

FORTY-NINTH DAY

Monday, April 17, 2006

The Senate of the Twenty-Third Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2006, convened at 11:57 o'clock a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Divine Blessing was invoked by the Reverend Daiya Amano, Izumo Taishakyo Mission in Hawaii, after which the Roll was called showing all Senators present with the exception of Senators Inouye and Whalen who were excused.

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

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 405 to 416) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Gov. Msg. No. 405, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawaii Labor Relations Board, the nomination of PAUL K.W. AU, term to expire June 30, 2012, was referred to the Committee on Labor.

Gov. Msg. No. 406, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawaii Labor Relations Board, the nomination of SARAH REIKO HIRAKAMI, term to expire June 30, 2012, was referred to the Committee on Labor.

Gov. Msg. No. 407, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Land and Natural Resources, the nomination of TIMOTHY E. JOHNS, term to expire June 30, 2010, was referred to the Committee on Water, Land, and Agriculture.

Gov. Msg. No. 408, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawaii Tourism Authority, the nomination of KELVIN M. BLOOM, term to expire June 30, 2010, was referred to the Committee on Tourism.

Gov. Msg. No. 409, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawaii Tourism Authority, the nomination of PATRICIA A. EWING, term to expire June 30, 2010, was referred to the Committee on Tourism.

Gov. Msg. No. 410, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawaii Tourism Authority, the nomination of KENNETH L. JOHNSTON, term to expire June 30, 2010, was referred to the Committee on Tourism.

Gov. Msg. No. 411, submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawaii Tourism Authority, the nomination of CHALENE "CHA" MAE KU'UPUAALA THOMPSON, term to expire June 30, 2010, was referred to the Committee on Tourism.

Gov. Msg. No. 412, informing the Senate that on April 13, 2006, she signed into law Senate Bill No. 2591 as Act 3, entitled: "RELATING TO APPEALS," was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 413, informing the Senate that on April 13, 2006, she signed into law Senate Bill No. 2604 as Act 4, entitled: "RELATING TO INTERMEDIATE APPELLATE COURT PANELS," was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 414, informing the Senate that on April 13, 2006, she signed into law House Bill No. 2900 as Act 5, entitled: "RELATING TO ELECTRONIC VOTING," was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 415, informing the Senate that on April 13, 2006, she signed into law Senate Bill No. 2333 as Act 6, entitled: "MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR GENERAL ASSISTANCE," was placed on file.

Gov. Msg. No. 416, informing the Senate that on April 13, 2006, she signed into law Senate Bill No. 2489 as Act 7, entitled: "RELATING TO FORFEITURE OF PROPERTY," was placed on file.

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the House (Hse. Com. Nos. 701 to 756) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Hse. Com. No. 701, informing the Senate that the House has disagreed to the amendments proposed by the Senate to the following House bills:

H.B. No. 1, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 30, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 173, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 237, H.D. 3 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 266, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 439, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 487, H.D. 1 (S.D. 3);
 H.B. No. 970, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 1021, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1033, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1155, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1448, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 1466, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1706, H.D. 3 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 1723, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1800, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 1809, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1821, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1825, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1833, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1843, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1861 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 1862, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1865, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1866, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1867, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1871, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1879, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 1880, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1889, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1890, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1891, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1899, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 1900, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 1917, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1918, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1922, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1923, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1928, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1935, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 1947 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 1948, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1955, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);

H.B. No. 1977, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 1995, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2039, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2043, H.D. 2 (S.D. 3);
 H.B. No. 2045, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 2050, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 2051, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2075, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2097, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2109, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2133 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 2145, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 2146, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 2153, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2175, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2176, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2179, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2182, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2183, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 2187, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2192, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2199, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 2204, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2210 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 2211, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 2214, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2239, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2258, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2265, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 2271, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2273 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 2275 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 2277, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2278, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2315 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2319, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 2343, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2346 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 2347 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 2367, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 2399, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 2410, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2412, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 2419, H.D. 1 (S.D. 3);
 H.B. No. 2422, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2423, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 2440, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2454, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2457, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 2500, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2535 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2540, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2555, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2558, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2587, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2595, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2619 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 2625, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2626 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 2637, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2639, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2641, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2669, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2678, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2692, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 2708, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2713, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 2715, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2737, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 2747, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 2763, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);

H.B. No. 2771, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 2772, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2774, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2778, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2796, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 2805 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 2806, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2836, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2848, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2878, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 2925, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2947, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2950 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2952, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2961, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 2964, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2966, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2974 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 2987, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 2991, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 3018, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 3036, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 3037, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 3056, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 3060, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 3067, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 3087, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 3100, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 3105, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 3115, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 3116, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 3118, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 3121, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 3123, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 3142, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 3194, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 3217, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 3225, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 3235, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1);
 H.B. No. 3237, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 3244, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 3257, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2);
 H.B. No. 3259, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2); and
 H.B. No. 3261, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2),

was placed on file.

Hse. Com. No. 702, transmitting H.C.R. No. 11, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 11, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII INVASIVE SPECIES COUNCIL TO STUDY AND REPORT ON SPECIFIC STRATEGIES TO PREVENT THE SPREAD OF COQUI FROGS AND OTHER INVASIVE SPECIES," was referred to the Committee on Water, Land, and Agriculture.

Hse. Com. No. 703, transmitting H.C.R. No. 36, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 36, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DIRECTOR OF HEALTH TO CONDUCT A PREVENTION AND EDUCATION CAMPAIGN ON THE INCREASING INCIDENCE OF BEDBUGS," was referred to the Committee on Health.

Hse. Com. No. 704, transmitting H.C.R. No. 37, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 37, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO ASSESS THE SOCIAL AND FINANCIAL EFFECTS OF REQUIRING HEALTH INSURERS TO OFFER COVERAGE FOR SURVIVORS OF BRAIN INJURIES," was referred to the Committee on Health.

Hse. Com. No. 705, transmitting H.C.R. No. 38, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 38, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO AUDIT THE METHODS AND PROCEDURES EMPLOYED BY THE GOVERNOR IN SOLICITING PRIVATE SECTOR SPONSORSHIPS AND CONTRIBUTIONS, IN CASH OR IN-KIND, TO SUPPORT OR DEFRAY THE COSTS OF OFFICIAL GOVERNMENT FUNCTIONS, INCLUDING TRADE MISSIONS," was referred to the Committee on Transportation and Government Operations.

Hse. Com. No. 706, transmitting H.C.R. No. 42, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 42, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A SUNRISE REVIEW OF THE REGULATION OF MIXED MARTIAL ARTS," was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Housing.

Hse. Com. No. 707, transmitting H.C.R. No. 73, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 73, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A SUNRISE REVIEW OF THE CERTIFICATION OF NURSE AIDES WHO WORK IN SETTINGS OTHER THAN MEDICARE- OR MEDICAID-CERTIFIED NURSING FACILITIES AND THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS TO RESCIND ITS DECISION TO END CERTIFICATION OF THESE NURSE AIDES," was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Housing.

Hse. Com. No. 708, transmitting H.C.R. No. 77, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 77, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION SUPPORTING A FAIR AND EQUITABLE CONTRACT FOR UNION WORKERS AT THE HAWAII TRIBUNE-HERALD," was referred to the Committee on Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 709, transmitting H.C.R. No. 80, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 80, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE PRESIDENT AND CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES

TO ADOPT CHANGES TO THE MEDICARE PART D PROGRAM," was referred to the Committee on Health.

Hse. Com. No. 710, transmitting H.C.R. No. 83, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 83, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING HEALTHCARE FACILITIES IN THE STATE OF HAWAII TO IMPLEMENT THE 'UTILIZATION GUIDE FOR THE AMERICAN NURSES ASSOCIATION PRINCIPLES FOR SAFE STAFFING,'" was referred to the Committee on Health.

Hse. Com. No. 711, transmitting H.C.R. No. 87, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 87, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY TO SHOW THE COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH, AND THE ADVISABILITY OF MANDATING THE USE OF SEAT BELTS FOR MINORS IN EVERY SCHOOL BUS," was referred to the Committee on Education and Military Affairs.

Hse. Com. No. 712, transmitting H.C.R. No. 92, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 92, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE UNITED STATES CITIZENSHIP AND IMMIGRATION SERVICES TO RELAX RESTRICTIONS ON THE ISSUANCE OF TEMPORARY NONIMMIGRANT E2 AND E3 VISAS TO ALLOW GRADUATE NURSES TO ENTER THE UNITED STATES FOR THE PURPOSE OF TAKING THE NATIONAL COUNCIL LICENSURE EXAMINATION FOR REGISTERED AND PRACTICAL NURSES, AND TO ALLOCATE MORE EMPLOYMENT VISAS TO INDIVIDUALS TO ENTER THE UNITED STATES TO WORK AS NURSES," was referred to the Committee on Energy, Environment, and International Affairs.

Hse. Com. No. 713, transmitting H.C.R. No. 97, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 97, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A MANAGEMENT AUDIT OF THE STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION DIVISION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES," was referred to the Committee on Media, Arts, Science and Technology.

Hse. Com. No. 714, transmitting H.C.R. No. 105, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 105, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION TO ENTER INTO A LEASE/PURCHASE AGREEMENT FOR A PARKING STRUCTURE FOR MAUI MEMORIAL MEDICAL CENTER IN WAILUKU, MAUI TO BE FUNDED BY THE ISSUANCE OF CERTIFICATES OF PARTICIPATION," was referred to the Committee on Health.

Hse. Com. No. 715, transmitting H.C.R. No. 106, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 106, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO CONDUCT A FEASIBILITY STUDY ON PREVENTING AN AVIAN INFLUENZA PANDEMIC," was referred to the Committee on Health.

Hse. Com. No. 716, transmitting H.C.R. No. 108, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 108, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE HONOLULU POLICE DEPARTMENT AND DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY SHERIFFS TO CHECK VEHICLE STATUS PRIOR TO TOWING TO ENSURE TOWING FEES OF STOLEN VEHICLES WILL NOT BE PASSED ON TO THE VICTIMS," was referred to the Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs.

Hse. Com. No. 717, transmitting H.C.R. No. 113, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 113, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO CONVENE A TASK FORCE TO EVALUATE AND RECOMMEND POSSIBLE PROCEDURAL, STATUTORY, AND PUBLIC POLICY CHANGES TO MINIMIZE THE CENSUS AT HAWAII STATE HOSPITAL AND PROMOTE COMMUNITY-BASED HEALTH SERVICES FOR FORENSIC PATIENTS," was referred to the Committee on Health.

Hse. Com. No. 718, transmitting H.C.R. No. 128, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 128, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A FINANCIAL AND MANAGEMENT AUDIT OF THE WARRANTS SECTION OF THE SHERIFF DIVISION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawaiian Affairs.

