

THE SENATE
OF THE
TWENTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE
STATE OF HAWAII
REGULAR SESSION OF 2009

FIFTY-SECOND DAY

APRIL 23, 2009-THURSDAY-11:30 O'CLOCK A.M.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

Invocation by The Reverend Ryosho Kokuzo
Waipahu Soto Mission

Roll Call

Approval of the Journal

Introductions

1. Messages from the Governor: No. 624

<u>MEASURE</u>	<u>TITLE</u>	<u>REFERRAL</u>
G.M. No. 624	Informing the Senate that on April 22, 2009, the Governor signed the following bill into law: SB190, SD1, HD2 (Act 013). "RELATING TO COMMUNITY CARE FOSTER FAMILY HOME."	FILE

2. Departmental Communications: None

3. House Communication Nos. 667-673

Returning the following Senate Concurrent Resolution which was adopted by the House on April 22, 2009:

REFERRAL

667

[S.C.R. No. 66, S.D. 1](#)

FILE

"REQUESTING THAT THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE ISSUE A COMMEMORATIVE STAMP HONORING PRINCE JONAH KUHIO KALANIANAOLE."(Prince Jonah Kuhio Kalanianaole; Commemorative Stamp)

Returning the following Senate Concurrent Resolution which was adopted by the House on April 22, 2009, in an amended form:

668

[S.C.R. No. 72, H.D. 1](#)

AGREE/DISAGREE

"REQUESTING THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY TO COLLABORATE AND SHARE INFORMATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO PREVENT INVASIVE SPECIES FROM ENTERING THE STATE OF HAWAII."(USDA; U.S. Customs and Border Protection; Invasive Species)

Returning the following Senate Concurrent Resolution which was adopted by the House on April 22, 2009:

669

[S.C.R. No. 119](#)

FILE

"RECOGNIZING THE IMPORTANCE OF BICYCLING."(Bicycling; Transportation)

Informing the Senate that on April 22, 2009, the following bills passed Final Reading in the House:

670 [H.B. No. 895, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1](#) FILE
"RELATING TO TAX ON TOBACCO
PRODUCTS OTHER THAN
CIGARETTES."(Tobacco Products Tax Increase)

[H.B. No. 1175, H.D. 3, S.D. 2, C.D. 1](#)
"RELATING TO TAXATION."(Cigarette Tax
Increase)

[H.B. No. 1741, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1](#)
"RELATING TO THE CONVEYANCE
TAX."(Conveyance Tax; Distribution)

[H.B. No. 1747, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1](#)
"RELATING TO TAXATION."(Income Tax
Rates)

[S.B. No. 1111, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1](#)
"RELATING TO TAXATION."(Transient
Accommodations Tax Rate; Excess Revenue)

Informing the Senate that on April 22, 2009, the House reconsidered its action in disagreeing to the amendments proposed by the Senate to the following House Bill:

671 [H.B. No. 1414, H.D. 1, S.D. 1](#) FILE
"RELATING TO METAL."(Metal; Beer Kegs;
Copper; Scrap Dealer; Theft)

Informing the Senate that on April 22, 2009, the House made changes to conferee assignments to the following bill:

672 [H.B. No. 1059, H.D. 2, S.D. 1](#) FILE
"RELATING TO THE ONE CALL CENTER."

Discharged all House conferees.

Informing the Senate that on April 22, 2009, the House appointed Conferees to the following bill:

673

[H.B. No. 1782, H.D. 2, S.D. 2](#)
"RELATING TO HEALTH INFORMATION EXCHANGE."

FILE

Yamane/M. Oshiro, Co-Chrs.; Karamatsu, Finnegan

4. Senate Communications: None
5. Judiciary Communications: None
6. Conference Committee Report No. 5

[5](#)
(48 Hrs. Notice)

[H.B. No. 1739, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1](#)
"RELATING TO TAXATION."
(Recommends passage on FINAL READING as amended C.D. 1)

ORDER OF THE DAY

7. Advise and Consent

[1468](#) CPN
[Testimony Status](#)

[G.M. No. 568](#)
"Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawaii Medical Board, Gubernatorial Nominee, NIRAJ S. DESAI, for a term to expire 6-30-2013."

