

THIRTY-NINTH DAY

Tuesday, March 25, 2014

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Seventh Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2014, convened at 12:07 o'clock p.m., with Speaker Souki presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Ms. Lynn Finnegan of Hawaii Public Charter Schools Network, after which the Roll was called showing all Members present with the exception of Representatives Carroll and Yamane, who were excused.

By unanimous consent, reading and approval of the Journal of the House of Representatives of the Thirty-Eighth Day was deferred.

SENATE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the Senate (Sen. Com. Nos. 407 through 409) were received and announced by the Clerk:

Sen. Com. No. 407, transmitting H.B. No. 1678, HD 1, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on March 24, 2014.

Sen. Com. No. 408, transmitting H.B. No. 2320, HD 1, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on March 24, 2014.

Sen. Com. No. 409, transmitting H.B. No. 2656, HD 1, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on March 24, 2014.

Representative Saiki moved to disagree to the amendments made by the Senate to the following House Bills, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried: (Representatives Carroll, Har and Yamane were excused.)

H.B. No. 1678, HD 1, (SD 1)
H.B. No. 2320, HD 1, (SD 1)
H.B. No. 2656, HD 1, (SD 1)

INTRODUCTIONS

The following introductions were made to the Members of the House:

Representative Kawakami, on behalf of Representatives Tokioka, Morikawa and himself, introduced visitors from Kauai with the Hawaii Family Caregivers Association: Ms. Noel Altman and Ms. Angela Tillson.

Representative Ward introduced visitors from Washington: Mr. Richard Pyle, Special Services Officer, Peace Corps; and his wife, Betty.

ORDER OF THE DAY

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1245-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 116 be referred to the Committee on Higher Education.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 116, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII ACCESS TO JUSTICE COMMISSION TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO DEVELOP AN EDUCATIONAL LOAN REPAYMENT PROGRAM FOR WILLIAM S. RICHARDSON SCHOOL OF LAW GRADUATES TO EXPAND OPPORTUNITIES TO PURSUE PUBLIC INTEREST CAREERS IN HAWAII THAT DIRECTLY SERVE UNDERSERVED COMMUNITIES," was referred to the Committee on Higher Education, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Evans, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1246-14), recommending that H.R. No. 78, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 78, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CONVENING OF A TASK FORCE TO INVESTIGATE, EVALUATE, AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS REGARDING THE ISSUE OF MANAGED SHORELINE RETREAT AND COASTAL LAND ACQUISITION IN HAWAII," was referred to the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Evans, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1247-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 105, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 105, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CONVENING OF A TASK FORCE TO INVESTIGATE, EVALUATE, AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS REGARDING THE ISSUE OF MANAGED SHORELINE RETREAT AND COASTAL LAND ACQUISITION IN HAWAII," was referred to the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Hanohano, for the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1248-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 14 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 14, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A LEASE AND EASEMENT OF CERTAIN SUBMERGED LANDS AT MANELE BAY, LANA'I, TO LANA'I RESORTS, LLC," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Hanohano, for the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1249-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 233 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 233, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO PROVIDE HAWAIIAN HISTORY, CULTURAL, AND LANGUAGE TRAINING TO ALL ITS EMPLOYEES," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Hanohano, for the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1250-14), recommending that H.R. No. 180 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 180, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO CONDUCT AN OPIHI MANAGEMENT STUDY," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Hanohano, for the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1251-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 229 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 229, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO CONDUCT AN OPIHI MANAGEMENT STUDY," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Hanohano, for the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1252-14), recommending that H.R. No. 129 be referred to the Committee on Water & Land.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 129, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO ADOPT RULES TO MANAGE MANTA RAY DIVE SITES," was referred to the Committee on Water & Land, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Hanohano, for the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1253-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 170 be referred to the Committee on Water & Land.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 170, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO ADOPT RULES TO MANAGE MANTA RAY DIVE SITES," was referred to the Committee on Water & Land, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Hanohano, for the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1254-14), recommending that H.R. No. 171 be referred to the Committee on Water & Land.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 171, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS TO CONDUCT ITSELF IN AN OPEN AND TRANSPARENT MANNER BY PROVIDING DOCUMENTATION OF ITS ACTIONS REGARDING LANDS RECEIVED PURSUANT TO ACT 15, SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII 2012, AND URGING THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS TO CONDUCT ITS ACTIONS WITH REGARD TO THE LANDS RECEIVED IN AN OPEN AND TRANSPARENT MANNER," was referred to the Committee on Water & Land, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Hanohano, for the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1255-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 219 be referred to the Committee on Water & Land.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 219, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS TO CONDUCT ITSELF IN AN OPEN AND TRANSPARENT MANNER BY PROVIDING DOCUMENTATION OF ITS ACTIONS REGARDING LANDS RECEIVED PURSUANT TO ACT 15, SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII 2012, AND URGING THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS TO CONDUCT ITS ACTIONS WITH REGARD TO THE LANDS RECEIVED IN AN OPEN AND TRANSPARENT

MANNER," was referred to the Committee on Water & Land, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Hanohano, for the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1256-14), recommending that H.R. No. 132 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 132, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO REPAIR AND MAINTAIN THE BEACH ACCESS POINTS AT SUNSET BEACH ON THE NORTH SHORE OF OAHU," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Hanohano, for the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1257-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 174 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 174, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO REPAIR AND MAINTAIN THE BEACH ACCESS POINTS AT SUNSET BEACH ON THE NORTH SHORE OF OAHU," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Hanohano, for the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1258-14), recommending that H.R. No. 150 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 150, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING HAWAII'S CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION TO REQUEST AN AUDIT OF THE WESTERN PACIFIC REGIONAL FISHERY MANAGEMENT COUNCIL," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Hanohano, for the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1259-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 189 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 189, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING HAWAII'S CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION TO REQUEST AN AUDIT OF THE WESTERN PACIFIC REGIONAL FISHERY MANAGEMENT COUNCIL," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Hanohano, for the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1260-14), recommending that H.R. No. 149 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 149, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A REPORT FROM THE CHAIRPERSON OF THE HAWAIIAN HOMES COMMISSION RELATING TO THE WAITING LISTS FOR HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS HOMESTEAD LEASES," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Hanohano, for the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1261-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 188 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 188, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A REPORT FROM THE CHAIRPERSON OF THE HAWAIIAN HOMES COMMISSION RELATING TO THE WAITING LISTS FOR HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS HOMESTEAD LEASES," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Hanohano, for the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1262-14), recommending that H.R. No. 118 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 118, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING HAWAII'S CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION TO INTRODUCE FEDERAL LEGISLATION TO PROVIDE THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS WITH FUNDING FOR ITS HOMESTEAD PROGRAM," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Hanohano, for the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1263-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 157 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 157, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING HAWAII'S CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION TO INTRODUCE FEDERAL LEGISLATION TO PROVIDE THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS WITH FUNDING FOR ITS HOMESTEAD PROGRAM," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Hanohano, for the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1264-14), recommending that H.R. No. 60 be referred to the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 60, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE GOVERNOR TO PROCLAIM 2014 AS THE YEAR OF THE WORLDWIDE VOYAGE," was referred to the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Hanohano, for the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1265-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 85 be referred to the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 85, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE GOVERNOR TO PROCLAIM 2014 AS THE YEAR OF THE WORLDWIDE VOYAGE," was referred to the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Choy, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1266-14), recommending that H.R. No. 7 be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 7, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO AFFIRM THEIR COMMITMENT TO UPHOLDING THE TENETS OF TITLE IX AND THE VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN ACT 2013 AND THE UNIVERSITY OF