Hse. Com. No. 719, transmitting H.C.R. No. 141, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 141, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO WORK WITH THE SAMUEL MILLS DAMON ESTATE TRUSTEES, MOANALUA GARDENS FOUNDATION, THE TRUST FOR PUBLIC LANDS, THE NATURE CONSERVANCY, AND OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS TO CONSIDER PURCHASING THE MOANALUA GARDENS," was referred to the Committee on Water, Land, and Agriculture.

Hse. Com. No. 720, transmitting H.C.R. No. 145, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 145, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES AND UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO LEGALIZE ILLEGAL IMMIGRANTS AND REQUESTING THE FEDERAL AND STATE DEPARTMENTS OF HEALTH TO PROVIDE MEDICAL SERVICES TO THIS POPULATION IN

MEDICAL EMERGENCIES," was referred to the Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs.

Hse. Com. No. 721, transmitting H.C.R. No. 146, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 146, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION CALLING FOR THE RIGOROUS REEXAMINATION OF THE DEVELOPMENT EXPANSION PLAN AT TURTLE BAY RESORT DUE TO THE PASSAGE OF TIME AND CHANGED CONDITIONS OF THE NORTH SHORE AND THE ISLAND OF OAHU," was referred jointly to the Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs and the Committee on Tourism.

Hse. Com. No. 722, transmitting H.C.R. No. 156, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 156, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION EXPRESSING STRONG OPPOSITION TO PREEMPTIVE FEDERAL INSURANCE LEGISLATION THAT WOULD THREATEN THE POWER OF STATE LEGISLATURES, GOVERNORS, INSURANCE COMMISSIONERS, AND ATTORNEYS GENERAL TO OVERSEE, REGULATE, AND INVESTIGATE THE BUSINESS OF INSURANCE AND PROTECT CONSUMERS," was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Housing.

Hse. Com. No. 723, transmitting H.C.R. No. 159, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 159, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, WITH ASSISTANCE FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES, TO FURTHER PROMOTE ITS STATEWIDE GREENBELTS STRATEGY," was referred jointly to the Committee on Transportation and Government Operations and the Committee on Water, Land, and Agriculture.

Hse. Com. No. 724, transmitting H.C.R. No. 160, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 160, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE PRESIDENT AND CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES TO SUPPORT H.R. NO. 3468 TO CONTROL THE INTRODUCTION AND SPREAD OF INVASIVE SPECIES AND DISEASES IN HAWAII," was referred to the Committee on Energy, Environment, and International Affairs.

Hse. Com. No. 725, transmitting H.C.R. No. 163, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 163, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A FINANCIAL AND MANAGEMENT AUDIT OF THE CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT AGENCY," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawaiian Affairs.

Hse. Com. No. 726, transmitting H.C.R. No. 171, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 171, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO REQUEST THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO DEVELOP PLANS TO INTEGRATE CREATIVE APPROACHES FOR SERVICE LEARNING AND COMMUNITY SERVICE IN THE REQUIREMENTS FOR EACH STUDENT TO GRADUATE FROM HIGH SCHOOL," was referred to the Committee on Education and Military Affairs.

Hse. Com. No. 727, transmitting H.C.R. No. 180, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 180, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE AND THE AGRIBUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION TO SEEK FEDERAL MATCHING FUNDS FOR THE IRRIGATION REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE SPECIAL FUND," was referred to the Committee on Water, Land, and Agriculture.

Hse. Com. No. 728, transmitting H.C.R. No. 192, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 192, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE ATTORNEY GENERAL TO APPOINT A SPECIAL DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL TO INDEPENDENTLY AND IMPARTIALLY INVESTIGATE THE KALOKO RESERVOIR DAM COLLAPSE," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawaiian Affairs.

Hse. Com. No. 729, transmitting H.C.R. No. 193, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 193, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A TEMPORARY ADVISORY COMMISSION ON BIOPROSPECTING," was referred to the Committee on Media, Arts, Science and Technology.

Hse. Com. No. 730, transmitting H.C.R. No. 194, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 194, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A STUDY TO DETERMINE THE MULTIPLIER EFFECT OF THE AGRICULTURAL INDUSTRY IN HAWAII'S ECONOMY," was referred to the Committee on Water, Land, and Agriculture.

Hse. Com. No. 731, transmitting H.C.R. No. 205, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 205, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO REVIEW PROPOSED PLANS AND EXISTING AND ANTICIPATED APPROPRIATION REQUESTS OF THE STADIUM AUTHORITY AND THE GOVERNOR FOR THE REPAIR, RENOVATION, REFURBISHMENT, OR REPLACEMENT OF THE ALOHA STADIUM," was referred to the Committee on Business and Economic Development.

Hse. Com. No. 732, transmitting H.C.R. No. 212, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 212, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CHAIR OF THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON TOURISM AND CULTURE AND THE CHAIR OF THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON TOURISM TO EACH DESIGNATE A MEMBER OF THEIR RESPECTIVE COMMITTEES TO CONDUCT INFORMAL DISCUSSIONS ON WAYS TO REPLICATE THE HISTORIC IWILEI PINEAPPLE-SHAPED WATER TANK," was referred to the Committee on Tourism.

Hse. Com. No. 733, transmitting H.C.R. No. 220, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 220, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO EXPEDITIOUSLY PURSUE THE PRIVATIZED CONSTRUCTION, OPERATION, AND MAINTENANCE OF SMALL BOAT BERTHING FACILITIES AT KEEHI LAGOON, PARALLEL TO LAGOON DRIVE," was referred to the Committee on Water, Land, and Agriculture.

Hse. Com. No. 734, transmitting H.C.R. No. 223, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 223, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT AN AUDIT TO DETERMINE WHETHER FUNDS ALLOCATED FROM THE HAWAII TOBACCO SETTLEMENT SPECIAL FUND TO THE UNIVERSITY REVENUE-UNDERTAKINGS FUND HAVE BEEN APPROPRIATELY EXPENDED," was referred to the Committee on Higher Education.

Hse. Com. No. 735, transmitting H.C.R. No. 235, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 235, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY TO DETERMINE THE FEASIBILITY OF PROVIDING VIDEO-CONFERENCING CAPABILITY IN THE STATE CAPITOL TO ENSURE CLOSE COMMUNICATION WITH NEIGHBOR ISLAND RESIDENTS," was referred to the Committee on Media, Arts, Science and Technology.

Hse. Com. No. 736, transmitting H.C.R. No. 246, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 246, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO NEGOTIATE RECREATION-RESIDENCE USE LEASES IN KOKEE WITH CERTAIN EXISTING LESSEES," was referred to the Committee on Water, Land, and Agriculture.

Hse. Com. No. 737, transmitting H.C.R. No. 248, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 248, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A MANAGEMENT AUDIT OF

THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION," was referred to the Committee on Transportation and Government Operations.

Hse. Com. No. 738, transmitting H.C.R. No. 250, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 250, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII COUNTY OFFICE OF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY TO CONDUCT A STUDY ON THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING 'RECEIVING HOMES' IN EAST AND WEST HAWAII," was referred to the Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs.

Hse. Com. No. 739, transmitting H.C.R. No. 255, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 255, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO ESTABLISH AN AGRICULTURAL PESTICIDE DISPOSAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM," was referred to the Committee on Energy, Environment, and International Affairs.

Hse. Com. No. 740, transmitting H.C.R. No. 257, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 257, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A MANAGEMENT AND FISCAL AUDIT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES," was referred to the Committee on Water, Land, and Agriculture.

Hse. Com. No. 741, transmitting H.C.R. No. 260, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 260, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE COMPTROLLER TO ESTABLISH A VOLUNTARY PUBLIC TRANSIT BENEFIT PROGRAM FOR STATE EMPLOYEES," was referred to the Committee on Labor.

Hse. Com. No. 742, transmitting H.C.R. No. 267, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 267, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING ALL PUBLIC AGENCIES THAT PROVIDE POTABLE WATER TO THE PUBLIC TO PROVIDE PRIOR NOTICE OF ANY ADDITIVES TO THE WATER OR ANY DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM OR TRANSMISSION LINE MAINTENANCE OR IMPROVEMENTS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH," was referred to the Committee on Energy, Environment, and International Affairs.

Hse. Com. No. 743, transmitting H.C.R. No. 269, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 269, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO DESIGNATE AND CELEBRATE 2008 AS THE YEAR OF THE FAMILY AND TO ESTABLISH A FAMILY CELEBRATION COMMISSION TO ADMINISTER

THE CELEBRATION," was referred to the Committee on Human Services.

Hse. Com. No. 744, transmitting H.C.R. No. 277, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 277, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE LEGISLATURE, THE ADMINISTRATION, THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII, AND HAWAII'S CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION TO WORK COLLABORATIVELY WITH THE NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION, THE JAPAN AEROSPACE EXPLORATION AGENCY, AND OTHER PUBLIC AND PRIVATE AEROSPACE-RELATED AGENCIES AND INSTITUTIONS, TO EXPAND AND DIVERSIFY THE AEROSPACE INDUSTRY THROUGH THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL SPACE CENTER FOR EXPLORATION SYSTEMS," was referred jointly to the Committee on Business and Economic Development and the Committee on Higher Education.

Hse. Com. No. 745, transmitting H.C.R. No. 278, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 278, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS, DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS, DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES, CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU, HONOLULU BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY, QUEEN EMMA FOUNDATION, AND KAMEHAMEHA SCHOOLS TO SUPPORT THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A CULTURAL PRESERVE IN HA'IKU VALLEY AND NORTH HALAWA VALLEY," was referred to the Committee on Water, Land, and Agriculture.

Hse. Com. No. 746, transmitting H.C.R. No. 280, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 280, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO STUDY THE IMPACT OF HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES IN FERTILIZERS, ANIMAL FEED, SOIL AMENDMENTS, AGRICULTURAL MINERALS, AUXILIARY SOIL, AND PLANT SUBSTANCES ON THE HEALTH AND SAFETY OF CONSUMERS, FARMERS, AND THE GENERAL PUBLIC," was referred to the Committee on Energy, Environment, and International Affairs.

Hse. Com. No. 747, transmitting H.C.R. No. 296, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 296, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT SIGN LANGUAGE INSTRUCTION BE COORDINATED," was referred to the Committee on Education and Military Affairs.

Hse. Com. No. 748, transmitting H.C.R. No. 297, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 297, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR CONDUCT A MANAGEMENT AUDIT OF THE

ADMINISTRATIVE PRACTICES OF THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY," was referred to the Committee on Water, Land, and Agriculture.

