# THE SENATE OF THE TWENTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE STATE OF HAWAI'I REGULAR SESSION OF 2009

#### TWENTY-EIGHTH DAY

#### MARCH 13, 2009-FRIDAY-11:30 O'CLOCK A.M.

#### **ORDER OF BUSINESS**

Invocation by The Honorable Rosalyn H. Baker Hawaii State Senate

Roll Call

Approval of the Journal

Introductions

• Floor Presentations:

RECOGNIZING AND CONGRATULATING THE "OBAMA GIRLS" OF OBAMA CITY, JAPAN. (Senator Taniguchi)

RECOGNIZING THE 2009 HAWAI'I BUSINESS HALL OF FAME LAUREATES. (Senator Slom)

HONORING THE HONOLULU FESTIVAL FOUNDATION FOR 15 YEARS OF PROMOTING "PACIFIC HARMONY." (Senator Nishihara)

1. Messages from the Governor: Nos. 453-477

MEASURE TITLE

G.M. No. 453

Dated February 27, 2009, transmitting a Report on Hawaii-Grown Coffee Labeling and Inspection, and Economic Impact of Potential Changes to Minimum Content Requirements,

pursuant to S.C.R. No. 102 (2007).

prepared by the Department of Agriculture

G.M. No. 454	Dated March 2, 2009, transmitting a report, Lead by Example; State of Hawaii Agencies' Energy Initiatives for FY 2007-2008, prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development and Tourism.	FILE
G.M. No. 455	Dated March 4, 2009, transmitting a Report on Expenditures from the Bond Protocol Account for FY 2008, pursuant to Act 213, SLH 2007.	FILE
G.M. No. 456	Informing the Senate that on March 11, 2009, the Governor has withdrawn RENE G. DELA CRUZ, Gubernatorial Nominee to the Health Planning Council, Hawai'i County Subarea, from consideration by the Senate (GM320).	FILE
G.M. No. 457	Informing the Senate that on March 11, 2009, the Governor has withdrawn MARK D. MONIZ, Gubernatorial Nominee to the Radiologic Technology Board from consideration by the Senate (GM260).	FILE
G.M. No. 458	Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Molokai Irrigation System Water Users Advisory Board, Gubernatorial Nominee, STEVEN L. ARCE, for a term to expire 6-30- 2013.	WTL
G.M. No. 459	Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Board of Barbering and Cosmetology, Gubernatorial Nominee, FLORENTINA SMITH, for a term to expire 6-30-2013.	CPN
G.M. No. 460	Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hoisting Machine Operators Advisory Board, Gubernatorial Nominee, JOAQUIN M. DIAZ, for a term to expire 6-30-2013.	CPN
G.M. No. 461	Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Examiners in Naturopathy, Gubernatorial Nominee, KEVIN R. GIBSON, for a term to expire 6-30-2012.	CPN

<u>G.M. No. 462</u>	Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Board of Nursing, Gubernatorial Nominee, JAEDA R. ELVENIA, for a term to expire 6-30-2012.	CPN
G.M. No. 463	Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Real Estate Commission, Gubernatorial Nominee, WALTER L. HARVEY III, for a term to expire 6-30-2013.	CPN
G.M. No. 464	Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Real Estate Commission, Gubernatorial Nominee, STANLEY M. KURIYAMA, for a term to expire 6-30-2013.	CPN
G.M. No. 465	Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Medical Education Council, Gubernatorial Nominee, CHRISTI L. KELIIPIO, for a term to expire 6-30-2013.	HRE
G.M. No. 466	Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Medical Education Council, Gubernatorial Nominee, SUSAN R. MURRAY, for a term to expire 6-30-2013.	HRE
G.M. No. 467	Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Medical Education Council, Gubernatorial Nominee, MARY E. WORRALL, for a term to expire 6-30-2013.	HRE
G.M. No. 468	Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Regents of the University of Hawaii, Gubernatorial Nominee, ERIC K. MARTINSON, for a term to expire 6-30-2014.	HRE
G.M. No. 469	Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Statewide Health Coordinating Council, Gubernatorial Nominee, JOHN J. BARNETT PHD, for a term to expire 6-30-2013.	НТН
G.M. No. 470	Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Statewide Heath Coordinating Council, Gubernatorial Nominee, JILL B. MIYAMURA, for a term to expire 6-30-2012.	НТН