HAWAII'S DEDICATION TO ENDING ALL FORMS OF SEXUAL VIOLENCE ON HAWAII CAMPUSES THROUGH A REPORT ON THE STATUS OF TITLE IX AND VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN ACT 2013 POLICIES, PROCEDURES, STAFFING, AND STATISTICS," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Choy, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1267-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 12 be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 12, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO AFFIRM THEIR COMMITMENT TO UPHOLDING THE TENETS OF TITLE IX AND THE VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN ACT 2013 AND THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII'S DEDICATION TO ENDING ALL FORMS OF SEXUAL VIOLENCE ON HAWAII CAMPUSES THROUGH A REPORT ON THE STATUS OF TITLE IX AND VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN ACT 2013 POLICIES, PROCEDURES, STAFFING, AND STATISTICS," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1268-14), recommending that H.R. No. 26 be referred to the Committee on Water & Land.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 26, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII STATE FOUNDATION ON CULTURE AND THE ARTS TO ESTABLISH AND ADMINISTER A PILOT PROGRAM FOR THE CREATION OF URBAN ART ON STATE-OWNED PROPERTY," was referred to the Committee on Water & Land, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1269-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 44 be referred to the Committee on Water & Land.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 44, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII STATE FOUNDATION ON CULTURE AND THE ARTS TO ESTABLISH AND ADMINISTER A PILOT PROGRAM FOR THE CREATION OF URBAN ART ON STATE-OWNED PROPERTY," was referred to the Committee on Water & Land, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1270-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 45 be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 45, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION EXPRESSING CONCERN OVER PERSISTENT AND CREDIBLE REPORTS OF SYSTEMATIC, STATE-SANCTIONED ORGAN HARVESTING FROM NON-CONSENTING PRISONERS OF CONSCIENCE, IN THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA, INCLUDING FROM LARGE NUMBERS OF FALUN GONG PRACTITIONERS IMPRISONED FOR THEIR RELIGIOUS BELIEFS AND MEMBERS OF OTHER RELIGIONS AND ETHNIC MINORITY GROUPS," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand.

Com. Rep. No. 1271-14), recommending that H.R. No. 47 be referred to the Committee on Health.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 47, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES AND THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO SUPPORT THE AUTHORIZATION OF THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A LONG-TERM CARE FACILITY FOR VETERANS CONTINGENT UPON THE RECEIPT OF FEDERAL FUNDS," was referred to the Committee on Health, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1272-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 68 be referred to the Committee on Health.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 68, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES AND THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO SUPPORT THE AUTHORIZATION OF THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A LONG-TERM CARE FACILITY FOR VETERANS CONTINGENT UPON THE RECEIPT OF FEDERAL FUNDS," was referred to the Committee on Health, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1273-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 167 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 167, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING A TASK FORCE TO PLAN AND COORDINATE THE CELEBRATION OF THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF THE STATE FOUNDATION ON CULTURE AND THE ARTS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Housing, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1274-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 131, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 131, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING VARIOUS GOVERNMENT ENTITIES, PRIVATE SECTOR HOUSING DEVELOPERS, AND COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS TO COLLABORATE AND PRODUCE A COMPREHENSIVE STATEWIDE HOUSING PLAN," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Aquino, for the Committee on Public Safety, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1275-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 34, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 34, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES TO WORK WITH THE HAWAII EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES ASSOCIATION AND OTHER RELEVANT ORGANIZATIONS TO PLAN AND CONSTRUCT THE HAWAII EMERGENCY RESPONDERS MEMORIAL," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Aquino, for the Committee on Public Safety, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1276-14), recommending that H.R. No. 80 be referred to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 80, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE USE OF HAWAII-BASED UNION CONTRACTORS AND WORKERS FOR STATE CORRECTIONAL FACILITY CONSTRUCTION OR RENOVATION PROJECTS," was referred to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Aquino, for the Committee on Public Safety, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1277-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 109 be referred to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 109, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE USE OF HAWAII-BASED UNION CONTRACTORS AND WORKERS FOR STATE CORRECTIONAL FACILITY CONSTRUCTION OR RENOVATION PROJECTS," was referred to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Aquino, for the Committee on Public Safety, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1278-14), recommending that H.R. No. 102, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 102, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE STATE ATTORNEY GENERAL TO CONVENE AN ANTI-GRAFFITI TASK FORCE TO DEVELOP RECOMMENDATIONS THAT ADDRESS EDUCATION AND PREVENTION, ENFORCEMENT, COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT, LEGISLATION, AND GRAFFITI REMOVAL," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Aquino, for the Committee on Public Safety, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1279-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 144, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 144, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE STATE ATTORNEY GENERAL TO CONVENE AN ANTI-GRAFFITI TASK FORCE TO DEVELOP RECOMMENDATIONS THAT ADDRESS EDUCATION AND PREVENTION, ENFORCEMENT, COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT, LEGISLATION, AND GRAFFITI REMOVAL," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Aquino, for the Committee on Public Safety, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1280-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 134, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 134, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY TO ENTER INTO A PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT FOR THE PLANNING, DESIGN, CONSTRUCTION, TURNKEY, AND FINANCING OF EXPANDED, RENOVATED, OR NEW CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES STATEWIDE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Hanohano, for the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented two reports:

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1281-14), recommending that H.R. No. 178 be referred to the Committee on Finance; and

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1282-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 226 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Saiki moved that the reports of the Committee be adopted, and that H.R. No. 178; and H.C.R. No. 226 be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Cabanilla.

Representative McDermott rose to speak in opposition to both measures, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I stand in opposition to this, particularly page 2. The apparent renunciation of U.S. citizenship would put at risk the entire safety net of services and efforts we've made to try and correct the past injustices. Everything from diabetes reduction programs, social security, aid for dependent families, on and on. That is my concern, Mr. Speaker. Thank you."

Representative Ward rose to speak in support of both measures with reservations, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I rise with strong reservations. Mr. Speaker, we're all members of the great United States, and I think this resolution that says that some of us are not a member of this great nation, I think gets a bit over the line too quickly. Mr. Speaker, it says that seven or eight of these whereases are right spot on. Hawaiian history has been neglected. Hawaiian rights have been denied. But to say now that this is a quasi-declaration of independence, I think is going a bit too fast, too much, too quickly over the line, and I think we need to slow down a little bit and be a bit more contemplative of who we are and where we're going.

"I know the roll of the Hawaiian nationality is being taken now, and all the Hawaiians who are going to vote, is being regulated since 1978 when Governor Waihee put in the Office of Hawaiian Affairs. This has always been taking place. But to precipitously put this now to where Hawaiians are no longer American citizens, I think is to jump the gun a bit. I think it's precipitous and premature to, as the former speaker said, to basically say that they are disenfranchised with the safety nets that are there until there is a nation, until there is an economy, until there is a sovereign Hawaiian nation.

"So for those reasons, Mr. Speaker, strong reservations. I think we need to think this through a bit more thoroughly, rather than in a precipitous way declaring it as it is in this resolution. Thank you."

Representative Fale rose to speak in support of both measures, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, just in support with brief remarks. Mr. Speaker, as we know with the island of Kahoolawe, and the situation that we're looking at as far as the movement towards a self-governing entity for the people of Hawaiian ancestry, Mr. Speaker, I think at least this resolution will kind of move the dialogue along further, so that we can expedite the process in which we achieve those goals.