1469	CPN	G.M. No. 570 "Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Board of Public Accountancy, Gubernatorial Nominee, MICHAEL CHING, for a term to expire 6-30-2013."
Testimony Status		
1469	CPN	G.M. No. 571 "Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Board of Public Accountancy, Gubernatorial Nominee, KENT K. TSUKAMOTO, for a term to expire 6-30-2013."
Testimony Status		
1470	CPN	G.M. No. 572 "Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Veterinary Examiners, Gubernatorial Nominee, WENDY L. MAH, for a term to expire 6-30-2013."
Testimony Status		
1471	CPN	G.M. No. 566 "Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Professional Engineers, Architects, Surveyors, and Landscape Architects, Gubernatorial Nominee, RAYMOND B. SKELTON, for a term to expire 6-30-2013."
Testimony Status		
1472	CPN	G.M. No. 550 "Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Hurricane Relief Fund, Gubernatorial Nominee, MICHAEL P. HAMNETT, for a term to expire 6-30-2013."
Testimony Status		

1473	CPN	G.M. No. 548 "Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Dental Examiners, Gubernatorial Nominee, WAYNE S. ATEBARA, for a term to expire 6-30-2012."
Testimony Status		
1473	CPN	G.M. No. 549 "Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Dental Examiners, Gubernatorial Nominee, ROBERT G. SHERMAN, for a term to expire 6-30-2013."
Testimony Status		
1474	CPN	G.M. No. 547 "Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Contractors License Board, Gubernatorial Nominee, HAROLD MARTIN, for a term to expire 6-30-2013."
Testimony Status		
1474	CPN	G.M. No. 563 "Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Contractors License Board, Gubernatorial Nominee, JOHN E.K. DILL, for a term to expire 6-30-2013."
Testimony Status		
1474	CPN	G.M. No. 564 "Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Contractors License Board, Gubernatorial Nominee, WILLIAM A. KAMAI, for a term to expire 6-30-2013."
Testimony Status		
1474	CPN	G.M. No. 565 "Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Contractors License Board, Gubernatorial Nominee, ALDON K. MOCHIDA, for a term to expire 6-30-2013."
Testimony Status		

1475	CPN	G.M. No. 546 "Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Board of Chiropractic Examiners, Gubernatorial Nominee, RICHARD L. WILCOX, for a term to expire 6-30-2010."
Testimony Status		
1476	HRE	G.M. No. 465 "Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Medical Education Council, Gubernatorial Nominee, CHRISTI L. KELIPIO, for a term to expire 6-30-2013."
Testimony Status		
1476	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."
Testimony Status		
1476	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."
Testimony Status		
1476	HRE	G.M. No. 581 "Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Medical Education Council, Gubernatorial Nominee, DARRYL S. SALVADOR PSY.D., for a term to expire 6-30-2011."
Testimony Status		

[1477](#) HRE
[Testimony Status](#)

[G.M. No. 580](#)
"Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Regents of the University of Hawaii, Gubernatorial Nominee, JAMES H.Q. LEE, for a term to expire 6-30-2014."

[1478](#) HRE
[Testimony Status](#)

[G.M. No. 579](#)
"Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Regents of the University of Hawaii, Gubernatorial Nominee, JOHN C. HOLZMAN, for a term to expire 6-30-2014."

[1479](#) HRE
[Testimony Status](#)

[G.M. No. 306](#)
"Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Regents of the University of Hawaii, Gubernatorial Nominee, MICHAEL A. DAHILIG, for a term to expire 6-30-2013."

[1480](#) HRE
[Testimony Status](#)

[G.M. No. 313](#)
"Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Regents of the University of Hawaii, Gubernatorial Nominee, GRANT TUCK SUN TEICHMAN, for a term to expire 6-30-2010."

8. Miscellaneous Communications: None

9. Miscellaneous Business

10. Announcements

• Committee Hearing Schedule:

<u>COMMITTEE</u>	<u>DATE & TIME</u>	<u>ROOM</u>
CONF	4/23/2009 9:00 AM	229
HTH/EDT	4/23/2009 9:15 AM	229
CPN	4/23/2009 9:30 AM	016
CONF	4/23/2009 9:45 AM	423
CONF	4/23/2009 9:50 AM	225
CONF	4/23/2009 10:00 AM	329
HTH	4/23/2009 10:00 AM	229
HTH/CPN	4/23/2009 10:00 AM	229
CONF	4/23/2009 10:15 AM	016
CONF	4/23/2009 10:30 AM	423
CONF	4/23/2009 10:30 AM	016
CONF	4/23/2009 10:45 AM	016
CONF	4/23/2009 11:00 AM	229
CONF	4/23/2009 11:00 AM	016
CONF	4/23/2009 1:00 PM	225
HRE/WTL	4/23/2009 1:00 PM	329
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CONF	4/23/2009 2:30 PM	225
CONF	4/23/2009 2:45 PM	224
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CONF	4/23/2009 3:00 PM	312
CONF	4/24/2009 9:00 AM	423
CONF	4/24/2009 9:00 AM	229
EDH	4/24/2009 9:00 AM	329
PSM	4/24/2009 9:00 AM	312
HMS/EDH	4/24/2009 9:25 AM	229
CONF	4/24/2009 9:30 AM	325
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HMS/CPN	4/24/2009 9:30 AM	229
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CONF	4/27/2009 10:30 AM	329
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CONF	4/27/2009 2:30 PM	016
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- Senate Session will convene at 11:30 a.m. on Friday, April 24, 2009.

11. Adjournment