G.M. No. 471	Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Statewide Health Coordinating Council, Gubernatorial Nominee, GARRETT F. SAIKLEY MD, for a term to expire 6-30-2012.	НТН
<u>G.M. No. 472</u>	Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Statewide Health Coordinating Council, Gubernatorial Nominee, REBECCA S. WARD, for a term to expire 6-30-2013.	НТН
G.M. No. 473	Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Health Planning Council, Honolulu Subarea, Gubernatorial Nominee, TRACY H. OKUBO, for a term to expire 6-30-2013.	НТН
G.M. No. 474	Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Health Planning Council, Honolulu Subarea, Gubernatorial Nominee, SUSAN STALDER, for a term to expire 6-30-2013.	НТН
G.M. No. 475	Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Paroling Authority, Gubernatorial Nominee, ALBERT TUFONO, for a term to expire 6-30-2012.	PSM
G.M. No. 476	Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Advisory Board on Veterans' Services, Gubernatorial Nominee, PATRICIA ANN WIELAND, for a term to expire 6-30-2013.	PSM
G.M. No. 477	Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Tourism Authority, Gubernatorial Nominee, RONALD K. WILLIAMS, for a term to expire 6-30-2010.	TSM

# 2. Departmental Communications: None

#### 3. House Communication Nos. 342-344

Informing the Senate that on March 12, 2009, the following House Bill passed Third Reading in the House:

<u>REFERRAL</u>

342 H.B. No. 1175, H.D. 2

HTH, WAM

"RELATING TO TAXATION."(Cigarette Tax Increase)

Informing the Senate that on March 12, 2009, the following House Concurrent Resolutions were adopted in the House:

343 H.C.R. No. 19, H.D. 1

"STRONGLY URGING THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE AND THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES TO AWARD SGT. RAFAEL PERALTA THE MEDAL OF HONOR." (Medal of Honor; Sgt. Rafael Peralta)

344 <u>H.C.R. No. 24</u>

"URGING THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE TO ISSUE POSTAL STAMPS HONORING THE WORLD WAR II JAPANESE-AMERICAN NISEI SOLDIERS, OTHER DISTINGUISHED MILITARY UNITS IN UNITED STATES HISTORY, AND AMERICANS WHO FOUGHT AGAINST DISCRIMINATION BASED ON RACE OR NATIONAL ORIGIN." (442nd Go For Broke; Commemorative Stamps)

4. Senate Communications: None

5. Judiciary Communications: None

6. Introduction of Measures: Senate Concurrent Resolution Nos. 61-66

Senate Resolution Nos. 36-40

## 7. Standing Committee Report Nos. 859-869

859 (ENE) <u>G.M. No. 293</u>

(One Day Notice)

"Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Endangered Species Recovery Committee, Gubernatorial Nominee, JOHN T. HARRISON III, for a term to expire 6-30-2009."

(Recommends Senate Consent to Nomination)

859 (ENE) G.M. No. 294

(One Day Notice)

"Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Endangered Species Recovery Committee, Gubernatorial Nominee, JOHN T. HARRISON III, for a term to expire 6-30-2013."

(Recommends Senate Consent to Nomination)

860 (HMS) S.R. No. 10, S.D. 1

(One Day Notice)

"REQUESTING THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE, THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, AND THE GOVERNOR TO CREATE A HOME FOR LIFE TASK FORCE TO REDUCE BARRIERS TO AGING IN PLACE AND TO FACILITATE MULTIGENERATIONAL

LIVING."

(Recommends Adoption)

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861 (One Day Notice)	(HMS)	S.C.R. No. 7, S.D. 1  "REQUESTING THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE, THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, AND THE GOVERNOR TO CREATE A HOME FOR LIFE TASK FORCE TO REDUCE BARRIERS TO AGING IN PLACE AND TO FACILITATE MULTIGENERATIONAL LIVING."  (Recommends Adoption)
862 (One Day Notice)	(HMS)	S.R. No. 12, S.D. 1 "DESIGNATING THE FIRST WEEK IN FEBRUARY 2010 AS HAWAII TEEN DATING VIOLENCE AWARENESS AND PREVENTION WEEK." (Recommends Adoption)
863 (One Day Notice)	(HMS)	S.C.R. No. 15, S.D. 1 "DESIGNATING THE FIRST WEEK IN FEBRUARY 2010 AS HAWAII TEEN DATING VIOLENCE AWARENESS AND PREVENTION WEEK." (Recommends Adoption)
864 (One Day Notice)	(HMS)	S.R. No. 11, S.D. 1 "ENCOURAGING PARTICIPATION IN THE WHITE RIBBON CAMPAIGN TO END VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN." (Recommends Adoption)

S.C.R. No. 14, S.D. 1

(Recommends Adoption)

"ENCOURAGING PARTICIPATION IN THE WHITE RIBBON CAMPAIGN TO END VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN."