"So I think this resolution, though there are some concerns with it, Mr. Speaker, I think it furthers the dialogue in relation to moving that conversation forward to expedite the process and achieving those goals. So for those reasons, Mr. Speaker, I support the measure."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the reports of the Committee were adopted and H.R. No. 178, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION INCLUDING HAWAIIAN NATIONALS AS A POPULATION RESIDING IN THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative McDermott voting no, and with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused; and

H.C.R. No. 226, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION INCLUDING HAWAIIAN NATIONALS AS A POPULATION RESIDING IN THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative McDermott voting no, and with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Hanohano, for the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented two reports:

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1283-14), recommending that H.R. No. 86 be referred to the Committee on Finance; and

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1284-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 120 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Saiki moved that the reports of the Committee be adopted, and that H.R. No. 86; and H.C.R. No. 120 be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Cabanilla.

Representative Tokioka rose to speak in support of both measures, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. In strong support, and I'd like to ask to insert comments into the Journal. Thank you."

Representative Tokioka's written remarks are as follows:

"These resolutions will help us get specific scientific and historical cultural data to help us make decisions when the Department of Land and Natural Resources deliberates any type of marine sanctuaries and rules."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the reports of the Committee were adopted and H.R. No. 86, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO REPORT TO THE LEGISLATURE ON THE STATUS OF EACH MARINE LIFE CONSERVATION DISTRICT," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused; and

H.C.R. No. 120, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO REPORT TO THE LEGISLATURE ON THE STATUS OF EACH MARINE LIFE CONSERVATION DISTRICT," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Hanohano, for the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented two reports:

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1285-14), recommending that H.R. No. 59 be referred to the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts; and

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1286-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 84 be referred to the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts.

Representative Saiki moved that the reports of the Committee be adopted, and that H.R. No. 59; and H.C.R. No. 84 be referred to the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, seconded by Representative Cabanilla.

Representative McKelvey rose to speak in support of both measures, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. In strong support. Just a brief comment. It was my pleasure to be able to join them on one of their outfitting voyages, and I can't think of a more worthy endeavor, especially in this time in current geopolitical history. Additional comments into the Journal as well, Mr. Speaker. Thank you very much."

Representative McKelvey's written remarks are as follows:

"Mr. Speaker, I believe that the mission of Hokule'a's Malama Honua Worldwide Voyage is a noble one. Their core message of caring for Island Earth our natural environment, children and all humankind is *pono* and should be spread around the world.

"I remember back in the day that many people thought that the crew members of the Hokule'a were *pupule* for planning the historic Hawaii-Tahiti voyage. However, the voyage was successful because it carried the fundamental values of Hawaii, such as love and caring for the land and each other and I believe this Worldwide Voyage will be successful for the same reasons.

"In addition, the voyage will be followed by numerous Hawaii schools who can integrate sailing with mathematics, science and culture. Mr. Speaker more than 100,000 students are expected to be connected online to the voyage that will offer students a look at basic life lessons, including perseverance.

"It is my hope that this worldwide voyage will serve as a catalyst for promoting education beyond the classroom and the Hawaiian holistic concept of '*Malama Honua*' or 'taking care of island earth.' I believe Nainoa Thompson put it best when asked about the voyage by saying, 'The voyage of Hokule'a is about exploration, discovery... and coming together of the diverse many so we can learn together to work toward responsible living on this island earth and then teach it to our children for their future.'"

Representative Ward rose to speak in support of both measures, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, strong support. Mr. Speaker, I know we're going to honor the crew of the Hokulea on Friday when the floor presentation is here, but I wanted people to know that if you wanted to see a piece of the Hokulea rigging, and that which is part of the koa wood that it's made, and by its master craftsman, Wright Bowman, please come to my office. My display case is part of that Hokulea tradition. It is an heirloom of my family. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the reports of the Committee were adopted and H.R. No. 59, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE STATE AND STATE ENTITIES TO SUPPORT THE HOKULE'A AND HER CREW AS THEY JOURNEY AROUND THE WORLD," was referred to the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused; and

H.C.R. No. 84, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE STATE AND STATE ENTITIES TO SUPPORT THE HOKULE'A AND HER CREW AS THEY JOURNEY AROUND THE WORLD," was referred to the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Hanohano, for the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1287-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 112 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 112, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS TO SUBMIT A REPORT TO THE LEGISLATURE REGARDING ITS POLICY TO DEVELOP RENTAL PROPERTIES FOR OCCUPANCY BY ITS BENEFICIARIES AND ENSURE THAT BENEFICIARIES MAINTAIN THEIR PLACEMENT ON THE WAITLIST FOR HOMESTEAD LEASES WHILE RESIDING IN A DEPARTMENT RENTAL," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Hanohano, for the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1288-14), recommending that H.R. No. 116, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Business.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 116, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO COLLABORATE WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND

TOURISM TO CREATE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT INITIATIVES FOR THE PERPETUATION AND USE OF NATIVE HAWAIIAN PLANTS AND RESOURCES," was referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Business, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Hanohano, for the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1289-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 155, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Business.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 155, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO COLLABORATE WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM TO CREATE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT INITIATIVES FOR THE PERPETUATION AND USE OF NATIVE HAWAIIAN PLANTS AND RESOURCES," was referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Business, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representatives Lee and Evans, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection and the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1290-14), recommending that H.R. No. 77 be referred jointly to the Committee on Economic Development & Business and the Committee on Agriculture.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.R. No. 77, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION ENDORSING AND SUPPORTING THE ALOHA+ CHALLENGE," was referred jointly to the Committee on Economic Development & Business and the Committee on Agriculture, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representatives Lee and Evans, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection and the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1291-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 104 be referred jointly to the Committee on Economic Development & Business and the Committee on Agriculture.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.C.R. No. 104, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENDORSING AND SUPPORTING THE ALOHA+ CHALLENGE," was referred jointly to the Committee on Economic Development & Business and the Committee on Agriculture, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Lee, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1292-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 207, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 207, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING AN EXAMINATION AND AUDIT OF THE ADVANCE DISPOSAL FEE PROGRAM," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Wooley, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1293-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 54 be referred jointly to the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection and the Committee on Water & Land.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.C.R. No. 54 be referred jointly to the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection and the Committee on Water & Land, seconded by Representative Cabanilla.

