance with Senate Rule 36(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3583 and Gov. Msg. No. 231 was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Kim, for the Committee on Tourism and Intergovernmental Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3584) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of LORRIE LEE STONE to the Board of Directors, Hawai'i Tourism Authority, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 311.

In accordance with Senate Rule 36(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3584 and Gov. Msg. No. 311 was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senators Kim and Sakamoto, for the Committee on Tourism and Intergovernmental Affairs and the Committee on Education, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3585) recommending that H.C.R. No. 48 be adopted.

By unanimous consent, action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3585 and H.C.R. No. 48, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR AND THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO ESTABLISH SISTER-STATE EDUCATIONAL, CULTURAL, AND ECONOMIC EXCHANGES BETWEEN THE STATE OF HAWAII AND THE PROVINCE OF

ILOCOS SUR OF THE REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES," was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

**ORDER OF THE DAY**

**FINAL READING**

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 4-02 (H.B. No. 2527, S.D. 1, C.D. 1):

By unanimous consent, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 4-02 and H.B. No. 2527, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SAFETY INSPECTION FREQUENCIES FOR REGULATED EQUIPMENT," was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 54-02 (S.B. No. 99, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

By unanimous consent, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 54-02 and S.B. No. 99, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LIQUOR COMMISSION," was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 55-02 (S.B. No. 2964, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1):

By unanimous consent, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 55-02 and S.B. No. 2964, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII COMMISSION FOR NATIONAL AND COMMUNITY SERVICE," was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 56-02 (S.B. No. 3053, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

By unanimous consent, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 56-02 and S.B. No. 3053, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING," was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Conf. Com. Rep. No. 57-02 (S.B. No. 3040, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1):

By unanimous consent, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 57-02 and S.B. No. 3040, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPTIVE INSURANCE," was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

**ADVISE AND CONSENT**

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3511 (Gov. Msg. No. 257):

Senator Buen moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3511 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Chun and carried.

Senator Buen then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations of CARL A. CARLSON, JR., BENJAMIN K. LINDSEY and WES SAHARA to the Board of Agriculture, terms to expire June 30, 2006, seconded by Senator Chun.

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

Ayes, 20. Noes, none. Excused, 5 (Fukunaga, Hanabusa, Ige, Matsuura, Taniguchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3512 (Gov. Msg. No. 300):

Senator Kawamoto moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3512 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Buen and carried.

Senator Kawamoto then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Civil Defense Advisory Council of the following:

EDITH C. PASCUA, term to expire June 30, 2005; and

ANTHONY D. CASTBERG, MANUEL M. KULOLOIO and ANN M. SAKAGUCHI, terms to expire June 30, 2006,

seconded by Senator Buen.

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

Ayes, 20. Noes, none. Excused, 5 (Fukunaga, Hanabusa, Ige, Matsuura, Taniguchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3513 (Gov. Msg. No. 344):

Senator Nakata moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3513 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Ihara and carried.

Senator Nakata then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Hawai'i Workforce Development Council of the following:

ALAN S. ITO, term to expire June 30, 2005; and

EDWARD M. BOUGHTON, WAYNE H. KISHIDA and M. WINONA CABRAL WHITMAN, terms to expire June 30, 2006,

seconded by Senator Ihara.

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

Ayes, 20. Noes, none. Excused, 5 (Fukunaga, Hanabusa, Ige, Matsuura, Taniguchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3514 (Gov. Msg. No. 298):

Senator Menor moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3514 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Matsunaga and carried.

Senator Menor then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations of GORDON D. CIANO and BRIAN M. IWATA to the State Board of Public Accountancy, terms to expire June 30, 2006, seconded by Senator Matsunaga.

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

Ayes, 20. Noes, none. Excused, 5 (Fukunaga, Hanabusa, Ige, Matsuura, Taniguchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3515 (Gov. Msg. No. 299):

Senator Menor moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3515 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Matsunaga and carried.

Senator Menor then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of JACQUELINE K. MURAI to the Board of Acupuncture, term to expire June 30, 2004, seconded by Senator Matsunaga.

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

Ayes, 20. Noes, none. Excused, 5 (Fukunaga, Hanabusa, Ige, Matsuura, Taniguchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3516 (Gov. Msg. No. 304):

Senator Menor moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3516 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Matsunaga and carried.

Senator Menor then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Dental Examiners of the following:

KAREN ING HU, D.D.S., term to expire June 30, 2004; and

DAVID R. BREESE, D.D.S., GAYLE CHANG, DENNIS N. ISHIMOTO, D.D.S., and STUART C. LAU, terms to expire June 30, 2006,

seconded by Senator Matsunaga.

