

FORTIETH DAY

Thursday, March 27, 2014

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Seventh Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2014, convened at 12:08 o'clock p.m., with Vice Speaker Mizuno presiding.

The invocation was delivered by The Reverend Diane Martinson of St. Peter's Episcopal Church, after which the Roll was called showing all Members present with the exception of Representatives Carroll, Har, Ing, Saiki, Woodson and Yamane, who were excused.

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

INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative Rhoads introduced Mr. Don Hikose and the McKinley Community School for Adults.

Representative Kawakami introduced Luke Rita, Boys and Girls Club of Kauai, Kapaa Clubhouse.

Representative Tokioka introduced Grace Peralta, Boys and Girls Club of Kauai, Lihue Clubhouse.

Representative Awana introduced Mr. Kekoa Tupua, Nanakuli Clubhouse Program Director; and Ms. Lala Fernandez, Nanakuli Clubhouse Director.

Representative Nakashima introduced Ms. Ayako Nishimaki, a visitor from Chiba Japan, a WWOOFer, the World Wide Opportunities on Organic Farms; and Representative's staff, Ms. Koco Conner.

Representative Souki introduced Councilman Donald Couch from Kihei, Maui, with the Boys and Girls Club.

Representative Jordan introduced Kamalani Kauai, Boys and Girls Club of Hawaii, Waianae Clubhouse.

Representative Ward introduced Mr. Mark Fox from the Nature Conservancy.

Representative Morikawa introduced Mr. Christian Naea, Boys and Girls Club of Kauai, Kapaa Clubhouse.

At 12:17 o'clock p.m., Representative Souki requested a recess and the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:18 o'clock p.m.

ORDER OF THE DAY

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS
(FLOOR PRESENTATIONS)

The following resolution (H.R. No. 212) was announced by the Clerk and the following action taken:

H.R. No. 212, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE HONOREES AND DISTINGUISHED FINALISTS OF THE BOYS AND GIRLS CLUBS – STATE OF HAWAII'S 2014 YOUTH OF THE YEAR AWARDS," was jointly offered by Representatives McKelvey and Belatti.

Representative McKelvey moved that H.R. No. 212 be adopted, seconded by Representative Belatti.

Representative McKelvey recognized the Boys and Girls Club of Hawaii for providing a safe, supportive, non-judgmental, nurturing and supervised environment for our *keiki* where they interact with positive role models and learn the values and skills that promote a successful future, and commended their annual America Youth of the Year Award.

Representative Belatti congratulated and introduced Youth of the Year Finalists seated on the Floor of the House:

Mason Aquino, Boys and Girls Club of Maui, Central Clubhouse;
Benjamin Cortez Jr., Boys and Girls Club of Big Island, Hilo Clubhouse;
Joy Gabriel, Boys and Girls Club of Hawaii, Hale Pono Ewa Beach Clubhouse;
Alexis Brodie, United States Army Garrison – Hawaii Schofield Barracks Bennett Youth Center; and
Preston Colon, Joint Base Pearl Harbor – Hickam Teen Center.

Representative Belatti also introduced Youth of the Year honorees seated in the gallery:

Aaron Naea, Lahaina Clubhouse;
Angela Gabriel, Hale Pono Ewa Beach Clubhouse;
Grace Peralta, Lihue Clubhouse;
Jaime Gomes, Makawao Clubhouse;
Ja-zjah Yahiku Young, Waianae Clubhouse;
Jenasey Namba, Hilo Clubhouse;
Kamalani Kauai, Waianae Clubhouse;
Katherine Lundgren-Aiwohi, Nanakuli Clubhouse;
Luke Rita, Kapaa Clubhouse;
Themlyn Aisek, Spalding Clubhouse;
Tia Bright, Haiku Clubhouse; and
Tyler Nahiku, Hilo Clubhouse.

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and H.R. No. 212 was adopted, with Representatives Har, Ing, Johanson, Luke, Saiki, Takai, Woodson and Yamane being excused.

At 12:26 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:34 o'clock p.m.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Hashem: "Mr. Speaker, the Niu Valley Middle School music program will be honored tomorrow on the Floor in the House and also in the Senate. They will be performing in the rotunda tomorrow, starting from 9:45 a.m. So, Members, please look forward to that. Thank you."

Representative Nishimoto: "I do want to announce a birthday we have in our Chamber. Our Labor Chair and our Representative from District 1's birthday is today. So can you please join me in wishing him a happy birthday? He looks a very spry and young 59."

At this time, the Chair announced:

"Governor Ben Cayetano's son has passed away, Brandon. So Members, could we have a moment of silence? Could you please rise and at this time, Governor Ben Cayetano's son, Brandon, if we can please have a moment of silence."

At this time, the Members of the House of Representatives stood for a moment of silence in honor of the late Brandon Cayetano.

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

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

H.R.**Nos.****Re-referred to:**

16 Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
78, Committee on Water & Land, then to the Committee on
HD1 Finance
162 Committee on Finance
191 Committee on Water & Land

H.C.R.**Nos.****Re-referred to:**

32 Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
105, Committee on Water & Land, then to the Committee on
HD1 Finance
206 Committee on Finance
241 Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection
242 Committee on Water & Land

S.B.**No.****Re-referred to:**

41, Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
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ADJOURNMENT

At 12:36 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative Cabanilla, seconded by Representative Fukumoto and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Friday, March 28, 2014. (Representatives Har, Ichiyama, Ing, Johanson, Lowen, Luke, Saiki, Takai, Tokioka, Woodson and Yamane were excused.)