Representative Kawakami rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, just with some reservations. On the beautiful island of Kauai, we have many feral chickens, and in fact, many residents have come to love these chickens. In fact, on Kauai we've created sort of an industry based around these chickens with marketing in the scheme of cookies and clothing. So, with some reservations. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 54, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO EXTEND THE USE OF OVOCONTROL TO FERAL CHICKENS," was referred jointly to the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection and the Committee on Water & Land, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Wooley, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1294-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 47 be referred to the Committee on Water & Land.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 47, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO TAKE ADMINISTRATIVE ACTIONS TO PROTECT OHIA AND OTHER MYRTACEAE FAMILY PLANTS FROM THE DESTRUCTIVE RUST FUNGUS, PUCCINIA PSIDII," was referred to the Committee on Water & Land, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Choy, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1295-14), recommending that H.R. No. 105 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 105, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF SEPARATING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII SYSTEM AMONG THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA, THE COMMUNITY COLLEGES, AND THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII-WEST OAHU AND THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT HILO," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Choy, for the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1296-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 147 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 147, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF SEPARATING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII SYSTEM AMONG THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA, THE COMMUNITY COLLEGES, AND THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII-WEST OAHU AND THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT HILO," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1297-14), recommending that H.R. No. 25 be referred to the Committee on Human Services.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 25, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO ASSIST WITH INCREASING VOTER REGISTRATION AMONG YOUNG ADULTS," was referred to the Committee on Human Services, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1298-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 43 be referred to the Committee on Human Services.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 43, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO ASSIST WITH INCREASING VOTER REGISTRATION AMONG YOUNG ADULTS," was referred to the Committee on Human Services, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1299-14), recommending that H.R. No. 52 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 52, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION SUPPORTING MANDATORY KINDERGARTEN," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1300-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 78 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 78, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION SUPPORTING MANDATORY KINDERGARTEN," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1301-14), recommending that H.R. No. 174 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 174, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY ON THE COST OF ESTABLISHING PUBLIC PRESCHOOL UNDER THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1302-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 222 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 222, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY ON THE COST OF ESTABLISHING PUBLIC PRESCHOOL UNDER THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1303-14), recommending that H.R. No. 56 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 56, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO PROVIDE MORE TRANSPARENCY IN ITS MEETINGS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1304-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 82 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 82, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO PROVIDE MORE TRANSPARENCY IN ITS MEETINGS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1305-14), recommending that H.R. No. 159, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 159, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CONVENING OF A WORKING GROUP TO RECOMMEND WAYS TO REDUCE INCIDENTS OF SEPSIS AND SEPSIS DEATHS IN THE STATE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1306-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 202, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 202, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CONVENING OF A WORKING GROUP TO RECOMMEND WAYS TO REDUCE INCIDENTS OF SEPSIS AND SEPSIS DEATHS IN THE STATE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representatives McKelvey and Rhoads, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1307-14), recommending that H.R. No. 154, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.R. No. 154, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DIRECTOR OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO EXAMINE THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING A STATEWIDE ELECTRONIC REPORTING SYSTEM FOR PAWN SHOPS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representatives McKelvey and Rhoads, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1308-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 194, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.C.R. No. 194, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DIRECTOR OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO EXAMINE THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING A STATEWIDE ELECTRONIC REPORTING SYSTEM FOR PAWN SHOPS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Carroll, for the Committee on Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1309-14), recommending that H.R. No. 75 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 75, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION SUPPORTING EFFORTS BY NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS THAT ASSIST IN FINDING OPPORTUNITIES AND SOLUTIONS TO ADDRESS HOMELESSNESS IN HAWAII," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Carroll, for the Committee on Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1310-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 101 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 101, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION SUPPORTING EFFORTS BY NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS THAT ASSIST IN FINDING OPPORTUNITIES AND SOLUTIONS TO ADDRESS HOMELESSNESS IN HAWAII," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Carroll, for the Committee on Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1311-14), recommending that H.R. No. 15, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 15, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO STUDY THE CORRELATION BETWEEN SEXUAL ABUSE AND POST-TRAUMATIC STRESS DISORDER WITHIN THE STATE'S FEMALE PRISON POPULATION," was referred to the Committee on Public Safety, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Carroll, for the Committee on Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1312-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 59, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 59, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO STUDY THE CORRELATION BETWEEN SEXUAL ABUSE AND POST-TRAUMATIC STRESS DISORDER WITHIN THE STATE'S FEMALE PRISON POPULATION," was referred to the Committee on Public Safety, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Carroll, for the Committee on Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1313-14), recommending that H.R. No. 193 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 193, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE EXECUTIVE OFFICE ON AGING TO INVENTORY THE ELDERLY SERVICES AND FAMILY AND ELDERLY DEMOGRAPHICS OF THE ISLANDS OF MOLOKAI AND LANAI AND THE EAST MAUI AREA," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Carroll, for the Committee on Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1314-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 244 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 244, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE EXECUTIVE OFFICE ON AGING TO INVENTORY THE ELDERLY SERVICES AND FAMILY AND ELDERLY DEMOGRAPHICS OF THE ISLANDS OF MOLOKAI AND LANAI AND THE EAST MAUI AREA," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Carroll, for the Committee on Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1315-14), recommending that H.R. No. 166 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R.

No. 166, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE STATE OF HAWAII TO ADDRESS RAPIDLY GROWING INCOME INEQUALITY IN HAWAII," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Carroll, for the Committee on Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1316-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 211 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 211, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE STATE OF HAWAII TO ADDRESS RAPIDLY GROWING INCOME INEQUALITY IN HAWAII," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Carroll, for the Committee on Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1317-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 31, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 31, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO CONDUCT A STUDY OF THE BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICES IN ADULT CARE HOMES," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Carroll, for the Committee on Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1318-14), recommending that H.R. No. 126 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 126, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AND DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS TO CONDUCT A REVIEW, BY COUNTY, OF THE STATE'S WORKFORCE REQUIREMENTS FOR PROFESSIONAL AND PARAPROFESSIONAL ELDER CARE PARTNERS FOR THE NEXT DECADE IN ORDER TO ADDRESS THE NEED FOR CARE OF HAWAII'S RAPIDLY GROWING ELDERLY POPULATION," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Carroll, for the Committee on Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1319-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 166 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 166, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AND DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS TO CONDUCT A REVIEW, BY COUNTY, OF THE STATE'S WORKFORCE REQUIREMENTS FOR PROFESSIONAL AND PARAPROFESSIONAL ELDER CARE PARTNERS FOR THE NEXT DECADE IN ORDER TO ADDRESS THE NEED FOR CARE OF HAWAII'S RAPIDLY GROWING ELDERLY POPULATION," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representatives Wooley and Tsuji, for the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Economic Development & Business, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1320-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 92 be referred to the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.C.R. No. 92, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION DECLARING MARCH AS LOCALICIOUS HAWAII MONTH," was

referred to the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Wooley, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1321-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 243, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Water & Land.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 243, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO SPECIFICALLY ADDRESS THE REQUEST BY HAWAIIAN HOMESTEAD FARMERS AND OTHER USERS RELATING TO THE MOLOKAI IRRIGATION SYSTEM IN THE DEPARTMENT'S AGRICULTURAL WATER USE AND DEVELOPMENT PLAN," was referred to the Committee on Water & Land, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1322-14), recommending that H.R. No. 29, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 29, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CONVENING OF A TASK FORCE TO DEVELOP RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A REGULATED STATEWIDE DISPENSARY SYSTEM FOR MEDICAL MARIJUANA," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1323-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 48, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 48, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CONVENING OF A TASK FORCE TO DEVELOP RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A REGULATED STATEWIDE DISPENSARY SYSTEM FOR MEDICAL MARIJUANA," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Evans, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1324-14), recommending that H.R. No. 179 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 179, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A FINANCIAL REPORT FROM THE AHA MOKU ADVISORY COMMITTEE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Evans, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1325-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 228 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 228, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO CONDUCT A STUDY ON THE EXISTENCE OF SANDALWOOD ON THE MAJOR HAWAIIAN ISLANDS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Brower, for the Committee on Tourism, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1326-14), recommending that H.R. No. 130 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 130, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE COUNTY COUNCILS TO ENACT LEGISLATION THAT ADDRESSES THE CONCERNS ASSOCIATED WITH THE CONVERSION OF HAWAII'S TRADITIONAL RESORT HOTEL ROOMS INTO CONDOMINIUMS, CONDOMINIUM HOTELS, TIMESHARES, OR INDIVIDUAL VACATION UNITS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Brower, for the Committee on Tourism, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1327-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 171 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 171, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE COUNTY COUNCILS TO ENACT LEGISLATION THAT ADDRESSES THE CONCERNS ASSOCIATED WITH THE CONVERSION OF HAWAII'S TRADITIONAL RESORT HOTEL ROOMS INTO CONDOMINIUMS, CONDOMINIUM HOTELS, TIMESHARES, OR INDIVIDUAL VACATION UNITS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Evans, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1328-14), recommending that H.R. No. 61, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 61, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII INVASIVE SPECIES COUNCIL TO PROVIDE OPPORTUNITIES FOR VARIOUS STAKEHOLDERS TO PROVIDE INPUT REGARDING THE CONTROL OF INVASIVE ALBIZIA TREES," was referred to the Committee on Agriculture, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Evans, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1329-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 86, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 86, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII INVASIVE SPECIES COUNCIL TO PROVIDE OPPORTUNITIES FOR VARIOUS STAKEHOLDERS TO PROVIDE INPUT REGARDING THE CONTROL OF INVASIVE ALBIZIA TREES," was referred to the Committee on Agriculture, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Evans, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1330-14), recommending that H.R. No. 71, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 71, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING AN AUDIT OF THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY'S METHOD AND PROCESS FOR DETERMINING IMPACT ON AND ADEQUACY OF INFRASTRUCTURE FACILITIES FOR DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS IN A COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT AND THE ROLE OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU IN THAT DETERMINATION," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Evans, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1331-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 97, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R.