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

Ayes, 20. Noes, none. Excused, 5 (Fukunaga, Hanabusa, Ige, Matsuura, Taniguchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3517 (Gov. Msg. No. 329):

Senator Menor moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3517 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Matsunaga and carried.

Senator Menor then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations of ROY I. INOUE and ROY T. OZAKI to the Motor Vehicle Repair Industry Board, terms to expire June 30, 2006, seconded by Senator Matsunaga.

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

Ayes, 20. Noes, none. Excused, 5 (Fukunaga, Hanabusa, Ige, Matsuura, Taniguchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3518 (Gov. Msg. No. 301):

Senator Tam moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3518 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Ihara and carried.

Senator Tam then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations of JOHN ISOBE and LORRAINE M. MENDOZA to the Community-Based Economic Development Advisory Council, terms to expire June 30, 2006, seconded by Senator Ihara.

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

Ayes, 20. Noes, none. Excused, 5 (Fukunaga, Hanabusa, Ige, Matsuura, Taniguchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3519 (Gov. Msg. No. 307):

Senator Tam moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3519 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Ihara and carried.

Senator Tam then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations of JAMES S. KOMETANI and GARY I. KONDO, D.D.S., to the Hawai'i Community Development Authority, terms to expire June 30, 2006, seconded by Senator Ihara.

Senator Tam rose in support of the nominee and said:

"Mr. President, I wish to speak in favor of Gov. Msg. No. 307.

"Before us we have Gov. Msg. No. 307 and I'd like to say a few words in favor of this nominee. The nominee is Dr. Gary Kondo to be confirmed for the Hawaii Community Development Authority. I have the following information to present:

1. The doctor has been a practicing endodontist in Honolulu for over 30 years. He is president and CEO of the Hawaii Family Dental Centers and of Hawaii Bio-Waste Systems Inc., a local medical waste-treatment company;
2. He has been active locally in the insurance industry serving on the HMSA dental advisory board as well as helping to shape the state Medicaid dental program; and
3. Dr. Kondo also serves as a consultant in the medical waste industry.

I wish to ask my colleagues to support this nominee. Thank you."

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

Ayes, 20. Noes, none. Excused, 5 (Fukunaga, Hanabusa, Ige, Matsuura, Taniguchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3520 (Gov. Msg. No. 326):

Senator Tam moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3520 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Ihara and carried.

Senator Tam then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of CAROL AULANI APOLIONA to the Kaneohe Bay Regional Council, term to expire June 30, 2005, seconded by Senator Ihara.

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

Ayes, 20. Noes, none. Excused, 5 (Fukunaga, Hanabusa, Ige, Matsuura, Taniguchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3521 (Gov. Msg. No. 308):

Senator Chun moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3521 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Kokubun and carried.

Senator Chun then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations of PATIENCE N. BACON, KIYOSHI IKEDA, PH.D., NAOMI CLARKE LOSCH, LAURIE J. LUCKING, PH.D., and VIRGINIA D. MURISON, AIA, to the Hawai'i Historic Places Review Board, terms to expire June 30, 2006, seconded by Senator Kokubun.

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

Ayes, 20. Noes, none. Excused, 5 (Fukunaga, Hanabusa, Ige, Matsuura, Taniguchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3522 (Gov. Msg. No. 312):

Senator Chun moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3522 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Kokubun and carried.

Senator Chun then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Hawaiian Homes Commission of the following:

CRYSTAL K. ROSE, term to expire June 30, 2003; and

QUENTIN K. KAWANANAKOA, term to expire June 30, 2006,

seconded by Senator Kokubun.

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

Ayes, 20. Noes, none. Excused, 5 (Fukunaga, Hanabusa, Ige, Matsuura, Taniguchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3523 (Gov. Msg. No. 321):

Senator Chun moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3523 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Kokubun and carried.

Senator Chun then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of ROGER A. HARRIS to the Island Burial Council, Island of Hawai'i, term to expire June 30, 2006, seconded by Senator Kokubun.

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

Ayes, 20. Noes, none. Excused, 5 (Fukunaga, Hanabusa, Ige, Matsuura, Taniguchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3524 (Gov. Msg. No. 322):

Senator Chun moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3524 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Kokubun and carried.

Senator Chun then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations of GRACE H. KAMAI, TOM H. SHIGEMOTO and CATHERINE K. HAM YOUNG to the Island Burial Council, Islands of Kauai and Niihau, terms to expire June 30, 2006, seconded by Senator Kokubun.

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

Ayes, 20. Noes, none. Excused, 5 (Fukunaga, Hanabusa, Ige, Matsuura, Taniguchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3525 (Gov. Msg. No. 324):

Senator Chun moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3525 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Kokubun and carried.

