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In accordance with the provisions of Section 10, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, the House of Representatives of the Legislature of the State of Hawaii, convened in Regular Session of 2006.

The Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say, Speaker of the House of Representatives, called the House to order at 10:00 o'clock a.m.

The members of the House, guests, and audience rose for the singing of *The National Anthem* and *Hawaii Pono'i* led by the Kauai Filipino Centennial Chorale. TEAM Paresa: Trey Paresa, age 13; Evan Paresa, age 12; AJ Paresa, age 11; and Makoa Paresa, age 6, then led in the recitation of the *Pledge of Allegiance*.

The invocation was then delivered by Representative Ezra R. Kanoho, after which the Roll was called showing all members present.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

On motion by Representative B. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the following bills (H.B. Nos. 1787 through 1845) passed First Reading by title and were referred to Printing:

**H. B. Nos.**

1787 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD ENDANGERMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Caldwell, Green, Kawakami, Nishimoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Schatz, Takai, Thielen, Wakai, Marumoto and Souki.

1788 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FIFTIETH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Thielen.

1789 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami, Green, Kanoho, B. Oshiro and Souki.

1790 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AMENDING ACT 178, SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII 2005."

Introduced by: Representative Marumoto.

1791 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO APPROPRIATION OF FUNDS TO IMPLEMENT THE WEIGHTED STUDENT FORMULA UNDER ACT 51, SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII 2004."

Introduced by: Representative Marumoto.

1792 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADULT FOSTER CARE HOMES."

Introduced by: Representatives Sonson, Cabanilla, Green, Kahikina, Kawakami and Tanaka.

1793 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOME AND COMMUNITY-BASED SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representatives Sonson, Cabanilla, Green, Kahikina, Kawakami and Tanaka.

1794 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAX BRACKETS."

Introduced by: Representatives Nakasone and Say.

1795 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Nakasone and Say.

1796 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NOTICE."

Introduced by: Representatives Nakasone and Say.

1797 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY."

Introduced by: Representatives Nakasone, Caldwell, Say and Yamashita.

1798 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX EXEMPTION."

Introduced by: Representatives Nakasone, Caldwell, Say and Yamashita.

1799 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Nakasone, Caldwell, Say and Yamashita.

1800 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SALE OF REAL PROPERTY."

Introduced by: Representatives Nakasone, Say and Yamashita.

1801 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAX."

Introduced by: Representatives Nakasone, Say and Yamashita.

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| 1802 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION INSURANCE."  | 1814 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY DAMAGE."  |
|      | Introduced by: Representatives Nakasone, Caldwell, Say and Yamashita.   |      | Introduced by: Representatives Sonson, Tanaka, Caldwell, Green, Herkes, Lee, Morita and Souki.                            |
| 1803 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IDENTITY THEFT."   | 1815 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD PROTECTION."   |
|      | Introduced by: Representative Marumoto.   |      | Introduced by: Representatives Sonson, by request, Cabanilla, Tanaka, Berg and Green.                                     |
| 1804 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A NET INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR FOOD, MEDICAL SERVICES, AND NON-PRESCRIPTION DRUGS."   | 1816 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GASOLINE."   |
|      | Introduced by: Representative Souki.  |      | Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Kanoho, Herkes, Lee, Nishimoto, Souki and Takamine.                                 |
| 1805 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE USE OF MOBILE PHONES WHILE DRIVING."   | 1817 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS."  |
|      | Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Caldwell and Lee.   |      | Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Evans, Green, Harbin, Herkes, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Magaoay, Souki, Takumi and Tanaka. |
| 1806 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION AGAINST IDENTITY THEFT."   | 1818 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MINORS."   |
|      | Introduced by: Representative Marumoto.   |      | Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Kanoho, Magaoay, Tsuji, Cabanilla, Green, Harbin, Herkes, Takumi and Tanaka.        |
| 1807 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY."   | 1819 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHAPTER 281, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES."   |
|      | Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Green, Kanoho, Lee, Nishimoto, Takai, Tsuji, Caldwell, Chong, Herkes, M. Oshiro, Schatz, Souki, Takamine and Wakai. |      | Introduced by: Representative Nakasone, by request.   |
| 1808 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTIES."   | 1820 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXPANDED ADULT RESIDENTIAL CARE HOMES."  |
|      | Introduced by: Representative Thielen, by request.  |      | Introduced by: Representatives Sonson, Cabanilla, Green, Tanaka and Berg.   |
| 1809 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE DRIVER'S LICENSE."   | 1821 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CARE HOMES."   |
|      | Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Chong, Ito and Takai.  |      | Introduced by: Representatives Sonson, Cabanilla, Berg, Green and Tanaka.   |
| 1810 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS."   | 1822 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMUNITY CARE FOSTER FAMILY HOMES."   |
|      | Introduced by: Representative Thielen, by request.  |      | Introduced by: Representatives Sonson, Cabanilla and Green.   |
| 1811 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMERS."  | 1823 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAX."   |
|      | Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Caldwell, Evans, Karamatsu, Kawakami, Tanaka, Tsuji, Chang, Kanoho, Magaoay, Nakasone and Wakai.                    |      | Introduced by: Representative Nakasone.   |
| 1812 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY."   | 1824 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY."   |
|      | Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Caldwell, Lee, Shimabukuro, Tanaka, Yamane, Chong and Nakasone.   |      | Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro, Luke and Souki.   |
| 1813 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE SAFETY."   | 1825 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC INFRACTIONS."  |
|      | Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Lee, Shimabukuro, Tanaka, Caldwell, Chong, Ito, Nakasone and Yamane.  |      | Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro, Luke and Souki.   |

- 1826 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THEFT."  
Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro, Luke, Nishimoto and Wakai.
- 1827 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GASOLINE DEALERS."  
Introduced by: Representative B. Oshiro, by request.
- 1828 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."  
Introduced by: Representative B. Oshiro.
- 1829 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami, Arakaki, Chang, Kahikina, Kanoho, Nakasone, Souki and Tanaka.
- 1830 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Lee, Sonson, Tsuji, Green, Hale, Herkes, Kahikina, Magaoay, Morita, Tanaka and Wakai.
- 1831 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Evans, Green, Hale, Herkes, Lee, Morita, Sonson, Tanaka, Tsuji, Kahikina, Magaoay, Takumi, Wakai and Yamashita.
- 1832 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Green, Hale, Tsuji, Yamashita, Kahikina, Lee, Magaoay, Morita, Shimabukuro, Tanaka and Wakai.
- 1833 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Evans, Hale, Herkes, Sonson, Tsuji, Green, Kahikina, Magaoay, Morita, Takumi, Tanaka and Yamashita.
- 1834 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIRE PROTECTION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Hale, Green, Kahikina, Lee, Magaoay, Morita, Shimabukuro, Takumi, Tanaka, Tsuji and Yamashita.
- 1835 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Evans, Green, Hale, Herkes, Kahikina, Lee, Morita, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Thielen, Tsuji, Yamashita, Magaoay, Souki, Takumi, Tanaka and Wakai.
- 1836 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERINARIANS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Green, Hale, Kahikina, Tsuji, Magaoay, Morita, Tanaka and Yamashita.
- 1837 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYER INTIMIDATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Takumi, Caldwell, Chong, Morita, Nishimoto, Wakai and Yamashita.
- 1838 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Takumi, Caldwell, Chong, Morita, Wakai and Yamashita.
- 1839 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."  
Introduced by: Representative Takumi.
- 1840 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSERVATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Evans and Schatz.
- 1841 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAZARDOUS WASTE."  
Introduced by: Representatives Evans, Morita and Schatz.
- 1842 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHAPTER 846E."  
Introduced by: Representatives Evans and Tanaka.
- 1843 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOCATIONAL AGRICULTURE EDUCATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Evans, Tsuji and Tanaka.
- 1844 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADMINISTRATIVE RULES."  
Introduced by: Representative Evans.
- 1845 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL TORTS."  
Introduced by: Representative Evans.

At 10:17 o'clock a.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

At this time, the members of the House, their guests and audience were entertained by the following:

Larawan Youth Ensemble  
Ms. Kristian Lei  
Mr. Jordan Segundo

The House of Representatives reconvened at 10:47 o'clock a.m.

## INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 1 and 2) were announced by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

H.C.R. No. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RELATING TO RECESS DAYS FOR THE REGULAR SESSION OF 2006," relating to the mandatory recess for the Regular Session of 2006, determined to be the 23rd, 24th, 27th, and 28th days of February and the 1st day of March, 2006; and the dates of the recesses, other than the dates of the mandatory recess, for the Regular Session of 2006, determined to be the 24th and 26th days of January, the 6th, 8th, and 29th days of March, the 10th and 12th days of April, and the 1st and 3rd days of May of 2006, pursuant to Article III, Section 10 of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, was jointly offered by Representatives M. Oshiro and Finnegan.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Finnegan and carried, H.C.R. No. 1 was adopted.

H.C.R. No. 2, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO ADDRESS THE LEGISLATURE ASSEMBLED IN JOINT SESSION," on the 23rd of January at 10:00 a.m., was jointly offered by Representatives Say, Takai, M. Oshiro, and Finnegan.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Finnegan and carried, H.C.R. No. 2 was adopted.

At 10:49 o'clock a.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

At this time, the members of the House, their guests and audience were entertained by the Society of Seven Las Vegas

The House of Representatives reconvened at 11:11 o'clock a.m.

At this time the Speaker delivered his address, stating:

"Mahalo, S.O.S. Las Vegas for today's electrifying entertainment. Please join me in thanking our performers today. And please join me in expressing our appreciation to the Filipino community as it celebrates this 100th Anniversary in Hawaii.

"We are also deeply honored today, that the father of former Representative Ben Cabreros is with us. Mr. Juan Santanela Cabreros is a *sakada*. The first group of Filipinos to come to Hawaii a century ago. His humble beginning was a start of a great migration that now find Filipinos on the verge of becoming the largest ethnic group here in the State of Hawaii.

"Ben, ask Papa to wave his hands. Papa, raise your hand for the audience and the Members of the House.

"Also with us are Elias Beniga and Angel Ramos. They are also decedents of *sakada*. Please join me in giving them a warm welcome. Elias and Angel.

"Governor Lingle, honored guests, members, ladies and gentlemen Aloha. Welcome to the opening of the 2006 Session of the Hawaii State Legislature."

"You know, most parents work hard trying to make life better for their kids; better than it was for us when we were growing up. The value of doing this is taught by almost every religion and culture on this planet. And for all of us, I believe this is called stewardship. We must be good stewards today, to build a better Hawaii for tomorrow.

"We are facing a big challenge as a nation, and as a state. But our people are looking for real leadership. Our ability to be good stewards will be tested in a different way this year – for all of us as Members of the House. In many ways, this year will be a very defining moment in Hawaii's history.

"Why? For the first time in 14 years, we begin our deliberations today with a budget surplus. So instead of trying to figure out what to cut and what to say "no" to, we are in a very different set of challenges. Let's call it today, the \$600 million question. No one seems to have much trouble coming up with an answer to that question. All of us this afternoon will find, there's a long line of people with answers.

"We need to take a collective breath, a deep breath and think hard before we decide what to do. As good stewards, we know we carry a significant responsibility on our shoulders. And we must make the right choices. Why? Because we may not have another chance like this for a long, long time; when you reflect and think about it. Each one of us must choose, and we must choose wisely.

"Cutting taxes is an easy thing to do and maybe that's what we'll decide to do at the end of the day. \$300 million is a lot of money, but when you add up your share of the refund, what do you get? Enough extra money to buy another loco-moco or a plate lunch every week? If you add it up, it may.

"Or else, think about what else we could accomplish with that money. I always say, think about our kids sitting in a classroom where the roof is leaking, without a decent cafeteria, without enough books in the library. Think about our harbors that are falling apart. Think about the water we need to grow our own food. Maybe you think we should continue to import 90 percent of the food and energy we use every year. Think about how much money you need to buy a house. Most of all, think about the future our kids will inherit if we don't make the right choices.

"The world is changing fast. But right now we have, we have, the opportunity to invent our future. We have the means to do it. We have the brains, the heart, and the strength to do it. And now we also have the money. But, do, do we have the will? That is the question I pose to the Members of this House.

"Let's start in the classroom where our future begins. We do have a big backlog, a huge backlog of school repairs. I respect the Governor in wanting to spend \$63 million to fix our schools. But personally, it's not enough. It's not enough. We need twice that amount, and we need it now to get our schools back up to par.

"We know, that we want to be good stewards. But to build a better Hawaii, we must make the quality of our public schools the number one priority. We need to listen to the rising tide of voices in Hawaii that they demand that we get our priorities straight.

"We started on the right track two years ago when we did pass comprehensive education reform. We gave principals and teachers, the power to make decisions at the school, and inside the classroom. We raised teacher salaries. Now let's finish the job by fixing our public school buildings this year. This is our highest priority. And we propose, all of us as Members of the House propose, spending a \$150 million to fix our schools.

"At the University of Hawaii, we will provide the additional \$85 million to undertake repair and maintenance of our campus buildings. Our kids deserve better and now we have the means to do it. As good stewards, we can do no less.

"But our schools are more than just places to learn. They are critical shelters for emergencies. It's not a question of if, but when, another hurricane strikes Hawaii again. Personally, we can't rely on the federal government to help us out. And Katrina taught us that



lesson. When it comes to trouble, we need to stand on our own. The sooner we act on that knowledge, the better it is for all of us.

"So when we fix our public schools, we need to strengthen these school buildings for public shelter in an emergency. We need to make sure that adequate shelter is provided for our animals as well. We saw what happened again in New Orleans as thousands of people refused to leave their homes, because there was no place to take their family pet.

"Government must set the standard for good stewardship. Our schools, and other public buildings should be models, for renewable energy also. The people of Hawaii have waited too long for a real energy policy. A policy with long-term incentives, for renewable energy – may it be wind, solar, geothermal and bio-fuels.

"Living green is now the new 'red white and blue.' There is no reason that Hawaii shouldn't lead the way in demonstrating what can be done by living green.

"The traditions of our culture are wide and deep. They teach us that we are more than just the sum of our parts. Our culture is rooted in the land. And here is our stewardship for the future. Our open lands and green spaces are a big part of what makes Hawaii a very special place. Last year, we took a bold step in establishing the Legacy Lands program. This program protects our most precious resources for future generations. As good stewards, we must increase the funding for our Legacy Lands that we have presently.

"You've seen it on television; you've seen it on the media. Waimea Valley showed all of us what can be done when public and private groups work together. Today, I call on all private landowners to join us as good stewards of the land. We must help the farmers who grow food on our land and restore the precious water system that supports our very way of life.

"Private landowners must learn the wisdom of leaving the land better off than they found it. Private landowners must stop treating our farmers as short-term tenants and private landowners must join us in the public-private partnership to fix our irrigation systems. We will help you to make those repairs. We recognize that it's in our common interest to do this. But in exchange for our help, we would like to insist that the adjacent areas to those irrigation systems be designated as Important Agricultural Lands.

"I listen to farmers; I listen to business forecasters. They both agree: Diversified agriculture is a wave Hawaii can ride into the future. Nobody should feel safe knowing that we now import almost all our foods. We need to grow local. And local it shall be as we move into the future. All around our Islands, groups of farmers are breaking new ground in diversifying agriculture; but they need private landowners to give them more than just a one-year lease. It's hard to grow a business when you don't know what your future on the land will be.

"Good stewards look out for the land and they also look out for the people living on the land. And so, housing is a big problem. We all know that. We intend to help solve it also. Right now, working men and women are getting squeezed out. They can't buy. They can't afford to rent and our homeless population is growing and they need our help.

"Let me be honest with you. I couldn't afford to buy my home today at the price the County says it's worth.

"To help our Island's working men and women, we will increase funding for public-private partnerships to build more affordable housing and rentals over the next five years. Our five-year-goal is to put ten-thousand new affordable homes on the market.

"Good stewards know that the promise of a brighter future is the greatest legacy we can leave to our children. For the first time in our

history, we have the opportunity to create new businesses and better paying jobs that don't hurt our environment. We have worked for a long time to build new industries that complement and respect Hawaii's natural resources and beauty. Now we are at a tipping-point and the opportunities for our children's future hang in the balance. We are in a position to realize the payoff in new jobs being created in life sciences, community healthcare, digital media, advanced technology, telecommunications, ocean sciences, and alternative energy.

"We, as this House, will envision a \$100 million innovation fund to stimulate economic development in these areas. But it's not enough just to give out the money. To make sure that we achieve the results, we will put project funding in the hands of the experts. And we will create a public-private partnership to provide business and marketing assistance to the projects that are approved. The bottom line for this fund is better paying jobs for our future *keiki o ka aina*. The bottom line for this investment is when a local parent can turn to a son or daughter and say, 'You don't have to leave the Islands to have a decent future.'

"Can we achieve this? I believe we can. In fact, it's already happening, here in this State. Today we have some unsung heroes of this new success, sitting with us today. You know, we don't always remember how important it is to celebrate our success. So I want you to meet them this morning. Maybe you noticed them earlier. And I think they were answering their e-mails on their 'Blackberries' while I was speaking, but that's okay.

"I wanted to introduce you to Dustin Shindo of Hoku Scientific - who was here earlier. His company is doing pioneering work in cell membrane research. Dustin was in the Chamber, but he told me he had to close the deal. And I said, 'That's great.' I know we all wish him good luck in closing that deal.

"Hoku Scientific is a great example of Hawaii's potential for homegrown ingenuity. Dustin, and his former Waiakea High School classmate, Kaleo Taft, developed an effective technology for fuel membrane research. Dustin and Kaleo successfully launched their company's Initial Public Offering just last year.

"Randy Cates. Randy raises Moi. Hard to believe he raises Moi. But Randy's company is the first aquaculture firm in the nation to be granted an open-ocean leasing agreement to raise fish in submerged cages offshore. Hawaiian culture recognizes the Moi as the fish of the Ali'i. Thanks to Randy, it's now being raised and exported across the United States for everyone's enjoyment.

"My good friend Hank Wuh, is the founder and CEO of Cellular Bioengineering. This Iolani graduate recently received the "2005 R&D 100 Award" for the development of the Neural Matrix Chip. The chip that Hank and his brilliant team at CBI developed was rated one of the hundred most significant innovations in the United States last year.

"Vaughn Vasconcellos is president and CEO of Akimeka, LLC. This Kamehameha Schools graduate served in the United States Army for fifteen years before starting his own high tech company. Akimeka has operations on Maui and here in Honolulu. One of the most important things is their electronic-based health services that help keep our military safe.

"Dr. Richard Diverse. Richard, Director of Instrument Research for Plain Sight Systems, chose to remain in Hawaii and build his company on the Big Island. This UH Hilo graduate is responsible for the development of an entirely new class of instruments based on optical domain computation for chemical measurement. I have to be honest with you, Richard, I have no idea what it is. But Richard's device will soon become the gold standard for this technology.

"Next, Dr. Anton Krucky, CEO of Tissue Genesis. Dr. Krucky is developing tissue replacement products to improve survival rates for

trauma injuries, cardiovascular diseases, cancer and metabolic diseases. Dr. Krucky moved his business to Kaka'ako to work more closely with the new medical school. Tissue Genesis invented a Bio-optimization System, as a way of creating an engineered environment for cell and tissue growth.

"Finally, Myron Thompson and Robin Danner are the driving forces behind Hawaiian Homestead Technology. Their company does top level work in digital imaging. The people who work for Hawaiian Homestead Technology come from Anahola, Waimanalo and Papakolea Homesteads. In less than a year, these workers have learned new skills and landed new jobs with a future. And most important, these good technology jobs are helping economically challenged Native Hawaiian communities. The profits from Homestead Technology are invested back into the community.

"Please join me, all of you, in expressing our appreciation and support for these pioneers of Hawaii's new innovation economy.

"Our guest, and all of us here today, share a common belief; that in the rush toward technology, we can never lose sight of the human person. We will not undertake these challenges just so we can boast of having a bigger economy. We're doing this to raise the standard of living for everyone. We are doing this to make good on our commitment as good stewards today who will build a better Hawaii for tomorrow. We must build this society and our educational system to maximize our people's ability to innovate, export and compete.

"My heart tells me the best is yet to come for Hawaii. My heart tells me our people will soon be doing even greater things. My heart tells me we will rise to the challenge. And along with all of you, I am grateful to be here and see it happen. Aloha and Mahalo."

The Chair then recognized Representative Finnegan, the Minority Leader, to present the Minority's response.

Representative Finnegan rose and stated:

"Thank you Mr. Speaker.

"Aloha and Mabuhay, Mr. Speaker, colleagues, and guests. Mr. Speaker, thank you for recognizing the Centennial of the Filipino *sakada*, or farmer, and the contributions Filipinos have made in Hawaii. I was fortunate to accompany the Governor on her Hawaii-Philippines mission trip. It was an enriching experience that helped me re-live, reflect, and understand my own family's Philippine origin.

"Please allow me this opportunity to introduce two people who have shaped my life. Behind me is my mother Francisca Suan Ledesma. My mother was born on Moloka'i, a daughter of a pineapple field worker that came here from the island of Cebu in the Philippines. No stranger to hard manual labor, for years, my mother worked at a charcoal farm doing whatever it took to keep the business going. It often meant carrying 5-, 25-, and sometimes 50-pound bags of charcoal while covered in black soot.

"And this is my father, Douglas McArthur Quejas Berbano. He was born and raised in a family of very humble means in Aparri, Cagayan. My father applied to the United States Navy every week for a year. Two years after his initial application, the Navy informed him that he would be a United States Navy Sailor. After serving his country, my dad worked 12-hour days in construction, 6 to 7 days a week, also taking side jobs whenever time permitted.

"Over the years I've watched my mom and dad struggle to provide a better life for our family. Because of their hard work and perseverance, we progressed from a small apartment in Kuhio Park Terrace, to a rental in Pearl City, to realizing home ownership in a 4-bedroom townhouse in Uluwehi, Waianae.

"I know that my parents' way of life and their hard work ethic are familiar and common to many people in Hawaii. I often wondered why people of Hawaii's threshold for taxes are so high.

"In reflecting since my return from the Philippines, I believe I've uncovered a reason. Hawaii's people are generous and sacrificial people. As I have pointed out, my parents are examples of the willingness to sacrifice of themselves to make better lives for others. This is an aspect of Hawaii that makes it a wonderful place to live.

"If you ask my father today what he would do with Hawaii's tax surplus, he would probably say, 'Help the homeless or improve education.' Notice that there would be no request for personal benefits or rewards. This is a man whose body is tired and worn. He should be retired, but instead he works a full time janitorial job in order to make ends meet. I couldn't be prouder.

"This is exactly why your Republican Caucus is focusing on pursuing the tax relief issue this session. Sure - you have heard this mantra before from Republicans, however, it could not have more relevance than it does today. The hardworking citizens of Hawaii have shouldered the crippling load in our high tax; high cost of living State and they definitely deserve a break.

"We have prepared legislation to increase the standard deduction, eliminate the general excise tax on food purchases and medical services, and create a long-term care tax credit among other tax relief measures to help Hawaii's families. We stand ready to review budgetary requests to ensure that they are reasonable, effective and deliver results.

"We must be mindful of the "baby boom" generation that will retire in the next few years, leaving a substantial hole in the workforce. This group will depend on young workers and the government to assist them through their golden years. Baby boomers supported the economy through strong and weak times for many years and we must not repay them by robbing their already fixed incomes.

"We are seeking tax breaks not just for those who are retired or approaching retirement. We must also consider the young workers responsible for carrying us into the future. With the high price of real estate, today's young adults feel there is no hope for homeownership. The message we're sending, regardless of intent, is 'That's the price of paradise; take it or leave it.' As leaders of this State, we must give them a fighting chance to raise their families here at home. Considering the challenges our youth face, can we honestly say we're doing a good job?

"Hawaii is not conducive to starter families. Many who wish to marry and raise their children here are faced with the ultimate dilemma: struggle to stay afloat in the islands or leave in search of a more affordable place to live? Let's ease the stress on these families by returning their hard-earned money in the form of tax relief.

"College graduates quickly discover the harsh realities of living in Hawaii upon receiving their first paycheck. No matter what the chosen profession, be it teachers, hotel workers, doctors, bus drivers, lawyers, or small business owners - no one is exempt from the financial obligations of a growing government.

"Few make enough money to purchase homes. They work day to day and sometimes cannot see the light at the end of the tunnel. Growing up we had an expression for that hopeless feeling and it was 'kill fight'.

"With the walls closing in on Hawaii residents due to the skyrocketing property taxes and substantially increased rents, people can barely keep their checking accounts out of the red. But if we weren't bad enough, next year we will realize one of the largest tax

increases in our history with a more than 12% increase in the General Excise Tax.

"When is enough - enough? When we drive out Hawaii's best and brightest to other lands for better opportunities? When we do not have enough of a workforce to support our growing elderly population? When we have to work 2 or 3 jobs just to make ends meet, leaving our children to fall into wrong hands and dangerous situations? When people have so little they become consumed by their desperation and we lose the war on crime, the war on drugs, the war on domestic violence? Odds are you know people in these situations.

"To the Legislature's credit, initiatives were made to address all of these problems. However, we often ignore the foundational fiscal problem of over taxation.

"Some say, 'What about education?' Your House Republicans support quality schools and a learning environment for our children. But, we must also be prudent and realistic. There is over half a billion dollars currently appropriated to attack the repair and maintenance of our educational buildings and grounds. Appropriating more money, in and of itself, will not repair buildings any faster until we streamline the process of completing the work and paying for it. Let's not allow money to sit and do nothing.

"Some say, 'What about the poor; those who need our help the most?' Hawaii is known for even taxing them. This group really needs immediate tax relief. They also need other measures like innovative programs in addition to raising the standard of need for government assistance. Yesterday, the Department of Human Services held a press conference explaining how they've been handcuffed from spending \$35 million for programs aimed at assisting children and families with needs or who are at risk.

"There is no better time to take action than now. Hawaii's generous people will continue to give. Our government will continue to take. Republicans are ready to invest in people by letting them keep more of their hard-earned money. Mr. Speaker and colleagues, your Republicans, though just 10 of 51 in this House, are passionate, dedicated, and we are ready to work in concert with you for tax relief. Or we are willing to roll up our sleeves for the uphill battle this Session on behalf of Hawaii's people so they can reach the unreachable star.

"Mahalo, Maraming Salamat Po, and God bless."

The Chair then recognized Representative M. Oshiro, the Majority Leader, who rose and responded:

"Thank you Mr. Speaker. Before I embark upon my remarks, Mr. Speaker, I would like to take this opportunity for all of us to recognize the sacrifices of the past and the present of our Armed Services. I look around the room, Mr. Speaker, and I notice there are many, many here who are either retired, have family members, or loved one, serving right now overseas. So, let us recognize them. Any of you seated here in the gallery or on the floor, who are members of our Armed Forces, active or retired, National Guards or Reserves. Please rise to be recognized by very grateful and humble people. Mr. Speaker.

"Thank you Mr. Speaker. Aloha Governor Lingle, Lieutenant Governor and Mrs. Aiona, Congressman Abercrombie, Congressman and Mrs. Case, Chief Justice Moon, OHA Board Chair Apoliona, Mayor and Mrs. Hannemann, Mayors Kim and Arakawa, Council Chair Dela Cruz, former Governor and Mrs. Ariyoshi, former Governor and Mrs. Waihee, former Lieutenant Governor Hirono, Associate Justices of the Hawaii Supreme Court, distinguished guests, colleagues, friends and families.