No. 97, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING AN AUDIT OF THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY'S METHOD AND PROCESS FOR DETERMINING IMPACT ON AND ADEQUACY OF INFRASTRUCTURE FACILITIES FOR DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS IN A COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT AND THE ROLE OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU IN THAT DETERMINATION," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Evans, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1332-14), recommending that H.R. No. 70, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 70, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO FIND A SHORT-TERM SOLUTION TO PROVIDE PARKING AND SECURITY PERSONNEL FOR THE MAUNAWILI FALLS TRAILHEAD," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Evans, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1333-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 96, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 96, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO FIND A SHORT-TERM SOLUTION TO PROVIDE PARKING AND SECURITY PERSONNEL FOR THE MAUNAWILI FALLS TRAILHEAD," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Evans, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1334-14), recommending that H.R. No. 46, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 46, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO INCREASE AIR AND WATER QUALITY MONITORING EFFORTS RELATING TO GEOTHERMAL RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Evans, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1335-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 67, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 67, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO INCREASE AIR AND WATER QUALITY MONITORING EFFORTS RELATING TO GEOTHERMAL RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Evans, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1336-14), recommending that H.R. No. 81, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 81, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DIRECTOR OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM TO ESTABLISH A WORKING GROUP TO RECOMMEND LEGISLATION OR CHANGES TO ADMINISTRATIVE RULES TO DEVELOP CONTRACTUAL OBLIGATIONS BETWEEN THE STATE

AND COMMUNICATION AND TELECOMMUNICATION SERVICE PROVIDERS AS TO THE USE OF PUBLIC LANDS FOR COMMUNICATION AND TELECOMMUNICATION INFRASTRUCTURE," was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representative Evans, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1337-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 110, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 110, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DIRECTOR OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM TO ESTABLISH A WORKING GROUP TO RECOMMEND LEGISLATION OR CHANGES TO ADMINISTRATIVE RULES TO DEVELOP CONTRACTUAL OBLIGATIONS BETWEEN THE STATE AND COMMUNICATION AND TELECOMMUNICATION SERVICE PROVIDERS AS TO THE USE OF PUBLIC LANDS FOR COMMUNICATION AND TELECOMMUNICATION INFRASTRUCTURE," was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representatives Rhoads and McKelvey, for the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1338-14), recommending that H.R. No. 49, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.R. No. 49, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO CONDUCT A COMPARATIVE STUDY OF STATES CONCERNING THE COSTS AND METHODS OF PUBLICIZING REQUIRED STATUTORY LEGAL NOTICES PAID FOR WITH PUBLIC FUNDS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

Representatives Rhoads and McKelvey, for the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1339-14), recommending that H.C.R. No. 72, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Cabanilla and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.C.R. No. 72, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO CONDUCT A COMPARATIVE STUDY OF STATES CONCERNING THE COSTS AND METHODS OF PUBLICIZING REQUIRED STATUTORY LEGAL NOTICES PAID FOR WITH PUBLIC FUNDS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Har and Yamane being excused.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

The following measures were re-referred to committee by the Speaker:

<u>H.R.</u> <u>Nos.</u>	<u>Re-referred to:</u>
32	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection
64, HD1	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
74	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance

92	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
107	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
157	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
167, HD1	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce

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Nos.

Re-referred to:

49	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection
66	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
89, HD1	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
100	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
127	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
149	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
197	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
212, HD1	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce

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At this time, the Chair stated:

"We will stand in recess for the purpose of convening a Joint Session in the House Chambers at 2 p.m. So we will stand in recess until 2 p.m., and we will continue on Thursday, March 27, at 12 noon. So the House will stand in recess and we will convene at 2 p.m."

At 12:30 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess and the House of Representatives stood in recess, subject to the call of the Chair, and in accordance with House Concurrent Resolution No. 29, met in Joint Session with the Senate, for the Hawaii Medal of Honor Ceremony.

JOINT SESSION

The Joint Session of the House of Representatives and the Senate of the Twenty-Seventh Legislature was called to order at 2:06 o'clock p.m., by the Honorable Joseph M. Souki, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker addressed the Chamber, stating:

"The Joint Session called pursuant to a concurrent resolution adopted by the Members of the Senate and the Members of the House is called to order.

"On behalf of the Senate President and all the Members of the Hawaii State Legislature, we honor members of the armed forces of the United States with ties to Hawaii who fought and died bravely in a combat zone designated by Presidential Order."

At this time, the Members of the House of Representatives and the Senate, guests and audience rose for the Hawaiian Blessing which was delivered by Kahu Kordell C. L. Kekoa, followed by the presentation of our Nation's and our State's Colors by the Joint Service Color Guard and

the Hawaii Air National Guard Royal Guard. The singing of the National Anthem and *Hawaii Pono'i* was then led by Mr. Richard Ah Lee Sam III.

Speaker Souki then addressed the Members, guests and audience as follows:

"Mahalo Joint Service Color Guard, Royal Guard and Mr. Ah Lee Sam. Your participation in today's ceremony is greatly appreciated.

"Good afternoon honored guests, ladies and gentleman. On behalf of the Members of the Hawaii State Senate and the House of Representatives, I extend to all a warm *aloha*, and a special *aloha* to the families of those servicemen we honor today. Some of you have traveled a long way to be here, and we are humbled and honored by your presence.

"For the last eight years, the Hawaii State Legislature has gathered in Joint Session to recognize the recipients of the Hawaii Medal of Honor. The Medal of Honor is Hawaii's expression of gratitude to those who gave their lives in the service of their nation. These citizens put themselves in harm's way, so that we could live our lives without the threat of harm. Under extraordinary circumstances, they display extraordinary courage. In the face of that kind of sacrifice, we are all humbled.

"Clearly, these four individuals and their families, whom we recognize today, honor us by their courage and commitment to freedom and their country. We honor them, not by just awarding them these medals, but by remembering why our way of life was so important to them. That we take part in the freedoms that cost them so much. And more importantly, that we take responsibility to ensure that freedom is passed on to future generations.