Senator Chun then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations of LOUELLA O.W. ALBINO, NANETTE LEHUA NAPOLEON and PHILIP SOLATORIO to the Island

Burial Council, Island of Molokai, terms to expire June 30, 2006, seconded by Senator Kokubun.

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

Ayes, 20. Noes, none. Excused, 5 (Fukunaga, Hanabusa, Ige, Matsuura, Taniguchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3526 (Gov. Msg. No. 325):

Senator Chun moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3526 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Kokubun and carried.

Senator Chun then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Island Burial Council, Island of Oahu of the following:

JACE L. MCQUIVEY, term to expire June 30, 2005; and

A. VAN HORN DIAMOND, THEODORA KEHAULANI KRUSE, GWENDOLYN Y. PIKAKE PELEKAI, LURLINE NAONE SALVADOR and LYNETTE PUALANI TIFFANY, terms to expire June 30, 2006,

seconded by Senator Kokubun.

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

Ayes, 20. Noes, none. Excused, 5 (Fukunaga, Hanabusa, Ige, Matsuura, Taniguchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3527 (Gov. Msg. No. 346):

Senator Chun moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3527 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Kokubun and carried.

Senator Chun then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Island Burial Council, Islands of Maui and Lanai of the following:

WILLIAM FRAMPTON, term to expire June 30, 2004;

CLIFFORD J. NAEOLE and WILLIAM WAIOHU JR., terms to expire June 30, 2005; and

CHARLES K. MAXWELL, SR., term to expire June 30, 2006,

seconded by Senator Kokubun.

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

Ayes, 20. Noes, none. Excused, 5 (Fukunaga, Hanabusa, Ige, Matsuura, Taniguchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3528 (Gov. Msg. No. 293):

Senator Kim moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3528 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator English and carried.

Senator Kim then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Board of Directors, Hawai'i Tourism Authority of the following:



STEPHEN K. YAMASHIRO, terms to expire June 30, 2002, and June 30, 2006; and

SHARON R. WEINER, term to expire June 30, 2006,

seconded by Senator English.

Senator Kim rose in support of the nominees and said:

“Mr. President, I rise in support of Gov. Msg. No. 293 and the nominations of Sharon Weiner and Stephen Yamashiro for the Hawaii Tourism Authority.

“As I said last night, colleagues, these are two more nominations for this 10-member board and I believe that these nominations will be positive additions to the board.

“Mr. President, about two weeks ago, and I don’t know if you remember this from a meeting in your office with the House Speaker, he commented to me that the House had no say into the Hawaii Tourism Authority and that it’s the Senate’s responsibility, since we had the confirmation process, in order to make sure that we get appointments that will carry out the authority’s mandate. And that is exactly what I am doing on each and every confirmation, Mr. President. It should not be an automatic rubber stamp, not for this particular board.

“I believe that the composition and the balancing of interests must be seriously considered. And yes, I have taken these nominations personally. The success of the HTA, with their newly appointed members, will be under my watch and I want them to be successful.

“Since the establishment of the Hawaii Tourism Authority in 1998, it has been directed by a board dominated, and in the Governor’s words, Mr. President, by hotel industry representatives. And while this has provided important direction to the HTA in its formative years, the board of directors has failed to seek a broader perspective than tourism marketing and promotion. Given the huge sums of tax revenues allocated to the Hawaii Visitors Convention Bureau and other marketing activities, the HTA has curiously lacked the informed reason insights of a marketing professional among its members and its staff.

“I’m confident that Sharon Weiner’s membership will furnish that much needed advice and counsel and much more. As one of the state’s most respected marketing and public relations leaders, she has represented countless business civic organizations and community groups and received an equal number of honors and awards for the caliber of her work. Ms. Weiner’s ability to judge the potential of a marketing program or the efficacy of an advertising campaign, complemented by her experience on other state boards, should enable her to play a key role in the governance of the HTA and assessing and improving its performance.

“Again, colleagues, on your desks you will find vision statements for both Sharon Weiner and Stephen Yamashiro.

“Mayor Yamashiro’s membership on the authority will also be welcomed for several key reasons. He has professional experience in the visitor industry, having worked in local hotels following his graduation from the University of Hawaii. Mr. Yamashiro has a long history of public service – initially as an attorney with the state and county governments, then as county councilman, and most recently as the Mayor of Hawaii County.

“As a representative of the neighbor islands, I know he’ll serve as a forceful advocate for the visitor industries on all

islands, offering a much needed voice in setting the direction for tourism in general and the HTA in particular.

“As we push the HTA to expand its base of representation, Mr. President, the appointment of an individual of Mayor Yamashiro’s experience, perspective, dedication, and stature should have an immediate positive impact on the governance of this agency and the direction of our most important industry.