"It is indeed an honor to stand in this Chamber today, to share the highlights of the Democratic Caucus with you and the people of Hawaii."

"First, let me say that I too thoroughly enjoyed today's entertainment. Celebrating the anniversaries of immigrants to Hawaii is a very special part of who we are as a people. In some way or another, we are all immigrants to Hawaii and share a common appreciation of our forefathers and early arrivals to these shores.

"You see Mr. Speaker, whether you trace your roots to the first Polynesian voyagers, European explorers or Missionaries, Chinese or Japanese field hands, or Portuguese or Korean laborers, we are all bound together by a common heritage of people in search of a home and a better life for their children and themselves.

"As I look across the gallery of the sea of multi-ethnic faces, men and women who have descended from immigrant families and who are now our community, government, and business leaders, I wonder how many states, in our great nation, have opened their legislature, their sessions honoring their ethnic diversity? How lucky we are to live in a place where diversity is celebrated. Indeed, Dr. Martin Luther King would have been proud of what Hawaii is and proud of what Hawaii is becoming. Indeed, Hawaii is *No Ka Oi*.

"Mr. Speaker, today, on behalf of the Democratic Caucus, let me congratulate all of those of Filipino ancestry, including my colleagues and members of our Filipino Caucus -- Representatives Abinsay, Berg, Cabanilla, Finnegan, Magaoay, Pine, and Sonson. To all Filipinos and Filipinos at heart, I say 'Aloha' and 'Mabuhay'. 'Mabuhay' to Filipinos in Hawaii, '100 Years and Beyond'.

"Those last two words, 'and Beyond', Mr. Speaker, are important. If we truly honor the 100 years of the past -- all the blood, sweat, and tears, hardship, loss, and sacrifice, of the generations that came before us -- we must be as responsible as they were to save and invest for a better future, to think about the next generation, and to work together for that most promising tomorrow.

"Mr. Speaker, Hawaii has passed through some rough waters over the past 15 years. We have shown our grit and resolve by withstanding the challenges of the Persian-Gulf War, the SARS Epidemic, and the terrorist attacks of 9/11. It was during these challenging and uncertain times that your Democratic Legislature made prudent budgetary and policy decisions to create the large surplus we enjoy today.

"Indeed, under the exemplary leadership of Speaker Emeritus Joseph Souki, yourself as former Chair of the House Finance Committee, and the current Finance Chair Dwight Takamine, we remained committed to the common good and forged sound public policy that provides us today with a \$600 million surplus. Mr. Speaker, I only wish that Governor Cayetano was here, so that I could publicly thank him and give credit where credit is due.

"For my freshmen colleagues, Mr. Speaker, let me remind each of you that this surplus did not come easy. And it did not come fast. There were no free lunches. But we kept the faith in each other, and together as a community of one people, one *Ohana*, one State, we weathered these storms.

"Now that the state economy is booming -- thanks to the strong foundation built in the past and the sacrifices of all of us, we have a budget surplus that presents us with a great opportunity. It is a great opportunity with an even greater responsibility.

"Mr. Speaker, we are an island state subject to the global winds of fortune that no man can assure. And, if we are not wise in preserving our resources and developing new initiatives, we will be dangerously dependent on others for our well-being. We will lose our most precious privilege -- the freedom and independence to direct our own

future, the ability to chart our own course, to be the master of our own destiny, to be steersman of our own canoe.

"Last year, your Majority Caucus focused on achieving and maintaining 'quality of life' for all who are blessed to call Hawaii home. Working with a broad base of stakeholders, who were successful in passing landmark legislation to preserve Hawaii's most precious resources and protect our important agricultural lands for farming. We addressed the critical issues facing our State from education to health care to public transportation.

"This year, we set our sights on investing in the future. We will do so with these guiding principals:

"We will invest our surplus to ensure that our children will have the skills to compete in the global economy and to excel in new industries.

"We will invest our surplus to maintain the balance between economic growth and open space, diversified farming, and ecological diversity.

"We will invest our surplus to increase energy efficiency and renewability today so that we will have the energy resources needed for tomorrow.

"And we will invest our surplus in ways that support the expansion and sustainability of a diversified economy.

"Mr. Speaker, honored guests, it is with great pride that I share with you the highlights of the Majority's agenda.

"At the top of our agenda is public education. We have toured some of the neediest school facilities throughout the State. We have listened to parents, teachers, and children themselves. If we are to expect greater performance from students and teachers, we must provide them with safe and clean schools to teach in, to learn in. We will spend \$150 million on the repair and maintenance of our public schools, and an additional \$80 million in our classrooms. We will also retrofit our schools to serve as emergency shelters in time of need.

"As we look to the future, Mr. Speaker, we also see new communities coming up throughout the State that require construction of new school classrooms.

"To meet this need, we will use certificate of participation funding - known as COPS - to finance private developers. We will leverage \$50 million of public funds and its interests to lease back payments and use by developers to build new schools. This innovative public-private partnership will support new housing projects and schools being built together.

"We must also consider the serious repair and maintenance of our University of Hawaii system and its 13 campuses. For too long, we have repair and maintenance projects for other needs, and much of their infrastructure is in serious disrepair. As such, we will spend an additional \$84 million on repair and maintenance, with \$50 to \$60 million for operations.

"Mr. Speaker, the backlog of repair and maintenance projects throughout our school system and the University of Hawaii is staggering. But now that we have the means, let's add another "R" to the 3 "R's" of Reading, Writing, and Arithmetic. Let the 4th "R" be 'repair' and for doing it 'right'.

"The Economy. Mr. Speaker, last week, the House and Senate unveiled a joint package that centered around the revitalization and promotion of agriculture. It also builds upon our legacy of commitment to our local farmers and small businesses - the 'Moms and Pops' - because farmers of today will play a greater role in our economic future of tomorrow.

"Many of the fresh foods and local produce that we buy at the grocery store - or at the market place - or enjoy at our restaurants are supplied by local farmers. Diversified agriculture is alive and well, in Hawaii, and holds great promise. But not only that, Mr. Speaker, if Hawaii should ever be faced with a shipping strike or natural disaster, the food we get from local farmers will sustain us during these times of crisis. This is more about public safety than only about keeping the country, country.

"Today, our farmers need help. Our State and private irrigation systems are in need of serious repair. Repairing old flumes and ditches will not come cheap, but rebuilding them from scratch would cost a king's ransom and more.

"We propose to establish a \$50 million fund of which to repair our irrigation systems statewide. We invite our private landowners and farmers to break bread at the table of common interest and shared rewards.

"We will also elevate agriculture in our economy by enhancing the role of the Agribusiness Development Corporation, by transferring responsibilities for marketing, land management, and irrigation system development to the ADC, with the Department of Agriculture retaining its important regulatory function. Farmers, landowners, and consumers will all benefit from these initiatives.

"And we will not stop at the fields and the forest, but also invest in the laboratories of science and technologies and cultivate home grown inventions, inventors, and plug the hole in the dam of human capital and talent leaving our State and country.

"Mr. Speaker, you and I have talked about this for years. We have wanted to do this for years. We have longed for an opportunity, but lacked the resources to devote funding for sometimes risky, but important research and development. Your Democratic majority believes that now is the time to make that commitment.

"We will devote \$100 million, and establish an annual dedicated source of funding to support research in life sciences, biotechnology, renewable energy, agricultural, medical sciences, and the Cancer Research Center of Hawaii.

"The results will be high paying jobs for Hawaii's best and brightest, with business profits and new technologies remaining in the State. These funds will be used for projects that develop businesses related to the life sciences.

"The results will be high paying jobs for Hawaii's best and brightest, improvements to our quality of life as we find new cures for illness and disease.

"Mr. Speaker, one day we will look back to this moment, and know that we started this program so that Hawaii will one day be the Life Sciences Center of the Pacific.

"To complement this infusion, we will focus on workforce development for high need areas, such as construction, health care, and nursing. Using monies from the public funds, we will partner with federal government funds, and create new programs within our University community college system for purposes of building a local work force. Home-grown talent, like home-grown food, is just as good, Mr. Speaker, and quite often even better.

"Housing. Mr. Speaker, it is no exaggeration to say that we are in a housing crisis. Hawaii's lack of affordable housing and the need for shelters must be considered a priority for everyone in this State. No community is immune from this human tragedy. Are we not our brother's keeper?

"The Joint Legislative Housing and Homeless Task Force has worked diligently throughout the year, traveling across the State to assess our needs listening to our communities.

"The Majority Package will follow their recommendations to increase funding for the Rental Housing Trust Fund for programs for homeless and transitional housing; create developer incentives to build moderate income homes; set aside public lands for self-help community housing; and repair our vacant public housing units.

"How we resolve the crisis today, Mr. Speaker, will have a deep impact on all of us, rich and poor, Republican and Democrat, *Malahini* and *Kamaaina*. It does not matter if you live in Waianae or Waialae, we are all in the canoe together and we must use our surplus to address this problem now.

"Energy. This year alone, the cost of crude oil shot up dramatically, directly resulting in higher costs for gasoline and electricity, and indirectly causing prices to rise like everything else.

"We can no longer afford to take energy for granted. Conservation is not just for environmentalists. It must be practiced by everyone, and government should lead by example.

"Your Democratic Majority will set aside \$100 million toward energy conservation in public buildings by installing energy efficient lighting, cooling and heating technologies that will cut our electricity bills and use our natural energy sources.

"We will also propose a 'Pay-As-You-Save' pilot program for residents to finance the cost of a solar water heaters through their monthly electricity bill. We believe it will be a 'win-win-win' for power companies, landlords, and tenants alike.

"Our energy package also includes pilot projects in our schools to install sun-powered batteries and photovoltaic system where roof repairs are already scheduled.

"Mr. Speaker, we will make permanent the renewable energy tax credit and increase the credit for both residential and commercial properties that install solar panels.

"We will also consult and partner with such groups as the Apollo Alliance and meld technology with labor, and labor with industry. Our energy package will be a hallmark of this Session.

"In closing, Mr. Speaker, your Democratic Majority agenda for 2006 was built by a vision for the future - a vision of what Hawaii can and will be, if we plan thoughtfully and demonstrate the political will to make the right decisions today for the future we want tomorrow.

"It is all about investing in our future. It is all about believing in ourselves and each other. It is all about believing that there are endless possibilities in the hearts and minds of our youngest citizens. It is about faith in the future and the promise of today.

"When we opened this Twenty-third Legislature last year, I shared with you my pride and reverence for the Democrats who served this Chamber fifty-one years ago. Not only did they make history, but they laid the foundation for our Hawaii built on the unchanging principles of equality, opportunity, and justice for all. Yet, what really led them to do all this was really their never-ending desire to make life better for their children and their children's children. I have come to believe this more and more each year as I reflect upon my own legacy.

"In words of one of my heroes, Bono, of the group U2 sums it up in a song.

One love, one blood, one life, you got to do what you should.

One life with each other, sisters, brothers, one life, but we're not the same. We get to carry each other. Carry each other. One.

"So as we celebrate the 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the first Filipino immigrants to Hawaii, it is fitting that we honor a great contributions and sacrifices of the *sakadas* – who made Hawaii better for us today. And all immigrants, for they shared a common bond of hardship, longing, and sacrifice - a vision of what Hawaii could be and should be, and we are blessed by their love for Hawaii and their unceasing drive to make their dreams come true.

"Your Majority Members are continuing this legacy of our immigrant forefathers and predecessors and we have created a vision of what Hawaii can and should be. Mr. Speaker, we each were born for a time such as this. The legacy of the past has already been laid for the legacy of the future. All we must do, is do as they did.

"Aloha, Mabuhay. Thank you Mr. Speaker."

The Chair then called upon the Most Reverent Clarence "Larry" Silva to deliver the benediction.

#### ADJOURNMENT

At 12:14 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative B. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Thursday, January 19, 2006.

## SECOND DAY

**Thursday, January 19, 2006**

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Third Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2006, convened at 12:04 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Representative Jon Riki Karamatsu, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representative Souki, who was excused.

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

**GOVERNOR'S MESSAGES**

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 1 through 190) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 1, dated September 30, 2005, transmitting the Hawaii Community Development Authority's Draft Kalaeloa Master Plan.

Gov. Msg. No. 2, dated October 1, 2005, transmitting the Department of Public Safety's report on its budget cost categories.

Gov. Msg. No. 3, dated October 3, 2005, transmitting the report on unauthorized positions required by Section 167 of Act 178, SLH 2005, the General Appropriations Act.

Gov. Msg. No. 4, dated October 5, 2005, transmitting the Department of Human Services' Spouse and Child Abuse Special Account Report.

Gov. Msg. No. 5, dated October 5, 2005, transmitting the Department of Human Services' Report to the Legislature as required by Act 178, Part III, Section 37, 2005 Hawaii State Legislature.

Gov. Msg. No. 6, dated October 19, 2005, transmitting the Act 306/SHL 2001 Progress Report: Implementation of A.R.T.S. FIRST: Hawaii's Arts Education Strategic Plan – July 1, 2004 to June 30, 2005

Gov. Msg. No. 7, dated October 26, 2005, transmitting the Department of the Attorney General's Report of the Drug Nuisance Abatement Unit.

Gov. Msg. No. 8, dated October 26, 2005, transmitting the Department of the Attorney General's Report Concerning Special, Trust, and Revolving Funds.

Gov. Msg. No. 9, dated October 26, 2005, transmitting the Department of the Attorney General's Annual Report of the Tobacco Enforcement Unit for Fiscal Year 2004-2005.

Gov. Msg. No. 10, dated October 26, 2005, transmitting the Department of the Attorney General's Report of the Investigations Division Cold Case Squad for Fiscal Year 2004-2005.

Gov. Msg. No. 11, dated November 2, 2005, transmitting the Department of Human Services' Report as required by Act 178, Section 40, SLH 2005.

Gov. Msg. No. 12, dated November 2, 2005, transmitting the Department of Human Services' Report as required by Section 346-29.5, Hawaii Revised Statutes, On Home Property Liens.

Gov. Msg. No. 13, dated November 9, 2005, transmitting Department of Human Services' Report as required by Act 178, Section 159, SLH 2005.

Gov. Msg. No. 14, dated November 21, 2005, transmitting the Department of Budget and Finance's report on fringe benefit related expenditures for Charter School employees

Gov. Msg. No. 15, dated November 22, 2005, transmitting the Department of Land and Natural Resources' report Relating to the Hawaii Invasive Species Program.

Gov. Msg. No. 16, dated November 22, 2005, transmitting the Department of the Attorney General's Report on Litigation Deposits Trust Fund Transactions and Collections Made on Behalf of Other Departments and Agencies for Fiscal Year 2004-2005.

Gov. Msg. No. 17, dated November 22, 2005, transmitting the Department of the Attorney General's Annual Report of Proceedings Under the Hawaii Omnibus Criminal Forfeiture Act Fiscal Year 2004-2005.

Gov. Msg. No. 18, dated November 23, 2005, transmitting the Department of Human Services' Report to the Legislature as required by Act 178, Section 38, SLH 2005.

Gov. Msg. No. 19, dated November 25, 2005, transmitting the Department of Land and Natural Resources' annual report on the Status of the Kaho'olawe Rehabilitation Trust Fund.

Gov. Msg. No. 20, dated November 25, 2005, transmitting the Department of Land and Natural Resources' annual report on Geothermal Royalties and Geothermal and Cable System Development Activities.

Gov. Msg. No. 21, dated November 25, 2005, transmitting the Department of Land and Natural Resources' report Requesting Participation in a Federal Program To Assist States in Obtaining Scrapped Federal Ships To Use As Artificial Reefs in the Waters of the State of Hawaii.

Gov. Msg. No. 22, dated November 25, 2005, transmitting the Department of Land and Natural Resources' report Relating to Public Land Liability.

Gov. Msg. No. 23, dated November 25, 2005, transmitting the Department of Land and Natural Resources' report on the Hawaii Historic Preservation Special Fund For Fiscal Year 2004-2005.

Gov. Msg. No. 24, dated November 25, 2005, transmitting the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands reporting requirements of Act 178, Section 166, SLH 2005.

Gov. Msg. No. 25, dated November 25, 2005, transmitting the Department of Land and Natural Resources' report on the Administratively Established Accounts and Funds.

Gov. Msg. No. 26, dated November 25, 2005, transmitting the Department of Land and Natural Resources' annual report on Identification of Rivers and Streams Worthy of Protection.

Gov. Msg. No. 27, dated November 25, 2005, transmitting the Department of Land and Natural Resources' report Urging the Commission on Water Resource Management to Fulfill its Constitutional and Statutory Mandate to Protect Public Instream Uses.

Gov. Msg. No. 28, dated November 25, 2005, transmitting the Department of Land and Natural Resources' annual report Relating to the Forest Stewardship Program.

Gov. Msg. No. 29, dated November 25, 2005, transmitting the Department of Land and Natural Resources' Status of the Issuance of Incidental Take Licenses for Endangered, Threatened, Proposed, and Candidate Species; and the Condition of the Endangered Species Trust Fund for the Period July 1, 2004-June 30, 2005.

Gov. Msg. No. 30, dated November 25, 2005, transmitting the Department of Land and Natural Resources' annual report Relating To The Wildlife Revolving Fund.

Gov. Msg. No. 31, dated November 25, 2005, transmitting the Department of Land and Natural Resources annual report Relating to Invasive Species.

Gov. Msg. No. 32, dated November 25, 2005, transmitting the Department of Land and Natural Resources' annual report on Hawaii Statewide Trail and Access System.

Gov. Msg. No. 33, dated November 28, 2005, transmitting the Report Pursuant to House Concurrent Resolution No. 10, Requesting the Emergency Contraception Interagency Work Group to Develop a Mechanism to Effectively Disseminate Information on the Availability of Over-the-Counter Emergency Contraception in the State.

Gov. Msg. No. 34, dated November 28, 2005, transmitting the Report Pursuant to Section 321-291, Hawaii Revised Statutes, Requiring the Department of Health to Give an Annual Financial Report for Newborn Metabolic Screening Special Fund.

Gov. Msg. No. 35, dated November 28, 2005, transmitting the Department of Health Report on Unused Prescription Drugs.

Gov. Msg. No. 36, dated November 28, 2005, transmitting the Department of Health Report, Upcountry Maui Water Systems.

Gov. Msg. No. 37, dated November 28, 2005, transmitting the Report Pursuant to Section 340-33, Hawaii Revised Statutes, Relating to the Drinking Water Treatment Revolving Loan Fund of the Department of Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 38, dated November 28, 2005, transmitting the Hawaii Injury Prevention Plan, 2005-2010 by the Hawaii State Department of Health, Injury Prevention and Control Program.

Gov. Msg. No. 39, dated November 28, 2005, transmitting the Department of Agriculture's Report on Administratively Established Appropriations.

Gov. Msg. No. 40, dated November 28, 2005, transmitting the Department of Accounting and General Services' Annual Report on the State Risk Management Revolving Fund on the Transfer of Funds for Risk Management.

Gov. Msg. No. 41, dated November 29, 2005, transmitting the Department of Land and Natural Resources' annual report on Kaneohe Bay Regional Council.

Gov. Msg. No. 42, dated November 29, 2005, transmitting the Report for the Department of Land and Natural Resources' Division of State Parks to Establish a South Kona-Ka'u Coastal Conservation Task Force.

Gov. Msg. No. 43, dated November 30, 2005, transmitting the certified statements and supporting schedules on the debt limit and total outstanding indebtedness of the State of Hawaii and a report on special purpose revenue bonds as of July 1, 2005.

Gov. Msg. No. 44, dated December 2, 2005, transmitting the Department of Land and Natural Resources' annual report Relating to the Natural Area Reserves System and Natural Area Partnership Program and The Financial Condition of the Natural Area Reserve Fund.

Gov. Msg. No. 45, dated December 2, 2005, transmitting the Department of Land and Natural Resources' report to Consider Imposing Restrictions on Public Access to the Ahihi-Kinau Natural Area Reserve.

Gov. Msg. No. 46, dated December 5, 2005, transmitting the Agribusiness Development Corporation in response to Act 194, Session Laws Hawaii (SLH) 2002, A Bill Relating to Agricultural Marketing.

Gov. Msg. No. 47, dated December 5, 2005, transmitting the Department of Accounting and General Services' Annual Report of the State Educational Facilities Improvement Special Fund for fiscal year ending June 30, 2005.

Gov. Msg. No. 48, dated December 5, 2005, transmitting the Department of Accounting and General Services' Annual Report on the Wireless Enhanced 911 Board for the period July 1, 2004 to June 30, 2005.

Gov. Msg. No. 49, dated December 5, 2005, transmitting the Department of Accounting and General Services' Annual Report of Claims and Lawsuits Arbitrated, Compromised, or Settled for fiscal year ending June 30, 2005.

Gov. Msg. No. 50, dated December 5, 2005, transmitting the Department of Accounting and General Services' Annual Report on Privatization for fiscal year ending June 30, 2005.

Gov. Msg. No. 51, dated December 6, 2005, transmitting the Department of Public Safety's FY 2005 Annual Report on Correctional Industries.

Gov. Msg. No. 52, dated December 6, 2005, transmitting the Report Pursuant to Chapter 333F, Section 6, Hawaii Revised Statutes, Regarding Services for Persons with Developmental Disabilities or Mental Retardation, Directing the Department of Health to Keep Waiting Lists of All Individuals Who are Eligible for Services and Supports, but for Whom Services and Supports have not been Provided, and the Reasons for the Lack of Services and Supports.

Gov. Msg. No. 53, dated December 6, 2005, transmitting the Report Pursuant to Section 321-1.5, Hawaii Revised Statutes, Requiring the Department of Health to Provide an Annual Report on Incentives and Strategies for Primary Health Care Incentive Program and the Primary Care Roundtable.

Gov. Msg. No. 54, dated December 6, 2005, transmitting the Department of Public Safety Reports: Annual Report on the Status of the Federal Reimbursement Maximization Special Fund; Expenditures for the Housing of Inmates at the Hawaii-Based Federal Detention Center and Mainland Correctional Facilities.

Gov. Msg. No. 55, dated December 6, 2005, transmitting the 2004 Annual Report – Special Purpose Revenue Bonds Authorized Under Act 262, Session Laws of Hawaii 1998.

Gov. Msg. No. 56, dated December 7, 2005, transmitting the Department of Health's Report, Pursuant to Act 178, Section 23, Session Laws of Hawaii, 2005, Requiring the Department of Health to Provide a Detailed Report on Maternal and Child Health Services and Contract Services for Early Identification and Home Visiting Services to Support the Healthy Start Program.

Gov. Msg. No. 57, dated December 7, 2005, transmitting the Department of Health's Report, State Water Pollution Control Revolving Fund.

Gov. Msg. No. 58, dated December 7, 2005, transmitting the Report on How the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs'



Expenditures will be aligned with its Special Fund Revenue Collections.

Gov. Msg. No. 59, dated December 8, 2005, transmitting the Department of Budget and Finance's revised report on fringe benefit related expenditures for Charter School employees.

Gov. Msg. No. 60, dated December 8, 2005, transmitting the Department of Transportation's report covering an update of contraflow and other traffic mitigation measures for Pali Highway.

Gov. Msg. No. 61, dated December 8, 2005, transmitting the Department of Agriculture Annual Report.

Gov. Msg. No. 62, dated December 8, 2005, transmitting the Department of Transportation's report on special repairs and maintenance.

Gov. Msg. No. 63, dated December 8, 2005, transmitting the Department of the Attorney General's 2006 Goals and Objectives.

Gov. Msg. No. 64, dated December 9, 2005, transmitting the Department of Transportation's Report on Security Expenditures for the Harbors Division.

Gov. Msg. No. 65, dated December 9, 2005, transmitting the Department of Land and Natural Resources' report from the Task Force on Beach and Water Safety.

Gov. Msg. No. 66, dated December 9, 2005, transmitting the Department of Land and Natural Resources' annual report Relating to Land Conservation Fund.

Gov. Msg. No. 67, dated December 9, 2005, transmitting the Department of Public Safety reports: Annual Report on Drug Abatement Efforts; Annual Report on Schedules for Controlled Substances, and Regulated Chemicals for the Manufacture of Controlled Substances.

Gov. Msg. No. 68, dated December 12, 2005, transmitting the Department of Human Resource Development Report on the Establishment of Separate Series for Social Workers and Human Services Professionals and the Development of a Transition Plan in Collaboration with Stakeholder Groups.

Gov. Msg. No. 69, dated December 14, 2005, transmitting the Department of Land and Natural Resources' report Requiring all Departments and Agencies to Identify Their Goals, Objectives, and Policies, to Provide a Basis for Determining Priorities and Allocating Limited Public Funds and Human Resources.

Gov. Msg. No. 70, dated December 14, 2005, transmitting the Pesticide Use Revolving Fund Annual Report for fiscal year ending June 30, 2005.

Gov. Msg. No. 71, dated December 15, 2005, transmitting the Public Utilities Commission's Special Fund Report for fiscal year ending June 30, 2005.

Gov. Msg. No. 72, dated December 15, 2005, transmitting the Public Utilities Commission's Annual Report for fiscal year ending June 30, 2005.

Gov. Msg. No. 73, dated December 15, 2005, transmitting the Department of Budget and Finance's report on goals and action plans.

Gov. Msg. No. 74, dated December 16, 2005, transmitting the Insurance Commissioner's Report on the Advisability of Entering Interstate Compacts with Other States Concerning Certain Perils Affecting the Cost of Property and Casualty Insurance.

Gov. Msg. No. 75, dated December 16, 2005, transmitting the Insurance Commissioner's Report on the Effectiveness of the Hawaii Insurance Bureau's Fire Rating Program.

Gov. Msg. No. 76, dated December 16, 2005, transmitting the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs' External Review Report.

Gov. Msg. No. 77, dated December 16, 2005, transmitting the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs' Annual Compliance Resolution Fund Report for fiscal year ending June 30, 2005.

Gov. Msg. No. 78, dated December 16, 2005, transmitting the Department of Health Report on the Environmental Response Revolving Fund.

Gov. Msg. No. 79, dated December 16, 2005, transmitting the Hawaii Real Estate Commission's Annual Report for fiscal year ending June 30, 2005.

Gov. Msg. No. 80, dated December 16, 2005, transmitting the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs' Condominium Dispute Resolution Pilot Program Report.

Gov. Msg. No. 81, dated December 16, 2005, transmitting the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs' Medical Claims Conciliation Panel Annual Report.

Gov. Msg. No. 82, dated December 16, 2005, transmitting the Task Force Report on Enforcement of the Electrician and Plumber Licensing Laws.

Gov. Msg. No. 83, dated December 16, 2005, transmitting the Department of Human Services' Report as required by Act 150, SLH 2005, and HCR 175, HD 1.

Gov. Msg. No. 84, dated December 16, 2005, transmitting the Department of Human Services' Report as required by Act 239 2005 Hawaii State Legislature, Relating to Psychotropic Medication.

Gov. Msg. No. 85, dated December 16, 2005, transmitting the Department of Human Services' Report as required by Act 209, SLH 2005.

Gov. Msg. No. 86, dated December 16, 2005, transmitting the Department of Human Services' Report as required by Act 208, SLH 2004.

