

THIRTY-SIXTH DAY

Thursday, March 21, 2013

The Senate of the Twenty-Seventh Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2013, convened at 11:31 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present.

The President announced that she had read and approved the Journal of the Thirty-Fifth Day.

At this time, Senator Tokuda rose to thank the members for their participation in the morning's events for Education Week, including a discussion on smaller learning communities and the Friends of the Library of Hawai'i book sale.

Senator Thielen recognized Karen Kutsunai of Kailua Intermediate School for her selection as the 2013 Hawai'i State Teacher of the Year. Ms. Kutsunai was represented by Principal Lisa DeLong.

Senator Wakai congratulated Tracie Higashi of Hickam Elementary School on her selection as the 2013 Central District Teacher of the Year. Ms. Higashi was accompanied by Eunice Higashi, Karen Nakama, and Kinue Kanda.

Senator Taniguchi recognized Marcus Pottenger of Hokenani Elementary School for his selection as the 2013 Honolulu District Teacher of the Year. Mr. Pottenger was accompanied by his wife Gail, son Sean, and father Dr. Francis Pottenger.

Senator Espero congratulated Victoria Coffin of Keoneula Elementary School on her selection as the 2013 Leeward District Teacher of the Year. Ms. Coffin was accompanied by her sister Eleanor, niece Eryanna, friends Tasha Firestone and Gene Toyama, and Keoneula Elementary School Principal Eileen Hirota.

Senator Kouchi recognized Paul Holwegner of Chiefess Kamakahelei Middle School for his selection as the 2013 Kaua'i District Teacher of the Year.

Senator Green congratulated Amoreena (Amy) Nestman of Kealahou Elementary School on her selection as the 2013 Hawai'i District Teacher of the Year. Ms. Nestman was accompanied by her husband Sean, son Kyle, daughters Karie and Halie, and parents Tom and Judy.

Senator Keith-Agaran recognized Aaron Loque of Maui Waena Intermediate School for his selection as the 2013 Maui District Teacher of the Year. Mr. Loque was accompanied by his wife Mylene.

At 11:44 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 11:52 p.m.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 244 and 245) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 244, dated March 12, 2013, transmitting the 2012 Annual Report of the State of Hawaii Offices in Taiwan and Beijing, prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development and Tourism pursuant to Section 201-84, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 245, dated March 15, 2013, transmitting the FY 2011-2012 Annual Report of the State Foundation on Culture and the Arts pursuant to Chapter 9-3(9), HRS.

DEPARTMENTAL COMMUNICATION

The following communication (Dept. Com. No. 94) was read by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Dept. Com. No. 94, from the State Procurement Office dated February 19, 2013, transmitting the Monthly Report on the Status of Information Technology Procurements for the month of January through February 15, 2013, pursuant to Act 222, SLH 2012.

HOUSE COMMUNICATION

The following communication from the House (Hse. Com. No. 380) was read by the Clerk and was disposed of as follows:

Hse. Com. No. 380, transmitting H.C.R. No. 241, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on March 20, 2013, was placed on file.

By unanimous consent, action on H.C.R. No. 241, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION EXPRESSING CONDOLENCES ON THE SECOND ANNIVERSARY OF THE TOHOKU EARTHQUAKE AND TSUNAMI AND EXTENDING CONTINUED SUPPORT TO THE PEOPLE OF JAPAN," was deferred until Friday, March 22, 2013.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senators Green and Espero, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 938) recommending that H.B. No. 363, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 363, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 939) recommending that H.B. No. 1136, H.D. 2 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1136, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL AIR PATROL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 940) recommending that H.B. No. 527, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 527, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNIFORM MAINTENANCE ALLOWANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 941) recommending that H.B. No. 33

pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 33, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ORDER," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 942) recommending that H.B. No. 1103, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1103, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IMPACT FEES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 943) recommending that H.B. No. 369, H.D. 3, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 369, H.D. 3, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIRE SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senators Espero and Galuteria, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Tourism and Hawaiian Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 944) recommending that H.B. No. 218, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 218, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CORRECTIONS POPULATION MANAGEMENT COMMISSION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Solomon and Galuteria, for the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Tourism and Hawaiian Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 945) recommending that H.B. No. 1412, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1412, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMALL BOAT HARBORS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator English, for the Committee on Transportation and International Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 946) recommending that H.B. No. 1059, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1059, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COURT ADVISEMENT CONCERNING ALIEN STATUS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators English and Espero, for the Committee on Transportation and International Affairs and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 947) recommending that H.B. No. 977, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 977, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators English and Hee, for the Committee on Transportation and International Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 948) recommending that H.B. No. 980, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 980, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 949) recommending that H.B. No. 535, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 535, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOMELESS PROGRAMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 950) recommending that H.B. No. 536, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 536, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC HOUSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 951) recommending that H.B. No. 1298, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1298, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 952) recommending that H.B. No. 115, H.D. 3, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 115, H.D. 3, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO HIGHER EDUCATION,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 953) recommending that H.B. No. 654, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 654, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NURSING,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senator Hee, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 954) recommending that H.B. No. 927 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 927, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING FUND,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Hee, for the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 955) recommending that H.B. No. 833, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 833, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING EMERGENCY APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Hee, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 956) recommending that H.B. No. 1177, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1177, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII EMPLOYER-UNION HEALTH BENEFITS TRUST FUND,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Hee, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 957) recommending that H.B. No. 922, H.D. 2 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 922, H.D. 2, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL BENEFITS UNDER THE WORKERS’ COMPENSATION LAW,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Hee, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 958) recommending that H.B. No. 696, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B.

No. 696, H.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Hee, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 959) recommending that H.B. No. 919 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 919, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE EMPLOYMENT,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Hee, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 960) recommending that H.B. No. 925 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 925, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYMENT SECURITY APPEALS REFEREE’S OFFICE,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Hee, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 961) recommending that H.B. No. 921 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 921, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCEEDINGS BEFORE THE LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS APPEALS BOARD,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Hee, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 962) recommending that H.B. No. 775, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 775, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE, ITS OFFICERS, OR ITS EMPLOYEES,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Hee, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 963) recommending that H.B. No. 924, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 924, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING,” passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Hee, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 964) recommending that H.B. No. 546, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 546, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII EMPLOYER-UNION HEALTH BENEFITS TRUST FUND,” passed Second

Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Hee, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 965) recommending that H.B. No. 152, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 152, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION MEDICAL FEE SCHEDULES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Hee, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 966) recommending that H.B. No. 436, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 436, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Hee, for the majority of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 967) recommending that H.B. No. 918, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 918, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING FUND," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Hee, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 968) recommending that H.B. No. 928, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 928, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CERTAIN FUNDS UNDER THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Espero, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 969) recommending that H.B. No. 1282, H.D. 1 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1282, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MILITARY SERVICE," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Friday, March 22, 2013.

Senator Hee, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 970) recommending that H.B. No. 776, H.D. 2 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 776, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT TORT LIABILITY," passed

Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Friday, March 22, 2013.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 971) recommending that H.B. No. 487, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 487, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Nishihara and Gabbard, for the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Energy and Environment, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 972) recommending that H.B. No. 154, H.D. 2, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Thielen rose to make the following remarks:

"Thank you, Madam Chair. I just wanted to ask for a ruling on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 972. It's a House bill relating to industrial hemp, and I need to know if I have a conflict of interest on this bill.

"As many of you may know, the primary advocate of this bill has been pushing this issue for some time, and I'm afraid I'm a beneficiary of many things from this primary advocate on the House side – free childcare services, free child transportation services, many meals and education, and I think even the skirt I'm wearing today. So, could I please know if I have a conflict of interest in voting on this bill? With the conflict, I may be excused from some of the rabid lobbying that I'm subject to over the weekend, so I wouldn't be opposed to it. Thank you."