"At the end of the day, it is not how they died that is important to remember, but how they lived and what they valued most. To the families of our honorees, please accept this Medal of Honor ceremony as a small token of our appreciation and admiration and our gratitude. It seems like so little in the face of such great debt. But to all of you, from the bottom of our hearts, thank you."

At this time, the Speaker introduced the following state, congressional and military leaders seated on the Floor of the House:

The Honorable Neil Abercrombie, Governor of the State of Hawaii;

The Honorable Mark Recktenwald, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Hawaii;

The Honorable Shan Tsutsui, Lieutenant Governor of the State of Hawaii;

Representing the Honorable Brian Schatz, United States Senator: Ms. JoAnne Fittante;

Representing the Honorable Mazie Hirono, United States Senator: Mr. Alan Yamamoto;

Representing the Honorable Colleen Hanabusa, United States Congresswoman: Mr. Kamakana Kaimulua;

Representing the Honorable Tulsi Gabbard, United States Congresswoman: Retired Colonel Walt Kaneakua;

Mr. Allen Hoe, Civilian Aide to the Secretary of the Army;

Major General Darryll D.M. Wong, the Adjutant General, Hawaii Department of Defense;

Representing the United States Pacific Air Forces and General Herbert Carlisle: Major General Kevin Pottinger;

Representing the United States Army Pacific and General Vincent Brooks: Major General Gary Hara;

Rear Admiral Cari Thomas, Commander, U.S. Coast Guard, Fourteenth District, and Mr. Gary Thomas;

Rear Admiral Richard Williams, Commander, Navy Region Hawaii, and Mrs. Suzy Williams;

Brigadier General Stanley Osserman, Commander, Hawaii Air National Guard;

Brigadier General Bruce Oliveira, Commander, Hawaii Army National Guard;

Brigadier General Dennis Doyle, Commanding General, Tripler Army Medical Center;

Representing United States Marine Forces Pacific and Lieutenant General Terry Robling: Colonel Darric Knight and Sergeant Major William Sweet;

Representing the 8th Theater Sustainment Command and Major General Stephen Lyons: Colonel Robert Knock;

Representing the 9th Mission Support Command and Brigadier General John Cardwell: Colonel John Ellis;

Command Chief Master Sergeant Robert Lee, Senior Enlisted Officer, Hawaii National Guard; and

Command Sergeant Major Dana Wingad, Senior Enlisted Officer, Hawaii Army National Guard.

The Speaker also acknowledged and thanked Representative K. Mark Takai for proposing this ceremony many years ago as Hawaii's way, as a state, to say, 'Thank you.'

Speaker Souki then called upon the Honorable Neil Abercrombie to deliver his remarks as follows:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. *Aloha*, everyone. Mr. Speaker, as you mentioned, we have had this ceremony for a little less than a decade now. Some Members, I believe, have been here virtually all of that time. Some may be new to this ceremony. I suppose it is of some interest in an academic sense that we are hoping that the numbers continue to diminish in terms of those who will be respected and recognized and honored today.

"It is, again, perhaps of academic interest that we hope that the ceremony may in fact not need to be held at some point in the near future. It is, of course, of deeply personal and emotional interest to all of us and to all the people of the state that the ceremony is held at all. Because it has taken place over the better part of a decade, I suspect that we may be able to categorize it at the level of a ritual that we gather together in every session, at some point during the session, to see to it that the recognition takes place.

"Human beings distinguish themselves by engaging in such ritual. We have as a result of our capacity to make judgments about ourselves and about our lives, and how we conduct ourselves, and what we value in terms of how we recognize one another, we understand that such rituals then are essential. They take place not simply because they are repetitive and familiar to us, but we engage in them because it gives us a visceral reminder of who we are, and why we do what we do. Particularly for those of us who are on the margins of what these families have experienced, and what the individuals honored today have sacrificed.

"By coincidence, just this past weekend there was the 71st anniversary observation of the sacrifices that were made voluntarily by those who were in World War II with the 442nd and the attendant battalions and outfits that were associated with World War II, with December 7th, 1941 and its aftermath. Again, it served as a reminder of what constitutes our fundamental values.

"So, for all of us here today, I want to take the opportunity to say to the families, that we are one with you in support. We are one with you in understanding that what you have given, and what your loved ones have given, brings honor to those best features of ourselves as human beings.

"In my years as a member of the Armed Services Committee, and in my present capacity as Commander in Chief of the National Guard, I've had occasion on more than one instance, such as this, to be caused to reflect on what it is that we truly value. And more than once in that time, my reference has gone to Shakespeare and his observations, particularly where the question of courage, where the question of honor, where the question of valor was at issue.

"I would like to extend on behalf of all here to the families, this quotation from *The Tempest*. 'I and my fellows are ministers of fate. The elements, of whom your swords are tempered, may as well wound the loud winds, or with bemocked-at stabs kill the still-closing waters, as diminish one feather that's in my plume. My fellow ministers are like invulnerable.'

"The temporal existence of those we honor today may have passed, but our memories, and our honor, and our respect, are like invulnerable."

Speaker Souki then called upon Major General Darryll Wong to deliver his remarks on behalf of the military as follows:

"Governor Abercrombie, Lieutenant Governor Tsutsui, Senate President Mercado Kim, Speaker Souki, Members of the State Legislature, fellow flag officers and members of the armed services here, family and friends of our honored heroes, good afternoon and *aloha*. We are here today for an important and a solemn ceremony. One that we can only hope, as the Governor said, will be held for the last time.

"Our nation has been engaged in continuous combat for the past 12 years. The Hawaii State Medal of Honor was conceived to honor those who gave their lives serving in Iraq, Afghanistan, and neighboring countries over these past 12.5 years. We still do not know how many American forces will remain in Afghanistan after December of this year. The only thing we know at this time for sure is that the number of US servicemen and women deploying to contingencies, after this year, will be significantly smaller than today.

"As one of the leaders in the Hawaii National Guard, and more important, as a resident and as a father, I look forward to the day when all of our Hawaii-based troops are safely home. We still have Hawaii National Guardsmen deployed flying CH-47 helicopter missions, as well as soldiers flying surveillance aircraft. And it was one of these missions in January that Hawaii Army National Guard soldier, Sergeant Drew Scobie, paid the ultimate price. His widow McKenna and son Duke and many others of their family are here with us today. Visiting McKenna was the most difficult task I've ever had to perform in my four decades of service in uniform, and especially as the Adjutant General this year. Yet, that task pales in comparison to the burden of a family that has lost a loved one.

"The presentation of this Medal of Honor is but a small token that we, collectively as a state, can bestow to provide some closure to these families who are with us today. We resolve to ensure that these families shall always be part of our state family, and the sacrifice made by their loved ones will always be remembered.

"This ceremony is a culmination of efforts of many, and as a precursor to what I hope will be our last ceremony, I'd like to especially thank two gentlemen for their actions that made this ceremony possible. The first has already been recognized by our Governor, Representative Mark Takai, who's also a Lieutenant Colonel in the Hawaii Army National Guard. He was the Casualty Assistance Officer for the family of our first Hawaii National Guard casualty in Iraq. And shortly after that, he proposed the establishment of the State Medal of Honor. His office has been instrumental in the coordination of this, and of all previous ceremonies.

"The second is Specialist First Class retired Aaron Pollick, who retired from the Hawaii Army National Guard just a few months ago. Aaron was the principal designer of the State Medal of Honor. He drew upon his vast

knowledge of the military and Hawaiian history to design a fitting tribute to Hawaii's heroes.