Gov. Msg. No. 87, dated December 16, 2005, transmitting the Department of Land and Natural Resources' report Requesting a Review and Analysis of the Issues Surrounding the Shoreline Certification Process for the Purpose of Establishing Shoreline Setbacks.

Gov. Msg. No. 88, dated December 19, 2005, transmitting the Department of Education's Civil Service Exempt Positions Report.

Gov. Msg. No. 89, dated December 19, 2005, transmitting the Department of Education's Mandatory Expulsion Policy For Possession Of A Firearm School Year 2005-05 report.

Gov. Msg. No. 90, dated December 19, 2005, transmitting the Department of Accounting and General Services' Annual Report on Goals and Objectives for fiscal year ending June 30, 2005.

Gov. Msg. No. 91, dated December 19, 2005, transmitting the Department of Education's Annual Repair and Maintenance Report.

Gov. Msg. No. 92, dated December 19, 2005, transmitting the Department of Education's Capital Improvement Program And Repair & Maintenance Program Transfer Report.



Gov. Msg. No. 93, dated December 19, 2005, transmitting the Department of Education's Food Services Program Report.

Gov. Msg. No. 94, dated December 19, 2005, transmitting the Department of Education's Implementation of Two-Tier Kindergartens report.

Gov. Msg. No. 95, dated December 19, 2005, transmitting the Department of Education's Transfers of Appropriated Funds and Positions report.

Gov. Msg. No. 96, dated December 19, 2005, transmitting the Department of Education's School-Level Minor R & M Accounts report.

Gov. Msg. No. 97, dated December 19, 2005, transmitting the Department of Education's School-By-School Expenditure report.

Gov. Msg. No. 98, dated December 19, 2005, transmitting the Department of Education's Incentive And Innovation Grant Trust Fund report.

Gov. Msg. No. 99, dated December 19, 2005, transmitting the Department of Education's Hawaii 3 R's School Repair and Maintenance Fund report.

Gov. Msg. No. 100, dated December 19, 2005, transmitting the Department of Education's Federal Grant Search, Development, and Application Revolving Fund report.

Gov. Msg. No. 101, dated December 19, 2005, transmitting the Department of Education's Federal and Trust Funds report.

Gov. Msg. No. 102, dated December 19, 2005, transmitting the Department of Education's Comprehensive Accountability System report.

Gov. Msg. No. 103, dated December 19, 2005, transmitting the Department of Education's Carry Over Of Funds report.

Gov. Msg. No. 104, dated December 19, 2005, transmitting the Department of Education's Educational Assessment And Accountability; Annual Reports.

Gov. Msg. No. 105, dated December 19, 2005, transmitting the Department of Education's Medicaid Eligible Health Services For Students report.

Gov. Msg. No. 106, dated December 19, 2005, transmitting the Department of Education's Substitute Teachers, Classification And Compensation report.

Gov. Msg. No. 107, dated December 19, 2005, transmitting the Department of Education's School Transportation; Extra Curricular Activities; Summer School report.

Gov. Msg. No. 108, dated December 19, 2005, transmitting the Department of Education's Civic Education Activities Inventory report.

Gov. Msg. No. 109, dated December 19, 2005, transmitting the Department of Land and Natural Resources' Status of the Program for Environmentally-Themed Products to Support the Environment.

Gov. Msg. No. 110, dated December 19, 2005, transmitting the Department of Land and Natural Resources' Operations of the Filing Office for Financing Statements Under the Uniform Commercial Code, Secured Transactions (Revised Article 9).

Gov. Msg. No. 111, dated December 19, 2005, transmitting the Department of Budget and Finance's report on the accounts or funds that were administratively established effective November 21, 2005.

Gov. Msg. No. 112, dated December 19, 2005, transmitting the Department of Education's Edible School Gardens report.

Gov. Msg. No. 113, dated December 19, 2005, transmitting the Department of Education's Restructured Schools, Accountability Of Education Service Provider report.

Gov. Msg. No. 114, dated December 21, 2005, transmitting the Department of Human Services' Report as required by Section 346-319 of the Hawaii Revised Statutes on the Enrollment and Financial Status of the Hawaii RX Plus Program.

Gov. Msg. No. 115, dated December 22, 2005, transmitting the Department of Health's Report, A Process and Plan to Accomplish Environmental Justice Guidelines.

Gov. Msg. No. 116, dated December 28, 2005, transmitting the Department of Health Executive Office on Aging's Annual Evaluation Report on Elder Programs.

Gov. Msg. No. 117, dated December 28, 2005, transmitting the Department of Human Services' Report as required by Act 178, Section 42, SLH 2005, TANF Progress Report.

Gov. Msg. No. 118, dated December 29, 2005, transmitting the Report by the Working Group to Review the National Conference of Insurance Legislators (NCOIL) Property-Casualty Insurance Modernization Act.

Gov. Msg. No. 119, dated December 22, 2005, transmitting the Department of Public Safety report, Expenditures on Substance Abuse, Sex Offender, and Mental Health Treatment; and Job Development for Pretrial, Incarcerated, and Parolee Populations.

Gov. Msg. No. 120, dated December 22, 2005, transmitting the Report Requesting the Department of Health to Develop a Statewide Strategic Plan to Promote Obesity Prevention and Healthy Lifestyles.

Gov. Msg. No. 121, dated December 22, 2005, transmitting the Report Pursuant to Section 329-3, Hawaii Revised Statutes, Requiring a Report by the Hawaii Advisory Commission on Drug Abuse and Controlled Substances.

Gov. Msg. No. 122, dated December 22, 2005, transmitting the 2005 Annual Report: Pursuant to HRS 341-6, Requesting that the State Environmental Council Make an Annual Report with Recommendations for Improvement.

Gov. Msg. No. 123, dated December 23, 2005, transmitting the Report Pursuant to Senate Concurrent Resolution 109, SD 1, Requesting the Department of Health to Submit to the Legislature a Report on the Implementation of SCR 109, SD 1 Which Requests the Department of Health to Make Educational Materials Available, in Written and Electronic Form, on the Prevention, Diagnosis, and Treatment of Hepatitis C to Physicians, Other Health Care Providers, and Other Persons at High Risk for Hepatitis C.

Gov. Msg. No. 124, dated December 28, 2005, transmitting the Report Pursuant to Section 326-25.5, Hawaii Revised Statutes, Requiring the Department of Health to Submit an Annual Report to the Legislature on Initiatives and Improvements in Kalaupapa Settlement and to Track Patient and Non-patient Costs Separately, Whenever Appropriate and Possible.

Gov. Msg. No. 125, dated December 20, 2005, transmitting the report regarding Act 178, SLH 2005, the General Appropriations Act of 2005.

Gov. Msg. No. 126, dated December 29, 2005, transmitting the Department of Human Services Report pursuant to Section 39 of Act 178, SLH 2005, requesting the Department of Human Services to submit a report relating to the Homeless program.

Gov. Msg. No. 127, dated December 28, 2005, transmitting the Department of Health Healthy Hawaii Initiative report.

Gov. Msg. No. 128, dated December 22, 2005, transmitting the Report Pursuant to Section 321-1.3, Hawaii Revised Statutes, Requiring the Department of Health to Submit an Annual Financial Report for the Domestic Violence Prevention Special Fund and S.B. 1419, S.D. 1, Related to Domestic and Sexual Violence Services.

Gov. Msg. No. 129, dated December 15, 2005, transmitting the Report Pursuant to SCR 135, S.D.1, 2005, Requiring the Department of Health to Share Its Findings and a Report on the Plan with the Big Community on the VOG Emission Monitoring System.

Gov. Msg. No. 130, dated December 21, 2005, transmitting the Department of Transportation's progress report for the evaluation of Hawaii's graduated licensing program.

Gov. Msg. No. 131, dated December 22, 2005, transmitting the Report Pursuant to Chapters 128D and 128E, Hawai'i Revised Statutes, Requiring the Department of Health to Report Environmental Response Law and Hawai'i Community Right to Know Act Financial and Environmental Site.

Gov. Msg. No. 132, dated December 29, 2005, transmitting the Housing and Community Development Corporation's Report Pursuant to Act 227, Session Laws of Hawaii (SLH) 2002.

Gov. Msg. No. 133, dated December 29, 2005, transmitting the Housing and Community Development Corporation's Report Pursuant to Act 196, Session Laws of Hawaii (SLH) 2005.

Gov. Msg. No. 134, dated December 22, 2005, transmitting the Department of Human Resources Development's reports on all expenditures, including the number of claims for workers' compensation claim payments; statistics on the duration of payments made to claimants; statistics on the average compensation paid per claimant; and a breakdown of claims paid by department for fiscal year ending June 30, 2005.

Gov. Msg. No. 135, dated December 28, 2005, transmitting the report "Efforts to Increase the Number of High-Skilled Jobs in Targeted Industry Clusters" (Act 148, SLH 2003).

Gov. Msg. No. 136, dated December 22, 2005, transmitting the reporting requirements of Act 178, SLH 2005, the General Appropriations Act of 2005, report on the general obligation bond debt service.

Gov. Msg. No. 137, dated December 22, 2005, transmitting the reporting requirements of Act 178, SLH 2005, the General Appropriations Act of 2005, report on the expenditures from the bond protocol account.

Gov. Msg. No. 138, dated December 27, 2005, transmitting the Report on Goals, Objectives and Policies, Actions Plans and Performance Measures.

Gov. Msg. No. 139, dated December 27, 2005, transmitting the Report on the Parental Preferences in Government Contracts, Programs, and Services.

Gov. Msg. No. 140, dated December 28, 2005, transmitting the Office of Information Practices' Annual Report for fiscal year ending June 30, 2005.

Gov. Msg. No. 141, dated December 29, 2005, informing that the Department of Human Resources Development reports that there was no election of Separation Incentives by any employee affected by Reduction-in-Force (RIF) in the Executive Branch for the 2005 calendar year.

Gov. Msg. No. 142, dated December 29, 2005, transmitting the Report to the 2006 Legislature in Response to House Resolution No. 198, H.D. 1 Requesting a Report on the Number of Less than Full-Time Public Employees that are Ineligible for Health Benefits.

Gov. Msg. No. 143, dated December 29, 2005, transmitting the Department of Human Resources Development report on the Study of Parity between Occupational Therapists, Physical Therapists and Speech Therapists Working in the Department of Education.

Gov. Msg. No. 144, dated December 29, 2005, transmitting the 2006 Exempt Study Report.

Gov. Msg. No. 145, dated December 29, 2005, transmitting the Department of Accounting and General Services' Report on Assessment of Central Data Center – Business Continuity and Disaster Recovery Strategies.

Gov. Msg. No. 146, dated December 27, 2005, transmitting the Department of the Attorney General's Report on any Shortage or Condition Affecting the Supply of Petroleum Products.

Gov. Msg. No. 147, dated December 27, 2005, transmitting the Department of the Attorney General's Report on Receipts and Expenditures of the Antitrust Trust Fund.

Gov. Msg. No. 148, dated December 28, 2005, transmitting the Report Relating to Diversified Agriculture Industry.

Gov. Msg. No. 149, dated December 28, 2005, transmitting the Department of Taxation's annual report addressing the department's goals, objectives, policies, and action plan.

Gov. Msg. No. 150, dated December 29, 2005, transmitting the document regarding the streamlined sales tax project required by Act 3, SLH 2005.

Gov. Msg. No. 151, dated December 30, 2005, transmitting the Department of Human Services' Report required by Act 4, Special Session 2005 Hawaii State Legislature, Relating to Medicaid Managed Care Plans.

Gov. Msg. No. 152, dated December 30, 2005, transmitting the Department of Human Services' Annual Report.

Gov. Msg. No. 153, dated December 21, 2005, transmitting the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations annual report for fiscal year ending June 30, 2005.

Gov. Msg. No. 154, dated December 29, 2005, transmitting the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations report on Workforce Development Division – The Employment and Training Fund Program (ETF) for program year 2004-2005.

Gov. Msg. No. 155, dated December 29, 2005, transmitting the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations report on Contested Cases – Occupational Safety and Health Division for the period of July 1, 2004 – June 30, 2005.

Gov. Msg. No. 156, dated December 29, 2005, transmitting the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations report on Non-General Fund Information 2004-2005.

Gov. Msg. No. 157, dated December 29, 2005, transmitting the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations report on the Hoisting Machine Operator's Advisory Board.

Gov. Msg. No. 158, dated December 29, 2005, transmitting the Hawaii Labor Relations Board's Annual Report for its activities for fiscal year 2004 – 2005.

Gov. Msg. No. 159, dated December 29, 2005, transmitting the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations Annual Evaluation of the Hawaii Unemployment Compensation Fund.

Gov. Msg. No. 160, dated December 16, 2005, transmitting the FY 2005 Crime Victim Compensation Commission Annual Report.

Gov. Msg. No. 161, dated December 28, 2005, transmitting the report on deployed positions required by Section 164 of Act 178, SLH 2005, the General Appropriations Act.

Gov. Msg. No. 162, dated January 4, 2006, transmitting the Department of Taxation's annual report on payments to the State by Electronic Funds Transfer.

Gov. Msg. No. 163, dated January 4, 2006, transmitting the Department of Taxation's annual report on the integrated tax information management system.

Gov. Msg. No. 164, dated January 4, 2006, transmitting the Hawaii Employer-Union Health Benefits Trust Fund's Annual Report for fiscal year ending June 30, 2005.

Gov. Msg. No. 165, dated December 27, 2005, transmitting the Department of Business, Economic Development and Tourism's (DBEDT) feasibility study in response to Senate Concurrent Resolution (SCR) No. 155.

Gov. Msg. No. 166, dated December 29, 2005, transmitting the Department of Transportation's progress report on the noise level study for residential areas adjacent to the H-1 freeway.

Gov. Msg. No. 167, dated December 29, 2005, transmitting the Department of Transportation's report relating to government operations.

Gov. Msg. No. 168, dated December 29, 2005, transmitting the State Energy Resources Coordinator's 2005 Annual Report.

Gov. Msg. No. 169, dated December 27, 2005, transmitting the Hawaii State Public Library System's Annual Report for fiscal year ending June 30, 2005.

Gov. Msg. No. 170, dated January 5, 2006, transmitting the Report of the Insurance Commissioner 2005.

Gov. Msg. No. 171, dated December 29, 2005, transmitting the Report of the Hawaii Health Care Task Force.

Gov. Msg. No. 172, dated December 29, 2005, transmitting the Department of Accounting and General Services' Annual Report of the Stadium Authority – Stadium Special Fund.

Gov. Msg. No. 173, dated January 9, 2005 [*sic*], transmitting the Department of Land and Natural Resources' report on Land Dispositions Made of Public Lands for Calendar Year 2005.

Gov. Msg. No. 174, dated January 9, 2006, transmitting the Department of Accounting and General Services' Report on the Uniform Statewide Building Code Task Force.

Gov. Msg. No. 175, dated December 22, 2005, transmitting the Department of Transportation's progress report on the update of the Hawaii commercial harbors 2020 master plan including improving harbor efficiency and effectiveness.

Gov. Msg. No. 176, dated January 9, 2006, transmitting the Department of Human Services' Report required by Act 153, 2004 Hawaii State Legislature, Relating to Home and Community-based Services.

Gov. Msg. No. 177, dated January 9, 2006, transmitting the Department of the Attorney General's Report on Electronic

Commerce-Based Crimes Prepared by the Hawaii Anti-Phishing Task Force.

Gov. Msg. No. 178, dated January 9, 2006, transmitting the Report Pursuant to Section 10 of Act 161, Session Laws of Hawaii 2002 (Regular Session), Requiring a Report by the Department of Health, Alcohol and Drug Abuse Division on the Implementation of Section 321-193.5, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

Gov. Msg. No. 179, dated January 9, 2006, transmitting the Report Pursuant to Senate Concurrent Resolution 79, Senate Draft 1, House Draft 1, Requesting the Convening of a Task Force to Facilitate the Establishment of Naturally Occurring Retirement Communities in Hawaii.

Gov. Msg. No. 180, dated January 9, 2006, transmitting the Report Pursuant to Chapter 321-27.5, Hawaii Revised Statutes, Requesting the Department of Health to Submit an Annual Report of the Sanitation Branch.

Gov. Msg. No. 181, dated January 9, 2006, transmitting the Report Pursuant to S.C.R. 197, Requesting the Director of Health to Convene a Medical Marijuana Working Group to Make Recommendations to Improve Hawaii's Medical Marijuana Program.

Gov. Msg. No. 182, dated January 9, 2006, transmitting the Report Pursuant to Chapter 321-27, Hawaii Revised Statutes, Requesting the Department of Health to Submit a Report on the Status of the Environmental Health Education Fund.

Gov. Msg. No. 183, dated December 22, 2005, transmitting the Report Pursuant to Chapter 321H-4, Hawaii Revised Statutes, Requiring the Department of Health to Provide an Annual Report on the Activities Under the Neurotrauma Special Fund.

Gov. Msg. No. 184, dated December 15, 2005, transmitting the Report Pursuant to Section 340-12, Hawaii Revised Statutes, Requiring the Department of Health to Provide an Annual Report of the Activities of the Board of Certification of Operating Personnel in Wastewater Treatment Facilities.

Gov. Msg. No. 185, dated January 9, 2006, transmitting the Report Pursuant to Section 342G-15, Hawaii Revised Statutes, Requiring the Office of Solid Waste Management to Give an Annual Report on Solid Waste Management.

Gov. Msg. No. 186, dated January 9, 2006, transmitting the Report Pursuant to SCR 227, SD 1, HD 1, 2005 Session Laws of Hawaii, Creating a Planning Task Force for the Healthy Start Program.

Gov. Msg. No. 187, dated January 9, 2006, transmitting the Report Pursuant to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 151, S.D. 1, 1999 Legislative Session, Requesting the Department of Health to Submit to the Legislature a Report on the Statewide Comprehensive Strategic Plan for Services and Supports for Individuals with Developmental Disabilities or Mental Retardation.

Gov. Msg. No. 188, dated January 9, 2006, transmitting the Department of Agriculture Annual Report, Fiscal Year 2004.

Gov. Msg. No. 189, dated January 10, 2006, transmitting the Department of Health and Department of Human Services' Report as required by HCR 277.

Gov. Msg. No. 190, dated December 2005, transmitting the Department of Accounting and General Services' Report on Transfers Between the Department of Education and the Department of Accounting and General Services for the period between December 1, 2004, to November 30, 2005.

## DEPARTMENTAL COMMUNICATIONS

The following departmental communications (Dept. Com. Nos. 1 through 47) were received by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Dept. Com. No. 1, dated September 30, 2005, from Patricia Hamamoto, Superintendent, Department of Education, transmitting the meeting schedule regarding SY 2005-2006 Facilities Assessments.

Dept. Com. No. 2, dated November 8, 2005, from Marion M. Higa, State Auditor, Office of the Auditor, transmitting the report, Review of Revolving Funds, Trust Funds, and Trust Accounts of the Judiciary and the Departments of Commerce and Consumer Affairs, Hawaiian Home Lands, Health, and Human Services.

Dept. Com. No. 3, dated November 25, 2005, from Marion M. Higa, State Auditor, Office of the Auditor, transmitting the report, Audit of the Deposit Beverage Container Program.

Dept. Com. No. 4, dated November 28, 2005, from David McClain, Interim President, University of Hawaii, transmitting the Annual Report on Discoveries & Inventions Revolving Fund.

Dept. Com. No. 5, dated November 28, 2005, from David McClain, Interim President, University of Hawaii, transmitting the Annual Report on Research and Training Revolving Fund.

Dept. Com. No. 6, dated November 29, 2005, from David McClain, Interim President, University of Hawaii, transmitting the Annual Report on Uncollectible Accounts.

Dept. Com. No. 7, dated November 29, 2005, from David McClain, Interim President, University of Hawaii, transmitting the Annual Report on Tuition Waiver Program for 2004-2005.

Dept. Com. No. 8, from the Research and Statistics Office, Department of Labor and Relations, transmitting the Workers' Compensation Data Book 2004.

Dept. Com. No. 9, dated December 12, 2005, from David McClain, Interim President, University of Hawaii, transmitting the Annual Report on The Medical Education Council on a Summary of the Expenditures of Program Monies Authorized by the Council.

Dept. Com. No. 10, dated December 12, 2005, from Rex D. Johnson, President and Chief Executive Officer, Hawaii Tourism Authority, transmitting the Hawaii Tourism Authority's Annual Report for Calendar Year 2005 which provides a status of the Authority's Calendar Year 2005 activities through October 31, 2005.

Dept. Com. No. 11, dated December 12, 2005, from Marion M. Higa, State Auditor, Office of the Auditor, transmitting the audited financial statements of the Department of Health's Water Pollution Control Revolving Fund as of June 30, 2005.

Dept. Com. No. 12, dated December 13, 2005, from David McClain, Interim President, University of Hawaii, transmitting the Annual Report on Government Operations.

Dept. Com. No. 13, dated December 13, 2005, from David McClain, Interim President, University of Hawaii, transmitting the Annual Report on The Hawaii Institute for Educational Partnerships formerly The Center for Teacher Education.

Dept. Com. No. 14, dated December 13, 2005, from David McClain, Interim President, University of Hawaii, transmitting the Annual Report on Nursing Scholars Program.

Dept. Com. No. 15, dated December 13, 2005, from David McClain, Interim President, University of Hawaii, transmitting the Annual Report on The Teacher Education Coordinating Committee for 2004-2005.

Dept. Com. No. 16, dated December 14, 2005, from David McClain, Interim President, University of Hawaii, transmitting the Annual Report on Salaries Paid to Executive/Managerial and Faculty Employees.

Dept. Com. No. 17, dated December 14, 2005, from David McClain, Interim President, University of Hawaii, transmitting the Annual Report on University of Hawaii's Risk Management Special Fund.

Dept. Com. No. 18, dated December 14, 2005, from David McClain, Interim President, University of Hawaii, transmitting the Annual Report on University of Hawaii Tuition & Fees Special Fund Expenditures for the Purpose of Generating Private Donations FY2005.

Dept. Com. No. 19, dated December 19, 2005, from David McClain, Interim President, University of Hawaii, transmitting the Report on the Feasibility of Stem Cell Research for Hawaii'i.

Dept. Com. No. 20, dated December 19, 2005, from David McClain, Interim President, University of Hawaii, transmitting the University of Hawaii Annual Report on Revenues, Distributions, Expenditures and Cash Balance From the Research & Training Revolving Fund.

Dept. Com. No. 21, dated December 20, 2005, from Charlene Miyashiro, Chairperson, Hawaii Teacher Standards Board, transmitting the 2005 Annual Report of the Hawaii Teacher Standards Board.

Dept. Com. No. 22, dated December 20, 2005, from David McClain, Interim President, University of Hawaii, transmitting the Report on the University of Hawaii Civil Service Exempt Positions.

Dept. Com. No. 23, dated December 22, 2005, from Marion M. Higa, State Auditor, Office of the Auditor, transmitting the report, Sunrise Analysis: Condominium Association Managers.

Dept. Com. No. 24, from the Crime Prevention & Justice Assistance Division, Department of the Attorney General, transmitting the Project Safe Neighborhoods Hawaii Crime Mapping Report.

Dept. Com. No. 25, from the Injury Prevention and Control Program, Department of Health, transmitting the Hawaii Injury Prevention Plan 2005-2010.

Dept. Com. No. 26, dated December 23, 2005, from David McClain, Interim President, University of Hawaii, transmitting the Annual Report on Center for Smart Building and Community Design.

Dept. Com. No. 27, dated December 23, 2005, from David McClain, Interim President, University of Hawaii, transmitting the Annual Report for 2004 and 2005 on General Fund Appropriation Transfers Between Program IDs.

Dept. Com. No. 28, dated December 23, 2005, from David McClain, Interim President, University of Hawaii, transmitting the Annual Report for 2004 and 2005 on the Review of the UH's Non-General Funds and Accounts.

Dept. Com. No. 29, dated December 23, 2005, from David McClain, Interim President, University of Hawaii, transmitting the Annual Report on Transfer of Appropriated Funds and Positions.

Dept. Com. No. 30, dated December 23, 2005, from David McClain, Interim President, University of Hawaii, transmitting the Annual Report on University of Hawaii's Special, Revolving, and Trust Funds For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2005.

Dept. Com. No. 31, dated December 23, 2005, from David McClain, Interim President, University of Hawaii, transmitting the Annual Report on Special and Revolving Fund Expenditures in Excess of Each Fund's Appropriation Approved by the President.

Dept. Com. No. 32, dated December 23, 2005, from Marion M. Higa, State Auditor, Office of the Auditor, transmitting the report, Sunrise Analysis: Check Cashing and Deferred Deposit Agreements (Payday Loans).

Dept. Com. No. 33, dated December 23, 2005, from Marion M. Higa, State Auditor, Office of the Auditor, transmitting the report, Audit of Selected Hiring Policies and Practices of the Executive Branch of Government.

Dept. Com. No. 34, dated December 27, 2005, from Marion M. Higa, State Auditor, Office of the Auditor, transmitting the report, Follow-Up Audit of the Management of Mauna Kea and the Mauna Kea Science Reserve.

Dept. Com. No. 35, dated November 2005, from the Legislative Reference Bureau, transmitting the Cell Phone Use and Motor Vehicle Collisions: A Review of the Studies.

Dept. Com. No. 36, dated December 27, 2005, from Robin Matsunaga, Ombudsman, Office of the Ombudsman, transmitting their annual report.

Dept. Com. No. 37, dated December 28, 2005, from Jim Shon, Executive Director, Charter School Administrative Office, transmitting the Findings and Recommendations of the Task Force on Charter School Governance.

Dept. Com. No. 38, dated December 29, 2005, from Marion M. Higa, State Auditor, Office of the Auditor, transmitting the compact disc copy of their study, A Comparative Study of the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs' Requirements for License for Professions and Vocations, Part I.

Dept. Com. No. 39, dated December 29, 2005, from Marion M. Higa, State Auditor, Office of the Auditor, transmitting the report, Systemwide Financial Audit of the University of Hawai'i System: Phase I.

Dept. Com. No. 40, dated January 11, 2006, from Dr. Pearl Imada Iboshi, Economics Research Administrator, Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism, transmitting the DBEDT's CD-ROM, the 2005 Hawaii Data Disc.

Dept. Com. No. 41, dated December 29, 2005, from Ronald T.Y. Moon, Chief Justice, Supreme Court, transmitting the final review of the Hawai'i Judicial Council's Committee to Conduct a Comprehensive Review of the Hawai'i Penal Code.

Dept. Com. No. 42, dated December 30, 2005, from Marion M. Higa, State Auditor, Office of the Auditor, transmitting the Hawai'i 2050 Sustainability Task Force Report.

Dept. Com. No. 43, dated December 29, 2005, from David McClain, Interim President, University of Hawaii, transmitting the Report on the Student Scholarship and Assistance Special Fund.

Dept. Com. No. 44, dated January 3, 2006, from David McClain, Interim President, University of Hawaii, transmitting the Report Requesting the Establishment of a Task Force on Economic Development, Workforce Development, and the Role of the University of Hawai'i in the Economic Future of the State.

Dept. Com. No. 45, dated January 4, 2006, from Marion M. Higa, State Auditor, Office of the Auditor, transmitting the report, Management Audit of the Division of Conservation and Resource Enforcement.

Dept. Com. No. 46, dated December 2005, from Office of the Ombudsman, transmitting the Report of the Ombudsman, Report No. 36.