Hse. Com. No. 749, transmitting H.C.R. No. 299, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 299, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY, IN COLLABORATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES, THE DEPARTMENT OF BUDGET AND FINANCE, AND THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM, TO DEVELOP A VIABLE FINANCIAL PLAN TO ASSIST HONOLULU MARINE WITH THE CONSTRUCTION OF ITS FACILITIES AT SAND ISLAND," was referred to the Committee on Water, Land, and Agriculture.

Hse. Com. No. 750, transmitting H.C.R. No. 300, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 300, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING A LAND USE WORKING GROUP TO ADDRESS ISSUES RELATING TO NON-AGRICULTURAL ACTIVITY ON AGRICULTURALLY CLASSIFIED LANDS," was referred to the Committee on Water, Land, and Agriculture.

Hse. Com. No. 751, transmitting H.C.R. No. 301, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 301, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO REVIEW THE STATE'S LANDING FEES AND DETERMINE WHETHER THE LANDING FEES AT STATE AIRPORTS SHOULD BE INCREASED," was referred to the Committee on Transportation and Government Operations.

Hse. Com. No. 752, transmitting H.C.R. No. 304, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 304, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE COUNTIES TO REQUIRE ALL NEW RESIDENTIAL AND COMMERCIAL DEVELOPMENTS BE EQUIPPED WITH WATER CONSERVATION DEVICES," was referred to the Committee on Water, Land, and Agriculture.

Hse. Com. No. 753, transmitting H.C.R. No. 309, H.D. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 309, H.D. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO DEVELOP A PLAN TO ENCOURAGE CURRENT PUBLIC SCHOOL PRINCIPALS, VICE PRINCIPALS, AND TEACHERS TO INTEGRATE HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE AND CULTURE INTO THE SCHOOLS," was referred to the Committee on Education and Military Affairs.

Hse. Com. No. 754, transmitting H.C.R. No. 316, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on April 13, 2006, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, H.C.R. No. 316, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE ATTORNEY GENERAL TO ANALYZE EXISTING LAW TO IDENTIFY ANY IMPEDIMENT TO THE DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION'S IMPLEMENTING THE COLLECTION OF THE COUNTY SURCHARGE BY JANUARY 1, 2007 AND REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION TO ESTABLISH A PLAN TO IMPLEMENT THE ADMINISTRATION AND COLLECTION OF A COUNTY SURCHARGE ON THE STATE GENERAL EXCISE TAX TO FUND COUNTY MASS TRANSPORTATION PROJECTS ON JANUARY 1, 2007," was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Hse. Com. No. 755, informing the Senate that the Speaker on April 17, 2006, appointed conferees on the part of the House for the consideration of amendments proposed by the House to the following Senate bills:

S.B. No. 60, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Herkes, B. Oshiro, co-chairs; Finnegan.

S.B. No. 87, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Caldwell, Luke, Nakasone, co-chairs.

S.B. No. 120, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Herkes, chair; Schatz, Marumoto.

S.B. No. 218, S.D. 4 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Arakaki, Yamane, co-chairs; Carroll.

S.B. No. 244, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Sonson, Abinsay, Waters, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Finnegan.

S.B. No. 427, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Souki, Luke, co-chairs; Stevens.

S.B. No. 439 (H.D. 2):

Representatives Luke, Magaoay, co-chairs.

S.B. No. 467, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

Representatives Ito, Luke, Chong, co-chairs; Tanaka, Thielen.

S.B. No. 475, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Sonson, Carroll, co-chairs.

S.B. No. 486, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Sonson, Carroll, co-chairs; Moses.

S.B. No. 561, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Arakaki, Sonson, Lee, co-chairs; Finnegan.

S.B. No. 575, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Chang, Carroll, co-chairs; Ching.

S.B. No. 613, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Luke, Nishimoto, co-chairs.

S.B. No. 695 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Luke, Caldwell, co-chairs; Stevens.

S.B. No. 696, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

Representatives Luke, Nishimoto, co-chairs.

S.B. No. 706, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

Representatives Souki, Luke, co-chairs; Yamashita, Moses.

S.B. No. 743, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

Representatives Herkes, Luke, co-chairs.

S.B. No. 744, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Karamatsu, Luke, co-chairs.

S.B. No. 751, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

Representatives Caldwell, Herkes, Nakasone, co-chairs; Stevens.

S.B. No. 785, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

Representatives Luke, Magaoay, co-chairs.

S.B. No. 801, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Kahikina, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Halford.

S.B. No. 819, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Kanoho, B. Oshiro, Evans, co-chairs; Ching.

S.B. No. 826 (H.D. 2):

Representatives Ito, Luke, co-chairs; Moses.

S.B. No. 845, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

Representatives Luke, Lee, co-chairs.

S.B. No. 873, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

Representatives Takumi, Takamine, co-chairs; Ching.

S.B. No. 895, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

Representatives Kanoho, Luke, co-chairs; Pine.

S.B. No. 935, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

Representatives Karamatsu, Caldwell, Nakasone, co-chairs; Halford.

S.B. No. 951, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Kanoho, Luke, co-chairs; Thielen.

S.B. No. 959, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Herkes, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Meyer.

S.B. No. 965, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Luke, Yamane, co-chairs; B. Oshiro.

S.B. No. 971, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Chang, Herkes, co-chairs; Ching.

S.B. No. 982, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Ito, Chong, co-chairs; Tanaka, Stevens.

S.B. No. 995, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives B. Oshiro, Yamane, co-chairs; Marumoto.

S.B. No. 1015, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Kanoho, chair; Evans.

S.B. No. 1022, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Sonson, Arakaki, Carroll, co-chairs; Finnegan.

S.B. No. 1065, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Abinsay, Waters, Takamine, co-chairs; Halford.

S.B. No. 1081, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Kanoho, Evans, co-chairs; Pine.

S.B. No. 1114, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Morita, Evans, co-chairs; Marumoto.

S.B. No. 1129, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Herkes, Wakai, co-chairs; Stevens.

S.B. No. 1137, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1, C.D. 1):

Representatives Herkes, Wakai, co-chairs; Marumoto.

S.B. No. 1141, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

Representatives Chang, Herkes, co-chairs; Ching.

S.B. No. 1193, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Caldwell, Nakasone, co-chairs; Pine.

S.B. No. 1201, S.D. 2 (H.D. 3):

Representatives Arakaki, B. Oshiro, Chong, co-chairs; Finnegan.

S.B. No. 1221, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Takumi, Takamine, co-chairs; Ching.

S.B. No. 1223, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Herkes, Yamane, co-chairs; Yamashita.

S.B. No. 1268, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

Representatives Abinsay, Kanoho, Magaoay, co-chairs; Halford.

S.B. No. 1294, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

Representatives Saiki, Carroll, co-chairs.

S.B. No. 1317, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1): Representatives Luke, Nishimoto, co-chairs.	S.B. No. 1897, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2): Representatives Kanoho, Evans, co-chairs; Pine.
S.B. No. 1461, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1): Representatives Kanoho, Waters, Magaoay, co-chairs; Meyer.	S.B. No. 1899, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1): Representatives Abinsay, Tsuji, co-chairs.
S.B. No. 1512, S.D. 1 (H.D. 3): Representatives Sonson, Arakaki, Luke, Tanaka, co-chairs.	S.B. No. 2004, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1): Representatives Kanoho, Saiki, Chong, co-chairs.
S.B. No. 1557, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2): Representatives Morita, Herkes, Evans, co-chairs; Moses.	S.B. No. 2006, S.D. 3 (H.D. 2): Representatives Kanoho, B. Oshiro, co-chairs; Meyer.
S.B. No. 1593, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2): Representatives Kanoho, Kahikina, Yamane, co-chairs.	S.B. No. 2021, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2): Representatives Caldwell, Nakasone, co-chairs.
S.B. No. 1636, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1): Representatives Caldwell, Takumi, Takamine, co-chairs; Ching.	S.B. No. 2036, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1): Representatives Karamatsu, Hale, Wakai, co-chairs.
S.B. No. 1648, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2): Representatives Waters, Chong, co-chairs.	S.B. No. 2063 (H.D. 1): Representatives Takamine, chair; Nakasone, Moses.
S.B. No. 1650, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1): Representatives Ito, Chong, co-chairs; Tanaka, Moses.	S.B. No. 2065, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1): Representatives Souki, Luke, co-chairs.
S.B. No. 1695, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2): Representatives Karamatsu, Herkes, Yamashita, co-chairs; Marumoto.	S.B. No. 2074, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2): Representatives Ito, Chong, co-chairs; Tanaka.
S.B. No. 1697, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1): Representatives Souki, Waters, Wakai, co-chairs; Finnegan.	S.B. No. 2076, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2): Representatives Kahikina, Herkes, Nishimoto, co-chairs.
S.B. No. 1698, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1): Representatives Karamatsu, Takumi, Wakai, co-chairs; Marumoto.	S.B. No. 2090, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1): Representatives Kanoho, Magaoay, Yamane, co-chairs; Stevens.
S.B. No. 1747, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1): Representatives Waters, Chong, co-chairs; Ching.	S.B. No. 2133, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2): Representatives Arakaki, B. Oshiro, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Green, Waters .
S.B. No. 1781 (H.D. 1): Representatives Ito, Tanaka, co-chairs; Chong, Moses.	S.B. No. 2143, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1): Representatives Herkes, Luke, Evans, co-chairs; Marumoto.
S.B. No. 1792, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1): Representatives Karamatsu, Hale, Wakai, co-chairs; Ching.	S.B. No. 2145, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2): Representatives Morita, B. Oshiro, Evans, co-chairs.
S.B. No. 1854, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2): Representatives Kahikina, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Hale, Halford.	S.B. No. 2150, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1): Representatives Kanoho, Kawakami, co-chairs; Evans.
S.B. No. 1888, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1): Representatives Caldwell, Nakasone, co-chairs; Stevens.	S.B. No. 2155, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1): Representatives Abinsay, Kanoho, Magaoay, co-chairs.
S.B. No. 1893 (H.D. 1): Representatives Kanoho, Morita, co-chairs; Thielen.	S.B. No. 2158, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1): Representatives Herkes, Luke, co-chairs; Marumoto.