"The gold star in the Hawaii State Medal Coat of Arms represents the star of the 50th state on the American flag, but is also a reminder of the gold star displayed in the windows of American homes from past conflicts. The attachment device in the red and yellow ribbon is a rendering of the ancient *puela*, or flag that Hawaiians raised above the sails of their canoes. Anyone who saw the *puela* from afar knew that a person of the highest rank was coming. Today, the service ribbon and its *puela* reminds us that these families are of the highest rank and honor. The *kalo* or taro leaves in the medal symbolize the embrace of the people of Hawaii as one *'ohana*.

"Today, when relatively few Americans have family members in uniform, when even fewer have lost a loved one, there may be times when you may feel all alone, that no one understands your pain, and that few appreciate the ultimate sacrifice that your husband, father, son, brother, daughter, has made on our behalf. Although none of us can truly feel the pain of your loss, the one thing you can be sure of is that you're not alone.

"It doesn't matter whether a sailor, soldier, airman, marine or coast guardsman grew up in Hawaii or called Hawaii home for a short period of time. They are a part of the fabric of this community. And it doesn't matter whether the families of our heroes were from Hawaii or from the mainland. Your loss is our loss.

"So it is with great humility that we present these Medals of Honor to these families who are, and always will be, a part of our *'ohana. Mahalo.*"

At this time, the Speaker of the House and the President of the Senate presented the Hawaii Medal of Honor. The Clerk of the House announced the names of the Hawaii Medal of Honor recipients, which was followed by the ringing of the memorial bell.

United States Army Sergeant Tofiga J. Tautolo.

Sergeant Tautolo was 23. He was born in Pago Pago, American Samoa and was from Waianae, Hawaii. He served with the 3rd Squadron, 61st Cavalry Regiment, 4th Brigade Combat Team, 4th Infantry Division from Fort Carson, Colorado. Here to receive his medal were his father, Foai Thomas Tautolo, and his stepmother, Tia Tautolo.

United States Air Force Captain Reid K. Nishizuka.

Captain Nishizuka was 30. He was from Kailua, Hawaii and served with the 427th Reconnaissance Squadron from Beale Air Force Base, California. Here to receive his medal were his mother, Karyn Hatakeyama, his stepfather, Deane Hatakeyama, and his brother, Reyn Nishizuka.

United States Army Sergeant Drew M. Scobie.

Sergeant Scobie was 25. He was from Kailua, Hawaii and joined the Hawaii Army National Guard in 2009. He served with the Headquarters and Headquarters Battery, 1st Battalion, 487th Field Artillery from Wahiawa, Hawaii. Here to receive his medal were his wife, McKenna Panui-Scobie, his son, Duke Scobie, and his mother, Karen Tao.

United States Army Chief Warrant Officer 2 Edward Balli.

Chief Warrant Officer Balli was 42. He was from Kapolei, Hawaii and served with the Headquarters and Headquarters Troop, 2nd Cavalry Regiment, United States Army Europe from Vilseck, Germany. Here to receive his medal were his wife, Kristy Balli, his daughter, Momilani Morales, and his son, Michael Donios.

The Clerk of the Senate proceeded to read the names of Hawaii Medal of Honor recipients honored in previous years whose Gold Star Families were present:

United States Army Sergeant Eugene Williams.

Sergeant Williams was 24. He was from Waipahu, Hawaii and served with the 2nd Battalion, 7th Infantry Regiment, 3rd Infantry Division from Fort Stewart, Georgia. Here were his wife, Brandy Williams, and his daughters, Mya and Monica Williams.

United States Army First Lieutenant Nainoa K. Hoe.
First Lieutenant Hoe was 27. He was from Kailua, Oahu and served with the 3rd Battalion, 21st Infantry Regiment, 1st Brigade, 25th Infantry Division from Fort Lewis, Washington. Here was his father, Allen Hoe.

United States Navy Lieutenant Commander Morgan C. Tulang.
Lieutenant Commander Tulang was 36. He was from Hilo, Hawaii and served with the US Central Command Deployment Distribution Operations Center in Kuwait City, Kuwait. Here was his father, Michael Tulang.

United States Army Sergeant Alexander U. Gagalac.
Sergeant Gagalac was 28. He was from Wahiawa, Hawaii and served with the 2nd Battalion, 27th Infantry Regiment, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 25th Infantry Division from Schofield Barracks. Here were his parents, Regina and Fabian Gagalac, and his aunt, Eduviges Ugale.

United States Army First Lieutenant Jonathan P. Brostrom.
First Lieutenant Brostrom was 24. He was from Aiea, Hawaii and served with the 2nd Battalion, 503rd Infantry Regiment (Airborne), 173rd Airborne Brigade Combat Team, from Vicenza, Italy. Here were his parents, David and Mary Jo Brostrom.

United States Army Staff Sergeant Randy S. Agno.
Staff Sergeant Agno was 29. He was from Pearl City, Hawaii and served with the 325th Brigade Support Battalion, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 25th Infantry Division from Schofield Barracks, Hawaii. Here was his mother, Fe Suyat.

United States Army Staff Sergeant James M. Christen.
Staff Sergeant Christen was 29. He was from Loomis, California and served with the 2nd Battalion, 27th Infantry Regiment, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 25th Infantry Division from Schofield Barracks, Hawaii. Here was his wife, Lauren Christen.

United States Navy Senior Chief Petty Officer Kraig M. Vickers.
Senior Chief Petty Officer Vickers was 36. He was from Kokomo, Hawaii and a graduate of Maui High School. He was a Navy explosive ordnance disposal specialist and served with an East Coast-based Navy SEAL Team. Here were his wife, Nani Vickers, his daughter, Kaleinani, his mother, Mary Vickers, and his father-in-law, George Flores.

United States Marine Corps Lance Corporal Christopher L. Camero.
Lance Corporal Camero was 19. He was from Kailua-Kona, Hawaii and served with the 3rd Battalion, 4th Marines, 1st Marine Division, 1st Marine Expeditionary Force from Twentynine Palms, California. Here were his parents, Carlos and Norma Camero, and his cousin, Frances Chesta.

United States Army Chief Warrant Officer 2 Don C. Viray.
Chief Warrant Officer Viray was 25. He was from Waipahu, Hawaii and served with the 2nd Battalion, 25th Aviation Regiment, 25th Infantry Division, from Wheeler Army Airfield, Hawaii. Here were his parents, Leodindo and Luz Viray, and his sister, Sherry Anne Viray.

President Kim then gave her closing remarks as follows:

"Thank you, all of you, for being a part of this ceremony of our fallen heroes. The citizens we honor today answered the nation's call to duty. They volunteered to fight our battles, to put themselves in harm's way, to leave behind families, friends and the comforts of home, to serve our country. They made the greatest sacrifice any citizen could. So we mourn this loss. We join in expressing our gratitude to the families and loved ones they left behind.

"Hawaii is indebted to those of you here today for being a part of our island community, and for the many personal sacrifices you have made and continue to make. The medals we presented are symbols of our recognition of the gallantry and heroism of the individuals we honored this afternoon. They represent the spirit of *aloha* of the people of Hawaii. A spirit we hope you take with you wherever your future lies, and which we hope will endure in your hearts for years to come.

"They symbolize, above all, our deepest appreciation of our founding ideals and what it took to defend them. *Mahalo nui loa*, may your journeys be safe, secure, and filled with the blessings of *aloha*.

"And now, Members of the Senate and House, our special guests and audience, please rise as I turn your attention outside to the Capitol rotunda for the Three-Volley Salute and the playing of Taps, which will be followed by a moment of silence in honor of our fallen heroes. Members of the Hickam Base Honor Guard, please proceed."