Dept. Com. No. 47, dated December 2005, from Department of the Attorney General, transmitting the Crime in Hawaii 2004, A Review of Uniform Crime Reports.

### MISCELLANEOUS COMMUNICATIONS

The following miscellaneous communications (Misc. Com. Nos. 1 through 8) were received by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Misc. Com. No. 1, dated September 12, 2005, from Ernesto G. Pasion, Deputy County Clerk, County of Kauai, transmitting the Resolution No. 2005-52, RESOLUTION RELATING TO ANTIFREEZE, adopted on September 8, 2005.

Misc. Com. No. 2, dated December 7, 2005, from Stacy Sugimura, Government Relations/Insurance Analyst, Hawaii Insurance Bureau, Inc., transmitting their response to House Concurrent Resolution 113, sent on April 25, 2005.

Misc. Com. No. 3, dated November 28, 2005, from Edward Tschupp, Manager and Chief Engineer, Department of Water, County of Kauai, transmitting the County of Kauai, Department of Water's proposed CIP projects request for State aid.

Misc. Com. No. 4, dated December 13, 2005, from Janice Wakatsuki, Vice President and Director of Human Resources, Hawaii Health Systems Corporation, transmitting the report on exempt positions with the Hawaii Health Systems Corporation.

Misc. Com. No. 5, dated December 2005, from the Hawaii Insurers Council, transmitting the report, The Effectiveness of the Hawaii Insurance Bureau's Fire Rating Program.

Misc. Com. No. 6, dated December 27, 2005, from William Takaba, Director of Finance, Finance Department, County of Hawaii, transmitting the Annual report regarding services that were outsourced and are subject to the provisions of the law.

Misc. Com. No. 7, dated January 4, 2006, from Stacy Sugimura, Government Relations/Insurance Analyst, Hawaii Insurance Bureau, Inc., transmitting amended response to December 7, 2005 response to HCR 113.

Misc. Com. No. 8, dated January 6, 2006, from Thomas M. Driskill, Jr., President/CEO, Hawaii Health Systems Corporation.

### INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative Caldwell introduced second grade students from Punahou School and their teacher, Ms. Estrel Lohmeier; and parent chaparones, Ms. Joanne Vieira, Ms. Ann Nishimura, Ms. Renee Derrickson, Ms. Tamara Chow, Ms. Kelly Shreve, and Mr. Kelly Eliban.

Representative Hale introduced her friend, Ms. Luana Jones, from the Puna District.

Representative Carroll introduced her husband, Mr. Warren Carroll of Haiku, Maui; and her pastor, Mr. John DeMello of the Eastside House of Restoration Church on Maui.

## ORDER OF THE DAY

## INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

On motion by Representative B. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the following bills (H.B. Nos. 1846 through 1879) passed First Reading by title and were referred to Printing: (Representative Souki was excused.)

H. B. Nos.

1846 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING TAX CREDIT."

Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina, Kawakami, Nishimoto and Sonson.

1847 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS."

Introduced by: Representative Kahikina.

1848 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS."

Introduced by: Representative Kahikina.

1849 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."

Introduced by: Representative Kahikina.

1850 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOMELESS."

Introduced by: Representative Kahikina.

1851 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC CODE."

Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina and Shimabukuro.

1852 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE CONDEMNATION OF LAND IN NANAKULI, OAHU, FOR A PUBLIC HOUSING PROJECT."

Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina and Shimabukuro.

1853 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENTAL HOUSING."

Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina, Arakaki, Kawakami and Nishimoto.

1854 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE INVOLUNTARY TERMINATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS OF KANAKA MAOLI."

Introduced by: Representative Kahikina, by request.

1855 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEMPORARY ASSISTANCE FOR NEEDY FAMILIES."

Introduced by: Representatives Sonson and Say.

1856 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD PROTECTION."

Introduced by: Representatives Sonson, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Kawakami, Kahikina and Green.

1857 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADULT RESIDENTIAL CARE HOMES."

Introduced by: Representatives Sonson, Arakaki, Kahikina and Morita.

1858 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII YOUTH CORRECTIONAL FACILITY."

Introduced by: Representatives Sonson, Arakaki, Kahikina and Morita.

1859 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Takumi, Arakaki, Caldwell, Chang, Shimabukuro, Wakai and Kahikina.

1860 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Takumi, Arakaki, Caldwell, Chang, Kahikina, Shimabukuro, Wakai and Waters.

1861 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Takumi, Arakaki, Berg, Caldwell, Chang, Shimabukuro, Wakai and Kahikina.

1862 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Takumi, Arakaki, Berg, Caldwell, Chang, Kahikina, Shimabukuro, Wakai and Waters.

1863 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Takumi, Chang, Berg, Kahikina, Shimabukuro and Wakai.

1864 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Takumi, Arakaki, Caldwell, Chang, Kahikina, Berg, Shimabukuro and Wakai.

1865 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Takumi, Arakaki, Berg, Caldwell, Chang, Kahikina, Shimabukuro, Wakai and Waters.

1866 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Takumi, Arakaki, Caldwell, Wakai, Berg, Chang, Kahikina and Shimabukuro.

- 1867 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Takumi, Berg, Caldwell, Green, Lee, Nishimoto, M. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Arakaki, Magaoay, Tanaka and Waters.

- 1868 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY."

Introduced by: Representatives Takumi, Berg, Caldwell, Lee, Nishimoto, Arakaki, Magaoay, M. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Tanaka and Waters.

- 1869 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADVERTISING BY DRUG MANUFACTURERS AND DISCLOSURE OF CLINICAL TRIALS."

Introduced by: Representatives Takumi, Berg, Morita, Nishimoto, Thielen, Wakai, Caldwell, Chong and Yamashita.

- 1870 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOLUNTARY EMPLOYEES' BENEFICIARY ASSOCIATION TRUSTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Takumi, Berg, Ito and Takai.

- 1871 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER CREDIT REPORTING AGENCIES."

Introduced by: Representatives Takumi, B. Oshiro and Takai.

- 1872 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRESCRIPTION DRUGS."

Introduced by: Representatives Takumi, Berg, Morita, Nishimoto, Thielen, Caldwell, Chong, Wakai and Yamashita.

- 1873 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRESCRIPTIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Takumi, Berg, Caldwell, Chong, Morita, Nishimoto, Thielen, Wakai and Yamashita.

- 1874 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ACCESS TO CRIMINAL HISTORY."

Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Chong, Green, Ito, Morita, Nishimoto, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Tanaka, Tsuji, Wakai and Yamane.

- 1875 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHICAL MARKETING OF PRESCRIPTION DRUGS."

Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Green, Herkes and Takumi.

- 1876 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GASOLINE."

Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Morita, Green and Herkes.

- 1877 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING."

Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Kahikina, Nishimoto and Shimabukuro.

- 1878 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVESTMENT SECURITIES ACT."

Introduced by: Representatives Schatz and Herkes.

- 1879 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERANS."

Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami, Cabanilla, Chang, Ito, Kahikina, Kanoho, Tanaka, Nakasone and Souki.

### INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTION

The following resolution (H.R. No. 1) was announced by the Clerk and was disposed of as follows:

H.R. No. 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION RELATING TO THE CAUCUS LEADERS AND THE COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE TWENTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE," was jointly offered by Representatives M. Oshiro and Finnegan.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Finnegan and carried, H.R. No. 1 was adopted with Representative Souki being excused.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Arakaki: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. We have some Keiki Caucus Bills for signing in Room 414. These bills have to be introduced by tomorrow, which is the deadline. So all the Keiki Caucus Members, please go to Room 414. You have until 5:00 this afternoon to sign them. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Halford: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Yesterday was a big event, and I thought it went very well. No apparent mistakes that were obvious. But basically I was really impressed on how well it went off. And I would like to take this opportunity to thank the Sergeant-at-Arms and the Clerk's Office for making that happen. Thank you."

Representative Takamine: "Mr. Speaker, thank you. Your Committee on Finance went overtime this morning and we weren't able to finish our budget briefing on the Department of Transportation. Therefore, we'll begin this afternoon, by finishing up with that before we move to our afternoon agenda."

Representative Lee: "Mr. Speaker, thank you. I would like to invite everyone including the men in the audience to sign the Women's Caucus package bills. They're on my desk in Room 421. Thank you."

Representative Ching: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I would also like to invite everyone who would like to attend the first ever Heritage Caucus press conference tomorrow at 10 a.m., here in the Capitol Rotunda, for those who are interested. Thank you."

Speaker Say: "Any further announcements? The Chair has one announcement for Representative Arakaki, Representative Waters, and Representative Cabanilla. Can you meet me after the session is adjourned?"

### ADJOURNMENT

At 12:16 o'clock p.m. on motion by Representative B. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Friday, January 20, 2006. (Representative Souki was excused.)

## THIRD DAY

Friday, January 20, 2006

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Third Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2006, convened at 12:03 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Representative Bertha C. Kawakami, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representative Kanoho, who was excused.

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

## SENATE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the Senate (Sen. Com. Nos. 1 through 2) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Sen. Com. No. 1, returning H.C.R. No. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RELATING TO RECESS DAYS FOR THE REGULAR SESSION OF 2006," which was adopted by the Senate on January 19, 2006.

Sen. Com. No. 2, returning H.C.R. No. 2, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO ADDRESS THE LEGISLATURE ASSEMBLED IN JOINT SESSION," which was adopted by the Senate on January 19, 2006.

## INTRODUCTIONS

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

Students of the Future Leaders Exchange Program were introduced by the following Representatives.

Representative Tsuji, on behalf of Representative Chang, introduced Ms. Arzu Hamzayeva from Azerbaijan attending Hilo High School, accompanied by his legislative staff.

Representative Finnegan introduced Mr. Kamil Khabiyev from Russia attending Farrington High School.

Representative Ching introduced Mr. Rahat Sharshembaev from Kyrgyzstan attending Waimea High School.

Representative Marumoto introduced Ms. Krystyna Semanyuk from Ukraine attending high school on Maui.

Representative Arakaki introduced Ms. Madina Badalova from Uzbekistan attending Castle High School.

Representative Kahikina introduced Ms. Angelina Sakharovskaya from Russia attending Moanalua High School; accompanied by office assistant, Ms. Aulani Ahmad.

Representative Kahikina also introduced Pastors Boo Soares and Harry Simon of Hawaii Coalition of Christian Churches.

Representative Pine introduced students from Ewa Beach Elementary, their teacher, Ms. Darlene Cadiente; teacher, Ms. Tracy Matsui; chaperone, Ms. Joy Cole; chaperone, Ms. Rochelle Kai; accompanied by her legislative staff, Ms. Rebecca Erickson.

Representative Green introduced representatives of the Kona Catholic Charities.

## ORDER OF THE DAY

## COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

The following bills were referred to committee by the Speaker:

<u>H.B. Nos.</u>	<u>Referred to:</u>
1787	Committee on Judiciary
1788	Committee on Finance
1789	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
1790	Committee on Finance
1791	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
1792	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
1793	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
1794	Committee on Finance
1795	Committee on Finance
1796	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
1797	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
1798	Committee on Finance
1799	Committee on Finance
1800	Committee on Finance
1801	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
1802	Jointly to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment and the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
1803	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
1804	Committee on Finance
1805	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
1806	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
1807	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
1808	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance



1809	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs and the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance	1831	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
1810	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary	1832	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection
1811	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	1833	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
1812	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	1834	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
1813	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary	1835	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
1814	Committee on Judiciary	1836	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
1815	Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Judiciary	1837	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary
1816	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	1838	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
1817	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	1839	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
1818	Committee on Tourism & Culture, then to the Committee on Judiciary	1840	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
1819	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	1841	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
1820	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	1842	Committee on Judiciary
1821	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	1843	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
1822	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	1844	Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Legislative Management
1823	Committee on Finance	1845	Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
1824	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary	1846	Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
1825	Committee on Judiciary	1847	Jointly to the Committee on Housing and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs
1826	Committee on Judiciary	1848	Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Housing
1827	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	1849	Committee on Housing
1828	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce	1850	Committee on Housing
1829	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	1851	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
1830	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	1852	Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
		1853	Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
		1854	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

1855 Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance

1856 Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Judiciary

1857 Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance

1858 Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

1859 Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment

1860 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance

1861 Committee on Education

1862 Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance

1863 Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance

1864 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance

1865 Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance

1866 Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance

1867 Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance

1868 Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance

1869 Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance

1870 Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance

1871 Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce

1872 Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary

1873 Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary

1874 Committee on Judiciary

1875 Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary

1876 Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce

1877 Jointly to the Committee on Housing and the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance

1878 Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce

1879 Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance

### INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

On motion by Representative B. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the following bills (H.B. Nos. 1880 through 1949) passed First Reading by title and were referred to Printing: (Representative Kanoho was excused.)

#### H. B. Nos.

1880 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HARBORS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Caldwell, Chong, Ito, Lee, Moses, Yamane, Nakasone, Shimabukuro and Yamashita.

1881 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION."  
Introduced by: Representative Souki.

1882 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGH OCCUPANCY VEHICLE LANES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Souki and Lee.

1883 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JUNIOR RESERVE OFFICERS' TRAINING CORPS."  
Introduced by: Representative Souki.

1884 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."  
Introduced by: Representative Shimabukuro.

1885 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A CITIZENS POLICE TRAINING PROGRAM."  
Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Ito, Luke, Morita, Nishimoto, Shimabukuro, Tanaka, Thielen, Tsuji, Wakai, Yamane and Green.

1886 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."  
Introduced by: Representative Kahikina.

1887 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEMPORARY ASSISTANCE FOR NEEDY FAMILIES."  
Introduced by: Representative Sonson.

1888 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Hale, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Green, Sonson and Thielen.

1889	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS."	1900	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET."
	Introduced by: Representative Hale.		Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
1890	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SISTER STATE AND PROVINCE RELATIONSHIPS."	1901	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PEDESTRIAN SAFETY."
	Introduced by: Representative Hale.		Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Arakaki, Evans, Morita, Nishimoto, Shimabukuro, Souki, Tanaka and Wakai.
1891	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."	1902	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION."
	Introduced by: Representatives Takumi, Berg, Caldwell, Chong, Luke, Morita, M. Oshiro, Say, Takamine, Yamane, Evans, Nakasone and Wakai.		Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Morita, Nishimoto, Shimabukuro, Tanaka, Yamane and Caldwell.
1892	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."	1903	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GASOLINE DEALERS."
	Introduced by: Representatives Takumi and Caldwell.		Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Morita, Caldwell, Nishimoto, Souki and Tanaka.
1893	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."	1904	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC SAFETY AT PUBLIC SCHOOLS."
	Introduced by: Representatives Takumi and Caldwell.		Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Caldwell, Ito, Morita, Nishimoto, Shimabukuro, Takai, Tanaka, Thielen, Wakai, Yamane and Green.
1894	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FORTY-EIGHTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."	1905	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS."
	Introduced by: Representative Ito.		Introduced by: Representative Saiki, by request.
1895	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES."	1906	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOMESTEADS."
	Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Chong and Takai.		Introduced by: Representatives Kanoho, Kawakami, Morita, Schatz, Carroll and Kahikina.
1896	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR EROSION CONTROL MEASURES ALONG KAWA STREAM IN KANEOHE, OAHU."	1907	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OCEAN RESOURCES."
	Introduced by: Representatives Ito and Chong.		Introduced by: Representative Kanoho.
1897	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MISSING PERSONS."	1908	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OCEAN RESOURCES."
	Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Caldwell, Ito, Morita, Nishimoto, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Chong, Evans, Green, Sonson, Tanaka and Yamane.		Introduced by: Representative Kanoho.
1898	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VITAL STATISTICS."	1909	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE."
	Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Caldwell, Ito, Luke, Marumoto, Morita, Shimabukuro, Takai, Tanaka, Thielen, Wakai, Kahikina and Yamane.		Introduced by: Representative Kanoho.
1899	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE USE OF SAFETY HELMETS BY MINORS."	1910	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE."
	Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Arakaki, Green, Ito, Marumoto, Morita, Nishimoto, Tanaka, Wakai, Yamane and Shimabukuro.		Introduced by: Representative Kanoho.
		1911	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER RESOURCES."
			Introduced by: Representative Kanoho.
		1912	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VACANCIES."
			Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Luke, and B. Oshiro.

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| 1913 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOLID WASTE."  | 1923 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY."   |
|      | Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Berg, Kanoho, Morita, Pine, Thielen, Waters, Carroll and Evans.  |      | Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Caldwell, Hale, Kahikina, Karamatsu, B. Oshiro, Schatz, Tsuji, Arakaki, Cabanilla and Yamashita.  |
| 1914 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC PROCUREMENT."   | 1924 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR SMALL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT."   |
|      | Introduced by: Representatives Takumi, Berg, Caldwell, Carroll, Chong, Evans, Green, Kahikina, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Lee, Luke, Magaoay, Morita, Nishimoto, B. Oshiro, M. Oshiro, Saiki, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Takai, Waters, Yamane, Yamashita, Abinsay, Arakaki, Herkes, Ito and Wakai. |      | Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Cabanilla, Evans, Hale, Karamatsu, Luke, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Tsuji, Arakaki, Caldwell, Carroll, Kahikina, B. Oshiro, Takumi and Yamashita. |
| 1915 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."   | 1925 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ESTATE AND TRANSFER TAX."  |
|      | Introduced by: Representatives Say, Arakaki, Kahikina, Luke, M. Oshiro and Takai.   |      | Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro and Kawakami.  |
| 1916 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION RELATING TO EDUCATION."  | 1926 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS."   |
|      | Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Ito, Kahikina, Luke, Morita, and M. Oshiro.  |      | Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro, Luke and Takumi.  |
| 1917 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AMENDMENTS TO THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION RELATING TO THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A SALARY COMMISSION."   | 1927 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTRACTORS."  |
|      | Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Kahikina, Luke, M. Oshiro, Say and Takumi.   |      | Introduced by: Representative B. Oshiro.  |
| 1918 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMISSION ON SALARIES."   | 1928 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS."   |
|      | Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Kahikina, Luke, M. Oshiro, Say and Takumi.   |      | Introduced by: Representative Kanoho.   |
| 1919 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."   | 1929 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL EXCISE TAX."   |
|      | Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Kahikina, Luke, M. Oshiro, Say and Takumi.   |      | Introduced by: Representative Kanoho.   |
| 1920 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FINANCIAL LITERACY MONTH."   | 1930 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FISHING."  |
|      | Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Berg, Caldwell, Ito, Kahikina, Luke, M. Oshiro, Say, Takumi and Herkes.  |      | Introduced by: Representatives Kanoho, Morita and Schatz.   |
| 1921 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FERRETS."  | 1931 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BOATING."  |
|      | Introduced by: Representative Takai.  |      | Introduced by: Representative Kanoho.   |
| 1922 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL EXCISE TAX."   | 1932 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTY ZONING."  |
|      | Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Evans, Hale, Karamatsu, Schatz, Tsuji, Yamashita, Arakaki, Kahikina, and B. Oshiro.   |      | Introduced by: Representative Kanoho.   |
|      |   | 1933 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES."   |
|      |   |      | Introduced by: Representative Evans.  |
|      |   | 1934 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE NATURAL ENERGY LABORATORY OF HAWAII AUTHORITY."  |
|      |   |      | Introduced by: Representative Evans.  |
|      |   | 1935 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PLANNED COMMUNITY ASSOCIATIONS."   |
|      |   |      | Introduced by: Representative Evans.  |

1936 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PLANNED COMMUNITY ASSOCIATIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Evans.

1937 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BURIALS."

Introduced by: Representatives Evans, Morita, Tanaka and Waters.

1938 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE."

Introduced by: Representatives Evans and Herkes.

1939 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS."

Introduced by: Representatives Evans, Herkes, Morita and Waters.

1940 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ILLEGAL DRUGS."

Introduced by: Representatives Evans, Berg, Hale and Morita.

1941 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES."

Introduced by: Representatives Evans, Hale, Herkes and Morita.

1942 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VEHICLES."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Berg, Ito, Luke, M. Oshiro, Say, Takumi, Herkes and Souki.

1943 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE TRANSFERS."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Berg, Ito, Luke, M. Oshiro, Say, Takumi, Herkes and Souki.

1944 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, B. Oshiro, M. Oshiro, Say and Souki.

1945 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOLID WASTE."

Introduced by: Representative Morita.

1946 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FERTILIZER."

Introduced by: Representatives Morita and Evans.

1947 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIABILITY."

Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Luke, and B. Oshiro.

1948 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Morita and Thielen.

1949 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO PROVIDE FOR THE EXPENSES OF THE LEGISLATURE, THE AUDITOR, THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU, AND THE OMBUDSMAN."

Introduced by: Representative Say.

### INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

By unanimous consent, the following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 2 through 5) and concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 3 through 6) were referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.R. No. 2, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS TO ESTABLISH AND FUND A COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT FUND WITH PROCEEDS GENERATED FROM THE NATIONAL REGIONAL LIBRARY FACILITY TO ASSIST HOMESTEAD COMMUNITY ASSOCIATIONS AT MANAGING AND PROVIDING SERVICES TO THEIR COMMUNITIES," was jointly offered by Representatives Kahikina, Arakaki, Berg, Kanoho, Kawakami, Morita and Waters.

H.R. No. 3, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS TO FUND AND CONDUCT AN ASSESSMENT OF THE INFRASTRUCTURE OF ALL RESIDENTIAL LANDS IN ORDER TO DETERMINE MAINTENANCE, REPAIR, AND REPLACEMENT NEEDS," was jointly offered by Representatives Kahikina, Arakaki, Berg, Kanoho, Kawakami, Morita and Waters.

H.R. No. 4, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS TO ASSIST THE STATE COUNCIL OF HAWAIIAN HOMESTEAD ASSOCIATIONS TO IMPLEMENT STATEWIDE MEETINGS RELATING TO THE SALE AND TRANSFER OF HAWAIIAN HOMELAND LEASES FOR PROFIT," was jointly offered by Representatives Kahikina, Arakaki, Berg, Kawakami, Morita and Kanoho.

H.R. No. 5, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS TO REVIEW AND CONSIDER THE AMENDMENT OF ITS RULES RELATING TO THE ASSIGNMENT AND SUBLLETING OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS LEASES," was jointly offered by Representatives Kahikina, Arakaki, Berg, Kawakami, Morita, Waters and Kanoho.

H.C.R. No. 3, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS TO ESTABLISH AND FUND A COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT FUND WITH PROCEEDS GENERATED FROM THE NATIONAL REGIONAL LIBRARY FACILITY TO ASSIST HOMESTEAD COMMUNITY ASSOCIATIONS AT MANAGING AND PROVIDING SERVICES TO THEIR COMMUNITIES," was jointly offered by Representatives Kahikina, Arakaki, Berg, Kanoho, Kawakami, Morita and Waters.

H.C.R. No. 4, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS TO FUND AND CONDUCT AN ASSESSMENT OF THE INFRASTRUCTURE OF ALL RESIDENTIAL LANDS IN ORDER TO DETERMINE MAINTENANCE, REPAIR, AND REPLACEMENT NEEDS," was jointly offered by Representatives Kahikina, Arakaki, Berg, Kanoho, Kawakami, Morita and Waters.

H.C.R. No. 5, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS TO ASSIST THE STATE COUNCIL OF HAWAIIAN HOMESTEAD ASSOCIATIONS TO IMPLEMENT STATEWIDE MEETINGS RELATING TO THE SALE AND TRANSFER OF HAWAIIAN HOMELAND LEASES FOR PROFIT," was jointly offered by Representatives Kahikina, Arakaki, Berg, Morita, Waters and Kanoho.

H.C.R. No. 6, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF STATE-PROVINCE RELATIONS OF FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN THE STATE OF HAWAII OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND THE PROVINCE OF THUA THIEN-HUE OF THE SOCIALIST REPUBLIC OF VIETNAM," was offered by Representative Hale.

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

At 12:20 o'clock p.m. on motion by Representative B. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 9:00 o'clock a.m., Monday, January 23, 2006. (Representative Kanoho was excused.)

## FOURTH DAY

Monday, January 23, 2006

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Third Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2006, convened at 9:31 o'clock a.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Representative Marilyn B. Lee, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Evans and Takamine, who were excused.

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

## GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE

The following message from the Governor (Gov. Msg. No. 191) was received and announced by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 191, dated January 9, 2006, transmitting the Department of Transportation's 2004 Annual Report.

## DEPARTMENTAL COMMUNICATION

The following departmental communication (Dept. Com. No. 48) was received by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Dept. Com. No. 48, from David McClain, Interim President, University of Hawaii, transmitting the Report on the Establishment of a Task Force To Determine Whether Classification of the Offenses of Assault and Terroristic Threatening Based On The Occupation of the Victim Is Still Necessary.

## ORDER OF THE DAY

## COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

The following bills (H.B. Nos. 1880 through 2183) were referred to committee by the Speaker:

**HB  
Nos.**

**Referred to:**

1880	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance	1888	Jointly to the Committee on International Affairs and the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
1881	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	1889	Jointly to the Committee on International Affairs and the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
1882	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	1890	Jointly to the Committee on International Affairs and the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
1883	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	1891	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
1884	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	1892	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
1885	Committee on Finance	1893	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
1886	Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance	1894	Committee on Finance
1887	Committee on Human Services	1895	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
		1896	Committee on Finance
		1897	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
		1898	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
		1899	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
		1900	Committee on Finance
		1901	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
		1902	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
		1903	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
		1904	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
		1905	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
		1906	Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
		1907	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources
		1908	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources
		1909	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources
		1910	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources

1911	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources	1934	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
1912	Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Legislative Management	1935	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
1913	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance	1936	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
1914	Jointly to the Committee on International Affairs and the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance	1937	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
1915	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	1938	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
1916	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	1939	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary
1917	Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	1940	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
1918	Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	1941	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
1919	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	1942	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
1920	Committee on Finance	1943	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary
1921	Committee on Agriculture	1944	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
1922	Committee on Tourism & Culture, then to the Committee on Finance	1945	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
1923	Committee on Tourism & Culture, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	1946	Jointly to the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
1924	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	1947	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
1925	Committee on Finance	1948	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
1926	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary	1949	Committee on Finance
1927	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance	1950	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
1928	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance	1951	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
1929	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance	1952	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
1930	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs	1953	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
1931	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance	1954	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
1932	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance	1955	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary
1933	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance		



1956	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary	1978	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
1957	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	1979	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
1958	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	1980	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
1959	Committee on Judiciary	1981	Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
1960	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance	1982	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary
1961	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance	1983	Committee on Judiciary
1962	Committee on Judiciary	1984	Committee on Judiciary
1963	Committee on Tourism & Culture, then to the Committee on Judiciary	1985	Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
1964	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	1986	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
1965	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	1987	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
1966	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	1988	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
1967	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce	1989	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
1968	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Judiciary	1990	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
1969	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	1991	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
1970	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce	1992	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
1971	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance	1993	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
1972	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce	1994	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
1973	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	1995	Committee on Judiciary
1974	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce	1996	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
1975	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Health	1997	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary
1976	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Health	1998	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
1977	Committee on Judiciary	1999	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance

2000	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs and the Committee on Tourism & Culture, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2022	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2001	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2023	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2002	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then jointly to the Committee on Finance and the Committee on Legislative Management	2024	Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
2003	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance	2025	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2004	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2026	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2005	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2027	Committee on Finance
2006	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2028	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2007	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	2029	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
2008	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2030	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
2009	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2031	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
2010	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2032	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
2011	Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce	2033	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2012	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2034	Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance
2013	Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance	2035	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2014	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance	2036	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2015	Committee on Finance	2037	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2016	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance	2038	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2017	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance	2039	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2018	Committee on Finance	2040	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2019	Jointly to the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection and the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2041	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2020	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2042	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2021	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2043	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance

2044	Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance	2067	Jointly to the Committee on Housing and the Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance
2045	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2068	Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
2046	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce	2069	Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance
2047	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2070	Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2048	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2071	Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance
2049	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	2072	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2050	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on International Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2073	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
2051	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2074	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
2052	Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2075	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
2053	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2076	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2054	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2077	Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2055	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2078	Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2056	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2079	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
2057	Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2080	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2058	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2081	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2059	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2082	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2060	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2083	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2061	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary	2084	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2062	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2085	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2063	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	2086	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2064	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	2087	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2065	Jointly to the Committee on Housing and the Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance	2088	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2066	Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance	2089	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
		2090	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance

2091	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2114	Committee on Judiciary
2092	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2115	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2093	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2116	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2094	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2117	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns
2095	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2118	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns
2096	Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance	2119	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns
2097	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	2120	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns
2098	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services	2121	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns
2099	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2122	Committee on Judiciary
2100	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance	2123	Committee on Judiciary
2101	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2124	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2102	Committee on Judiciary	2125	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2103	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2126	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
2104	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2127	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2105	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	2128	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2106	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance	2129	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
2107	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2130	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
2108	Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2131	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2109	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	2132	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
2110	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	2133	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2111	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2134	Jointly to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment and the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
2112	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2135	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2113	Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2136	Committee on Judiciary

2137	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance	2160	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
2138	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2161	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2139	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2162	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2140	Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2163	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
2141	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2164	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
2142	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Agriculture	2165	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
2143	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Agriculture	2166	Committee on Tourism & Culture, then to the Committee on Finance
2144	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance	2167	Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance
2145	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Tourism & Culture	2168	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Legislative Management
2146	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2169	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2147	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance	2170	Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources
2148	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2171	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
2149	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2172	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
2150	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance	2173	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2151	Committee on Finance	2174	Jointly to the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection and the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
2152	Committee on Finance	2175	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2153	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	2176	Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
2154	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance	2177	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2155	Committee on Judiciary	2178	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2156	Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance	2179	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2157	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2180	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2158	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2181	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
2159	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance		

- 2182 Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
- 2183 Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance

1960 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL WASTES DISPOSAL RECYCLING."