S.B. No. 2159, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1): Representatives Herkes, Luke, co-chairs; Meyer.	Representatives B. Oshiro, chair; Luke.
S.B. No. 2162, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1): Representatives Sonson, Herkes, Carroll, co-chairs.	S.B. No. 2273, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1): Representatives Caldwell, Nakasone, co-chairs.
S.B. No. 2166, S.D. 2 (H.D. 3): Representatives Arakaki, Herkes, B. Oshiro, co-chairs.	S.B. No. 2274, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2): Representatives Caldwell, Nakasone, co-chairs; Stevens.
S.B. No. 2188, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2): Representatives Sonson, Luke, co-chairs.	S.B. No. 2283, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1): Representatives Herkes, chair; Schatz, Marumoto.
S.B. No. 2193, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1): Representatives Herkes, chair; Schatz, Marumoto.	S.B. No. 2290, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1): Representatives Herkes, Luke, co-chairs; Marumoto.
S.B. No. 2213, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2): Representatives Chang, Luke, co-chairs; Ching.	S.B. No. 2292, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1): Representatives Herkes, Luke, co-chairs; Marumoto.
S.B. No. 2214, S.D. 2 (H.D. 3): Representatives Ito, Herkes, Luke, Chong, co-chairs; Tanaka.	S.B. No. 2293, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1): Representatives Herkes, Luke, co-chairs; Marumoto.
S.B. No. 2227, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2): Representatives Arakaki, Sonson, Herkes, Evans, co-chairs; Carroll.	S.B. No. 2298, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1): Representatives Herkes, chair; Schatz.
S.B. No. 2229, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1): Representatives Takumi, Takamine, co-chairs; Finnegan.	S.B. No. 2323, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1): Representatives Sonson, Luke, Carroll, co-chairs.
S.B. No. 2237, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1): Representatives Takamine, chair; Kawakami, Moses.	S.B. No. 2327, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1): Representatives B. Oshiro, chair; Sonson.
S.B. No. 2243, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1): Representatives Ito, Luke, co-chairs; Moses.	S.B. No. 2328, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2): Representatives Sonson, Luke, co-chairs; Thielen.
S.B. No. 2244, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1): Representatives B. Oshiro, chair; Souki, Marumoto.	S.B. No. 2334, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2): Representatives Sonson, Luke, Takamine, co-chairs.
S.B. No. 2246, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2): Representatives B. Oshiro, Yamane, co-chairs.	S.B. No. 2339, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1): Representatives Arakaki, Takamine, co-chairs; Lee, Yamane.
S.B. No. 2248, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1): Representatives Luke, Herkes, Wakai, co-chairs.	S.B. No. 2343, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2): Representatives Arakaki, Luke, Nishimoto, co-chairs.
S.B. No. 2255, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1): Representatives B. Oshiro, chair; Souki, Thielen.	S.B. No. 2348, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1): Representatives Arakaki, Takamine, co-chairs.
S.B. No. 2259, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1): Representatives Luke, chair; B. Oshiro.	S.B. No. 2357 (H.D. 1): Representatives Morita, B. Oshiro, Evans, co-chairs.
S.B. No. 2260, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1): Representatives B. Oshiro, chair; Luke.	S.B. No. 2358, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2): Representatives Kanoho, B. Oshiro, co-chairs; Meyer.
S.B. No. 2265, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):	S.B. No. 2360, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1): Representatives Kanoho, Luke, co-chairs; Meyer.

- S.B. No. 2364, S.D. 2 (H.D. 3):
Representatives Arakaki, Herkes, Chong, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 2382, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Takamine, chair; Nakasone.
- S.B. No. 2385, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Souki, Luke, Lee, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 2430, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Luke, chair; Sonson, Thielen.
- S.B. No. 2433, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives B. Oshiro, Tanaka, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 2454, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Chang, Herkes, co-chairs; Ching.
- S.B. No. 2461, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Kahikina, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Tanaka, Carroll.
- S.B. No. 2462, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Souki, chair; Tanaka, Halford.
- S.B. No. 2476, S.D. 2 (H.D. 3):
Representatives Kanoho, Magaoay, B. Oshiro, Yamane, co-chairs; Meyer.
- S.B. No. 2479 (H.D. 1):
Representatives B. Oshiro, Tsuji, co-chairs; Marumoto.
- S.B. No. 2480, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Morita, Evans, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 2484, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Morita, Evans, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 2485, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Abinsay, B. Oshiro, Tsuji, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 2486, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Abinsay, Morita, Tsuji, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 2487 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Kanoho, Yamane, co-chairs; Stevens.
- S.B. No. 2492, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Abinsay, B. Oshiro, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 2499, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Herkes, Yamane, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 2501, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Kanoho, chair; Evans, Morita, Meyer.
- S.B. No. 2502, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Arakaki, Nishimoto, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 2504, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Arakaki, Souki, Lee, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 2505, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Arakaki, Takumi, Chong, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 2545, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Herkes, Wakai, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 2546, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Karamatsu, Yamashita, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 2550, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Kanoho, Yamane, co-chairs; Stevens.
- S.B. No. 2570, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Chang, Karamatsu, Yamashita, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 2571 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Kahikina, B. Oshiro, Nishimoto, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 2572, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Kahikina, B. Oshiro, Nishimoto, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 2575, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Kanoho, Morita, Carroll, co-chairs; Shimabukuro.
- S.B. No. 2600, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):
Representatives B. Oshiro, Nishimoto, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 2603, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives B. Oshiro, chair; Souki, Marumoto.
- S.B. No. 2606 (H.D. 1):
Representatives B. Oshiro, Chong, co-chairs; Pine.
- S.B. No. 2609, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives B. Oshiro, chair; Luke, Thielen.
- S.B. No. 2617, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Sonson, Takamine, co-chairs; Meyer.
- S.B. No. 2630, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Arakaki, Sonson, Kawakami, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 2643, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Caldwell, Nakasone, co-chairs; Pine.

- S.B. No. 2652, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Takumi, Caldwell, Takamine, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 2667, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Chang, Luke, co-chairs; Marumoto.
- S.B. No. 2687 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Kanoho, B. Oshiro, co-chairs; Thielen.
- S.B. No. 2688, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Sonson, Luke, Chong, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 2704, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Takumi, Takamine, co-chairs; Nakasone, Finnegan.
- S.B. No. 2708, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Takumi, Takamine, co-chairs; Chong.
- S.B. No. 2718, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Takumi, Takamine, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 2719, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Takumi, Takamine, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 2720, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Takumi, Takamine, co-chairs; Finnegan.
- S.B. No. 2725, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Arakaki, Sonson, Kawakami, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 2727, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Arakaki, Nishimoto, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 2737, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Kanoho, B. Oshiro, co-chairs; Meyer.
- S.B. No. 2753, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Abinsay, Kanoho, Kawakami, co-chairs; Halford.
- S.B. No. 2762, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Kahikina, Luke, co-chairs; Pine.
- S.B. No. 2773, S.D. 3 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Kahikina, Magaoay, co-chairs; Pine.
- S.B. No. 2774, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Kahikina, Kanoho, Magaoay, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 2838, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Takumi, Takamine, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 2879, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Ito, Chong, co-chairs; Tanaka.
- S.B. No. 2887, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Takumi, Caldwell, Takamine, co-chairs; Yamashita.
- S.B. No. 2897, S.D. 2 (H.D. 3):
Representatives Karamatsu, Magaoay, Yamashita, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 2898, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Arakaki, Caldwell, Nakasone, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 2901 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Souki, Lee, co-chairs; Moses.
- S.B. No. 2909, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Karamatsu, Luke, Evans, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 2913, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Herkes, chair; Schatz.
- S.B. No. 2917 (H.D. 3):
Representatives Arakaki, Herkes, Takamine, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 2922, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Luke, chair; B. Oshiro.
- S.B. No. 2924, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Luke, chair; Sonson, Marumoto.
- S.B. No. 2926, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Ito, Chong, co-chairs; Tanaka.
- S.B. No. 2929 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Kanoho, chair; Morita, Meyer.
- S.B. No. 2930, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Luke, chair; Sonson, Marumoto.
- S.B. No. 2941, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Luke, chair; Sonson, Thielen.
- S.B. No. 2948, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Saiki, Takamine, co-chairs; Carroll, Chong.
- S.B. No. 2949, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Ito, Magaoay, Luke, Tanaka, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 2954, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Abinsay, Takamine, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 2956, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Takumi, Takamine, co-chairs; Nakasone.

- S.B. No. 2957, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Morita, Herkes, Takamine, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 2958, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Kahikina, Takamine, co-chairs; Nishimoto.
- S.B. No. 2959, S.D. 3 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Caldwell, Waters, Nakasone, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 2961, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Arakaki, Nakasone, co-chairs; Yamashita.
- S.B. No. 2980, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Caldwell, Waters, Takumi, Nakasone, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 2984, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Kahikina, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Hale, Halford.
- S.B. No. 2986, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Kanoho, Luke, co-chairs; Thielen.
- S.B. No. 2997, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Karamatsu, Yamashita, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 3000, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Kahikina, Kanoho, Magaoay, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 3003, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Sonson, Arakaki, Carroll, co-chairs; Finnegan.
- S.B. No. 3009, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Caldwell, Nakasone, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 3011, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Caldwell, Nakasone, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 3021, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Caldwell, B. Oshiro, Nakasone, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 3035, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Caldwell, Nakasone, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 3049, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Abinsay, Herkes, co-chairs; Halford.
- S.B. No. 3051, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Takamine, chair; Nakasone, Stevens.
- S.B. No. 3054, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Takumi, Takamine, co-chairs; Finnegan.
- S.B. No. 3059, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Takumi, Takamine, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 3065, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Herkes, Yamane, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 3072, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Herkes, Lee, co-chairs; Marumoto.
- S.B. No. 3076, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Abinsay, Morita, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 3077, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Kanoho, B. Oshiro, Evans, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 3078, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Abinsay, Tsuji, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 3084, S.D. 2 (H.D. 3):
Representatives Kanoho, B. Oshiro, Evans, co-chairs; Meyer.
- S.B. No. 3090, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Caldwell, Nakasone, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 3101, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Takumi, Caldwell, Takamine, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 3105, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Morita, Herkes, Kawakami, co-chairs; Yamashita.
- S.B. No. 3111, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Takamine, chair; Lee, Ching.
- S.B. No. 3114, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Chang, Yamashita, co-chairs; Carroll.
- S.B. No. 3119, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Saiki, Kahikina, Carroll, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 3120, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Waters, Caldwell, Chong, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 3138 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Karamatsu, Yamane, co-chairs.
- S.B. No. 3146, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Arakaki, Takamine, co-chairs; Lee, Yamane, Carroll.
- S.B. No. 3180, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Saiki, Carroll, co-chairs.

S.B. No. 3181, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Morita, Herkes, Kawakami, co-chairs; Yamashita.

S.B. No. 3186, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Morita, Herkes, Luke, Takamine, co-chairs; Caldwell, Souki.

S.B. No. 3192, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Hale, Karamatsu, Wakai, co-chairs.

S.B. No. 3195, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Takumi, Takamine, co-chairs.

S.B. No. 3197, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Takumi, Caldwell, Luke, Takamine, co-chairs; Finnegan.

S.B. No. 3205, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Sonson, Arakaki, Carroll, co-chairs.

S.B. No. 3215, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Sonson, Ito, Chong, co-chairs.

S.B. No. 3247, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Sonson, Arakaki, Carroll, co-chairs.