The Chair ruled that there was no conflict.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 154, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INDUSTRIAL HEMP," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 973) recommending that H.B. No. 747, H.D. 1, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Espero, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 747, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Solomon, for the Committee on Water and Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 974) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Koke'e State Park Advisory Council of the following:

CHARLES WICHMAN, JR., in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 591;

KATHRYN CASSEL, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 592; and

WAYNE SOUZA, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 593.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 974 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 591, 592, and 593 was deferred until Friday, March 22, 2013.

Senator Taniguchi, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 975) recommending that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations to the Hawaii Commission for National and Community Service of the following:

FREDERICK HOLSCHUH, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 538;

ALBERT KIM, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 631;

NADINE NISHIOKA, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 632;

CLAUDE ONIZUKA, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 633; and

CHRISTOPHER WONG, in accordance with Gov. Msg. No. 634.

In accordance with Senate Rule 37(6), action on Stand. Com. Rep. No. 975 and Gov. Msg. Nos. 538, 631, 632, 633, and 634 was deferred until Friday, March 22, 2013.

ORDER OF THE DAY

ADVISE AND CONSENT

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 936 (Gov. Msg. No. 590):

Senator English moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 936 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Dela Cruz and carried.

Senator English then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of STEVEN KYONO to the State Highway Safety Council, term to expire June 30, 2017, seconded by Senator Dela Cruz.

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Stand. Com. Rep. No. 937 (Gov. Msg. No. 614):

Senator Baker moved that Stand. Com. Rep. No. 937 be received and placed on file, seconded by Senator Galuteria and carried.

Senator Baker then moved that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination of THOMAS JOSLYN to the State Board of Nursing, term to expire June 30, 2017 (term amended to June 30, 2016 by Gov. Msg. No. 706), seconded by Senator Galuteria.

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

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

THIRD READING

H.B. No. 1258, H.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Chun Oakland, seconded by Senator Green and carried, H.B. No. 1258, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGING," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

H.B. No. 1089, H.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Galuteria, seconded by Senator Wakai and carried, H.B. No. 1089, H.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KALO APPRECIATION MONTH," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 25. Noes, none.

Senator Kouchi rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

"A young lady who works in my office named Jaymee Wakumoto has experienced a great month of March. She is a University of Hawai'i undergraduate who recently completed her master's degree in public health nutrition from Loma Linda University in California. Earlier this month, Jaymee passed the registered dietitian certification test that will allow her to enter her chosen profession, and she is celebrating her birthday today. So, I would like to extend congratulations to Jaymee Wakumoto. Thank you."

Senator Nishihara introduced workers from Monsanto who were seated in the gallery.

Senator Tokuda rose to announce that the following day would conclude Education Week, with events in the rotunda celebrating the military in the schools including JROTC and robotics demonstrations.

At this time, the Chair made the following announcements:

"The deadline for filing standing committee reports on House bills that need to pass Second Reading and move laterally to the final Senate committee is 10:00 p.m. this evening."

Senator Hee rose to announce that the Committee on Judiciary and Labor would be holding a decision making meeting that afternoon at 12:15 p.m. in Conference Room 016.

Senator Nishihara rose to announce that the Committee on Health, Committee on Agriculture, and Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection would be holding a decision making meeting on H.B. No. 174 at 1:00 p.m. that afternoon in Conference Room 229.

RE-REFERRAL OF A HOUSE BILL

The Chair re-referred the following House bill that was received:

H.B. No.:	Re-referred to:
H.B. No. 697	Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means

RE-REFERRAL OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

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

S.C.R. No.:	Re-referred to:
S.C.R. No. 34	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.C.R. No. 169	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and International Affairs and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

RE-REFERRAL OF A SENATE RESOLUTION

The Chair re-referred the following Senate resolution that was offered:

S.R. No.:	Re-referred to:
S.R. No. 126	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and International Affairs

and the Committee on Public Safety,
Intergovernmental and Military Affairs,
then to the Committee on Ways and
Means

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:00 p.m., on motion by Senator Espero, seconded by
Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until
11:15 a.m., Friday, March 22, 2013.