Introduced by: Representative Waters, by request.

1961 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LEASES."

Introduced by: Representative Waters, by request.

1962 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL HISTORY."

Introduced by: Representative Waters, by request.

1963 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NO RULES COMBAT."

Introduced by: Representative Waters, by request.

1964 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE PORTFOLIO STANDARDS."

Introduced by: Representative Herkes.

1965 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRUG TREATMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Herkes.

1966 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEAHI HOSPITAL."

Introduced by: Representatives Herkes and Waters.

1967 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE."

Introduced by: Representative Herkes.

1968 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR."

Introduced by: Representative Herkes.

1969 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."

Introduced by: Representative Herkes.

1970 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTRACTORS."

Introduced by: Representative Herkes.

1971 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE NATURAL ENERGY LABORATORY OF HAWAII AUTHORITY."

Introduced by: Representative Herkes.

1972 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRICIANS."

Introduced by: Representative Herkes.

### INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

On motion by Representative B. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the following bills (H.B. Nos. 1950 through 2183) passed First Reading by title and were referred to Printing: (Representatives Evans and Takamine were excused.)

#### H. B. Nos.

1950 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC FINES."

Introduced by: Representative Waters.

1951 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A GRANT-IN-AID TO THE COUNTIES FOR STREET AND ROAD UPGRADES AND INSTALLATION AND MAINTENANCE OF TRAFFIC AND SAFETY SIGNALS AND DEVICES."

Introduced by: Representative Waters.

1952 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS."

Introduced by: Representative Waters.

1953 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION."

Introduced by: Representative Waters.

1954 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNADJUDICATED TRAFFIC FINES."

Introduced by: Representative Waters.

1955 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LITTER CONTROL."

Introduced by: Representative Waters.

1956 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE TRANSFERS."

Introduced by: Representative Waters.

1957 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOLID WASTE CONTROL."

Introduced by: Representative Waters.

1958 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."

Introduced by: Representative Waters, by request.

1959 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMALS."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, by request, and Chong.

1973	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."	1986	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION."
	Introduced by: Representative Say.		Introduced by: Representatives Green, Hale, Lee, Nishimoto, Schatz, Sonson, Arakaki, Berg and Herkes.
1974	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KONA COFFEE."	1987	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."
	Introduced by: Representative Herkes.		Introduced by: Representatives Green, Abinsay, Arakaki, Caldwell, Carroll, Lee, Nishimoto, Berg, Herkes, Kanoho, B. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Souki, Takamine, Waters and Yamashita.
1975	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES."	1988	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES."
	Introduced by: Representative Herkes.		Introduced by: Representatives Green, Arakaki, Lee, Hale, Schatz and Souki.
1976	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION."	1989	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
	Introduced by: Representative Herkes.		Introduced by: Representatives Green, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Chang, Hale, Herkes, Lee, Nishimoto, and B. Oshiro.
1977	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STRUCTURED SETTLEMENTS."	1990	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NURSING."
	Introduced by: Representative Herkes.		Introduced by: Representatives Green, Arakaki, Lee, Magaoay, Nishimoto, Tsuji, Luke and Wakai.
1978	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL PROPERTY DEVELOPMENT."	1991	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL DEFENSE."
	Introduced by: Representative Herkes.		Introduced by: Representatives Green, Berg, Cabanilla, Hale, Ito, Lee, Nishimoto, B. Oshiro, Tsuji and Souki.
1979	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTRACTORS."	1992	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIGARETTE TAX."
	Introduced by: Representative Herkes.		Introduced by: Representatives Green, Hale, Herkes, Lee, Nishimoto, B. Oshiro, Thielen, Wakai, Berg, Carroll, Luke, M. Oshiro and Waters.
1980	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GIFT CERTIFICATES."	1993	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TELEPSYCHIATRY."
	Introduced by: Representative Herkes.		Introduced by: Representatives Green, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Hale, Halford and Sonson.
1981	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEASEHOLD CONVERSION."	1994	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIRE PROTECTION."
	Introduced by: Representative B. Oshiro.		Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Evans, Lee, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Chong, Morita, Shimabukuro, Wakai and Yamane.
1982	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE FISH."	1995	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENDANGERING THE WELFARE OF A MINOR."
	Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro, Berg, Kanoho, Kawakami, Morita, M. Oshiro, Takai and Schatz.		Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Chong, Herkes, Kahikina, Lee, Luke, Morita, M. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Yamane and Say.
1983	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY."	1996	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXCISE TAX ON HEALTH CARE."
	Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro and Luke.		Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Chong, Herkes, Lee, Yamane, Kahikina, M. Oshiro and Say.
1984	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONVICTION DATA."		
	Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro and Luke.		
1985	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ONLINE PROPERTY OFFENSES."		
	Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro and Luke.		

1997	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL SAFETY."	2008	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE DRUG NUISANCE ABATEMENT UNIT."
	Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Cabanilla, Herkes, M. Oshiro, Arakaki, Caldwell, Chong, Kahikina, Lee, Morita, Say, Shimabukuro and Yamane.		Introduced by: Representatives Finnegan, Ching, Halford, Marumoto, Meyer, Moses, Pine, Stevens, Stonebraker and Thielen.
1998	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION."	2009	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO IMPLEMENT ACT 112, SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII, 2005."
	Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Berg, Chong, Evans, Lee, Shimabukuro, Yamane, Arakaki, Morita, Souki, Tanaka and Wakai.		Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto, Ching, Finnegan, Halford, Meyer, Moses, Pine, Stevens, Stonebraker and Thielen.
1999	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A DEPARTMENT OF CIVIL DEFENSE."	2010	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONAL TREATMENT FACILITIES."
	Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Yamane, Souki and Tanaka.		Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Ching, Finnegan, Halford, Marumoto, Meyer, Pine, Stevens, Stonebraker and Thielen.
2000	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATED TO FIREWORKS."	2011	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IDENTITY THEFT."
	Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Souki, Tanaka and Yamane.		Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Ching, Finnegan, Halford, Marumoto, Meyer, Pine, Stevens, Stonebraker and Thielen.
2001	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION INSURANCE."	2012	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRUGS."
	Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro and Thielen.		Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto, Ching, Finnegan, Meyer, Moses, Pine, Stevens and Stonebraker.
2002	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII EMPLOYERS' MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY."	2013	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC HOUSING."
	Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro and Thielen.		Introduced by: Representatives Halford, Ching, Finnegan, Marumoto, Meyer, Moses, Pine, Stevens, Stonebraker and Thielen.
2003	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR VOG MONITORING STATIONS."	2014	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EXCLUSION OF PROCEEDS FROM THE MANUFACTURE, PACKAGING, AND SALE OF FOOD FROM GENERAL EXCISE TAX LIABILITY."
	Introduced by: Representative Hale.		Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Ching, Finnegan, Halford, Marumoto, Meyer, Pine, Stevens, Stonebraker and Thielen.
2004	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."	2015	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STANDARD DEDUCTION FOR INDIVIDUAL INCOME TAX."
	Introduced by: Representatives Stonebraker, Ching, Finnegan, Halford, Marumoto, Meyer, Moses, Pine, Stevens and Thielen.		Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Ching, Finnegan, Halford, Marumoto, Moses, Pine, Stevens, Stonebraker and Thielen.
2005	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOLS."	2016	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A LONG-TERM CARE TAX CREDIT."
	Introduced by: Representatives Thielen, Ching, Finnegan, Halford, Marumoto, Meyer, Moses, Stevens and Stonebraker.		Introduced by: Representatives Ching, Finnegan, Halford, Marumoto, Meyer, Moses, Pine, Stevens, Stonebraker and Thielen.
2006	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOLUNTARY DRUG TESTING IN SCHOOLS."	2017	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
	Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto, Ching, Finnegan, Halford, Meyer, Moses, Pine, Stevens and Stonebraker.		Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto, Ching, Finnegan, Halford, Meyer, Moses, Pine, Stevens, Stonebraker and Thielen.
2007	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR ADOLESCENT DRUG TREATMENT PROGRAMS."		
	Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Ching, Finnegan, Halford, Marumoto, Moses, Pine, Stevens, Stonebraker and Thielen.		



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| 2018 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto, Ching, Finnegan, Halford, Moses, Pine, Stevens, Stonebraker and Thielen.</p>  | 2028 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESTORING THE RULEMAKING AUTHORITY OF THE DIRECTOR OF LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Ching, Finnegan, Halford, Marumoto, Meyer, Pine, Stevens, Stonebraker and Thielen.</p>   |
| 2019 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REDUCTION OF TAXES ON FUEL."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Stonebraker, Ching, Finnegan, Halford, Marumoto, Meyer, Moses, Pine, Stevens and Thielen.</p>                         | 2029 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR STATE HARBORS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Stevens, Ching, Finnegan, Halford, Marumoto, Meyer, Moses, Pine, Stonebraker and Thielen.</p> |
| 2020 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION OF LOW EMISSION AND ENERGY-EFFICIENT VEHICLES."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Thielen, Ching, Finnegan, Halford, Marumoto, Meyer, Moses, Pine, Stevens and Stonebraker.</p> | 2030 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BIODIESEL."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Thielen, Ching, Finnegan, Halford, Marumoto, Moses, Pine, Stevens and Stonebraker.</p>   |
| 2021 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A VEHICLE CONVERSION TAX CREDIT."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Thielen, Ching, Finnegan, Marumoto, Meyer, Moses, Pine, Stevens and Stonebraker.</p>                                 | 2031 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL PUBLIC LAND USED TO GROW BIODIESEL PRODUCING CROPS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Halford, Ching, Finnegan, Marumoto, Meyer, Moses, Pine, Stevens, Stonebraker and Thielen.</p>                        |
| 2022 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto, Ching, Finnegan, Halford, Meyer, Moses, Pine, Stevens, Stonebraker and Thielen.</p>   | 2032 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Thielen, Ching, Finnegan, Halford, Marumoto, Meyer, Moses, Pine, Stevens and Stonebraker.</p>   |
| 2023 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN EDUCATION."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Finnegan, Ching, Marumoto, Meyer, Moses, Pine, Stevens and Thielen.</p>   | 2033 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNADJUDICATED TRAFFIC FINES."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Finnegan, Ching, Halford, Marumoto, Meyer, Moses, Pine, Stevens, Stonebraker and Thielen.</p>  |
| 2024 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR PROGRAMS ADDRESSING HOMELESSNESS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Finnegan, Ching, Halford, Marumoto, Meyer, Moses, Pine, Stevens, Stonebraker and Thielen.</p>       | 2034 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FISCAL NOTES."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto, Ching, Finnegan, Halford, Meyer, Moses, Pine, Stevens, Stonebraker and Thielen.</p>   |
| 2025 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL TORTS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto, Ching, Finnegan, Halford, Meyer, Moses, Pine, Stevens, Stonebraker and Thielen.</p>  | 2035 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Finnegan, Ching, Halford, Marumoto, Meyer, Moses, Pine, Stevens, Stonebraker and Thielen.</p>   |
| 2026 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Ching, Finnegan, Marumoto, Meyer, Pine, Stevens, Stonebraker and Thielen.</p>   | 2036 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR CHARTER SCHOOLS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Finnegan, Ching, Halford, Marumoto, Meyer, Moses, Pine, Stevens, Stonebraker and Thielen.</p>  |
| 2027 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Ching, Finnegan, Halford, Marumoto, Moses, Pine, Stevens, Stonebraker and Thielen.</p>                                    |      |  |

- 2037 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR SPECIAL EDUCATION SERVICES PROVIDED BY CHARTER SCHOOLS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Finnegan, Ching, Halford, Marumoto, Meyer, Moses, Pine, Stevens, Stonebraker and Thielen.
- 2038 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OVERSIGHT OF THE PETROLEUM MARKET."  
Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto, Ching, Finnegan, Halford, Meyer, Moses, Pine, Stevens, Stonebraker and Thielen.
- 2039 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DECONTAMINATION OF ILLEGAL DRUG MANUFACTURING SITES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Tsuji, Yamane, Tanaka, Wakai and Yamashita.
- 2040 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SENATOR HIRAM L. FONG SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM."  
Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Marumoto, Morita, Say, Tanaka, Waters and Souki.
- 2041 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SENATOR OREN E. LONG SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM."  
Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Morita, Say, Tanaka, Waters, Yamane and Souki.
- 2042 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AN AUTOMATED VICTIM NOTIFICATION SYSTEM."  
Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto, Berg, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Chang, Ching, Evans, Finnegan, Hale, Kawakami, Lee, Meyer, Morita, Shimabukuro, Stevens, Thielen and Tsuji.
- 2043 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAID."  
Introduced by: Representatives Shimabukuro, Berg, Caldwell, Chang, Ching, Evans, Green, Hale, Kawakami, Lee, Luke, Marumoto, Meyer, Morita, Thielen, Tsuji, Arakaki, Finnegan and Stevens.
- 2044 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POST-FOSTER CARE."  
Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami, Arakaki, Berg, Caldwell, Chang, Ching, Hale, Marumoto, Meyer, Morita, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Tsuji, Carroll, Green, Lee and Yamane.
- 2045 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERINATAL CARE."  
Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Arakaki, Berg, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Carroll, Chang, Ching, Finnegan, Green, Hale, Kawakami, Luke, Marumoto, Meyer, Morita, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Tsuji, Yamane and Stevens.
- 2046 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRESCRIPTION DRUGS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Shimabukuro, Arakaki, Berg, Cabanilla, Chang, Hale, Kawakami, Lee, Luke, Morita, Thielen, Tsuji, Caldwell, Green and Stevens.
- 2047 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Berg, Caldwell, Carroll, Green, Hale, Kawakami, Lee, Morita, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Marumoto and Stevens.
- 2048 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FLAVORED TOBACCO PRODUCTS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Berg, Caldwell, Carroll, Evans, Finnegan, Green, Hale, Kawakami, Lee, Luke, Marumoto, Meyer, Shimabukuro, Stevens, Thielen and Tsuji.
- 2049 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESTROOM FACILITIES FOR WOMEN."  
Introduced by: Representatives Marumoto, Cabanilla, Chang, Hale, Meyer, Arakaki, Berg, Evans, Finnegan, Kawakami, Lee, Luke, Stevens and Tsuji.
- 2050 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERNATIONAL MATCHMAKING."  
Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Arakaki, Berg, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Chang, Ching, Evans, Finnegan, Hale, Kawakami, Luke, Marumoto, Meyer, Morita, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Tsuji and Stevens.
- 2051 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROTECTION FOR VICTIMS OF HUMAN TRAFFICKING."  
Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Berg, Carroll, Chang, Ching, Evans, Hale, Karamatsu, Morita, B. Oshiro, M. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Takumi, Abinsay and Caldwell.
- 2052 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOSTER CHILDREN."  
Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami, Berg, Caldwell, Carroll, Chang, Ching, Evans, Hale, Lee, Luke, Marumoto, Meyer, Morita, Shimabukuro, Tsuji and Green.
- 2053 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEXUAL VIOLENCE PREVENTION EDUCATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Berg, Carroll, Chang, Lee, Morita, B. Oshiro, M. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Caldwell, Ching and Evans.
- 2054 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SENTENCING."  
Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Chang, Ching, Hale, Kawakami, Lee and Tsuji.

- 2055 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEX ASSAULT SERVICES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Arakaki, Berg, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Chang, Green, Hale, Kawakami, Luke, Marumoto, Thielen, Tsuji and Finnegan.
- 2056 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRE-PAID PHONE CARDS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Carroll, Chang, Evans, Hale, Kawakami, Luke, Marumoto, Meyer, Morita, Stevens, Thielen, Tsuji, Berg, Finnegan, Green, Shimabukuro and Wakai.
- 2057 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."  
Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Berg, Cabanilla, Chang, Evans, Hale, Kawakami, Luke, Meyer, Morita, Shimabukuro, Tsuji, Yamane, Arakaki, Caldwell, Marumoto and Stevens.
- 2058 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REPRODUCTIVE RIGHTS PROTECTION COMMITTEE."  
Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Arakaki, Berg, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Chang, Hale, Kawakami, Luke, Marumoto, Morita, Tsuji, Shimabukuro and Stevens.
- 2059 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."  
Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Berg, Caldwell, Chang, Evans, Green, Hale, Kawakami, Luke, Marumoto, Morita, Shimabukuro, Stevens, Thielen, Tsuji and Carroll.
- 2060 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."  
Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Berg, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Chang, Evans, Hale, Kawakami, Lee, Luke, Marumoto, Meyer, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Tsuji, Stevens and Yamane.
- 2061 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GASOLINE DEALERS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Souki, B. Oshiro, Caldwell, Chong, Herkes, Lee, Nakasone, Wakai and Yamane.
- 2062 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PETROLEUM INDUSTRY."  
Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Caldwell, Karamatsu, Yamane, Chong, Herkes, Lee, Nakasone, Tanaka and Yamashita.
- 2063 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A LONG-TERM CARE RESOURCE INITIATIVE."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Cabanilla, Chang, Ching, Finnegan, Hale, Kanoho, Lee, Meyer, Takai and Sonson.
- 2064 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR FAMILY CAREGIVER SUPPORT SERVICES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Ching, Evans, Finnegan, Hale, Kanoho, Lee, Meyer, Takai, Chang and Sonson.
- 2065 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Chang, Finnegan, Green, Hale, Kahikina, Kanoho, Marumoto, Meyer, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Takai, Thielen and Evans.
- 2066 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOMELESSNESS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Chang, Evans, Finnegan, Green, Hale, Kahikina, Kanoho, Marumoto, Meyer, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Takai and Thielen.
- 2067 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Caldwell, Chang, Finnegan, Green, Hale, Kahikina, Kanoho, Marumoto, Meyer, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Takai and Thielen.
- 2068 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE RENTAL HOUSING TRUST FUND."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Chang, Hale, Kahikina, Kanoho, Marumoto, Shimabukuro, Takai and Thielen.
- 2069 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY SERVICE CENTERS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Cabanilla, Chang, Ching, Green, Hale, Kahikina, Kanoho, Marumoto, Meyer, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Takai and Thielen.
- 2070 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A COMMISSION ON FATHERHOOD."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Chang, Hale, Kahikina, Marumoto, Sonson, Evans, Finnegan, Green, Kanoho and Shimabukuro.
- 2071 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE COMMISSION ON FATHERHOOD."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Cabanilla, Chang, Green, Hale, Kahikina, Marumoto, Meyer, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Evans, Finnegan and Kanoho.
- 2072 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Green, Hale, Kahikina, Kanoho, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Takai and Thielen.

- 2073 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Cabanilla, Chang, Ching, Green, Hale, Kahikina, Kanoho, Lee, Marumoto, Shimabukuro, Takai and Thielen.
- 2074 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JUVENILE DIABETES CURE RESEARCH."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Cabanilla, Green, Kahikina, Marumoto, Shimabukuro, Takai, Thielen, Evans, Hale, Kanoho and Lee.
- 2075 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Chang, Finnegan, Green, Hale, Kahikina, Kanoho, Lee, Marumoto, Meyer, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Thielen and Evans.
- 2076 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MINORS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Cabanilla, Chang, Ching, Green, Hale, Kahikina, Lee, Marumoto, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Thielen, Evans and Kanoho.
- 2077 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOSTER CHILDREN."  
Introduced by: Representatives Shimabukuro, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Chang, Ching, Hale, Kahikina, Lee, Marumoto, Meyer, Sonson, Takai, Abinsay, Evans, Green and Kanoho.
- 2078 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOSTER CHILDREN."  
Introduced by: Representatives Shimabukuro, Arakaki, Chang, Hale, Kahikina, Lee, Marumoto, Sonson, Takai, Thielen and Green.
- 2079 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH INFORMATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Chang, Evans, Hale, Kahikina, Lee, Marumoto, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Takai, Thielen and Kanoho.
- 2080 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SERVICE LEARNING."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Chang, Ching, Evans, Hale, Kahikina, Marumoto, Meyer, Takai, Thielen, Green, Kanoho, Shimabukuro and Sonson.
- 2081 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Caldwell, Chang, Ching, Green, Hale, Kahikina, Kanoho, Marumoto, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Takai, Thielen and Evans.
- 2082 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR SCHOOL-BASED SUBSTANCE ABUSE TREATMENT FOR MIDDLE SCHOOLS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Chang, Ching, Evans, Finnegan, Green, Hale, Kahikina, Kanoho, Lee, Marumoto, Meyer, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Takai and Thielen.
- 2083 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKES APPROPRIATIONS FOR SCHOOL-BASED SUBSTANCE ABUSE TREATMENT PROGRAMS FOR ADOLESCENTS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Chang, Ching, Evans, Finnegan, Green, Hale, Kahikina, Kanoho, Marumoto, Meyer, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Takai, Thielen and Lee.
- 2084 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR SUBSTANCE ABUSE AND TREATMENT EDUCATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Chang, Ching, Evans, Green, Hale, Kahikina, Kanoho, Lee, Marumoto, Meyer, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Takai, Thielen and Finnegan.
- 2085 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO SUPPORT PHYSICAL ACTIVITY CURRICULUM ENHANCEMENT IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Cabanilla, Chang, Ching, Evans, Green, Hale, Kahikina, Kanoho, Marumoto, Sonson, Thielen and Shimabukuro.
- 2086 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO SUPPORT ADDITIONAL PHYSICAL ACTIVITY REQUIREMENT IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Cabanilla, Chang, Ching, Evans, Green, Hale, Kahikina, Kanoho, Marumoto, Thielen and Shimabukuro.
- 2087 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Ching, Evans, Finnegan, Green, Hale, Kahikina, Marumoto, Meyer, Shimabukuro, Thielen and Kanoho.
- 2088 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Chang, Ching, Evans, Green, Hale, Kahikina, Kanoho, Lee, Marumoto, Sonson, Takai, Thielen and Shimabukuro.
- 2089 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Abinsay, Chang, Ching, Evans, Green, Hale, Kahikina, Kanoho, Marumoto, Sonson, Thielen, Caldwell and Shimabukuro.

- 2090 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR SCHOOL REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Chang, Ching, Evans, Finnegan, Green, Hale, Kahikina, Kanoho, Marumoto, Meyer, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Takai and Thielen.
- 2091 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Chang, Ching, Evans, Hale, Kahikina, Kanoho, Marumoto, Meyer, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Takai, Thielen and Green.
- 2092 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Chang, Green, Hale, Kahikina, Kanoho, Marumoto, Shimabukuro, Sonson and Thielen.
- 2093 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE X, SECTION 2, RELATING TO EDUCATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Cabanilla, Evans, Green, Hale, Kahikina, Kanoho, Lee, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Takai and Thielen.
- 2094 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION RELATING TO EDUCATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Abinsay, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Evans, Green, Hale, Kahikina, Kanoho, Shimabukuro, Sonson and Thielen.
- 2095 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUN PROTECTION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Chang, Ching, Evans, Hale, Kahikina, Lee, Meyer, Shimabukuro, Thielen and Kanoho.
- 2096 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAX."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Chang, Ching, Finnegan, Green, Hale, Kahikina, Kanoho, Marumoto, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Takai and Thielen.
- 2097 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAREGIVERS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Cabanilla, Green, Lee, Marumoto, Nishimoto, M. Oshiro, Sonson, Takai, Yamane and Shimabukuro.
- 2098 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Berg, Ching, Finnegan, Green, Kahikina, Lee, Marumoto, Nishimoto and Takai.
- 2099 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVER'S EDUCATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Berg, Finnegan, Lee and Takumi.
- 2100 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOLID WASTE."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Schatz, Evans, Herkes, Luke and Morita.
- 2101 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EDUCATION OF CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Green, Nishimoto, Takai, Waters and Shimabukuro.
- 2102 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILDREN."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Berg, Caldwell, Green, Lee, Marumoto, Sonson and Thielen.
- 2103 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Caldwell, Green, Lee and Sonson.
- 2104 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Caldwell, Green and Lee.
- 2105 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR DONATED DENTAL SERVICES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Green, Kahikina, Lee, Nishimoto, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Wakai, Abinsay, Finnegan and Yamane.
- 2106 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL EXCISE TAX."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Green, Sonson, Cabanilla and Herkes.
- 2107 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A HAWAII CAREGIVER GRANT PROGRAM."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Chang, Ching, Green, Kahikina, Lee, Magaoay, Marumoto, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Abinsay, Berg, Evans, Finnegan and Wakai.
- 2108 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PLACEMENT OF HARMED CHILDREN."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Green, Kahikina, Nishimoto, Sonson, Shimabukuro and Yamane.
- 2109 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Ching, Green, Lee, Marumoto, Thielen, Berg, Meyer, Morita and Wakai.