S.B. No. 3252, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Arakaki, Sonson, Lee, co-chairs.

S.B. No. 3253, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Sonson, Arakaki, Magaoay, Lee, co-chairs; Halford.

S.B. No. 3254, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Sonson, Arakaki, Carroll, co-chairs; Pine.

S.B. No. 3262, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Arakaki, Luke, co-chairs.

S.B. No. 3270, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):
Representatives Arakaki, Sonson, Lee, co-chairs.

S.B. No. 3273, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):
Representatives Takumi, Arakaki, B. Oshiro, Chong, co-chairs,
was placed on file.

Hse. Com. No. 756, informing the Senate that the Speaker on April 17, 2006, appointed conferees on the part of the House for the consideration of amendments proposed by the Senate to the following House bills:

H.B. No. 30, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):
Representatives Herkes, Arakaki, Sonson, Yamane, co-chairs; Thielen.

H.B. No. 31, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):
Representatives Herkes, Arakaki, Sonson, Luke, Yamane, co-chairs; Thielen.

H.B. No. 128, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):
Representatives Kanoho, Carroll, co-chairs; Thielen.

H.B. No. 138, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):
Representatives Takumi, Evans, co-chairs; Berg, Ching.

H.B. No. 169, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):
Representatives Abinsay, chair; Tsuji, Halford.

H.B. No. 214, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):
Representatives Herkes, chair; Schatz, Marumoto.

H.B. No. 222 (S.D. 2):
Representatives Takumi, Sonson, Kawakami, co-chairs; Berg, Finnegan.

H.B. No. 237, H.D. 3 (S.D. 1):
Representatives Arakaki, Herkes, Luke, co-chairs; Souki, Marumoto.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Hanabusa, chair; Hee, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 266, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):
Representatives Caldwell, Takamine, co-chairs; Nakasone.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Kanno, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Hanabusa as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 328 (S.D. 1):
Representatives Kanoho, Abinsay, Magaoay, co-chairs; Halford.

H.B. No. 330, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):
Representatives Abinsay, Kanoho, Magaoay, co-chairs; Halford.

H.B. No. 386, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):
Representatives Luke, chair; B. Oshiro, Marumoto.

H.B. No. 416, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):
Representatives Morita, Kanoho, Carroll, co-chairs; Stevens.

H.B. No. 434 (S.D. 1):
Representatives Luke, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Pine.

H.B. No. 439, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):
Representatives Magaoay, Luke, Yamane, co-chairs; Halford.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Inouye, chair; Hanabusa, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Trimble as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 466, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Luke, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Moses.

H.B. No. 471, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Chang, Caldwell, Yamashita, co-chairs; Marumoto.

H.B. No. 488 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Ito, Tanaka, co-chairs; Carroll, Moses.

H.B. No. 491 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Kanoho, Carroll, co-chairs; Meyer.

H.B. No. 584, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Herkes, Luke, co-chairs; Marumoto.

H.B. No. 588, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives B. Oshiro, chair; Luke, Thielen.

H.B. No. 644, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Herkes, chair; Schatz, Marumoto.

H.B. No. 704, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Caldwell, Takamine, co-chairs; Nakasone, Meyer.

H.B. No. 771, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives B. Oshiro, chair; Souki, Thielen.

H.B. No. 833, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Kanoho, Luke, co-chairs; Meyer.

H.B. No. 842 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Takumi, Evans, co-chairs; Berg, Ching.

H.B. No. 862, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Souki, Luke, co-chairs; Lee, Stevens.

H.B. No. 868, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Herkes, B. Oshiro, co-chairs; Thielen.

H.B. No. 875, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Caldwell, Takumi, Luke, Nakasone, co-chairs; Thielen.

H.B. No. 906, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Magaoay, Yamashita, co-chairs; Halford.

H.B. No. 912, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Karamatsu, Wakai, co-chairs; Marumoto.

H.B. No. 954, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Abinsay, Kawakami, co-chairs; Tsuji, Halford.

H.B. No. 955, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Kanoho, Abinsay, Yamashita, co-chairs; Halford.

H.B. No. 957, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Takamine, chair; Kawakami, Nakasone, Moses.

H.B. No. 970, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Ito, Chong, co-chairs; Tanaka, Moses.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Taniguchi, chair; Fukunaga, Inouye, Tsutsui, Hemmings as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 997, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Chang, Nakasone, co-chairs; Yamashita, Marumoto.

H.B. No. 998, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Chang, Karamatsu, Takamine, co-chairs; Yamashita, Marumoto.

H.B. No. 1033, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Abinsay, Kanoho, Takamine, co-chairs; Yamashita, Meyer.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Kokubun, chair; Ige, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1082, H.D. 3 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Abinsay, Luke, Tsuji, co-chairs; Halford.

H.B. No. 1132, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Takumi, Evans, co-chairs; Berg, Ching.

H.B. No. 1152, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Souki, Takamine, co-chairs; Lee, Yamane, Pine.

H.B. No. 1200, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Abinsay, Karamatsu, Tsuji, co-chairs; Ching.

H.B. No. 1214, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Caldwell, Luke, Takamine, co-chairs; Halford.

H.B. No. 1278, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Kanoho, Waters, Magaoay, co-chairs; Thielen.

H.B. No. 1280, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Kanoho, Carroll, co-chairs; Meyer.

H.B. No. 1360, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Abinsay, Waters, Magaoay, co-chairs; Halford.

H.B. No. 1433 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Kanoho, Morita, Herkes, Evans, co-chairs; Meyer.

H.B. No. 1442, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Kanoho, B. Oshiro, co-chairs; Thielen.

H.B. No. 1466, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Arakaki, Ito, Chong, co-chairs; Pine.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Sakamoto, chair; Baker, Tsutsui, co-chairs; Taniguchi, Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1536, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Kanoho, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Stevens.

H.B. No. 1590, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Chang, Karamatsu, Takamine, co-chairs; Yamashita, Marumoto.

H.B. No. 1645, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Souki, Takamine, co-chairs; Lee, Yamane, Stevens.

H.B. No. 1706, H.D. 3 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Morita, Kanoho, B. Oshiro, Evans, co-chairs; Thielen.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators English, chair; Hanabusa, co-chair; Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1723, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Karamatsu, Herkes, Chong, co-chairs; Marumoto.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Fukunaga, chair; Espero, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Ige, Tsutsui, Trimble as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1800, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Herkes, Nishimoto, co-chairs.

H.B. No. 1809, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Ito, Souki, Chong, co-chairs; Moses.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Inouye, chair; Ige, Sakamoto, co-chairs; Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1821, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Sonson, Arakaki, Takamine, co-chairs; Carroll, Finnegan.

H.B. No. 1825, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives B. Oshiro, chair; Souki, Marumoto.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Inouye, chair; Ige, Hanabusa, co-chairs; Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1843, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Takumi, Abinsay, Takamine, co-chairs; Yamashita, Halford.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Sakamoto, chair; Kokubun, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Nishihara, Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1861 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Takumi, chair; Berg, Finnegan.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Sakamoto, chair; Chun Oakland, Nishihara, Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1862, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Takumi, Caldwell, Nakasone, co-chairs; Finnegan.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Sakamoto, chair; Kanno, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Tsutsui, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1865, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Takumi, Caldwell, Nakasone, co-chairs; Finnegan.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Sakamoto, chair; Kanno, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Nishihara, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1866, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Takumi, Waters, Karamatsu, Wakai, co-chairs; Finnegan.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Hee, chair; Sakamoto, Inouye, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Baker, Trimble as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1867, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Caldwell, Herkes, Nakasone, co-chairs; Stevens.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Kanno, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair, as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1871, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Luke, Herkes, co-chairs; Moses.

H.B. No. 1878 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Herkes, chair; Schatz, Marumoto.

H.B. No. 1879, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Ito, Chong, co-chairs; Tanaka, Moses.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Sakamoto, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Hooser, Tsutsui, Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1880, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Souki, Lee, co-chairs; Stevens.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Kokubun, chair; Inouye, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1889, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Hale, Karamatsu, Wakai, co-chairs; Thielen.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators English, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Hooser as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1890, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Hale, Karamatsu, Wakai, co-chairs; Ching.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators English, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Hemmings as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1891, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Takumi, Nakasone, co-chairs; Ching.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Sakamoto, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Fukunaga, Hooser, Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1900, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Takamine, chair; Carroll, Chong, Evans, Kawakami, Lee, Magaoay, Nakasone, Nishimoto, Tanaka, Tsuji, Wakai, Yamane, Yamashita, Meyer, Moses, Pine, Stevens.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Taniguchi, chair; English, Espero, Fukunaga, Hooser, Inouye, Kanno, Kim, Kokubun, Nishihara, Sakamoto, Tsutsui, Hemmings, Slom, Trimble as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1917, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Magaoay, Luke, Yamane, co-chairs; Halford.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Hanabusa, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Ihara, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1918, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Magaoay, Luke, Yamane, co-chairs; Halford.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Hanabusa, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Ihara, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1922, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Chang, Yamashita, co-chairs; Marumoto.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Kim, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Tsutsui, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1923, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Chang, Luke, Yamashita, co-chairs; Ching.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Kim, chair; Tsutsui, co-chair; Nishihara, Taniguchi, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1928, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Kanoho, Abinsay, Yamane, co-chairs; Meyer.

H.B. No. 1935, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Herkes, Luke, co-chairs; Karamatsu.

H.B. No. 1948, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Morita, Herkes, Yamashita, co-chairs; Ching.

H.B. No. 1955, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Morita, B. Oshiro, co-chairs; Thielen.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators English, chair; Ige, Hanabusa, co-chairs; Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1968, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Karamatsu, Luke, co-chairs; Souki, Ching.

H.B. No. 1977, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Luke, chair; Souki, Thielen.

H.B. No. 1995, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Luke, chair; Sonson, Thielen.

H.B. No. 2039, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Morita, Luke, Chong, co-chairs; Thielen.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Hanabusa, Tsutsui, co-chairs; Chun Oakland, Taniguchi, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2043, H.D. 2 (S.D. 3):

Representatives Sonson, Arakaki, Takamine, co-chairs.

H.B. No. 2045, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Arakaki, Waters, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Halford.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Chun Oakland, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Tsutsui, Trimble as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2051, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Luke, Lee, co-chairs; Pine.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Hanabusa, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2075, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Souki, Lee, co-chairs; Moses.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Inouye, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Espero, Trimble as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2098, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Arakaki, Sonson, co-chairs; Halford.

H.B. No. 2109, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Arakaki, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Halford.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Chun Oakland, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2133 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Kanoho, B. Oshiro, co-chairs; Thielen.