“Mr. President, your Committee has found both Sharon Weiner and Stephen Yamashiro to be qualified and recommends the Senate consent to their nominations. Thank you very much.”

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

Ayes, 20. Noes, none. Excused, 5 (Fukunaga, Hanabusa, Ige, Matsuura, Taniguchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3529 (Gov. Msg. No. 309):

Senator Sakamoto moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3529 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Chumbley and carried.

Senator Sakamoto then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Hawai’i School-to-Work Executive Council of the following:

WILLIAM T. HONJIYO, term to expire June 30, 2004; and

W. ROY JOHNSON and KATHLEEN KAI ULANI M. DE SILVA, terms to expire June 30, 2005,

seconded by Senator Chumbley.

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

Ayes, 20. Noes, none. Excused, 5 (Fukunaga, Hanabusa, Ige, Matsuura, Taniguchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3530 (Gov. Msg. No. 310):

Senator Sakamoto moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3530 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Chumbley and carried.

Senator Sakamoto then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Hawai’i Teacher Standards Board of the following:

ANNETTE MASUTANI, VAUGHN K. TOKASHIKI and ROBERT WITT, terms to expire June 30, 2003;

SHARON T. NAKAGAWA, CATHERINE H. PAYNE, CHERYL M. SHINTANI and TWYLLA-DAWN STEER, terms to expire June 30, 2004; and

CHARLENE H. MIYASHIRO and FAIRFAX A. REILLY, terms to expire June 30, 2005,

seconded by Senator Chumbley.

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

Ayes, 20. Noes, none. Excused, 5 (Fukunaga, Hanabusa, Ige, Matsuura, Taniguchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3531 (Gov. Msg. No. 332):

Senator Sakamoto moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3531 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Chumbley and carried.

Senator Sakamoto then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of KRISTOPHER T. KAUPALOLO to the State Post-Secondary Education Commission, term to expire June 30, 2005, seconded by Senator Chumbley.

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

Ayes, 20. Noes, none. Excused, 5 (Fukunaga, Hanabusa, Ige, Matsuura, Taniguchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3532 (Gov. Msg. No. 345):

Senator Sakamoto moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3532 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Chumbley and carried.

Senator Sakamoto then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the State Foundation on Culture and the Arts Commission of the following:

GEORGE R. ELLIS, term to expire June 30, 2004;

MANU BOYD, term to expire June 30, 2005; and

MILLICENT M.Y.H. KIM, term to expire June 30, 2006,

seconded by Senator Chumbley.

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

Ayes, 20. Noes, none. Excused, 5 (Fukunaga, Hanabusa, Ige, Matsuura, Taniguchi).

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3533 (Gov. Msg. No. 330):

Senator Menor moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3533 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Matsunaga and carried.

Senator Menor then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations of SHEREE A. KON-HERRERA and JASON Y. UCHIDA, N.D., to the Board of Examiners in Naturopathy, terms to expire June 30, 2006, seconded by Senator Matsunaga.

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

Ayes, 20. Noes, none. Excused, 5 (Fukunaga, Hanabusa, Ige, Matsuura, Taniguchi).

**RECONSIDERATION OF ACTIONS TAKEN**

S.C.R. No. 15, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Senator Chun moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on April 23, 2002, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to S.C.R. No. 15, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Kawamoto and carried.

Senator Chun moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.C.R. No. 15, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Kawamoto.

Senator Chun noted:

“Mr. President, the resolution calls for the creation of a working group of representatives from Hawaiian organizations, the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands, and the Department of Health in order to form a coalition to provide better access to state vital statistic records.

“The House has amended the SCR by including the Office of Hawaiian Affairs as part of the working group. We believe that is an acceptable amendment and we recommend that we accept those amendments made by the House.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.C.R. No. 15, S.D. 1, and S.C.R. No. 15, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION CREATING A WORKING GROUP OF REPRESENTATIVES FROM HAWAIIAN ORGANIZATIONS, THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS, AND THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO FORM A COALITION TO PROVIDE BETTER ACCESS TO STATE VITAL STATISTICS RECORDS,” was placed on the calendar for Final Adoption on Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

S.B. No. 2118, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Senator Nakata moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on April 11, 2002, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2118, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Chun and carried.

In accordance with the Conference Committee Procedures agreed upon by the Senate and the House of Representatives, the managers on the part of the Senate recommended that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2118, S.D. 1, on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 3 (Nakata, Kanno, Kawamoto). Noes, none.

Senator Nakata moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2118, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Chun.

Senator Nakata noted:

“Mr. President, the House made some amendments to this bill which make it more business friendly and among them is to reduce the retention level from 100 percent to 50 percent and other changes in that line.