- 2110 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JUVENILE DIABETES CURE RESEARCH."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Cabanilla, Ching, Green, Kahikina, Karamatsu, Lee, Marumoto, Thielen, Yamane, Finnegan and Shimabukuro.
- 2111 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIGARETTES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Green, Luke, M. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Berg, Herkes and Lee.
- 2112 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Kanoho, Chong, Kahikina, Morita, Schatz and Waters.
- 2113 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KULEANA LANDS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Kanoho, Chong, Kahikina, Morita and Waters.
- 2114 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GRAFFITI."  
Introduced by: Representative Berg.
- 2115 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE."  
Introduced by: Representatives Tsuji, Abinsay, Berg, Cabanilla, Carroll, Hale, Ito, Kahikina, Lee, Marumoto, Morita, Moses, Schatz, Chang, Finnegan, Green, Herkes, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Meyer, M. Oshiro, Takumi, Tanaka, Wakai and Waters.
- 2116 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Tsuji, Luke, Abinsay, Arakaki, Berg, Carroll, Chang, Chong, Finnegan, Hale, Kahikina, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Lee, Meyer, Morita, Nishimoto, M. Oshiro, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Takumi, Wakai and Waters.
- 2117 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT."  
Introduced by: Representative Karamatsu.
- 2118 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT."  
Introduced by: Representative Karamatsu.
- 2119 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT."  
Introduced by: Representative Karamatsu.
- 2120 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT."  
Introduced by: Representative Karamatsu.
- 2121 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT."  
Introduced by: Representative Karamatsu.
- 2122 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCEST."  
Introduced by: Representatives Yamane, Arakaki, Lee, Shimabukuro, Yamashita and Luke.
- 2123 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FELONY SEX CRIMES AGAINST CHILDREN."  
Introduced by: Representatives Yamane, Arakaki, Lee, Shimabukuro, Luke and Yamashita.
- 2124 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REFERRAL TO ALCOHOL AND DRUG ABUSE SCREENING AND COUNSELING."  
Introduced by: Representatives Yamane, Arakaki, Green, Lee, Morita, Nishimoto, Tanaka, Thielen and Shimabukuro.
- 2125 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUBSTANCE ABUSE TREATMENT."  
Introduced by: Representatives Yamane, Chong, Ito, Lee, Sonson, Tanaka and Yamashita.
- 2126 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Yamane, Chong, Green, Lee, Shimabukuro, Yamashita, Arakaki and Magaoay.
- 2127 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Yamane, Chang and Karamatsu.
- 2128 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGH TECHNOLOGY EDUCATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Yamane, Chang, Karamatsu, Chong and Yamashita.
- 2129 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMALL BOAT HARBORS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Yamane, Shimabukuro, Chong, Ito, Lee, Souki and Yamashita.
- 2130 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HARBORS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Yamane, Chong, Lee, Shimabukuro, Yamashita, Nakasone and Souki.
- 2131 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX CREDITS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Yamane, Ito, Tanaka, Yamashita and Luke.
- 2132 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO ACQUIRE REAL PROPERTY IN WAHIAWA, OAHU."  
Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Berg, Ito, M. Oshiro, Say, Yamane, Abinsay, Chong, Evans, Morita, Nakasone, Tanaka, Tsuji, Waters and Yamashita.

- 2133 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE NATURAL AREA RESERVE SYSTEM."  
Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Berg, Evans, Ito, Morita, B. Oshiro, Say, Tsuji, Waters, Yamane, Abinsay, Chong, Tanaka and Yamashita.
- 2134 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WAGES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Ching, Ito, Abinsay, Chang, Chong, Evans, Herkes, Nakasone, Tanaka, Tsuji, Yamane and Yamashita.
- 2135 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMINENT DOMAIN."  
Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Berg, Evans, Meyer, Morita and Waters.
- 2136 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRIVACY."  
Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Luke, B. Oshiro and Thielen.
- 2137 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY CONSERVATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Berg, Caldwell, Carroll, Evans, Kanoho, Morita, Sonson, Thielen, Waters, Herkes and Saiki.
- 2138 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT."  
Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Kanoho, Morita, Thielen, Waters, Berg, Carroll and Pine.
- 2139 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Yamashita, Caldwell, Chong, Karamatsu, Say, Tsuji, Arakaki, Carroll, Chang, Green, Ito, Kahikina, Nakasone, M. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Souki, Tanaka, Waters and Yamane.
- 2140 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE PUBLIC HEARINGS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Yamashita, Chong, Say, Carroll, Magaoay, Nakasone, Souki, Tanaka, Tsuji and Yamane.
- 2141 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Yamashita, Caldwell, Carroll, Chang, Chong, Green, Ito, Karamatsu, Say, Shimabukuro, Tsuji, Arakaki, Berg, Kahikina, Nakasone, M. Oshiro, Souki, Tanaka, Waters and Yamane.
- 2142 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL WATER."  
Introduced by: Representatives Yamashita, Karamatsu, Magaoay, Say, Tsuji, Chang, Herkes, Nakasone, Souki, Tanaka and Yamane.
- 2143 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE."  
Introduced by: Representatives Yamashita, Herkes, Karamatsu, Tsuji, Abinsay, Chang, Chong, Magaoay, Nakasone, Say, Souki, Tanaka and Yamane.
- 2144 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."  
Introduced by: Representatives Yamashita, Chong, Karamatsu, Magaoay, Say, Abinsay, Chang, Herkes, Nakasone, Souki, Tanaka and Yamane.
- 2145 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL TOURISM."  
Introduced by: Representatives Yamashita, Abinsay, Herkes, Karamatsu, Magaoay, Tsuji, Chang, Chong, Nakasone, Say, Souki, Tanaka and Yamane.
- 2146 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE."  
Introduced by: Representatives Yamashita, Chong, Herkes, Tsuji, Yamane, Abinsay, Chang, Karamatsu, Magaoay, Nakasone, Say, Souki and Tanaka.
- 2147 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DROUGHT MITIGATING WATER STORAGE FACILITIES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Yamashita, Abinsay, Chong, Karamatsu, Magaoay, Say, Tsuji, Yamane, Nakasone and Tanaka.
- 2148 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOBACCO."  
Introduced by: Representatives Yamashita, Arakaki, Chong, Karamatsu, Nishimoto, B. Oshiro, Say, Tsuji, Yamane, Abinsay, Carroll, Green, Luke, Nakasone, M. Oshiro, Takumi and Tanaka.
- 2149 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Herkes, Arakaki, Chong, Evans, Lee, Morita, M. Oshiro, Shimabukuro and Wakai.
- 2150 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAX."  
Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Arakaki, Yamane, Chong, Kahikina and Say.
- 2151 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR KOKUA LEGAL SERVICES, INCORPORATED."  
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2152 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE NA LEI WILI AREA HEALTH EDUCATION CENTER."  
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2153 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."  
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

- 2154 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH."  
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2155 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARENTAL ALIENATION."  
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2156 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."  
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2157 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT."  
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2158 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY LAW."  
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2159 "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR LEAHI HOSPITAL."  
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2160 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HARBORS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Say and Souki.
- 2161 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARKING FEES."  
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2162 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RURAL HEALTH CARE."  
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2163 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KONA COFFEE."  
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2164 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL WATER RESOURCES."  
Introduced by: Representative Say and Abinsay.
- 2165 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."  
Introduced by: Representatives Say and Abinsay.
- 2166 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BRANDING HAWAII NAME."  
Introduced by: Representatives Say and Abinsay.
- 2167 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LEGISLATURE."  
Introduced by: Representatives Berg, Green, Carroll, Lee and Shimabukuro.
- 2168 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ALOHA SPIRIT."  
Introduced by: Representatives Berg, Carroll, Kahikina, Tsuji and Waters.
- 2169 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE."  
Introduced by: Representatives Berg, Carroll, Green, Kahikina, Morita, Shimabukuro and Waters.
- 2170 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEIAU."  
Introduced by: Representatives Berg, Carroll, Morita, Shimabukuro, Waters, Evans, Green and Kahikina.
- 2171 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE."  
Introduced by: Representatives Berg, Carroll, Morita, Kahikina, Shimabukuro and Waters.
- 2172 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Berg, Carroll, Kahikina, Shimabukuro and Waters.
- 2173 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARINE WATERS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Berg, Green, Kahikina, Waters, Carroll, Evans, Lee, Morita, Shimabukuro, Takumi and Tsuji.
- 2174 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."  
Introduced by: Representatives Berg, Carroll, Green, Kahikina, Lee, Morita, Shimabukuro, Tsuji and Waters.
- 2175 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY."  
Introduced by: Representatives Say, Abinsay, Arakaki, Berg, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Carroll, Chang, Chong, Evans, Green, Hale, Herkes, Ito, Kahikina, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Kawakami, Lee, Luke, Magaoay, Morita, Nakasone, Nishimoto, M. Oshiro, B. Oshiro, Saiki, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Takai, Takamine, Takumi, Tanaka, Tsuji, Wakai, Waters, Yamane, Yamashita, Harbin and Souki.
- 2176 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."  
Introduced by: Representatives Say, Abinsay, Arakaki, Berg, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Carroll, Chang, Chong, Evans, Green, Hale, Herkes, Ito, Kahikina, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Kawakami, Lee, Luke, Magaoay, Morita, Nakasone, Nishimoto, M. Oshiro, B. Oshiro, Saiki, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Takai, Takamine, Takumi, Tanaka, Tsuji, Wakai, Waters, Yamane, Yamashita, Harbin and Souki.



- 2177 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE VII, SECTION 12, OF THE HAWAII STATE CONSTITUTION."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Abinsay, Arakaki, Berg, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Chang, Chong, Evans, Green, Hale, Herkes, Ito, Kahikina, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Kawakami, Lee, Luke, Magaoay, Morita, Nakasone, Nishimoto, B. Oshiro, M. Oshiro, Saiki, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Takai, Takamine, Takumi, Tanaka, Tsuji, Wakai, Waters, Yamane, Yamashita, Harbin and Souki.

- 2178 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Abinsay, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Carroll, Chang, Chong, Evans, Green, Hale, Herkes, Ito, Kahikina, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Kawakami, Lee, Luke, Magaoay, Nishimoto, B. Oshiro, M. Oshiro, Saiki, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Takai, Takamine, Takumi, Tanaka, Tsuji, Wakai, Waters, Yamane, Yamashita, Berg, Harbin, Morita, Nakasone and Souki.

- 2179 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Abinsay, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Chong, Evans, Green, Hale, Herkes, Ito, Kahikina, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Kawakami, Luke, Magaoay, Nishimoto, B. Oshiro, M. Oshiro, Saiki, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Takai, Takamine, Takumi, Tanaka, Tsuji, Wakai, Waters, Yamashita, Harbin, Nakasone, Souki and Yamane.

- 2180 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Abinsay, Arakaki, Berg, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Chong, Evans, Green, Hale, Herkes, Ito, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Kawakami, Lee, Luke, Magaoay, Morita, Nishimoto, B. Oshiro, M. Oshiro, Saiki, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Takai, Takamine, Takumi, Tanaka, Tsuji, Wakai, Waters, Yamane, Yamashita, Carroll, Harbin, Nakasone and Souki.

- 2181 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Abinsay, Arakaki, Caldwell, Chong, Green, Hale, Herkes, Ito, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Kawakami, Lee, Luke, Magaoay, Nakasone, B. Oshiro, M. Oshiro, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Takai, Takamine, Takumi, Tanaka, Tsuji, Wakai, Waters, Yamane, Yamashita, Berg, Cabanilla, Evans, Harbin, Morita, Nishimoto, Saiki and Souki.

- 2182 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Abinsay, Arakaki, Berg, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Carroll, Chong, Evans, Green, Hale, Herkes, Ito, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Kawakami, Lee, Luke, Magaoay, Morita, Nishimoto, B. Oshiro, M. Oshiro, Saiki, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Takai, Takamine, Takumi, Tanaka, Tsuji, Wakai, Waters, Yamane, Yamashita, Harbin, Nakasone and Souki.

- 2183 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY SHELTERS."

Introduced by: Representatives Say, Abinsay, Arakaki, Berg, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Chong, Evans, Green, Hale, Herkes, Ito, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Luke, Magaoay, Morita, Nakasone, Nishimoto, B. Oshiro, M. Oshiro, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Takai, Takamine, Takumi, Tanaka, Tsuji, Wakai, Waters, Yamane, Yamashita, Carroll, Harbin, Karamatsu, Saiki and Souki.

#### INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

By unanimous consent, the following resolution (H.R. No. 6) and concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 7 through 9) were referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.R. No. 6, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING JANUARY AS CERVICAL CANCER MONTH IN HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives Marumoto, Arakaki, Berg, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Chang, Ching, Finnegan, Hale, Kawakami, Lee, Luke, Meyer, Morita, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Tsuji, Yamane, Carroll, Evans, Green and Stevens.

H.C.R. No. 7, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING JANUARY AS CERVICAL CANCER MONTH IN HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives Marumoto, Arakaki, Berg, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Chang, Ching, Finnegan, Green, Hale, Kawakami, Lee, Luke, Meyer, Morita, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Tsuji, Yamane, Carroll, Evans and Stevens.

H.C.R. No. 8, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO CONDUCT A STUDY AND PROVIDE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR ADDRESSING THE SHORTAGE OF INFANT AND TODDLER CHILD CARE PROVIDERS, FACILITIES, AND SERVICES IN THE STATE," was jointly offered by Representatives Marumoto, Arakaki, Berg, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Chang, Ching, Evans, Finnegan, Green, Hale, Kawakami, Lee, Luke, Stevens, Thielen, Tsuji and Yamane.

H.C.R. No. 9, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING ALL HAWAII SCHOOLS TO IMPLEMENT STANDARDS OF CONDUCT TO DISCOURAGE INTIMIDATION AND PROMOTE SAFE AND PEACEFUL SCHOOLS TO CREATE EFFECTIVE LEARNING ENVIRONMENTS," was jointly offered by Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Chang, Ching, Finnegan, Hale, Kahikina, Lee, Meyer, Sonson, Takai, Evans, Green, Kanoho and Shimabukuro.

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Arakaki: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker, and good morning. I would like to invite you and all my colleagues to our first fellowship meeting, tomorrow at 12:30 p.m. in room 437 and join us in a moment of prayer, reflection and meditation. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The Chair then announced:

"If you there are no further announcements at this time, this House will stand in recess for the purpose of convening in Joint Session in this Chamber at 10 a.m. We'll convene on Wednesday, January 25 at 12:00 noon. Before calling the recess, on the desk, Members, are your referral sheets that were done over the weekend. So take a look at those referral sheets in regards to all bills."

At 9:37 o'clock a.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. 2, met in Joint Session with the Senate, to receive the Governor's State of the State Address.

### JOINT SESSION

The Joint Session of the House of Representatives and the Senate of the Twenty-Third Legislature was called to order at 10:00 o'clock a.m. by the Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker then welcomed and recognized the following honored guests:

Lt. Governor James R. Aiona, Jr., who was presented a lei by Senator Lorraine Inouye, and Mrs. Vivian Aiona, who was presented a lei by Representative Clift Tsuji;

Chief Justice Ronald T.Y. Moon, who was presented a lei by Senator Carol Fukunaga;

Congressman Ed Case, who was presented a lei by Representative Hermina Morita, and Mrs. Audrey Case, who was presented a lei by Senator Gary Hooser;

Trustee Haunani Apoliona, Chair, Office of Hawaiian Affairs, who was presented a lei by Representative Pono Chong;

Admiral William Fallon, Commander/US Pacific Command;

Rear Admiral Charles Wurster, Commander/14<sup>th</sup> Coast Guard;

Associate Supreme Court Justice Simeon Acoba, Jr.;

Associate Justice James E. Duffy, Jr., Hawaii State Supreme Court;

Associate Justice Steven H. Levinson, Hawaii State Supreme Court;

Associate Justice Paula A. Nakayama, Hawaii State Supreme Court;

Mayor Alan Arakawa, County of Maui, and Mrs. Ann Arakawa;

Mayor Bryan Baptiste, County of Kauai;

Mayor Harry Kim, County of Hawaii;

Council Chair Kaipo Asing, County of Kauai;

Council Chair Donovan Dela Cruz, City and County of Honolulu;

Council Vice Chair Robert Carroll, County of Maui;

Mr. John Henry Felix, Dean/Consular Corps of Hawaii; and

Major General Herbert Wolf (Ret.), Honorary Consul of Malaysia.

The Speaker then asked Representatives Takai, M. Oshiro and Finnegan, and Senators Kim, Hanabusa and Hogue to escort the Honorable Linda Lingle to the rostrum.

The Governor was presented with lei by Representative Thielen on behalf of the House of Representatives, and Senator Whalen on behalf of the Senate. The Speaker then presented to the Members of the Twenty-Third Legislature and the audience, the Honorable Linda Lingle, Governor of the State of Hawaii.

The Governor then addressed the Joint Session as follows:

"Mr. President, Mr. Speaker, Lt. Governor and Mrs. Aiona, members of the Legislature, Chief Justice Moon, Chair Apoliona, cabinet members, Congressman and Mrs. Case, Mayor Arakawa and Mrs. Arakawa, Mayor Baptiste, Mayor Kim, members of the counselor corps, distinguished guests, and to all the people of Hawai'i. Aloha and good morning.

"It is a great privilege to once again come before you to talk about our State's future. It is a hallmark of American democracy that governors across our nation are given the opportunity to speak freely about the challenges their states face as well as their hopes and dreams for the future. This, and other freedoms we too often take for granted, are being fought for today in distant lands across the globe. Thousands of miles away, countries that suffered under tyranny for decades are now budding democracies because of America's leadership and sacrifice.

"In the recent elections in Iraq, people walked as far as eight miles just to exercise their right to vote. Thanks to the efforts of America's armed forces, democracy is gaining a foothold in Iraq and Afghanistan, and we in America are safer. While in Iraq, our own Hawai'i National Guard 29th Brigade Combat Team conducted thousands of patrols, destroyed dozens of weapons stockpiles and detained hundreds of insurgents.

"Perhaps equally important, these American soldiers provided thousands of Iraqi citizens with clothing, food, purified water, shoes, school supplies and medical care. And they provided Iraqi citizens with a sense of hope and security that resulted in a 90% turnout for voting in the sector patrolled by the 29th Brigade. Allow me to take a moment to recognize some of our heroes who are with us this morning.

"Seated in the gallery and just recently returned home from Iraq is the Commander of the 29th Brigade, Brig. General Joe Chavez, Sgt. Major Robert Inouye, members of their brigade, and their families. Please stand and be recognized.

"These soldiers represent the more than 3,000 men and women of our Hawai'i National Guard and Army Reserve who answered the call of duty and served with honor in Iraq, Kuwait and Afghanistan.

"On behalf of all the citizens of Hawai'i, welcome home, and thank you for your sacrifice and for ensuring a safer world for future generations.

"Today, it is once again my great privilege to report on the state of our State. This year's address is made more meaningful by the presence of our soldiers.

"2005 will go down in history as one of our best years ever.

"The economic indicators are strong, investment is robust, and people are optimistic about the future.

"Our work force grew by 3% this year, one of the fastest growth rates in the nation.

"Our unemployment rate decreased to below 3%, the lowest in the nation.

"Total personal income grew by 8%, the biggest increase since 1990, and the third largest increase in the nation.

"Our gross state product, the most comprehensive measure of the economy, increased 4.7% in 2004. That is the biggest increase since 1991, and the fourth biggest increase in the nation.

"Visitor arrivals in 2005 are estimated to have reached 7.4 million, the first time in history that we had more than 7 million visitors in a year.

"And employment in the construction industry is nearing record levels.

"As strong as those numbers are, they alone don't capture the full story of our success during the past year.

"We achieved longstanding goals, from opening a new medical school in Kaka'ako, to establishing a refuge to protect our precious marine resources in the Northwestern Hawaiian Islands.

"We strengthened our ties to Asia. Our delegation to China and Korea returned with significant agreements covering education and economic development. The businesses that went on the trip already expect to generate more than \$100 million in new business.

"We regained our fiscal equilibrium because we were willing to make the tough choices, and exercise restraint in our spending.

"When I came into office in 2002, the State was spending \$215 million more than it was collecting.

"Today, rather than red ink, we are projecting a \$574 million positive balance. This is a turnaround of over three-quarters of a billion dollars in just three years.

"Now is the perfect time to share the results of this success with the people who made it possible, taxpayers who are struggling with the high cost of living, including skyrocketing housing prices and property taxes.

"It is also the right time to address many unmet needs, from dilapidated school buildings, to a lack of access to healthcare, to deteriorating public housing and a growing homeless population, to overburdened transportation systems.

"And it is obviously the best time in many years to save for the future while making smart investments in those areas that will secure a brighter tomorrow.

"I want to talk first about the least glamorous of my proposals, setting aside more money to meet unexpected challenges in the coming years.

"I am suggesting that we double the size of the State's Rainy Day Fund from \$55 million to \$110 million. Combined with the \$188 million in the Hurricane Relief Fund, this is a good start in creating a cushion for those times when the unexpected occurs.

"Putting aside more money for a rainy day is the responsible, prudent and smart thing to do. And it is exactly what responsible individuals do when they have an increase in their income, because they know that the unexpected can and will happen.

"At the same time we are putting something aside for future unexpected events, people need help right now in coping with the high cost of living.

"I want to use about half of the State's \$574 million surplus for tax relief for those who need it most.

"I was disappointed last year when my proposal to raise the standard deduction was not adopted because it meant that those struggling to make ends meet would fall further behind.

"The bottom line is that we are collecting income taxes from people who simply can't afford to pay them.

"Given our current fiscal condition and projected future revenue, we can raise the standard deduction further than I suggested last year, to 75% of the federal level.

"Moreover, raising the standard deduction helps hundreds of thousands more people than the Earned Income Tax Credit. It is simple for the State to implement, and easy for taxpayers to understand.

"I realize there are other points of view on how to get money back into the hands of our citizens, including President Bunda's call for adjusting the income tax brackets.

"I like his approach as well. That is why I am calling on the Legislature to adopt both ideas.

"Combining an increased standard deduction with a widening of the income tax brackets would reduce the tax burden by \$86 million and benefit over 80% of taxpayers and their dependents.

"It would mean that a family of four earning \$50,000 or less a year would save an estimated \$568 a year.

"This proposal alone, however, is not enough to make a real difference for families coping with higher housing costs, higher property taxes, higher car registration taxes, higher electricity rates, higher water and sewer bills, higher medical bills, and higher food prices.

"In light of higher prices for so many necessities of life, I am proposing two additional tax relief measures this year in recognition of the reality that people are facing across our State, especially the hundreds of thousands who are living paycheck to paycheck.

"First, I am suggesting that we grant a \$100 per person tax credit to those households earning \$50,000 or less a year in order to offset the taxes people pay on food, medical services and non-prescription drugs. I think it is unconscionable that we tax people for eating and getting sick. This tax credit would equal \$400 for a family of four and would benefit 707,000 taxpayers and their dependents.

"Finally, I am proposing a one-time tax refund of \$150 per exemption for all but the highest income residents. A couple with two children would receive a check for \$600 early next year. This one-time tax refund would benefit 857,000 taxpayers and their dependents.

"The advantage of including a one-time refund in the tax relief package is that it gets money to people now when they need it, but it preserves our future options since we are not committed to pay it in the coming years.

"If the Legislature enacts this \$285 million tax relief package, a family of four earning \$50,000 or less would receive \$1,568. Let me repeat how much a family would save, \$1,568. This is enough to pay a year's tuition at a community college with money left over for books, enough for a family to pay its electric bills for a year, or enough to pay off the mounting credit card debt that many are carrying.

"I don't view this session as a fight between tax relief or more money for education, or between education and saving for a rainy day, or between saving for a rainy day and securing our economic future through investments in new energy resources. I view it as a chance to literally have it all.

"Perhaps not in the exact form and amounts that each of us wants, but surely we can manage to compromise now that the treasury is full. We must resist framing the discussion in terms of either/or, but rather we should frame it in terms of how.

"Education must be one of our highest priorities, and is deserving of more support. It is our hope for a better tomorrow, both for us as

individuals and as a State. Over time, it can wash away the barriers of disadvantage.

"Almost all of us have been in a DOE or UH building that was run down, peeling paint, lack of electrical power, broken fixtures and worse. And new housing developments have created over-crowded conditions at some schools.

"I am proposing a dramatic increase of \$132.5 million for K-12 public education, including \$90 million in additional funds for school construction and repairs and maintenance. This money is on top of the \$570 million already appropriated, but not yet spent by the Department of Education for a total of \$660 million. These are big numbers, although they are not as large as some have suggested.

"Before we give the DOE a blank check, we must be certain we are getting our money's worth for the more than \$2 billion we are already spending each year on K-12 operations, and the \$570 million already approved to construct, repair and maintain our schools.

"Besides the need for a robust repair and maintenance program and new school construction, the DOE is facing a severe teacher shortage. I am proposing four laws to immediately address the shortage.

"One, allow retired DOE teachers to be hired for difficult to fill classroom positions for 24 months without any loss of retirement benefits.

"Two, start a Master Teacher Program that would pay a \$10,000 a year bonus to any of the 111 National Board Certified Teachers who agree to teach in an underperforming school for three years. They must mentor the other teachers and would be allowed to return to their original school.

"Three, create an Emergency Certified Teacher Program that would allow anyone holding a bachelor's degree or higher to teach in the subject in which they have degrees as long as they complete the substitute teacher training program or similar course.

"And four, use \$500,000 to reestablish the Hawai'i Educator Loan Program, and reduce the amount of time you must teach from 10 to 6 years in order to qualify for loan forgiveness for tuition at any certified teaching program.

"I have also included money in the Supplemental Budget for 100 more students in the College of Education at Manoa and West O'ahu and 150 more students from the community colleges who would transfer into the College of Education.

"The charter schools are an important adjunct to the traditional DOE schools. This important option for parents, students and teachers has never received fair and equal funding and we should change that this Session.

"Also, we should give the charter schools their own school district so they are able to receive funds directly from the federal government.

"This will be a net gain for our state school system.

"I am also requesting that you remove the cap on the number of charter schools so that we can establish seven new charter schools around the State that would use environmental education as their foundation. I view environmental threats as one of the most serious problems for us to address. It is increasingly important that future generations have an understanding of these issues and the choices we will face in the years ahead.

"I have included money in my Supplemental Budget to establish these seven charter schools throughout the major islands, including two on the Big Island. I hope you will give this proposal your most serious consideration.

"While public schools garner most of the education headlines, both good and bad, our University system is equally important and deserving of additional support. Last month I proposed that the UH receive an additional \$45.6 million in operating funds and \$252 million more for facilities, including \$175 million in private funding to make the dream of a West O'ahu campus a reality.

"These proposals include the money needed to repair crumbling buildings throughout the UH system, to increase campus security, expand workforce education in nursing, teaching and the construction trades; to fund the College of Pharmacy at UH-Hilo, and to support the Hawaiian Studies program.

"A good education is still the surest way to a higher-paying job, but even with rising wages, the price of rental housing and home purchase is out of reach today for too many people. The supply of rental housing has tightened and Hawai'i ranks 48th in home ownership. And as anyone knows who has visited Ala Moana Beach Park, the breakwater at Kahului Harbor on Maui and other areas across the State, the number of homeless among us is growing.

"It is simply not *pono* for our families to be living in cars, people to be sleeping in the doorways of businesses downtown or on picnic tables in our parks. There is no one silver bullet to solve the problems of homelessness and affordable housing, but there are many good ideas that can and should be enacted. We should begin by learning from our successes.