H.B. No. 2145, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Kanoho, Abinsay, Luke, Yamashita, co-chairs; Halford.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Kim, chair; Kokubun, Ige, co-chairs; Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2146, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Kanoho, Abinsay, Luke, co-chairs; Yamashita, Halford.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Kokubun, chair; Ige, English, co-chairs; Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2153, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Arakaki, Nakasone, co-chairs; Tanaka, Halford.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Hanabusa, Tsutsui, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2175, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Morita, Herkes, Takamine, co-chairs; Ito, Magaoay, Thielen.

H.B. No. 2176, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Kahikina, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Carroll, Pine.

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

Representatives Abinsay, Takamine, co-chairs; Carroll, Tsuji, Halford.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Kokubun, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2182, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Takumi, Waters, Takamine, co-chairs; Nakasone, Finnegan.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Sakamoto, chair; Hee, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Baker, Fukunaga, Tsutsui, Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2183, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Takumi, Ito, Herkes, Nakasone, co-chairs; Moses.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Inouye, chair; Sakamoto, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Tsutsui, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2199, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Hale, Karamatsu, B. Oshiro, co-chairs; Ching.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Inouye, chair; English, Hanabusa, co-chairs; Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2204, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Saiki, Takamine, co-chairs; Carroll, Chong, Finnegan.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Hanabusa, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2211, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Caldwell, Herkes, Nakasone, co-chairs; Stevens.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Kanno, chair; Hanabusa, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2214, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Souki, Herkes, Lee, co-chairs; Stevens.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Inouye, chair; Menor, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Tsutsui, Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2239, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Kahikina, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Halford.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Menor, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Espero, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2258, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Sonson, Takamine, co-chairs; Carroll, Finnegan.

H.B. No. 2265, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Ito, Caldwell, Chong, co-chairs; Moses.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Hanabusa, chair; English, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2271, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Kanoho, Abinsay, Luke, Yamane, co-chairs; Meyer.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Kokubun, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2277, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Luke, Takamine, co-chairs; Thielen.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Hanabusa, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2278, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Luke, Takamine, co-chairs; Marumoto.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Hanabusa, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2282, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives B. Oshiro, chair; Caldwell, Thielen.

H.B. No. 2299, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives B. Oshiro, chair; Caldwell, Thielen.

H.B. No. 2313 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Herkes, chair; Schatz, Stevens.

H.B. No. 2315 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Herkes, Yamashita, co-chairs; Marumoto.

H.B. No. 2319, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Herkes, Yamashita, co-chairs; Stevens.

H.B. No. 2343, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Ito, B. Oshiro, co-chairs; Moses.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Inouye, chair; Hanabusa, co-chair; Espero, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2367, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Caldwell, Sonson, Luke, co-chairs; Meyer.

H.B. No. 2399, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Souki, Kanoho, Lee, co-chairs; Carroll, Stevens.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Kokubun, chair; Taniguchi, Ige, co-chairs; Espero, Inouye, Trimble as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2410, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Luke, chair; Caldwell, Thielen.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Hanabusa, co-chair; Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2419, H.D. 1 (S.D. 3):

Representatives Karamatsu, Herkes, Takamine, co-chairs.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Fukunaga, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Ige, Inouye as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2422, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Souki, Luke, co-chairs; Stevens.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Inouye, chair; Hanabusa, co-chair; Espero, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2423, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Souki, Lee, co-chairs; Moses.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Inouye, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Fukunaga, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2440, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Waters, Takumi, Luke, Tanaka, co-chairs; Ching.

H.B. No. 2454, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Luke, Magaoay, co-chairs.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Inouye, chair; Hanabusa, co-chair; Kanno, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2500, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Luke, Takamine, co-chairs; Meyer.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Hanabusa, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Kanno, Espero, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2503, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Morita, Luke, Chong, co-chairs; Pine.

H.B. No. 2535 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Herkes, Luke, co-chairs; Karamatsu, Marumoto.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Fukunaga, chair; Menor, Hanabusa, co-chairs; Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2540, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Luke, Takamine, co-chairs; Stevens.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Hanabusa, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2555, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Kanoho, Yamane, co-chairs; Stevens.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Kokubun, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Fukunaga, Inouye, Hemmings as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2558, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Caldwell, Nakasone, co-chairs; Stevens.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Kanno, chair; Chun Oakland, Taniguchi, co-chairs, as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2587, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Kanoho, Carroll, co-chairs; Meyer.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Kokubun, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2595, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Ito, Tanaka, co-chairs; Chong, Moses.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Hanabusa, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2619 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Morita, Herkes, Takamine, co-chairs; Ito, Magaoay, Pine.

H.B. No. 2625, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Luke, Takamine, co-chairs; Stevens.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Hanabusa, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Ihara, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2626 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Takamine, chair; Nakasone, Meyer.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Taniguchi, chair; Tsutsui, Trimble as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2637, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Souki, Lee, co-chairs; Moses.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Inouye, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Espero, Tsutsui, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2639, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Souki, Luke, co-chairs; Stevens.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Inouye, chair; Hanabusa, co-chair; Baker, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2669, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Chang, Yamashita, co-chairs; Stevens.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Kim, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Nishihara, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2678, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Caldwell, Nakasone, co-chairs; Meyer.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Kanno, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair, as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2691 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Caldwell, Karamatsu, Wakai, co-chairs; Halford.

H.B. No. 2692, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Caldwell, Karamatsu, Wakai, co-chairs; Halford.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Kanno, chair; Inouye, Taniguchi, co-chairs, as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2708, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Karamatsu, B. Oshiro, co-chairs; Ching.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Inouye, chair; Ige, Hanabusa, co-chairs; Fukunaga, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2713, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Takumi, Takamine, co-chairs; Ching.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Sakamoto, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2715, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Ito, Caldwell, Yamane, co-chairs; Chong, Meyer.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Ige, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Kim, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2737, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Souki, B. Oshiro, co-chairs; Stevens.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Inouye, chair; Ige, Hanabusa, co-chairs; Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2763, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Abinsay, Morita, Tsuji, co-chairs; Thielen.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Kokubun, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2771, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Abinsay, Magaoay, co-chairs; Tsuji, Meyer.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Kokubun, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2772, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Abinsay, B. Oshiro, co-chairs; Halford.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Kokubun, chair; Hanabusa, co-chair; Hemmings as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2774, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Abinsay, Kawakami, co-chairs; Tsuji.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Kokubun, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2778, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Caldwell, Luke, Wakai, co-chairs; Pine.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Inouye, chair; Hanabusa, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2796, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Abinsay, Herkes, co-chairs; Halford.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Kokubun, chair; Baker, co-chair; Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2805 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Karamatsu, Yamane, co-chairs; Ching.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Kokubun, chair; Inouye, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Hooser, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2806, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Karamatsu, Yamane, co-chairs; Ching.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Kokubun, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Hooser, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2836, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Karamatsu, Herkes, Takamine, co-chairs; Chong, Moses.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Fukunaga, chair; Menor, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Tsutsui, Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2848, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Morita, Evans, co-chairs; Pine.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators English, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Espero, Hemmings as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2878, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Karamatsu, Takamine, co-chairs; Ching.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Kokubun, chair; Espero, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Trimble as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2897, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Luke, chair; B. Oshiro, Marumoto.

H.B. No. 2899, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Luke, chair; Caldwell, Thielen.

H.B. No. 2925, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Karamatsu, Wakai, co-chairs; Ching.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Espero, chair; Fukunaga, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Tsutsui, Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2947, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Caldwell, Nakasone, co-chairs; Pine.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Kanno, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair, as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2950 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Caldwell, Nakasone, co-chairs; Meyer.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Kanno, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair, as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2961, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Takumi, Takamine, co-chairs; Finnegan.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Sakamoto, chair; Ige, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Nishihara, Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2964, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Kahikina, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Pine.

H.B. No. 2966, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Kahikina, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Pine.

H.B. No. 2974 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Kanoho, Tsuji, co-chairs; Ching.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Kokubun, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2987, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Takumi, Takamine, co-chairs; Finnegan.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Sakamoto, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2991, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Kahikina, Luke, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Pine.

H.B. No. 3016, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives B. Oshiro, chair; Caldwell.

H.B. No. 3036, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Karamatsu, Herkes, Chong, co-chairs; Marumoto.

H.B. No. 3037, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Souki, Luke, co-chairs; Moses.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Inouye, chair; Ige, Hanabusa, co-chairs; Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 3056, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Kanoho, Chong, co-chairs; Thielen.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Kokubun, chair; Ige, Taniguchi, co-chairs; English, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 3060, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Karamatsu, Yamashita, co-chairs; Ching.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Fukunaga, chair; Espero, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 3067, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Karamatsu, Yamashita, co-chairs; Ching.

H.B. No. 3087, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Arakaki, Karamatsu, Nakasone, co-chairs; Finnegan.

H.B. No. 3100, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Herkes, chair; Schatz, Marumoto.

H.B. No. 3101, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Luke, chair; B. Oshiro, Thielen.

H.B. No. 3105, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Arakaki, Sonson, Herkes, Luke, Yamane, co-chairs; Green, Marumoto.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Chun Oakland, co-chair; Fukunaga, Tsutsui, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 3115, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Morita, Herkes, Luke, Takamine, co-chairs; Caldwell, Souki, Marumoto.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Menor, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Espero, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 3116, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Arakaki, Sonson, Kawakami, co-chairs; Ching.

H.B. No. 3118, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Karamatsu, Herkes, Chong, co-chairs; Marumoto.

H.B. No. 3121, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Ito, Chong, co-chairs; Tanaka, Moses.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Inouye, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Espero, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 3123, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Arakaki, Sonson, Ito, Herkes, Chong, co-chairs; Moses.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Inouye, chair; Baker, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Tsutsui, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 3142, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Arakaki, Nishimoto, co-chairs; Finnegan.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Chun Oakland, Tsutsui, co-chairs; Taniguchi, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 3217, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives B. Oshiro, Kawakami, co-chairs; Carroll, Pine.

H.B. No. 3225, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Herkes, chair; Schatz, Marumoto.

H.B. No. 3235, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Chang, Yamashita, co-chairs; Finnegan.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Fukunaga, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Ige, Tsutsui, Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 3237, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Takumi, Caldwell, Nakasone, co-chairs; Finnegan.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Sakamoto, chair; Chun Oakland, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Tsutsui as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 3242 (S.D. 1):

Representatives Luke, chair; Souki, Thielen.

H.B. No. 3244, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Herkes, Luke, Chong, co-chairs; Moses.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Fukunaga, chair; Menor, Hanabusa, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 3256, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

Representatives B. Oshiro, chair; Luke, Marumoto.

H.B. No. 3259, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Arakaki, Sonson, Kawakami, co-chairs; Pine.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Chun Oakland, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Tsutsui, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 3261, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

Representatives Karamatsu, Waters, Wakai, co-chairs; Pine.

In accordance therewith, the President appointed Senators Espero, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Fukunaga, Tsutsui as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference,

was placed on file.