“I would then request that the Senate agree to those amendments.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2118, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 2118, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT,” was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

S.B. No. 2112, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Senator Nakata moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on April 11, 2002, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2112, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Kanno and carried.

Senator Nakata moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2112, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Kanno.

Senator Nakata noted:

“Mr. President, on S.B. No. 2112, H.D. 1, the House amendments eliminate fact finding as a method of a resolving impasse. Neither employer nor union seems to find that to be an effective mechanism. It also moves up the deadline for declaring an impasse so that the Legislature would have time to approve or reject the cost items in the collective bargaining agreement.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2112, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 2112, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING,” was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

S.B. No. 2715, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Senator Nakata moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on April 11, 2002, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2715, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Kanno and carried.

Senator Nakata moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2715, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Kanno.

Senator Nakata noted:

“Mr. President, on S.B. No. 2715, H.D. 1, the House amendment is basically to delete some language on the calculation of credited services to avoid situations in which the employer contribution to the ERS would be increased.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2715, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 2715, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES’ RETIREMENT SYSTEM,” was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

S.B. No. 2784, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Senator Nakata moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on April 11, 2002, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2784, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Kanno and carried.

Senator Nakata moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2784, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Kanno.

Senator Nakata noted:

“Mr. President, on S.B. No. 2784 the House draft deletes provisions allowing providers of medical service to have treatment in their profession carried out by support or auxiliary personnel.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2784, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 2784, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS’ COMPENSATION,” was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

S.B. No. 2628, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

Senator Kawamoto moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on April 11, 2002, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2628, S.D. 2, seconded by Senator Kanno and carried.

In accordance with the Conference Committee Procedures agreed upon by the Senate and the House of Representatives, the managers on the part of the Senate recommended that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2628, S.D. 2, on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 4 (Kawamoto, Fukunaga, Kanno, Hemmings). Noes, none. Excused, 1 (Kim).

Senator Kawamoto moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2628, S.D. 2, seconded by Senator Kanno.

Senator Kawamoto noted:

“Mr. President, when this bill went through, one of the purposes of the bill was to put the drug and alcohol penalties together under one bill. But the House did not see that it could do that so they took out the drug. And what happened was that this bill died, but it came back alive when the MADD people came in and said they would accept that. So that’s the way it came back to life.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2628, S.D. 2, and S.B. No. 2628, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE USE OF INTOXICANTS,” was placed on the calendar for Final Reading on Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

S.C.R. No. 82, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Senator Kanno moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on April 23, 2002, in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to S.C.R. No. 82, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Chun and carried.

Senator Kanno moved that the Senate agree to the amendments proposed by the House to S.C.R. No. 82, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Chun.

Senator Kanno noted:

“Mr. President, the original S.C.R. No. 82, S.D. 1, had the judiciary and AG doing an investigation of the Maui Family Court, and following the testimony at the House hearing, the House amended it to broaden it to the entire family court system and have the auditor conduct an audit.

“Given the testimony that was submitted, we’d like to agree to the changes that the House made at this time.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.C.R. No. 82, S.D. 1, and S.C.R. No. 82, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT AN AUDIT OF THE FAMILY COURT SYSTEM,” was placed on the calendar for Final Adoption on Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Kanno, Chair of the Committee on Judiciary, requested that the referral of H.C.R. No. 101 to the Committee on Judiciary be waived.

Senator Kanno noted:

“Mr. President, the H.C.R. No. 101, H.D. 1, title is: ‘Requesting a Working Group to be Convened to Evaluate and Recommend Measures to Encourage the Use of Safety Programs Such as the Eddie Eagle Program for Firearms Safety.’ Because of the short time frame, the Judiciary Committee would like to waive the referral and have the members vote on it directly.

“The resolution was heard by the Education Committee and passed.”

The Chair then granted the waiver.

By unanimous consent, action on H.C.R. No. 101 was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Senator Chun, for the Committee on Health and Human Services, requested that the referral of S.R. No. 47 and H.C.R. No. 53 to the Committee on Health and Human Services be waived.

Senator Chun noted:

“Mr. President, S.R. No. 47 requests the Department of Health to develop a strategic plan to coordinate program support of substance abuse and mental health residential treatment programs for adolescents, and H.C.R. No. 53 requests the establishment of a task force to examine state regulation of death care providers.

“Mr. President, the Committee on Health and Human Services held hearings on both of these resolutions and passed them through, however, through some quirk of our system, the resolutions were re-referred back to the Health and Human Services Committee again, so we’d like to just waive those last referrals.”

The Chair then granted the waiver.

By unanimous consent, action on S.R. No. 47 and H.C.R. No. 53 was deferred until Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

At 7:11 o’clock p.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 7:21 o’clock p.m.