"I am proud to report that the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands has awarded more residential leases and provided more families with opportunities for home ownership in the last two years than in the entire decade of the 1990's. This fact is impressive, but let me share with you the human side of this success.

"This is a letter written to Hawaiian Homes Commission Chairman Micah Kane after the recent awarding of homestead lots in the Lai'opua subdivision on the Big Island.

"Dear Mr. Kane. I am writing to thank you and the DHHL administration for all of your love and support yesterday at the selection meeting in Kailua-Kona. I cannot express the emotion that I felt from the very beginning of the meeting. The *pule* from Kaulana Park was truly spirit filled. I did not know what to expect at this meeting. When I saw my husband's name, Wendell Kualaaui, on the big screen and heard his name called, I couldn't help but to feel an emotion of finally. Then I watched him hold his composure and his emotions through the whole process. Each and every one of you practically held everyone's hand through the entire procedure. Your administration was so organized and displayed such a sincere congratulations to each of the awardees. I don't know what it feels like to win the lottery but I imagine that this was pretty close. We all need hope in life to carry on and to have a future to look forward to. DHHL gave that to so many Hawaiians yesterday. Once again, thank you for an experience that will live in my heart forever. Aloha, Teresa A. Kualaaui."

"It is important to note that every home built by DHHL means there is one less family competing for an affordable home in the open market. DHHL's success has been so dramatic that the Building Industry Association recently named Hawaiian Homes Commission Chairman Micah Kane as its Housing Advocate of the Year.

"This Department achieved this success through many innovative programs, such as leveraging federal rural development funds, pre-selection credit reviews, and ongoing counseling to assure successful home ownership. Such approaches can serve as a model for other affordable housing programs.

"But we need more housing for our non-Hawaiian residents as well, so I am making good on my commitment to ask the Legislature to redirect Legacy Lands tax money from the general fund into our

housing funds. After all, there is no greater legacy that we can leave our children than a home they can call their own.

"Coupled with this infusion of additional State funding, I am proposing that the Legislature authorize the use of special purpose revenue bonds to encourage the construction of additional workforce housing across the State. Special purpose revenue bonds have proven to be a successful tool for funding private schools, hospitals and economic development projects. It is time to apply this tool to meeting our housing needs.

"To address the problem of homelessness, I am proposing that we spend \$10 million to renovate and repair existing homeless shelters, which have long suffered from neglect, and another \$10 million in grants for supportive housing. The importance of this funding cannot be over emphasized. Experience has shown that the homeless need more than just a roof over their head. They need services as well, substance abuse counseling, mental health treatment, and job training, that will give them the tools they need to stay off the streets. Supportive housing provides all of that in one package.

"I have submitted again this year a complete package of housing proposals, including: increased rental subsidies, a program to pay the first month's rent and security deposit, the lack of which keeps many people homeless; streamlined land use processing, and a redefinition of affordable housing in order to qualify more families.

"Lastly, we need to keep our eye on the ball and severely restrict the raiding of any of our housing funds as has been done to the tune of more than \$200 million over the last 10 years. I am proposing a new law to require that any future diversion of funds meant to finance housing projects would need a two-thirds vote of the Legislature.

"While tax relief, education and housing may be the State's most obvious needs, access to medical care and social services has also suffered during the lean years and now requires more funding. Now is the time to move forward to extend MEDICAID coverage to more low-income children and adults. I am proposing programs to extend coverage to an additional 29,000 people over the next six years, with the majority of the cost borne by the federal government.

"It is also time to restore dental coverage for needy adults, specifically preventive care for adults in the MEDICAID program. This is both the humane thing to do and the smart thing to do since a lack of preventive dental care will lead to the need for more painful and costly oral surgery for which the State would be obligated to pay.

"I spoke earlier this morning about the environmental threats we could face if we fail to teach our children the concept of good stewardship of our lands, oceans and other natural resources. And while teaching stewardship will help protect our resources over the long term, we need to invest now in various environmental programs and projects. That's why we've asked you to approve a record \$92 million budget for the Department of Land and Natural Resources that is unprecedented in scope and scale.

"The disrepair of our State parks deserves immediate attention. Residents and visitors alike expect and deserve better than broken or filthy restrooms. I have asked you for an additional \$10 million to repair our park facilities as well as additional funding to clean them more regularly and to provide nighttime security patrols. And I am again calling on the Legislature to invest in the repair and reconstruction of our small boat harbors.

"Besides this additional spending, I am proposing strict new penalties for those who illegally trespass into our forests and who steal timber, including our precious koa.

"Additionally, I am asking that revenues derived from forest reserves be used to expand and enhance forest stewardship.

"I am also proposing that we continue the successful partnerships with private landowners in order to encourage more habitat conservation plans on private lands. This law is set to expire next year.

"Respect for nature and respect for our native Hawaiian culture go hand in hand. To lose this would be to lose the very essence of our islands. A vibrant host culture enriches and benefits all of us. I pledge my continued support for those programs and efforts that preserve and perpetuate the Hawaiian culture.

"Of all the tasks that government undertakes, none is more fundamental than ensuring the safety of our citizens. The natural disasters of the past year made it clear that civil defense preparedness is a necessity, not a nicety. Last month, I announced a comprehensive emergency preparedness package. There are many components to that package, but the bottom line is this.

"First, we must harden our public and private buildings, to better resist natural disasters when they do hit.

"Second, we must be better prepared to respond before and after a disaster strikes by: modernizing our warning systems, stockpiling supplies, doubling the funds available to respond in the first hours after an emergency, and entering into an agreement with other states so we can call on them for aid when disaster strikes. We are the only state in the nation that has not yet signed that agreement and I am asking the Legislature to authorize us to do so now.

"Third, we must create additional shelter spaces including special areas for those needing medical care, and a place where people can bring their pets. We learned from Hurricane Katrina that the unwillingness to leave pets behind can lead to human death and injury.

"And finally, we must adopt severe penalties for those caught looting during or after a disaster and make it a serious crime to attack a civil defense worker.

"In addition to natural disasters, there are other, more subtle threats to our security that we must address.

"Our dependence on imported oil leaves us vulnerable to price swings and shortages of supply. Earlier this month, I proposed a sweeping set of proposals designed to move us from our decades-long overdependence on imported oil toward energy self-sufficiency based on renewable resources.

"If we are going to achieve self-sufficiency, we will need to push hard on many fronts. State government needs to lead the way by building more efficient buildings and using less oil itself. Weaning ourselves from oil won't be cost-free, but we must do so if we want our economy to survive the next time the price of a barrel of oil increases by 50%.

"I am proposing a bold new initiative to make Hawai'i the center of America's development of hydrogen as an alternate fuel source. Already internationally recognized leaders in this field have expressed interest in using Hawai'i as the place where hydrogen can move from the research phase into production.

"Additionally, we need to provide expanded tax incentives for people or businesses who install energy efficient appliances, solar hot water heating, photovoltaics or wind energy systems.

"We also need to encourage the development of biofuels as a substitute for oil, fuels through farming. Just as we want to mandate 20% alternative fuels for electricity production by 2020, we also want to adopt a standard of 20% use of biofuels in gasoline by 2020.

"The price of gasoline is just one of the challenges that we face when we drive each day. Another is gridlock on our highways. This is why I am seeking an additional \$137 million for highway

construction for projects such as: the North-South Road and Kapolei Parkway on O'ahu, the expansion of Kuhio Highway on Kaua'i, the realignment of Honoapi'ilani Highway on Maui and the design of an afternoon contra-flow zipper lane on the H-1 Freeway.

"Along with improved traffic flow, we have an obligation to make sure that pedestrians are safe when crossing the street. Just last week another senior citizen was killed by a driver while crossing the street in a marked crosswalk. This 86-year-old kupuna, who was so full of life, was on her way to buy supplies for centerpieces for her church choir. The news story said that Betty Tanaka Santiago's great grandchild asked, 'But why can't I see her anymore?'"

"My heart breaks for Mrs. Santiago's family. I am very angry about this senseless loss of life.

"I am proposing tough new measures to place traffic violators in jail and to revoke their driving privileges for failing to yield the right-of-way to a pedestrian.

"We must not abandon our search for solutions to this and other very difficult problems that continue to plague our State, most notably drug abuse.

"I am again calling on legislators to recognize that tougher penalties for repeat drug offenders and the manufacture of ice are essential if we ever hope to make a dent in this community crisis.

"But we also need to increase prevention efforts. As an example, I am proposing \$10.2 million in federal funds to expand the About Face and Healthy Lifestyles programs for at-risk youth and needy adults. This new spending will allow us to double the size of these programs.

"Director Ted Daligdig and students from the About Face program are with us today. Please stand and be recognized.

"I have shared a wide range of ideas with you today that I believe all fit into the following basic framework, ensuring that our economic prosperity continues, ensuring that we all share the benefits of that prosperity, and ensuring that we protect those things that make Hawai'i so special.

"Of all the things that make us special, one of the foremost is our diversity as a people. Remember the euphoria we all felt last year when the Little League team from Ewa Beach won the world championship? Where else would you find a team that close-knit with kids named Memea, Aliviado, Ranit, Javier, Guevara, Fe'au, Baniaga, Rosete, Enos, Aglipay, Kam and Tirpak? Just like that team, as a State we draw strength from our diversity. And we truly believe that it is right and proper to help those in need.

"These two characteristics of diversity and a desire to help others blended together for our troops as they not only fought wars in far-off lands, but helped people who were different than them. The soldiers from Hawai'i always treated the Iraqi and Afghan people with respect.

"As one of our returning National Guardsmen shared his experiences with me at a welcome home ceremony at Kalaeloa, tears came to his eyes as he spoke of having to leave the Iraqi children behind. Our ability to show aloha for others, including people from vastly different backgrounds...is one of our greatest sources of strength.

"I'm also reminded of our diversity as we begin the yearlong centennial celebration to mark the journey taken by the first 15 Sakadas who arrived on the Big Island from the Philippines in 1906. Like so many before them and so many since, they were driven by a dream, a dream of a better life, of hope and opportunity. From those humble roots, today the Filipino community makes up almost 25% of our population. Its members are among the leaders in all walks of life, from business to politics to the professions.

"Earlier this month, I had the privilege of retracing the journey of the Sakadas as part of an official delegation that traveled to the Philippines to celebrate this landmark event. That journey reminded me of the obligation that those of us in public service have to keep Hawai'i a place where diversity is respected, and where the dreams of our people, regardless of their origins, can be fulfilled.

"This is the final State of the State Address I will have the privilege of making during this term of office. I'd like to take this opportunity to thank the members of the Legislature for working with me to move our State forward. While we haven't always seen eye-to-eye, the debate has benefited the public and often made the results better.

"I'd also like to thank the 50,000 State employees, my colleagues in public service, who work hard to make life better for the citizens of this State.

"There is one State employee in particular whom I would like to recognize today. He is Francis Lum, our State's protocol officer. Mr. Lum has worked directly with five different governors, beginning with Governor Burns. He is retiring after 58 years of service, 40 as the State's protocol officer. Please join me in acknowledging the dedication and commitment of this exemplary public servant. Mr. Lum is a true public servant. It never mattered if he was working in a Democratic Administration, in a Republican Administration. Whether he was dealing with the House, the Senate, and the Executive Branch. He was exemplary and I will miss you terribly Mr. Lum.

"My final thanks go to the people of Hawai'i for giving me the chance to serve. Whether here at home, or traveling on the mainland or in foreign countries, wherever I go, whoever I talk with, I am always so full of pride because I represent the best people in the best place in the world.

"In closing I can say with gratitude and humility that the state of our State is better today than it was 3 years ago. It is better today than it was last year and if we have the political will to work together to make the correct choices during this Legislative Session, the state of our State next year be even better and stronger and more promising. Let's commit to work together to ensure that our economic prosperity continues. That we all share in the benefits of that prosperity and that we protect those things that make Hawai'i special. We have the opportunity; we have the means, now together let's seize the moment. Mahalo and God bless to all."

President Bunda then rose and stated:

"Thank you, Governor. We certainly do have a lot of work to do this session. Your proposals will be a subject of much discussion in the coming weeks and it is our hope that we can find some common ground for the good of the people of Hawaii. At this time, this Joint Session of the Legislature is now adjourned."

At 11:00 o'clock a.m., President Bunda declared the Joint Session of the House of Representatives and the Senate of the Twenty-Third Legislature adjourned.

## ADJOURNMENT

At 12:00 o'clock midnight, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon, Wednesday, January 25, 2006.

## LEGISLATIVE COMMUNICATION



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
STATE OF HAWAII  
STATE CAPITOL  
HONOLULU, HAWAII 96813

October 31, 2005

Speaker Calvin Say  
State Capitol, Rm. 431  
415 South Beretania Street  
Honolulu, HI 96813

Dear Speaker Say:

This is to inform you of my intent to resign my position as Representative of the 23rd House District. My resignation will be effective December 1st, 2005.

Aloha,

Galen Fox  
Representative, Waikiki/Ala Moana/Kakaako

cc: Governor Linda Lingle

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## GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE

The following message from the Governor (Gov. Msg. No. 192) was received and announced by the Clerk and was placed on file:



EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS  
HONOLULU

LINDA LINGLE  
GOVERNOR

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE  
No. 192

January 16, 2006

The Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say  
House Speaker and Members of the House  
Hawaii State House of Representatives  
Twenty-Third State Legislature  
State Capitol, Room 431  
Honolulu, HI 96813

Dear Speaker Say:

In accordance with the provisions of Title II, Chapter 17, Section 4 of the Hawaii Revised Statutes, it is my honor to appoint Anne V. Stevens to fill the vacancy for the unexpired term created by the resignation of Galen Fox as the member from the Twenty-Third District, House of Representatives, Twenty-Third Legislature, State of Hawaii.

Sincerely,

LINDA LINGLE

## LEGISLATIVE COMMUNICATIONS



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
STATE OF HAWAII  
STATE CAPITOL  
HONOLULU, HAWAII 96813

AFFIDAVIT OF ANNE V. STEVENS

STATE OF HAWAII )  
 ) SS.  
CITY & COUNTY OF HONOLULU )

ANNE V. STEVENS, being first duly sworn upon oath, deposes and says:

1. That she has been a resident of the State of Hawaii for not less than three years.
2. That she has attained the age of majority.
3. That she is a qualified voter of the 23rd District of the State House of Representatives to which she has been appointed by the Governor of the State of Hawaii effective January 16, 2006.

Further affiant sayeth naught.

ANNE V. STEVENS

Subscribed and sworn to before me this  
17th day of January, 2006.

Patricia Mau-Shimizu  
Notary Public, State of Hawaii  
First Judicial Circuit  
Commission expires: 12-16-09  
Commission number: 93-728

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January 17, 2006

The Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say  
Speaker, Hawaii State House  
State Capitol, Room 431  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

RE: Appointment of Anne V. Stevens  
23rd District, Hawaii State House

Mr. Speaker:

I am please to inform you that ANNE V. STEVENS, the Governor's appointee of the 23rd District of the State House of Representatives to fill the vacancy created by the departure of GALEN FOX, has submitted to this Honorable Body an affidavit covering his/her qualifications which conform to the eligibility requirements of Article III, Section 6, of the Hawaii Constitution to serve as a member of this Honorable body.

Further, Chief Justice Ronald T.Y. Moon administered the oath of office pursuant to constitutional mandate to Ms. Stevens on this date.

Sincerely,

PATRICIA MAU-SHIMIZU  
House Clerk

## FIFTH DAY

Wednesday, January 25, 2006

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Third Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2006, convened at 12:00 o'clock noon, with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Mr. Christopher Lee, legislative aide to Representative Luke, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Kawakami and Schatz, who were excused.

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

## GOVERNOR'S MESSAGES

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 193 through 195) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 193, dated December 16, 2005, transmitting the Condominium Dispute Resolution Pilot Program Report.

Gov. Msg. No. 194, dated December 16, 2005, transmitting the Medical Claims Conciliation Panel Annual Report.

Gov. Msg. No. 195, dated January 23, 2006, transmitting the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism's Report on 2006 Goals and Objectives.

## DEPARTMENTAL COMMUNICATION

The following departmental communication (Dept. Com. No. 49) was received by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Dept. Com. No. 49, dated January 23, 2006, from Marion M. Higa, State Auditor, Office of the Auditor, transmitting the report, Audit of the Department of Human Services' Temporary Assistance for Needy Families Program.

## INTRODUCTION

The following introduction was made to the members of the House:

Representative Kahikina introduced his friend, Mr. Van Diamond.

## ORDER OF THE DAY

## COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

The following bills (H.B. Nos. 2184 through 2387) were referred to committee by the Speaker:

**H.B.**  
**Nos.**

**Referred to:**

	2186	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
	2187	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
	2188	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
	2189	Committee on Finance
	2190	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
	2191	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
	2192	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs and the Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
	2193	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs and the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
	2194	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
	2195	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
	2196	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
	2197	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
	2198	Committee on Finance
	2199	Jointly to the Committee on International Affairs and the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Judiciary
	2200	Committee on Finance
	2201	Committee on International Affairs
	2202	Committee on International Affairs
	2203	Committee on International Affairs
	2204	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
	2205	Committee on Finance
2184	2206	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
	2207	Committee on Judiciary
2185	2208	Committee on Judiciary
	2209	Committee on Judiciary



2210	Committee on Finance	2231	Committee on Judiciary
2211	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2232	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2212	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2233	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2213	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2234	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2214	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2235	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
2215	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance	2236	Jointly to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment and the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2216	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	2237	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2217	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2238	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2218	Committee on Judiciary	2239	Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
2219	Committee on Finance	2240	Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
2220	Jointly to the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance	2241	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2221	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2242	Jointly to the Committee on Housing and the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2222	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	2243	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2223	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	2244	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2224	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	2245	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2225	Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance	2246	Jointly to the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
2226	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2247	Committee on Finance
2227	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance	2248	Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
2228	Committee on Judiciary	2249	Committee on Finance
2229	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2250	Committee on Judiciary
2230	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2251	Committee on Education
		2252	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance

2253	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance	2276	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2254	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance	2277	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2255	Committee on Finance	2278	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2256	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2279	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2257	Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance	2280	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2258	Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance	2281	Committee on Judiciary
2259	Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance	2282	Committee on Judiciary
2260	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2283	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2261	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2284	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2262	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2285	Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2263	Jointly to the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance	2286	Committee on Judiciary
2264	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2287	Committee on Judiciary
2265	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2288	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2266	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce	2289	Committee on Judiciary
2267	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance	2290	Committee on Judiciary
2268	Committee on Finance	2291	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2269	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2292	Committee on Judiciary
2270	Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance	2293	Committee on International Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2271	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2294	Committee on Judiciary
2272	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance	2295	Committee on Judiciary
2273	Committee on Finance	2296	Committee on Judiciary
2274	Committee on Finance	2297	Committee on Judiciary
2275	Committee on Finance	2298	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary
		2299	Committee on Judiciary
		2300	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary
		2301	Committee on Judiciary
		2302	Committee on Judiciary
		2303	Committee on Judiciary
		2304	Committee on Judiciary

2305	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2328	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2306	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2329	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
2307	Committee on Tourism & Culture, then to the Committee on Finance	2330	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
2308	Jointly to the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection and the Committee on Agriculture, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2331	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
2309	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2332	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
2310	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2333	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
2311	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2334	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
2312	Committee on Finance	2335	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
2313	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce	2336	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
2314	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance	2337	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2315	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce	2338	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
2316	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary	2339	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2317	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment	2340	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2318	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2341	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2319	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce	2342	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2320	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2343	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2321	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2344	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2322	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce	2345	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2323	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2346	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2324	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2347	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2325	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2348	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2326	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary		
2327	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary		

2349	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2367	Jointly to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment and the Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2350	Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2368	Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2351	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2369	Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2352	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2370	Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance
2353	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Housing, then jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2371	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2354	Jointly to the Committee on Housing and the Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance	2372	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2355	Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance	2373	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2356	Jointly to the Committee on Housing and the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance	2374	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
2357	Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance	2375	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance
2358	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2376	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
2359	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2377	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance
2360	Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2378	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance
2361	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2379	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2362	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	2380	Jointly to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2363	Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance	2381	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
2364	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2382	Jointly to the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection and the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2365	Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2383	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
2366	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance	2384	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
		2385	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
		2386	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance

2387 Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance

### COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

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

#### H.B. Nos.

#### Re-referred to:

2063 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance

2064 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance

2107 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

2128 Committee on Education, then jointly to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance

### INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

On motion by Representative B. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the following bills (H.B. Nos. 2184 through 3261) laying on the Clerk's desk and received up to 6:00 o'clock p.m. passed First Reading by title and were referred to Printing: (Representatives Kawakami and Schatz were excused.)

#### H. B. Nos.

2184 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER RESOURCES."

Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Berg, Cabanilla, Green, Lee, Luke, Morita, Nishimoto, B. Oshiro, M. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Tsuji, Wakai, Waters, Arakaki, Caldwell, Evans, Herkes, Ito, Kahikina, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Magaoay, Saiki, Souki, Takumi, Tanaka and Yamashita.

2185 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGING IN PLACE TAX CREDIT."

Introduced by: Representative Schatz.

2186 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS."

Introduced by: Representative Kahikina.

2187 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Abinsay, Arakaki, Chong, Ito, Meyer, M. Oshiro, Say, Shimabukuro, Waters, Yamane, Tanaka and Yamashita.

2188 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE PURCHASE OF WAIMEA VALLEY, OAHU."

Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Abinsay, Berg, Evans, Herkes, Ito, Kanoho, Meyer, Morita, B. Oshiro, M. Oshiro, Say, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Tsuji, Waters, Yamane, Yamashita, Chong, Nakasone and Tanaka.

2189 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAX."

Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Caldwell, Tsuji, Abinsay, Chang, Shimabukuro, Takumi, Waters and Yamane.

2190 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RETIREMENT BENEFITS FOR REGISTERED PROFESSIONAL NURSES."

Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Morita, Takai, Takumi, Waters and Souki.

2191 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF ALCOHOL."

Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Green, Morita, Takai, Thielen, Waters and Souki.

2192 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES."

Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Arakaki, Green, Morita, Takai and Waters.

2193 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PEARL HARBOR TUNNEL FEASIBILITY STUDY."

Introduced by: Representatives Cabanilla, M. Oshiro, Arakaki, Green, Lee, Nishimoto, Say, Sonson, Souki and Waters.

2194 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL PROPERTY."

Introduced by: Representatives Cabanilla, Luke, Sonson, Abinsay, Herkes, B. Oshiro, M. Oshiro and Souki.

2195 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PLANNED COMMUNITY ASSOCIATIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Cabanilla, Green, Abinsay, Arakaki, Ching, Chong, Herkes, Nishimoto, M. Oshiro, Say and Sonson.

2196 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PLANNED COMMUNITY ASSOCIATIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Cabanilla, Meyer, Abinsay, Arakaki, Chong, Green, Herkes, Nishimoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Sonson and Waters.

2197 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PLANNED COMMUNITY ASSOCIATIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Cabanilla, Green, Luke, Abinsay, Arakaki, Chong, Herkes, Nishimoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Schatz, Sonson and Waters.

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| 2198 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR MILILANI MIDDLE SCHOOL."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Lee and Yamane.</p>   | 2210 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PEARLRIDGE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro, Takai, Takumi and Nakasone.</p>  |
| 2199 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERNATIONAL TRADE AGREEMENT."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Hale.</p>   | 2211 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEFINITIONS FOR WORKERS' COMPENSATION."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro and Caldwell.</p>  |
| 2200 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR PAHOA HIGH AND INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Hale.</p> | 2212 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUBSTANCE ABUSE."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro, Luke, Berg and Takumi.</p>  |
| 2201 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Hale.</p>   | 2213 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR SUBSTANCE ABUSE ASSESSMENTS FOR UNINSURED STUDENTS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro, Berg and Takumi.</p>   |
| 2202 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Hale.</p>   | 2214 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENTAL MOTOR VEHICLE SURCHARGE TAX."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Souki and Lee.</p>  |
| 2203 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Hale.</p>   | 2215 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONCESSIONS ON PUBLIC PROPERTY."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Souki and Lee.</p>  |
| 2204 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Saiki, Kanoho and Carroll.</p>  | 2216 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARKING FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Souki and Lee.</p>   |
| 2205 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FORTY-SECOND REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Cabanilla.</p>               | 2217 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Souki and Lee.</p>  |
| 2206 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION RELATING TO SEXUAL ASSAULT."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro and Luke.</p>                             | 2218 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC AGENCY MEETINGS AND RECORDS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Berg and Stonebraker.</p>   |
| 2207 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEXUAL ASSAULT."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro and Luke.</p>   | 2219 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FOURTEENTH, FIFTEENTH, AND SIXTEENTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICTS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami, Kanoho and Morita.</p>                         |
| 2208 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTIES."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro and Luke.</p>   | 2220 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Tsuji, Abinsay, Arakaki, Green, Hale, Herkes, Lee, Magaoay, Morita, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Waters, Yamashita, Cabanilla, Finnegan, Nakasone and Tanaka.</p> |
| 2209 | <p>"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY DAMAGE."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro, Finnegan, Takai and Wakai.</p>  |      |  |

- 2221 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUNTING."  
Introduced by: Representatives Tsuji, Abinsay, Cabanilla, Chang, Ching, Herkes, Karamatsu, Magaoay, Marumoto, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Waters, Yamashita, Arakaki, Green, Hale, Lee, Nakasone, Takumi and Tanaka.
- 2222 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE REFUNDABLE CAREGIVER TAX CREDIT."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Green, Hale, Kahikina and Sonson.
- 2223 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CARE HOMES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Cabanilla, Green, Hale, Kahikina, Karamatsu, Magaoay, Sonson and Finnegan.
- 2224 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADULT RESIDENTIAL CARE HOMES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Cabanilla, Finnegan, Green, Hale, Karamatsu, Magaoay and Sonson.
- 2225 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Green, Hale and Sonson.
- 2226 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Hale, Sonson, Green and Kahikina.
- 2227 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WAGES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Ching, Finnegan, Marumoto, Moses, Pine, Stonebraker, Thielen and Stevens.
- 2228 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PORNOGRAPHY."  
Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Chang, Ching, Finnegan, Magaoay, Marumoto, Moses, Stonebraker, Thielen, Ito, Stevens, Tanaka and Tsuji.
- 2229 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PAROLE."  
Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Cabanilla, Chang, Finnegan, Marumoto, Moses, Stonebraker, Berg, Evans, Ito, Magaoay, Pine, Shimabukuro, Stevens, Tanaka and Tsuji.
- 2230 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IDENTITY THEFT."  
Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Chang, Ching, Evans, Finnegan, Marumoto, Moses, Pine, Stonebraker, Thielen, Berg, Cabanilla, Ito, Magaoay, Shimabukuro, Stevens, Tanaka, Tsuji and Wakai.
- 2231 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMES AGAINST UNBORN CHILDREN."  
Introduced by: Representatives Meyer, Finnegan, Moses, Stonebraker, Ching, Ito, Magaoay, Stevens, Tanaka and Tsuji.
- 2232 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Berg, Evans, Lee, Luke, Shimabukuro, Waters, Chong, Morita, Nishimoto, M. Oshiro and Takumi.
- 2233 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDEMNATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Berg, Evans, Lee, Luke, M. Oshiro, Schatz, Takai, Waters, Chong, Herkes, Souki, Takumi, Tanaka and Yamashita.
- 2234 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR SCOOTERS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Berg, Cabanilla, Chong, Lee, Luke, Morita, Nishimoto, Schatz, Takai, Waters, Chang, Evans, Herkes, Ito, Karamatsu, Nakasone, M. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Souki, Takumi, Tanaka, Yamane and Yamashita.
- 2235 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY RESOURCES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Berg, Evans, Karamatsu, Luke, Morita, M. Oshiro, Schatz, Waters and Herkes.
- 2236 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Takai, Takumi, Waters, Abinsay, Arakaki, Berg, Kahikina, Magaoay, M. Oshiro, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Tanaka, Yamane and Yamashita.
- 2237 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING IN PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Abinsay, Berg, Morita, M. Oshiro, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Takai, Takumi, Waters, Arakaki, Chang, Chong, Evans, Karamatsu, Nakasone, Souki, Tanaka, Yamane and Yamashita.
- 2238 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS."  
Introduced by: Representative Kahikina.
- 2239 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND ACQUISITION."  
Introduced by: Representative Kahikina.
- 2240 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING."  
Introduced by: Representative Kahikina.