ORDER OF THE DAY

ADOPTION OF RESOLUTIONS

H.C.R. No. 195:

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.C.R. No. 195, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING HAWAII'S LANDOWNERS, INVESTORS, COUNTY GOVERNMENTS, AND REGULATED ELECTRIC UTILITIES TO PURSUE DEVELOPMENT AND CONVERSION OF FUEL CROPS FOR ELECTRICITY GENERATION, AND REQUESTING THE HAWAII ENERGY POLICY FORUM TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS," was adopted.

H.C.R. No. 305:

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.C.R. No. 305, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE KYOTO PROTOCOL ON CLIMATE CHANGE AS A SIGNIFICANT MEANS TO REDUCE GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS AND STABILIZE THE GLOBAL ATMOSPHERE, AND AS A NECESSARY FIRST STEP TOWARD MAINTAINING THE HEALTH AND QUALITY OF LIFE FOR FUTURE GENERATIONS OF HAWAII RESIDENTS, AND URGING THE GOVERNOR TO REQUEST THE PRESIDENT TO PURSUE RATIFICATION OF THIS AGREEMENT," was adopted, with Senator Slom voting "No."

H.C.R. No. 317:

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, H.C.R. No. 317, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE EFFORTS OF THE ONE CAMPAIGN AND INVITING ALL CITIZENS TO JOIN IN RECOGNIZING AND SUPPORTING THE ONE CAMPAIGN AS IT SPREADS ITS MESSAGE THROUGHOUT THE NATION AND THE WORLD," was adopted, with Senator Slom voting "No."

At 12:03 o'clock p.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 12:24 o'clock p.m.

FINAL READING

S.B. No. 2190, S.D. 1, H.D. 2:

Senator Kanno moved that S.B. No. 2190, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, having been read throughout, pass Final Reading, seconded by Senator Taniguchi.

Senator Hee then moved that the Senate reconsider its action taken on April 13, 2006, in agreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2190, S.D. 1, seconded by Senator Hanabusa.

Senator Kanno rose in opposition to the motion and said:

"Mr. President, I rise to speak against the motion.

"Mr. President, this bill started out as a measure to help employers by lowering the wage base for the unemployment insurance. The bill came in at a large price tag that would deplete the unemployment insurance fund and what we have before us is a measure that is really a balanced measure. It provides employers \$55 million in savings.

"At the same time, there are provisions in the measure that also takes into account the hard work of our employees and has provisions in there that help employees as well. For example, I'd like to speak about the kind of impact this would have on employers. There were four sample companies provided to us by the Department of Labor. One company they term as a medium-sized employer with approximately 150 employees, under the current law their annual price for unemployment insurance is \$153,000 and under this bill they would recognize 70 percent in savings. There would be a tax reduction of \$107,000. For a large employer, this example company has about 1,500 employees, the savings was 12 percent. For another medium employer with about 100 employees, the savings was 25 percent. And what they termed a small business with approximately 15 employees, the savings was 43 percent in their cost. In that company, the cost for the year was \$3,000 and their savings represents \$1,500. In total, the savings to employers is approximately \$55 million.

"The bill addresses a number of provisions to help employees. The House made two amendments on the bill which I think made the bill better. One is that it lowers the wage base from \$10,000 to \$7,000, which was the original request from the administration, which we are now agreeing to. In the second item, it deleted the provision that would increase benefits to 90 percent in the year 2012.

"Mr. President, I think this is an excellent opportunity for us to help employers by realizing \$55 million in savings, at the same time addressing a number of employee benefits, one of which is the length of time that somebody can receive

unemployment benefits is being raised from 26 weeks to 30 weeks. I think as we've seen with certain situations happening with Del Monte employees and employees at the Nani Loa Hotel in Hilo, this provision may benefit some of these workers. However, if you consider that the average time that somebody is on unemployment, currently it's approximately 14 weeks, that provision may not actually come into play in many situations because of the strong employment market out there right now.

"Another provision recognizes that employee's work a number of part-time jobs, and if somebody may have been let go from one of their part-time jobs it addresses their benefits and helps them in that situation. It also adjusts the benefit level from 70 to 80 percent for all working people.

"There has been some concern about the provision on willful and wanton. Basically, the bill clarifies in the law certain people who would be disqualified from receiving unemployment benefits – those who create the most egregious acts that can be clarified as willful or wanton – so those individuals would be automatically disqualified. And for the other employees what's implemented is a case-by-case basis where an individual situation is reviewed and it's determined whether somebody receives unemployment insurance.

"Now, why that provision is in the bill is because there was a Supreme Court ruling in 2005 that came down to a three-to-two vote. Two of the Justices said exactly what we're saying in this bill, that there should be a clearer set aside for willful or wanton misconduct and there should be a process to review everyone on a case-by-case basis. Prior to 2005 this is the way that the law was implemented in our state. Basically, by putting it in the law here, we're going back to what has been in place up through the Supreme Court ruling in 2005.

"Members, I think the bill crafts a fair balance between something that helps employers with \$55 million in savings. All of these businesses represent savings to employers and at the same time looking at changes in the law to help employees at the same time. There is a delicate balance between management and workers and we feel that we've found a good balance between those two. Historically, back in 1992 before I was here, the Legislature did a similar measure where they implemented savings for employers and at the same time they implemented permanent benefit changes that helped employees. That took us to where the benefit levels are today and, really, benefit levels have not been changed since in the past 14 years.

"Mr. President, I urge my colleagues to vote 'no' on this motion. I think that we have a strong bill at this point and I'd like to request a Roll Call vote. Thank you."

Senator Hee rose in support of the motion and said:

"Mr. President, I rise to speak in favor of the motion to reconsider. Before doing so, I want to thank the previous speaker for his hard work in crafting a bill which he has characterized as an excellent opportunity and trying to walk a very delicate balance.

"I want to note that all of what the previous speaker has said, in fact, is not at risk with the vote, that in fact there is a substantial majority of the Majority who have asked for more time to examine and reexamine the delicate balance the previous speaker has referred to. Personally, I agree that the savings is substantial to employers, although one of my colleagues has indicated that the savings is for one year only.

"There has been some concern in the Caucus with regard to willful and wanton, which one of my colleagues has

characterized as forever and ever. In light of that, it is prudent, in my opinion, to not rush to judgment when there is still time, that in fact by agreeing to the motion to reconsider it gives all members of the Majority and the Minority time to examine and reexamine this bill yet another time and still preserve the remarks of the previous speaker because this motion does not seek anything more than an opportunity to continue the dialogue.

"Thank you, Mr. President."

Senator Slom rose in support of the motion and said:

"Mr. President, I rise in support of the motion. I would be derelict if I didn't make a couple of comments about this bill and things for you to think about for your consideration.

"The previous speaker did mention a couple things that I think need to be underlined – one is that these benefits are for one year only, one calendar year, for the employers, whereas the increased number of weeks from 26 to 30, the increased dollar amount of benefits, the willful and wanton definition, whatever that might be, would be permanent in the law and would seek to do what was not done in the Supreme Court. Employers in fact want, seek, and need a reduction in unemployment compensation tax payments because Hawaii is one of the highest UI taxed states in the nation. The \$7,000 figure happens to be the federal figure and many states use that figure, some states are below it, some states are above it. No state to my knowledge, however, uses the formula that Hawaii uses, which is the average wage which increases every year and which is now above \$34,000.

"The other thing to consider is I know there will be savings to the employer for one year only which will then be offset and mitigated by increased costs. I'm not sure where that \$55 million figure actually came from and I would like to see the breakdown and the analysis of it. There was no analysis of what the additional cost would be for 2007 and beyond.

"We also note something else that wasn't discussed and that is the size of the unemployment compensation reserve fund. It's over \$457 million at present, more than adequate to take care of any emergencies that we've ever had or that we can contemplate, but again, Hawaii continues to enjoy the lowest unemployment rate in the nation for I think it's now seven straight months, and I think that's important.

"The thing, though, that also concerns me is that when I hear some of my colleagues talking about the need for fair and balanced unemployment compensation tax, many of my colleagues understand unemployment compensation as a tax not a contribution as it says in the text. I've never made a contribution to unemployment compensation taxes in my life, just like I've never made a contribution to social security. It is a tax. It is required. If I don't pay it I can suffer severe penalty. But what I have to always remind many of my colleagues and people on the outside, including the Congressman from the first congressional district right now, is that no employee ever pays a cent into unemployment compensation tax. It is a tax levied solely on employers. The only beneficiaries are employees. They do not pay. They do not contribute. They do not share. Only employers pay the tax.

"So if we're talking about fair and balanced, then the fairness and the balance and the equity should be with the employers who pay the tax. But we're all just talking about, well we can't do anything for the employers unless we do something for the employees. First of all, we do a lot for the employees, they have jobs. Secondly, we have the most liberal unemployment compensation benefits schedule in the nation. Thirdly, we have

seen that we have had recent additions to the law that makes it even easier for employees to be taken care of, particularly when we added another tax on top of the unemployment tax called the employment and training tax. Every employer, again, pays that tax solely – not one employee pays one cent into unemployment compensation.

“So, if we’re talking about fairness and we’re talking about balance, the right thing to do is to make permanent a reduction, whether it’s to \$7,000 or \$10,000, whatever the figure should be, to make it permanent so that people can understand and balance that with their financial needs and costs, and secondly, to allow the generous unemployment compensation benefits that we have right now.

“The addition of the language willful and wanton will create additional problems. They will be good for lawyers because they’ll be able to fight it out and everybody will disagree as to what constitutes a willful and wanton act. We don’t know, however, that that raises the bar. It raises the benchmark from misconduct, which is generally and easily descenderable particularly with employer groups that have employee handbooks where they specify what that conduct would be. But willful and wanton, that’s a whole new breed.

“So I urge my colleagues to support this amendment and I do listen to the words of the previous speaker. It does give us time to talk about it more because businesses are seeking balance and a reduction in these taxes and maybe there’s a way that we can do both certainly without harming employees because that is not the intent nor would that be the result of reducing the taxes on employers.

“Thank you, Mr. President.”

At 12:39 o’clock p.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 12:40 o’clock p.m.

Senator Kanno rose in rebuttal and said:

“Mr. President, if I could just rebut one of the previous speakers.

“The timeframe of the savings for employers under this bill is from January through December of the year 2007, and I think the original request from the administration was two years of savings. I wanted to clarify why it was reduced to one year. There is some concern about the balance of the fund and there was a period in the not-too-distant past in 1995 where the fund balance was of serious concern. My point being that if the members saw fit to, they could return in the 2007 Session and continue the savings for a second year depending on how the fund balances at that point. But that explains why we’re providing it for one year at this time to exercise some caution and concern. Following Hurricane Katrina I think we could see what kind of immediate impact the fund could be counted on for providing benefits that we want to be prepared for.