**APPOINTMENT AND DISCHARGE OF CONFEREES**

S.B. No. 2036, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

The President discharged Senator Hogue as a manager on the part of the Senate at the conference to be held for the consideration of amendments proposed by the Senate to S.B. No. 2036, S.D. 1.

S.B. No. 2179, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

The President appointed Senator Fukunaga as a co-chair on the part of the Senate at the conference to be held for the consideration of amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2179, S.D. 2.

S.B. No. 2270, S.D. 2, (H.D. 2):

The President discharged Senators Ige and Hogue as managers and appointed Senator English as a manager on the part of the Senate at the conference to be held for the

consideration of amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2270, S.D. 2.

S.B. No. 3018, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

The President discharged Senator Hogue as a manager on the part of the Senate at the conference to be held for the consideration of amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3018, S.D. 1.

H.B. No. 2164, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

The President discharged Senator Hogue as a 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. 2164, H.D. 2.

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORTS**

On motion by Senator English, seconded by Senator Hemmings 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 7:23 o’clock p.m., the Senate took the following actions:

Senator Matsuura, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2495, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 47-02) recommending that H.B. No. 2495, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 47-02 and H.B. No. 2495, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Kawamoto, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1722, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 48-02) recommending that H.B. No. 1722, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 48-02 and H.B. No. 1722, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION,” 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. 2552, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 49-02) recommending that H.B. No. 2552, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 49-02 and H.B. No. 2552, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEFINITION OF LANDOWNER FOR SAFE HARBOR AGREEMENTS AND HABITAT CONSERVATION PLANS,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Matsuura, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1357, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 50-02) recommending that H.B. No. 1357, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 50-02 and H.B. No. 1357, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Matsuura, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2763, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 86-02) recommending that S.B. No. 2763, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 86-02 and S.B. No. 2763, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BIRTH DEFECTS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Matsuura, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2775, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 87-02) recommending that S.B. No. 2775, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 87-02 and S.B. No. 2775, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Hanabusa, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2682, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 88-02) recommending that S.B. No. 2682, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 88-02 and S.B. No. 2682, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE, ITS OFFICERS, OR ITS EMPLOYEES," 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. 2350, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 89-02) recommending that S.B. No. 2350, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 89-02 and S.B. No. 2350, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS TAX," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Buen, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2666, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 90-02) recommending that S.B. No. 2666, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 90-02 and S.B. No. 2666, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A SEAL OF QUALITY FOR FRESH AND PROCESSED AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 706, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 91-02) recommending that S.B. No. 706, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 91-02 and S.B. No. 706, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE GOVERNMENT," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Nakata, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 23, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 92-02) recommending that S.B. No. 23, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 92-02 and S.B. No. 23, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISASTER RELIEF," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Nakata, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2078, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 93-02) recommending that S.B. No. 2078, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 93-02 and S.B. No. 2078, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Menor, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2724, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 94-02) recommending that S.B. No. 2724, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 94-02 and S.B. No. 2724, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL ESTATE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Kawamoto, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2737, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 95-02) recommending that S.B. No. 2737, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 95-02 and S.B. No. 2737, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISASTER RELIEF," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Kanno, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1188, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 96-02) recommending that S.B. No. 1188, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 96-02 and S.B. No. 1188, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SENTENCING FOR DRUGS

AND INTOXICATING COMPOUNDS OFFENSES,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Matsuura, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2416, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 97-02) recommending that S.B. No. 2416, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 97-02 and S.B. No. 2416, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII LONG-TERM CARE FINANCING ACT,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Matsuura, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2867, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 98-02) recommending that S.B. No. 2867, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 98-02 and S.B. No. 2867, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAID,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Buen, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2228, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 99-02) recommending that S.B. No. 2228, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 99-02 and S.B. No. 2228, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST INDUSTRIAL ENTERPRISES,” 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. 2907, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 100-02) recommending that S.B. No. 2907, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 100-02 and S.B. No. 2907, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Matsuura, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2512, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 101-02) recommending that H.B. No. 2512, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 101-02 and H.B. No. 2512, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING SERVICES SPECIAL FUND,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Nakata, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1595, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf.