At this time, Members of the Hickam Base Honor Guard proceeded with a Three-Volley Salute and the playing of Taps outside the House Chamber in the Capitol Rotunda, which was then followed by a moment of silence.

The President of the Senate then called on the Joint Service Color Guard and the Hawaii Air National Guard Royal Guard for the retiring of the Colors, and at 3:00 o'clock p.m., declared the Joint Session of the House of Representatives and the Senate adjourned.

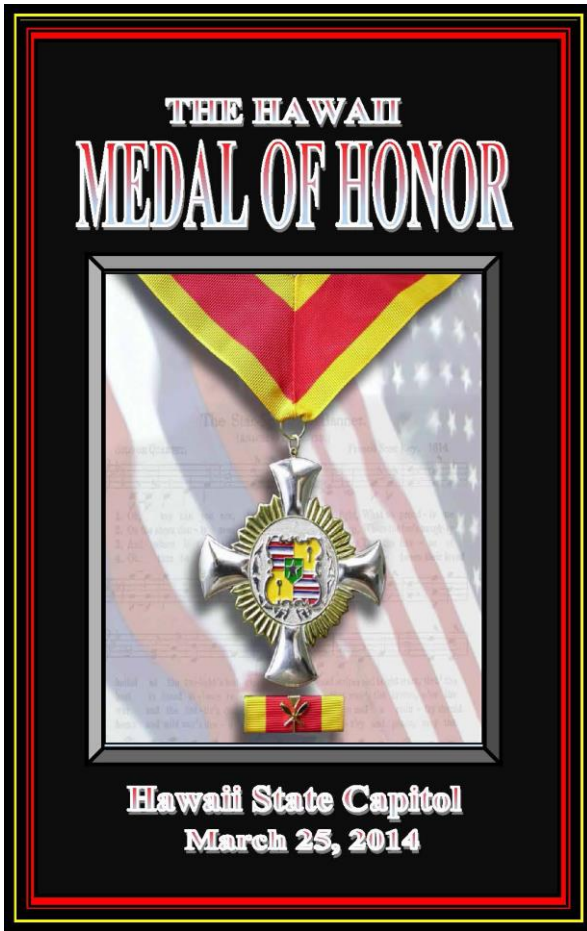
ADJOURNMENT

At 12:00 o'clock midnight, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon, Thursday, March 27, 2014.

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

House Communication dated March 25, 2014, from Brian L. Takeshita, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, to the Honorable President and Members of the Senate, informing the Senate that the House has disagreed to the amendments made by the Senate to the following measures:

H.B. No. 1678, HD 1, SD 1
H.B. No. 2320, HD 1, SD 1
H.B. No. 2656, HD 1, SD 1



2014 RECIPIENTS

- United States Army Sergeant Tofiga J. Tautolo
- United States Air Force Captain Reid K. Nishizuka
- United States Army Sergeant Drew M. Scobie
- United States Army Chief Warrant Officer 2 Edward Balli

SYMBOLISM OF THE HAWAII MEDAL OF HONOR

The Hawaii Medal of Honor was designed by Sergeant First Class Aaron Pollick from the Hawaii Army National Guard. This medal consists of the following six components, superimposed on each other:

Circle of Kalo Leaves: The kalo leaves represent the family or Ohana. The leaves are designed in an encircled fashion and represents the concept of Ohana, which we strive to embrace.

Coat of Arms: The Great Shield is the keystone of the design. The eight bars represent the eight major islands of the State of Hawaii. The kapu sticks, or Pulo'ulo'u, symbolize authority and protection. The star in the center of the medallion is the Star of Hawaii, the 50th star on the flag of the United States. This star also represents the honorees of this prestigious award.

Maltese Cross: The Maltese Cross represents the four directional axes of the globe, denoting Hawaii as the Crossroads of the Pacific.

Sun Rays: The irradiant sun is symbolic of the new era. Its position in the center of the Maltese Cross represents our sunny shores and warm hearts ever shining on all the corners of the world.

The Neck Drape: The neck drape is red and golden yellow in color. These colors symbolize the royal monarchy that once ruled these islands. The red represents courage and strength. The golden yellow depicts the honor that the recipients have brought to our islands.

Service Ribbon & Attachment: The service ribbon represents distinguished service. Its colors are identical to the colors of the neck drape. The attachment device at the middle of the ribbon is an ancient flag or puela of Hawaiian Chiefs. In olden times, the puela was raised above the sail of the ancient Hawaiians' canoes while at sea. Our puela signifies that the person receiving this medal is of high rank or honor.

HAWAII MEDAL OF HONOR PROGRAM

**JOINT SESSION OF
THE HAWAII STATE LEGISLATURE
HOUSE CHAMBERS
TUESDAY, MARCH 25, 2014 ~ 2:00 PM**

Call to Order	House Speaker Joseph M. Souki
Hawaiian Blessing	Kahu Kordell C. L. Kekoa Chaplain, Kamehameha Schools
Posting of the Colors	United States Pacific Command Joint Service Color Guard Hawaii Air National Guard Royal Guard
National Anthem & Hawaii Pono'i	Richard Ah Lee Sam, III
Welcome & Introduction of Guests	House Speaker Joseph M. Souki
Governor's Message	Governor Neil Abercrombie
Military Address	Major General Darryll D.M. Wong
Hawaii Medal of Honor Presentation	House Speaker Joseph M. Souki Senate President Donna Mercado Kim Governor Neil Abercrombie Major General Darryll D.M. Wong
Presentation of Certificates	Representative Mark Takai Senator Will Espero Lieutenant Governor Shan S. Tsutsui
Rendering of Honors	Joint Base Pearl Harbor Hickam Navy Detachment Honor Guard
Closing Remarks	Senate President Donna Mercado Kim
3-Volley Salute	Hickam Honor Guard
Taps	Marine Forces Pacific Band
Retiring of the Colors	

From House Bill 8, designated as Act 21, Session Laws of Hawaii 2005:

"The purpose of this Act is to provide for a Hawaii Medal of Honor that would help express the deep appreciation and gratitude of the People of Hawaii to the loved ones of members of the military who sacrificed their lives in defense of our nation and its freedoms."

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- Joan Yamaguchi, House Majority Staff Office & her staff
- Ms. Ernestine Pratt, Chief, Hawaii Casualty Assistance Center
- Ms. Agnes Tauyan, Navy Region Hawaii
- Mr. Peter Swainson, Marine Corps Base Hawaii
- CWO3 Alfred Sprung, Marine Corps Base Hawaii
- Minnie Allen, United States Air Force
- Mr. Leighton Siu
- Sergeant First Class Aaron R. Pollick
- Kent Untermaann & Suzette Torres, Pictures Plus
- Rose Lee
- Ty & Cindy Tamanaha, Awardline
- Elisia Lukasik, United States Pacific Command
- Pearl Harbor Historic Sites
- Paul DePrey, World War II Valor in the Pacific National Monument
- Gerald Hofwolt, USS Bowfin Submarine Museum & Park
- Michael Carr, Battleship Missouri Memorial
- Kenneth DeHoff, Pacific Aviation Museum Pearl Harbor
- Lucy Lau, Hale Koa Hotel
- Shaun Singh, Polynesian Cultural Center
- George Sziget & Brandon Barbour, Hawaii Lodging & Tourism Association
- Sidney Louie, Morris Visitor Publication
- Gail Mukaihata Hannemann & Lila Frisbee, Girl Scouts of Hawaii
- Glenn Booth, Capitol TV

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