“Thank you, Mr. President.”

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, Roll Call vote having been requested, the Senate reconsidered its action in agreeing to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2190, S.D. 1, on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 19. Noes, 4 (Bunda, Espero, Kanno, Menor). Excused, 2 (Inouye, Whalen).

On motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Hanabusa and carried, the Senate disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2190, S.D. 1, and requested a conference on the subject matter thereof.

S.B. No. 2737, S.D. 1, H.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Kokubun, seconded by Senator Hooser and carried, the Senate agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2737, S.D. 1, and S.B. No. 2737, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARINE INVERTEBRATES,” having been read throughout, passed Final Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 23. Noes, none. Excused, 2 (Inouye, Whalen).

RE-REFERRAL OF HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

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

House
Concurrent
Resolution Referred to:

No. 218, H.D. 1 Jointly to the Committee on Media, Arts, Science and Technology, the Committee on Business and Economic Development, the Committee on Water, Land, and Agriculture and the Committee on Higher Education

No. 234 Jointly to the Committee on Business and Economic Development, the Committee on Water, Land, and Agriculture and the Committee on Higher Education

APPOINTMENT AND DISCHARGE OF CONFEREES

S.B. No. 87, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 87, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kanno, chair; Sakamoto, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Tsutsui, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 218, S.D. 4 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 218, S.D. 4, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Tsutsui, co-chair; Chun Oakland, Taniguchi, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 439 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 439, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Hanabusa, chair; Ihara, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 613, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 613, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Hanabusa, chair; Taniguchi,

co-chair; Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 696, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 696, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Hanabusa, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 785, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 785, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Fukunaga, chair; Hanabusa, co-chair; Ihara, Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 845, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 845, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Inouye, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Espero, Tsutsui, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 965, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 965, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Hanabusa, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Hee, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1015, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1015, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kokubun, chair; Menor, co-chair; Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1294, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1294, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Hanabusa, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1512, S.D. 1 (H.D. 3):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1512, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Chun Oakland, Hanabusa, co-chairs; Fukunaga, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1593, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1593, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof,

the President appointed Senators Kokubun, chair; Ige, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1648, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1648, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Sakamoto, chair; Hee, co-chair; Hooser, Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 1899, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 1899, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kokubun, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Hemmings as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2004, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2004, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kokubun, chair; Hee, Hemmings as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2021, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2021, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kanno, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

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

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2036, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Fukunaga, chair; Espero, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Tsutsui, Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2065, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2065, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Inouye, chair; Ige, Menor, co-chairs; Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2074, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2074, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Ige, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Kim, Tsutsui, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2145, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2145, S.D. 2,

and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators English, chair; Hanabusa, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Kokubun, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2150, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2150, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Espero, chair; Kokubun, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Trimble as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2190, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2190, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kanno, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Espero, Menor, Hemmings as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2214, S.D. 2 (H.D. 3):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2214, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Inouye, chair; Sakamoto, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Baker, Espero, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2227, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2227, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Fukunaga, Menor, co-chairs; Ige, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2229, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2229, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Sakamoto, chair; Menor, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Ige, Nishihara, Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2246, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2246, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Hanabusa, chair; Chun Oakland, Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2259, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2259, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Hanabusa, chair; Chun Oakland, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2260, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2260, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Hanabusa, chair; Hee, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2265, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2265, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Hanabusa, chair; Chun Oakland, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2273, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2273, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kanno, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2274, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2274, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kanno, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2339, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2339, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Chun Oakland, Tsutsui, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2343, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2343, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Chun Oakland, Hanabusa, co-chairs; Hooser, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2348, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2348, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Chun Oakland, Tsutsui, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2357 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2357, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators English, chair; Kokubun, Hanabusa, co-chairs, as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2364, S.D. 2 (H.D. 3):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2364, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Tsutsui, co-chair; Chun Oakland, Taniguchi, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2382, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2382, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Fukunaga, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Ige, Inouye, Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2385, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2385, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Inouye, chair; Hanabusa, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Espero, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2430, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2430, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Ige, chair; Hanabusa, co-chair; Baker, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2433, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2433, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Ige, chair; Hanabusa, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2480, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2480, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kokubun, chair; English, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Hemmings as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2484, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2484, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kokubun, chair; English, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Hemmings as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2485, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2485, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kokubun, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Trimble as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2486, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2486, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kokubun, chair; English, Inouye, co-chairs; Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2502, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2502, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Chun Oakland, Tsutsui, co-chairs; Fukunaga, Taniguchi, Trimble as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2504, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2504, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Ige, Tsutsui, co-chairs; Chun Oakland, Taniguchi, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2505, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2505, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Sakamoto, Tsutsui, co-chairs; Chun Oakland, Taniguchi, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2546, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2546, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kanno, chair; Espero, Inouye, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Fukunaga as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2570, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2570, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Fukunaga, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Ige, Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2575, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2575, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kokubun, chair; English, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2600, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2600, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Hanabusa, chair; Hee, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2630, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2630, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Chun Oakland, Tsutsui, co-chairs; Fukunaga, Taniguchi, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2643, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2643, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kanno, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Hemmings as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2652, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2652, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Sakamoto, chair; Kanno, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Tsutsui, Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2704, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2704, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Sakamoto, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Hooser, Tsutsui, Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2708, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2708, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Sakamoto, chair; Menor, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Tsutsui, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2718, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2718, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Sakamoto, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Tsutsui, Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2719, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2719, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Sakamoto, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Tsutsui, Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2725, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2725, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Chun Oakland,

Taniguchi, co-chairs; Ihara, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2727, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2727, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Chun Oakland, Tsutsui, co-chairs; Taniguchi, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2838, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2838, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Sakamoto, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Inouye, Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2879, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2879, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Inouye, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Espero, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2887, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2887, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Sakamoto, chair; Kanno, co-chair; Nishihara, Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2897, S.D. 2 (H.D. 3):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2897, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Inouye, chair; Taniguchi, Fukunaga, co-chairs; Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2898, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2898, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Inouye, Tsutsui, co-chairs; Espero, Taniguchi, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2909, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2909, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Ige, chair; Inouye, Hanabusa, co-chairs; Kim, Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2922, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2922, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof,

the President appointed Senators Hanabusa, chair; Hee, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2926, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2926, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Hanabusa, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; English, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2941, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2941, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Hanabusa, chair; Chun Oakland, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2948, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2948, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Hanabusa, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2949, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2949, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Hanabusa, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2954, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2954, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kokubun, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Hooser, Inouye, Trimble as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2956, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2956, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Sakamoto, chair; Hee, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Kanno, Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2959, S.D. 3 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2959, S.D. 3, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Hee, chair; Taniguchi, Ige, Kanno, co-chairs; Inouye, Hemmings as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2961, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2961, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof,

the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Chun Oakland, Fukunaga, Hemmings as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2980, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2980, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Sakamoto, chair; Hee, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Tsutsui, Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 2997, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 2997, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Inouye, chair; Fukunaga, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Tsutsui, Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 3011, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3011, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kanno, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 3059, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3059, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Sakamoto, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Hooser, Tsutsui, Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 3076, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3076, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kokubun, chair; English, co-chair; Hemmings as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 3077, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3077, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kokubun, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; English, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 3078, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3078, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kokubun, chair; Espero, Taniguchi, co-chairs; English, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 3090, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3090, S.D. 2,

and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kanno, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 3101, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3101, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Sakamoto, chair; Chun Oakland, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Tsutsui as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 3105, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3105, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators English, chair; Menor, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Hooser, Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 3111, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3111, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Fukunaga, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; English, Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 3114, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3114, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kim, chair; Tsutsui, co-chair; Espero, Taniguchi, Hemmings as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 3119, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3119, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Hanabusa, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 3120, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3120, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Hee, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Inouye, Trimble as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 3138 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3138, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kokubun, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Hooser, Hemmings as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 3146, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3146, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Chun Oakland, Tsutsui, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 3180, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3180, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Hanabusa, chair; Ige, co-chair; Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 3192, S.D. 1 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3192, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators English, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Hemmings as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 3195, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3195, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Sakamoto, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Fukunaga, Hooser, Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 3262, S.D. 1 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3262, S.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Kanno, Hanabusa, co-chairs; Chun Oakland as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 3270, S.D. 2 (H.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3270, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Chun Oakland, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Tsutsui, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

S.B. No. 3273, S.D. 2 (H.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House to S.B. No. 3273, S.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Sakamoto, chair; Baker, Hanabusa, co-chairs; Tsutsui, Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 487, H.D. 1 (S.D. 3):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 487, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Inouye, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Espero, Tsutsui, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1155, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1155, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Menor, co-chair; Chun Oakland, Ige, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1448, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1448, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Taniguchi, chair; Tsutsui, co-chair; Fukunaga, Kanno, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1833, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1833, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Inouye, chair; Ige, Hanabusa, co-chairs; Kim, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1899, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1899, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Inouye, chair; Hanabusa, co-chair; Espero, Trimble as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 1947 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1947, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Inouye, chair; Hanabusa, co-chair; Espero, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2187, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2187, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Tsutsui, co-chair; Chun Oakland, Taniguchi, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2192, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2192, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Baker, chair; Hanabusa, co-chair; Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2210 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2210, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Sakamoto, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Ige, Trimble as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2273 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2273, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Inouye, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Menor, Tsutsui, Trimble as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

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

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2275, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Inouye, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Kanno, Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2346 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2346, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Sakamoto, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Tsutsui, Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2347 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2347, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Sakamoto, chair; Taniguchi, co-chair; Tsutsui, Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2412, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2412, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Taniguchi, chair; Tsutsui, Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2457, H.D. 1 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2457, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Sakamoto, chair; Inouye, co-chair; Kokubun, Hogue as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2641, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2641, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Inouye, chair; Kanno, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Tsutsui as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2747, H.D. 2 (S.D. 1):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2747, H.D. 2, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Inouye, chair; Ige, Hanabusa, co-chairs; Slom as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 2952, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 2952, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Kanno, chair; Inouye, Taniguchi, co-chairs; Tsutsui as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

H.B. No. 3105, H.D. 2 (S.D. 2):

The President discharged Senator Tsutsui as a member and appointed Senator Taniguchi as an additional co-chair 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. 3105, H.D. 2.

H.B. No. 3257, H.D. 1 (S.D. 2):

In accordance with the disagreement of the House to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 3257, H.D. 1, and the request for a conference on the subject matter thereof, the President appointed Senators Inouye, chair; Ige, Hanabusa, co-chairs; Whalen as managers on the part of the Senate at such conference.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:44 o'clock p.m., on motion by Senator Hee, seconded by Senator Hogue and carried, the Senate adjourned until 9:30 o'clock a.m., Tuesday, April 18, 2006.

Respectfully submitted,

Clerk of the Senate

Approved:

President of the Senate