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(One Day Notice)

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866 (HMS) <u>S.R. No. 8, S.D. 1</u>

(One Day Notice) "REQUESTING A STUDY OF VARIOUS

UNRESOLVED ISSUES RELATING TO

AGING."

(Recommends Adoption)

867 (HMS) S.C.R. No. 5, S.D. 1

(One Day Notice) "REQUESTING A STUDY OF VARIOUS

UNRESOLVED ISSUES RELATING TO

AGING."

(Recommends Adoption)

868 (HMS) S.R. No. 15, S.D. 1

(One Day Notice) "URGING FAITH-BASED

ORGANIZATIONS TO NETWORK AND

COOPERATE TO SUPPORT FOSTER

FAMILIES IN HAWAII." (Recommends Adoption)

869 (HMS) S.C.R. No. 19, S.D. 1

(One Day Notice) "URGING FAITH-BASED

ORGANIZATIONS TO NETWORK AND

COOPERATE TO SUPPORT FOSTER

FAMILIES IN HAWAII." (Recommends Adoption)

## ORDER OF THE DAY

8. Advise and Consent

Testimony Status

851 ENE G.M. No. 423

Testimony Status "Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Kaua'i Aquatic Life and

Wildlife Advisory Committee, Gubernatorial Nominee, SEAN D. IGNE, for a term to

expire 6-30-2013."

854 WTL G.M. No. 384

"Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Island Burial Co

confirmation to the Island Burial Council, Islands of Maui and Lanai, Gubernatorial Nominee, JONAH KE'EAUMOKU KAPU,

for a term to expire 6-30-2013."

855 WTL <u>G.M. No. 392</u>

"Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Agriculture,

Gubernatorial Nominee, DERRICK F. NISHIMURA, for a term to expire 6-30-

2010."

856 WTL G.M. No. 395

"Submitting for consideration and

confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Agribusiness Development Corporation,

Gubernatorial Nominee, BRIAN H. SUZUKI,

for a term to expire 6-30-2011."

"Submitting for consideration and

857 WTL G.M. No. 438

<u>Testimony Status</u> confirmation to the Advisory Committee on Pesticides, Gubernatorial Nominee, WESLEY

F. OTANI, for a term to expire 6-30-2013."

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858 JGO

Testimony Status

G.M. No. 439

"Submitting for consideration and confirmation as Associate Justice to the Supreme Court, State of Hawaii, Gubernatorial Nominee, MARK E. RECKTENWALD, for a term of ten years."

9. Adopt Resolutions

852 WTL

<u>Testimony Prior</u> <u>Versions Status</u> S.C.R. No. 43

"REQUESTING THE DIVISION OF CONSERVATION AND RESOURCES ENFORCEMENT TO APPLY FOR ACCREDITATION WITH THE COMMISSION ON ACCREDITATION FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES, INC."

<u>853</u> WTL

Testimony Prior Versions Status S.R. No. 23

"REQUESTING THE DIVISION OF CONSERVATION AND RESOURCES ENFORCEMENT TO APPLY FOR ACCREDITATION WITH THE COMMISSION ON ACCREDITATION FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES, INC."

- 10. Miscellaneous Communications: None
- 11. Miscellaneous Business

### 12. Announcements

• Committee Hearing Schedule:

EDH 3/13/2009 2:00 PM 225	
HTH-HMS 3/13/2009 2:45 PM 016	
EDH 3/16/2009 1:15 PM 225	
EDH/HMS 3/16/2009 2:00 PM 225	
HMS/EDH 3/16/2009 2:00 PM 225	
JGO 3/17/2009 9:30 AM 016	
HMS 3/17/2009 1:15 PM 016	
HMS/CPN 3/17/2009 1:15 PM 016	
HRE 3/17/2009 1:15 PM 225	
PSM 3/17/2009 1:15 PM 229	
HMS/HTH 3/17/2009 1:30 PM 016	
CPN 3/18/2009 8:30 AM 229	
EDT 3/18/2009 1:15 PM 016	

• Senate Session will convene at 11:30 a.m. on Monday, March 16, 2009.

# 13. Adjournment