Com. Rep. No. 102-02) recommending that H.B. No. 1595, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 102-02 and H.B. No. 1595, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYEES,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Nakata, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2276, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 103-02) recommending that H.B. No. 2276, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 103-02 and H.B. No. 2276, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Nakata, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2500, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 104-02) recommending that H.B. No. 2500, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 104-02 and H.B. No. 2500, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATUTORY REFERENCES AFFECTED BY ACT 253, SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII 2000,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Nakata, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2525, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 105-02) recommending that H.B. No. 2525, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 105-02 and H.B. No. 2525, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC WORKS PROJECTS,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Buen, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2018, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 106-02) recommending that H.B. No. 2018, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 106-02 and H.B. No. 2018, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LEASES,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Matsuura, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1950, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 107-02) recommending that H.B. No. 1950, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 107-02 and H.B. No. 1950, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRESCRIPTION DRUGS,” was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Matsuura, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2072, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 108-02) recommending that H.B. No. 2072, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 108-02 and H.B. No. 2072, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOCIAL WELFARE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Matsuura, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2638, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 109-02) recommending that H.B. No. 2638, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 109-02 and H.B. No. 2638, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII LONG-TERM CARE FINANCING ACT," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Kanno, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2311, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 110-02) recommending that H.B. No. 2311, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 110-02 and H.B. No. 2311, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JUDGES FOR THE CIRCUIT COURT," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Sakamoto, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2165, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 111-02) recommending that H.B. No. 2165, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 111-02 and H.B. No. 2165, 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 Sakamoto, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2353, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 112-02) recommending that H.B. No. 2353, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 112-02 and H.B. No. 2353, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," 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. 2192, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 113-02) recommending that H.B. No. 2192, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 113-02 and H.B. No. 2192, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL

FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Menor, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1777, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 114-02) recommending that H.B. No. 1777, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 114-02 and H.B. No. 1777, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Menor, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2468, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 115-02) recommending that H.B. No. 2468, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 115-02 and H.B. No. 2468, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CEMETERY AND FUNERAL TRUSTS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Sakamoto, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2164, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 116-02) recommending that H.B. No. 2164, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 116-02 and H.B. No. 2164, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII EDUCATOR LOAN PROGRAM," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Sakamoto, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2752, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 117-02) recommending that H.B. No. 2752, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 117-02 and H.B. No. 2752, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROFESSIONAL AND VOCATIONAL LICENSES," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Tam, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2453, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 118-02) recommending that H.B. No. 2453, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 118-02 and H.B. No. 2453, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CAPITAL LOAN PROGRAM," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Tam, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2454, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 119-02) recommending that H.B. No. 2454, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 119-02 and H.B. No. 2454, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENTERPRISE ZONES," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Sakamoto, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1969, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 120-02) recommending that H.B. No. 1969, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 120-02 and H.B. No. 1969, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOARD OF EDUCATION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Sakamoto, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2480, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 121-02) recommending that H.B. No. 2480, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 121-02 and H.B. No. 2480, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL BUS FARES," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Buen, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2212, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 122-02) recommending that H.B. No. 2212, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 122-02 and H.B. No. 2212, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ALIEN INVASIVE SPECIES," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Kawamoto, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2006, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 123-02) recommending that H.B. No. 2006, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 123-02 and H.B. No. 2006, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL WASTES RECYCLING," 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. 1256, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 124-02) recommending that H.B. No. 1256, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 124-02 and H.B. No. 1256, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Matsuura, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2761, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 125-02) recommending that H.B. No. 2761, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 125-02 and H.B. No. 2761, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMUNITY ORAL HEALTH," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Kawamoto, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2840, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 126-02) recommending that H.B. No. 2840, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 126-02 and H.B. No. 2840, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE GOVERNMENT," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1821, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 127-02) recommending that H.B. No. 1821, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 127-02 and H.B. No. 1821, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR," 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. 2451, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 128-02) recommending that H.B. No. 2451, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 128-02 and H.B. No. 2451, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONVENTION CENTER," 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. 2595, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 129-02) recommending that H.B. No. 2595, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 129-02 and H.B. No. 2595, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO ENHANCE AGRICULTURAL TOURISM VENUES," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Kawamoto, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2821, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 130-02) recommending that H.B. No. 2821, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 130-02 and H.B. No. 2821, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE DEPARTMENTS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Chun, 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. 131-02) 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 131-02 and S.B. No. 2043, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADOPTION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Chun, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2478, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 132-02) recommending that S.B. No. 2478, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 132-02 and S.B. No. 2478, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TRUSTEES OF THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Nakata, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2900, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 133-02) recommending that S.B. No. 2900, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 133-02 and S.B. No. 2900, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE EMERGENCY ENVIRONMENTAL WORKFORCE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Tam, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 552, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 134-02) recommending that S.B. No. 552, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 134-02 and S.B. No. 552, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A KOREAN WAR MUSEUM," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Sakamoto, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2067, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 135-02) recommending that S.B. No. 2067, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 135-02 and S.B. No. 2067, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHER EDUCATION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Sakamoto, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2068, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 136-02) recommending that S.B. No. 2068, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 136-02 and S.B. No. 2068, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Sakamoto, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2270, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 137-02) recommending that S.B. No. 2270, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 137-02 and S.B. No. 2270, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Sakamoto, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2512, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 138-02) recommending that S.B. No. 2512, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 138-02 and S.B. No. 2512, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2831, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 139-02) recommending that S.B. No. 2831, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 139-02 and S.B. No. 2831, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AN EXTENSION OF THE RESIDENTIAL CONSTRUCTION AND REMODELING INCOME TAX CREDIT," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3048, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 140-02) recommending that S.B. No. 3048, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 140-02 and S.B. No. 3048, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BONDS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Menor, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 251, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 141-02) recommending that S.B. No. 251, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 141-02 and S.B. No. 251, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Nakata, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2127, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 142-02) recommending that S.B. No. 2127, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 142-02 and S.B. No. 2127, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN

ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Matsuura, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3047, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 143-02) recommending that S.B. No. 3047, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 143-02 and S.B. No. 3047, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE WAIPAHU COMMUNITY ADULT DAY HEALTH CENTER AND YOUTH DAY CARE CENTER PILOT PROJECT," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Matsuura, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2500, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 144-02) recommending that S.B. No. 2500, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 144-02 and S.B. No. 2500, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Matsuura, 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. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 145-02) recommending that S.B. No. 2568, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 145-02 and S.B. No. 2568, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LANGUAGE ACCESS FOR PERSONS WITH LIMITED ENGLISH PROFICIENCY," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Kawamoto, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3049, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 146-02) recommending that S.B. No. 3049, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 146-02 and S.B. No. 3049, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BONDS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Kawamoto, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2702, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 147-02) recommending that S.B. No. 2702, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 147-02 and S.B. No. 2702, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE KALAELOA COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Kawamoto, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2331, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf.

Com. Rep. No. 148-02) recommending that S.B. No. 2331, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 148-02 and S.B. No. 2331, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY COMMEMORATION OF THE KOREAN WAR COMMISSION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Kawamoto, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2306, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 149-02) recommending that S.B. No. 2306, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 149-02 and S.B. No. 2306, 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 Kawamoto, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2883, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 150-02) recommending that S.B. No. 2883, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 150-02 and S.B. No. 2883, 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 Kawamoto, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2431, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 151-02) recommending that S.B. No. 2431, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 151-02 and S.B. No. 2431, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Kawamoto, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3028, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 152-02) recommending that S.B. No. 3028, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 152-02 and S.B. No. 3028, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REGULATION OF WARRANTORS OF VEHICLE PROTECTION PRODUCTS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Sakamoto, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3018, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 153-02) recommending that S.B. No. 3018, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 153-02 and S.B. No. 3018, 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 Sakamoto, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2036, S.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 154-02) recommending that S.B. No. 2036, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 154-02 and S.B. No. 2036, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Tam, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2383, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 155-02) recommending that S.B. No. 2383, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 155-02 and S.B. No. 2383, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION TO STIMULATE THE ECONOMY," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Matsuura, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2985, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 156-02) recommending that S.B. No. 2985, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 156-02 and S.B. No. 2985, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO QUALIFIED IMPROVEMENT TAX CREDIT," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Matsuura, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2459, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 157-02) recommending that H.B. No. 2459, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 157-02 and H.B. No. 2459, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR SOCIAL SECURITY/MEDICARE EXPENSES," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2788, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 158-02) recommending that H.B. No. 2788, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 158-02 and H.B. No. 2788, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE BONDS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1245, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 159-02) recommending that H.B. No. 1245, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 159-02

and H.B. No. 1245, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2827, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 160-02) recommending that H.B. No. 2827, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 160-02 and H.B. No. 2827, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE FINANCES," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Menor, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2834, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 161-02) recommending that H.B. No. 2834, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 161-02 and H.B. No. 2834, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRESCRIPTION DRUGS," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Menor, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1761, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 162-02) recommending that H.B. No. 1761, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 162-02 and H.B. No. 1761, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Kawamoto, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2179, S.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 163-02) recommending that S.B. No. 2179, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 163-02 and S.B. No. 2179, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY RESOURCES," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2300, H.D. 2, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 164-02) recommending that H.B. No. 2300, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 164-02 and H.B. No. 2300, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1800, H.D. 1, presented a report (Conf. Com. Rep. No. 165-02) recommending that H.B. No. 1800, 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 Hawaii, action on Conf. Com. Rep. No. 165-02 and H.B. No. 1800, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET," was deferred for a period of 48 hours.

**ADJOURNMENT**

At 12:00 o'clock midnight, the Senate adjourned until 10:00 o'clock a.m., Tuesday, April 30, 2002.

Respectfully submitted,

Clerk of the Senate

Approved:

President of the Senate