- 2241 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."  
Introduced by: Representative Kahikina.
- 2242 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING."  
Introduced by: Representative Kahikina.
- 2243 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AN AIRPORT AUTHORITY."  
Introduced by: Representative Souki.
- 2244 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MOTOR VEHICLE RENTAL INDUSTRY."  
Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Herkes, M. Oshiro, Schatz, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Kahikina, Magaoay, Nakasone, Souki, Tanaka, Tsuji, Waters and Yamashita.
- 2245 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESS ENERGY TAX CREDIT."  
Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Abinsay, Arakaki, Berg, Caldwell, Lee, Magaoay, Morita, M. Oshiro, Schatz, Tsuji, Waters, Yamane, Yamashita, Kahikina, Nakasone, Souki and Tanaka.
- 2246 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHANOL CONTENT."  
Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Kahikina, Tsuji, Wakai, Abinsay, Arakaki, Kawakami, Lee, Magaoay, Nakasone, Souki, Takumi, Tanaka, Yamane and Yamashita.
- 2247 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOURISM."  
Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Abinsay, Cabanilla, Hale, Karamatsu, Magaoay, Tsuji, Yamashita, Evans, Marumoto and Wakai.
- 2248 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KIKALAKEOKEA."  
Introduced by: Representative Hale.
- 2249 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE THIRTY-SEVENTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."  
Introduced by: Representatives Yamane and Lee.
- 2250 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TIME LIMITATIONS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Yamane, Arakaki, Chong, Lee, Sonson, Yamashita, Luke and Tsuji.
- 2251 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Yamane, Carroll, Chong, Karamatsu, Lee, Tsuji and Yamashita.
- 2252 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY SHELTERS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Yamane, Ito, Lee and Yamashita.
- 2253 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO CONVERT THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE'S ANIMAL QUARANTINE SHELTER INTO AN ANIMAL SHELTER TO BE USED DURING DISASTERS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Yamane, Ito, Lee and Yamashita.
- 2254 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A STATE TAX HOLIDAY."  
Introduced by: Representatives Yamane, Lee, Chong, Herkes, Magaoay, Nakasone, Souki and Yamashita.
- 2255 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE NINTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."  
Introduced by: Representative Nakasone.
- 2256 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Sonson, Cabanilla, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Marumoto, Morita, Herkes and Souki.
- 2257 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Sonson, Abinsay, Cabanilla, Kahikina and Berg.
- 2258 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Sonson, Abinsay, Cabanilla, Kahikina, Say and Yamane.
- 2259 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OFFICE OF THE LEGISLATIVE ANALYST."  
Introduced by: Representatives Sonson, Abinsay, Arakaki, Berg, Cabanilla, Chang, Kahikina, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Magaoay, Morita, Say, Tsuji, Wakai, Herkes, Ito, Lee, Shimabukuro, Souki and Tanaka.
- 2260 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMOKING."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Berg, Carroll, Green, Kahikina, Kawakami, Lee, Morita, Nishimoto, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Tanaka, Wakai, Abinsay, Herkes and Magaoay.
- 2261 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VIOLENT VIDEO GAMES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Green, Kahikina, Lee, Marumoto, Morita, Abinsay, Berg, Carroll, Herkes, Kawakami, Magaoay, Schatz, Shimabukuro and Tanaka.



2262 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROTECTION FOR VICTIMS OF HUMAN TRAFFICKING."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Berg, Carroll, Green, Herkes, Kahikina, Lee, Magaoay, Marumoto, Morita, Nishimoto, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Tanaka, Wakai and Halford.

2263 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTROLLING INVASIVE SPECIES."

Introduced by: Representatives Chong, Ito, Tsuji, Waters, Yamane, Yamashita, Souki and Tanaka.

2264 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STREET LIGHTING."

Introduced by: Representatives Chong, Ito, Lee, Morita, Schatz, Thielen, Tsuji, Waters, Yamane, Yamashita and Tanaka.

2265 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Chong.

2266 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTRACTORS."

Introduced by: Representative Chong, by request.

2267 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Chong, Ito, Tanaka, Waters, Souki, Tsuji, Yamane and Yamashita.

2268 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX EXEMPTION."

Introduced by: Representatives Chong, Waters, Yamashita, Tanaka, Tsuji and Yamane.

2269 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTIES."

Introduced by: Representatives Chong, Ito, Lee, Tsuji, Yamane, Yamashita, Waters and Tanaka.

2270 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CAPITOL."

Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Herkes, Ito, Karamatsu, Lee, Marumoto, B. Oshiro, Schatz, Sonson, Takai, Yamane and Souki.

2271 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NON-AGRICULTURAL PARK LANDS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2272 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE LOANS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2273 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING EMERGENCY APPROPRIATIONS FOR RISK MANAGEMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2274 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE RISK MANAGEMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2275 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR ELECTRICITY PAYMENTS STATEWIDE."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2276 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WIRELESS ENHANCED 911 BOARD."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2277 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE, ITS OFFICERS, OR ITS EMPLOYEES."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2278 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING EMERGENCY APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2279 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT TORT LIABILITY."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2280 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BIOLOGICAL EVIDENCE."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2281 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXPUNGEMENTS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2282 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHAPTER 846E."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2283 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE I OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII RELATING TO SEXUAL ASSAULT."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2284 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE XVII OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII REGARDING CHALLENGES TO CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2285 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOLICITATION OF FUNDS FOR CHARITABLE PURPOSES."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2286	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT."	2300	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHAPTER 134."
	Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
2287	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT."	2301	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEXUAL ASSAULT."
	Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
2288	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TORT ACTIONS."	2302	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMES AGAINST MINORS."
	Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
2289	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO APPELLATE JURISDICTION."	2303	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT."
	Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
2290	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TESTIMONY."	2304	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROMOTING INTOXICATING LIQUOR TO A MINOR."
	Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
2291	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL."	2305	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR VIOLATIONS INVOLVING MINORS."
	Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
2292	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TIME LIMITATIONS."	2306	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CAPITAL LOAN PROGRAM."
	Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
2293	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COURT ADVISEMENT CONCERNING ALIEN STATUS."	2307	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOURISM."
	Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
2294	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRUGS."	2308	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY."
	Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
2295	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRUGS."	2309	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII EMPLOYER-UNION HEALTH BENEFITS TRUST FUND."
	Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
2296	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INFORMATION CHARGING."	2310	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."
	Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
2297	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SENTENCING."	2311	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."
	Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
2298	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISCLOSURE OF VITAL STATISTICS RECORDS TO LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS FOR CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIONS."	2312	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE EMERGENCY BUDGET AND RESERVE FUND."
	Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
2299	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHAPTER 803."	2313	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESS REGISTRATION."
	Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

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| <p>2314 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX CREDITS FOR ENERGY STAR RATED APPLIANCES."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>      | <p>2328 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PETROLEUM PRICE GOUGING."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>                                     |
| <p>2315 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CODE OF FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>                | <p>2329 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DESTRUCTION OF PERSONAL INFORMATION RECORDS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>                 |
| <p>2316 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MORTGAGE BROKERS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>                                  | <p>2330 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER PROTECTION."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>                           |
| <p>2317 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH INSURANCE."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>                                  | <p>2331 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AN INACTIVE STATUS FOR PROFESSIONAL AND VOCATIONAL LICENSES."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> |
| <p>2318 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PATIENTS' BILL OF RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> | <p>2332 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRINCIPAL PRIVATE DETECTIVES AND GUARDS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>                     |
| <p>2319 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>   | <p>2333 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NURSES."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>  |
| <p>2320 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>   | <p>2334 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH COUNSELORS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>                                    |
| <p>2321 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TORTS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>   | <p>2335 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHAPTER 448E, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>                       |
| <p>2322 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXPEDITED INSURANCE RATE REDUCTIONS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>               | <p>2336 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVESTIGATIVE ACCESS FOR UNLICENSED ACTIVITY."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>                |
| <p>2323 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE FRAUD."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>                                   | <p>2337 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>   |
| <p>2324 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE FRAUD."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>                                   | <p>2338 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IDENTITY THEFT."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>  |
| <p>2325 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MONEYS FOR DISASTER PREPAREDNESS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>                  | <p>2339 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL DEFENSE AGENCY."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>  |
| <p>2326 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER CREDIT REPORTING AGENCIES."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>                | <p>2340 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERANS' SERVICES."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>  |
| <p>2327 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROTECTION FROM SECURITY BREACHES."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>                 | <p>2341 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL DEFENSE."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>   |

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| 2342 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERANS' SERVICES."   | 2356 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONVEYANCE TAX."  |
|      | Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.  |      | Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.   |
| 2343 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE."   | 2357 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE RENT SUPPLEMENT PROGRAM."   |
|      | Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.  |      | Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.   |
| 2344 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT ASSISTANCE COMPACT."                                  | 2358 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE X, SECTION 1 OF THE STATE CONSTITUTION TO AUTHORIZE THE LEGISLATURE TO ESTABLISH SUBSYSTEMS FOR THE STATE'S SINGLE STATEWIDE SYSTEM OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS." |
|      | Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.  |      | Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.   |
| 2345 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX CREDITS FOR RETROFITTING PRIVATE FACILITIES."                          | 2359 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AMENDMENTS TO ARTICLE X, SECTIONS 2 AND 3 OF THE STATE CONSTITUTION TO ADD A FIFTEENTH MEMBER WHO IS APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNOR TO REPRESENT THE INTERESTS OF CHARTER SCHOOLS."  |
|      | Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.  |      | Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.   |
| 2346 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION ELECTRICITY."            | 2360 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FEDERAL REVENUE MAXIMIZATION IN THE JUDICIARY."   |
|      | Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.  |      | Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.   |
| 2347 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION STUDENT TRANSPORTATION." | 2361 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PSYCHOTROPIC MEDICATION."   |
|      | Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.  |      | Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.   |
| 2348 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TEACHER STANDARDS BOARD."                                       | 2362 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRESCRIPTION DRUGS."  |
|      | Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.  |      | Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.   |
| 2349 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HIRING OF RETIRED TEACHERS IN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION."            | 2363 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FEDERAL REVENUE MAXIMIZATION FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."   |
|      | Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.  |      | Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.   |
| 2350 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII EDUCATOR LOAN PROGRAM."   | 2364 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD ABUSE OR NEGLECT REPORTING."  |
|      | Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.  |      | Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.   |
| 2351 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII MASTER TEACHER PROGRAM."  | 2365 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NOTICE TO FOSTER PARENTS FOR CHAPTER 587, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES, CHILD PROTECTIVE ACT HEARINGS."  |
|      | Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.  |      | Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.   |
| 2352 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS."  | 2366 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCREASING CAPACITY FOR HOME AND COMMUNITY-BASED LONG-TERM CARE SERVICES."  |
|      | Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.  |      | Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.   |
| 2353 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PLANNING."   |      |  |
|      | Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.  |      |  |
| 2354 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING FUNDS."  |      |  |
|      | Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.  |      |  |
| 2355 | "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."  |      |  |
|      | Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.  |      |  |

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| <p>2367 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD CHECKS FOR SERVICE PROVIDERS OF THE OFFICE OF YOUTH SERVICES."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>               | <p>2379 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMOKE-FREE WORKPLACES."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>  |
| <p>2368 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC HOUSING."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>   | <p>2380 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORDS CHECKS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>  |
| <p>2369 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>  | <p>2381 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WASTEWATER SYSTEMS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>   |
| <p>2370 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR GENERAL ASSISTANCE."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>   | <p>2382 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM ENVIRONMENTAL COVENANTS ACT."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>  |
| <p>2371 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE HAWAII YOUTH CORRECTIONAL FACILITY."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>                                   | <p>2383 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOLID WASTE."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>  |
| <p>2372 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>  | <p>2384 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR THE FAMILY HEALTH SERVICES DIVISION."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>                                |
| <p>2373 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM ARBITRATION ACT."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>  | <p>2385 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR PANDEMIC INFLUENZA PREPAREDNESS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>                                    |
| <p>2374 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR THE ADULT MENTAL HEALTH DIVISION."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>             | <p>2386 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPOSIT BEVERAGE CONTAINER FEE."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>   |
| <p>2375 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR THE DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES DIVISION."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>      | <p>2387 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPOSIT BEVERAGE CONTAINER SPECIAL FUND."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>  |
| <p>2376 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR THE EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES SYSTEM BRANCH."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> | <p>2388 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>  |
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| <p>2378 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII EARLY INTERVENTION COORDINATING COUNCIL."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>   | <p>2390 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY LAW."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p>  |
|   | <p>2391 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MONEYS CREDITED TO THE STATE'S ACCOUNT IN THE UNEMPLOYMENT TRUST FUND PURSUANT TO SECTION 903 OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> |

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| <p>2392 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TIP CREDIT."<br/>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2393 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION FOR NEW CENTURY CHARTER SCHOOLS."<br/>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2394 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SECTION 13 OF ACT 380, SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII 1997."<br/>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2395 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROTECTION OF FOREST RESERVES."<br/>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2396 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOREST STEWARDSHIP."<br/>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2397 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GROUNDED VESSELS."<br/>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2398 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII OCEAN AND COASTAL COUNCIL."<br/>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2399 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTER-ISLAND FERRY SERVICE."<br/>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2400 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR ACQUISITION OF WAIMEA VALLEY, OAHU."<br/>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2401 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOL AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE."<br/>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2402 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF INFORMATION PRACTICES."<br/>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2403 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF INFORMATION PRACTICES."<br/>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2404 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC MEETINGS."<br/>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> | <p>2405 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING FOR EMPLOYEES IN LAW ENFORCEMENT AND EMERGENCY HEALTH AND SAFETY OCCUPATIONS."<br/>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2406 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTEREST ARBITRATION."<br/>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2407 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES."<br/>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2408 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONAL INDUSTRIES."<br/>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2409 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES."<br/>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2410 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES."<br/>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2411 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."<br/>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2412 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONFORMITY OF THE HAWAII INCOME TAX LAW TO THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE."<br/>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2413 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCREASING THE STANDARD DEDUCTION AND ADJUSTING THE BRACKETS FOR INDIVIDUAL INCOME TAXATION."<br/>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2414 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE TAX CREDITS."<br/>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2415 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NET INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR FOOD, MEDICAL SERVICES, AND NONPRESCRIPTION DRUGS."<br/>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2416 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAX WITHHOLDING."<br/>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2417 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX ADMINISTRATION."<br/>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> |
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2421 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERFORMING ARTS BUSINESSES."

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2422 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2423 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE HIGHWAY FUND"

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2424 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE KAKAOKO COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT"

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2425 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOARD OF REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2426 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHAPTER 40, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2427 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE FUNDS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2428 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."

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2429 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FINANCING AGREEMENTS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2430 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."

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2431 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CENTER FOR NURSING."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2432 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COMMISSION FOR NATIONAL AND COMMUNITY SERVICE."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2433 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION'S ENGINEERING SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2434 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."

Introduced by: Representative Herkes.

2435 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."

Introduced by: Representative Herkes.

2436 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FIFTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Herkes.

2437 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOANS FOR TEACHERS."

Introduced by: Representative Herkes.

2438 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOANS FOR HEALTH PROFESSIONALS."

Introduced by: Representative Herkes.

2439 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A ONE CALL CENTER."

Introduced by: Representative Herkes.

2440 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM ATHLETE AGENTS ACT."

Introduced by: Representative Herkes.

2441 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION."

Introduced by: Representative Herkes.

2442 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MILITARY INSTALLATIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Ito, M. Oshiro and Thielen.

2443 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT ASSISTANCE COMPACT."

Introduced by: Representatives Ito and Thielen.

2444 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY."

Introduced by: Representative Ito.

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| <p>2445 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MILITARY AFFAIRS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Ito.</p> <p>2446 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR INCREASING POWER GENERATING CAPACITY FOR THE QUEEN'S MEDICAL CENTER."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Chong, Evans, Lee, Morita, M. Oshiro and Shimabukuro.</p> <p>2447 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE HAWAII CIVIL AIR PATROL."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Abinsay, Chong, Herkes, Karamatsu, Kawakami, Lee, Luke, M. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Tanaka, Tsuji, Waters, Nakasone, Sonson, Souki and Wakai.</p> <p>2448 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Abinsay, Chong, Herkes, Karamatsu, Lee, Luke, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Tanaka, Tsuji, Waters, Kawakami, Nakasone, M. Oshiro, Souki and Wakai.</p> <p>2449 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS PERTAINING TO THE CIVIL AIR PATROL."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Chong, Herkes, Karamatsu, Kawakami, Luke, M. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Tsuji, Waters, Abinsay, Lee, Nakasone, Sonson, Souki, Tanaka and Wakai.</p> <p>2450 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro, Caldwell and Herkes.</p> <p>2451 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro, Caldwell and Herkes.</p> <p>2452 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL BUSES."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro, Caldwell and Souki.</p> <p>2453 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CREDIT CARDS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro, Herkes, Luke, and B. Oshiro.</p> <p>2454 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEGISLATIVE VACANCIES."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro, Luke, and B. Oshiro.</p> | <p>2455 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNITED STATES SENATE."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro, Luke, B. Oshiro and Caldwell.</p> <p>2456 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL EXCISE TAX."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro, Caldwell, Chang, Herkes and Karamatsu.</p> <p>2457 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE PLAN."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro, Finnegan, Herkes, Kanoho, B. Oshiro, Thielen, Tsuji and Ito.</p> <p>2458 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMINENT DOMAIN."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Yamashita, Caldwell, Kanoho, Luke, M. Oshiro, Schatz, Tsuji, Yamane, Chong, and B. Oshiro.</p> <p>2459 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2460 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC LAND TRUST."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2461 "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2462 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2463 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2464 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADVERSE POSSESSION."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2465 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2466 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION'S HAWAIIAN EDUCATION PROGRAM."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> |
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| <p>2467 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHER LICENSING."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2468 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHING THE HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2469 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2470 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC LAND TRUST."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2471 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OPEN TRANSMISSION ACCESS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2472 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OPEN TRANSMISSION ACCESS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2473 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FUEL TAX."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2474 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2475 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STREAMLINED SALES AND USE TAX."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say.</p> <p>2476 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATUTORY REVISION: AMENDING, REENACTING, OR REPEALING VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE HAWAII REVISED STATUTES AND THE SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII FOR THE PURPOSE OF CORRECTING ERRORS AND REFERENCES, CLARIFYING LANGUAGE, AND DELETING OBSOLETE OR UNNECESSARY PROVISIONS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2477 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GUARD SERVICES."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2478 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AN ANIMATION AND MEDIA GRAPHICS PROGRAM."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2479 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONSTRUCTION OF A PARKING STRUCTURE AT KAKAOKO MAKAI, OAHU."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Say and Waters.</p> | <p>2480 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEGISLATIVE VACANCIES."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say.</p> <p>2481 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSFER OF APPEALS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2482 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GUARDIAN AND PROTECTIVE PROCEEDINGS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2483 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADULT PROBATION RECORDS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2484 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2485 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERMEDIATE APPELLATE COURT PANELS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2486 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRONIC COURT RECORDS, DOCUMENTS, PROCESSES, AND CERTIFICATES."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2487 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FEES FOR ELECTRONIC FILING, SIGNING, SERVING, CERTIFICATION, AND VERIFICATION OF COURT DOCUMENTS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2488 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BAIL."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2489 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERMEDIATE APPELLATE COURT PANELS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2490 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION RELATING TO CHANGING THE NAME OF THE INTERMEDIATE APPELLATE COURT."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2491 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VEXATIOUS LITIGANTS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2492 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WRIT OF CERTIORARI."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> |
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| <p>2493 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE INTERSTATE COMPACT FOR JUVENILES."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2494 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO APPEALS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2495 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC RECORDS AND ABSTRACTS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2496 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COURT FEES."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2497 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADJUDICATION OF TRAFFIC INFRACTIONS COMMITTED BY MINORS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2498 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE INTERMEDIATE APPELLATE COURT."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2499 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO APPELLATE JURISDICTION."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2500 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2501 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO APPEALS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2502 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOCUMENTS SEALED UPON FILING."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2503 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DERELICT VEHICLE."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2504 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEFINITION OF NEIGHBORHOOD ELECTRIC VEHICLE."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2505 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL DRIVER LICENSING."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2506 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE FUEL TAX."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> | <p>2507 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2508 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WAIVER OF ABANDONED VEHICLE PUBLIC AUCTION REQUIREMENTS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2509 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVER LICENSING."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2510 "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR IMPROVEMENTS TO KUHIO HIGHWAY, KAUAI."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2511 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A GRANT-IN-AID TO THE COUNTY OF KAUAI FOR LAND ACQUISITION AND PLANNING FOR IMPROVEMENTS TO POULI ROAD, KAUAI."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2512 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TIME SHARE ZONING."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2513 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO ERADICATE AND CONTROL THE COQUI FROG."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2514 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REHIRING OF RETIREES."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2515 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LAND LIABILITY."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2516 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF ROADWAYS IN KONA."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2517 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERMIT APPROVALS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> <p>2518 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AND COUNTY TORT LIABILITY."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.</p> |
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2519 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR PLANS AND CONSTRUCTION FOR THE PUNA RECREATIONAL COMPLEX IN PĀHOA, HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2520 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE ROADS IN LIMBO PROGRAM FOR THE COUNTY OF HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2521 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR COMMUNITY ANTI-DRUG FUND."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2522 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIABILITY OF FIREARM OWNERS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2523 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR FLOOD PLAIN MANAGEMENT IN THE COUNTY OF HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2524 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERMIT APPROVALS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2525 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERMISSIBLE USES WITHIN AGRICULTURAL DISTRICTS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2526 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION AS A GRANT-IN-AID TO THE COUNTY OF HAWAII FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICE PERSONNEL TO STAFF THE AEROMEDICAL HELICOPTER UNIT."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2527 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXCEPTIONS TO TORT ACTIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2528 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR IMPROVEMENTS TO THE OLD KAILUA AIRPORT PARK IN KAILUA-KONA, HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2529 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO UPGRADE THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM OF THE HAWAII COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2530 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR PLANNING, DESIGN, AND CONSTRUCTION OF THE KAILUA-KONA SENIOR CENTER IN KAILUA-KONA, HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2531 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS TAX."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2532 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2533 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IMPACT FEES."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2534 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR CAREER CRIMINAL PROSECUTION UNITS AND VICTIM WITNESS ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2535 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OFFENSES AGAINST PROPERTY RIGHTS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2536 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THEFT."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2537 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHAPTER 803, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2538 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABSENTEE VOTING."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2539 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTION."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2540 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR INCREASING STIPENDS FOR VOLUNTEER PRECINCT OFFICIALS."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2541 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIABILITY."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2542 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2543 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

- 2544 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MISSING PERSONS."  
Introduced by: Representative Lee.
- 2545 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NUISANCE ABATEMENT."  
Introduced by: Representative Harbin.
- 2546 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYER-UNION HEALTH BENEFITS TRUST FUND."  
Introduced by: Representative Takai.
- 2547 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."  
Introduced by: Representative Takai.
- 2548 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Cabanilla, Chong, Ito and Takumi.
- 2549 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MILITARY RESERVE COMPONENTS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Cabanilla, Chong, Ito and Luke.
- 2550 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."  
Introduced by: Representative Takumi.
- 2551 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."  
Introduced by: Representative Takumi.
- 2552 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."  
Introduced by: Representative Takumi.
- 2553 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHAPTER 291E, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Chong, Kanoho, Lee, Morita, Sonson, Tanaka, Nakasone, Shimabukuro and Souki.
- 2554 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VEHICLE TAXATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Sonson, Chong, Ito, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Lee, Morita, Nakasone, Shimabukuro, Souki and Tanaka.
- 2555 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Kanoho, Morita, Schatz and Waters.
- 2556 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMOKING."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Arakaki, Green, Lee, Morita, M. Oshiro, Herkes, Nishimoto and Souki.
- 2557 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC CONTRACTS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Ito, Kanoho, Morita, Sonson, Karamatsu and Souki.
- 2558 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Morita, M. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Chong, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Nakasone and Souki.
- 2559 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOLUNTARY EMPLOYEES' BENEFICIARY ASSOCIATION TRUSTS."  
Introduced by: Representative Caldwell, by request.
- 2560 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT."  
Introduced by: Representative Caldwell.
- 2561 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYMENT OF NURSES."  
Introduced by: Representative Caldwell.
- 2562 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION REFORM."  
Introduced by: Representative Caldwell.
- 2563 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT."  
Introduced by: Representative Caldwell.
- 2564 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WAGES."  
Introduced by: Representative Caldwell.
- 2565 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF ELECTIONS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Schatz and Luke.
- 2566 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."  
Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina and Nishimoto.
- 2567 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING."  
Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina and Nishimoto.
- 2568 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING."  
Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina and Nishimoto.

- 2569 "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR WASTE MANAGEMENT AT LOWLAND SCHOOLS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Chong, Kanoho, M. Oshiro, Tanaka and Yamane.
- 2570 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOMEOWNER LOSS MITIGATION PROGRAM."  
Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Chong, Kanoho, M. Oshiro, Tanaka and Yamane.
- 2571 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Yamane, Chong, Kanoho, M. Oshiro and Tanaka.
- 2572 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR KAIKA BAY."  
Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Chong, Kanoho, Yamane, M. Oshiro and Tanaka.
- 2573 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NATURAL RESOURCE MANAGEMENT."  
Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Chong, Kanoho, Yamane, M. Oshiro and Tanaka.
- 2574 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR WASTE MANAGEMENT FOR SCHOOLS IN LOWLAND AREAS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Kanoho, Yamane, Chong, M. Oshiro and Tanaka.
- 2575 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NO FAULT INSURANCE."  
Introduced by: Representatives Kanoho, Herkes and Luke.
- 2576 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."  
Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina and Shimabukuro.
- 2577 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE XII, SECTION 6, OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII."  
Introduced by: Representative Kahikina.
- 2578 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BOATING."  
Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Kanoho, Morita and Waters.
- 2579 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE TWENTY-SECOND REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."  
Introduced by: Representative Saiki.
- 2580 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TITLE INSURERS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Morita and Herkes.
- 2581 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE EIGHTEENTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."  
Introduced by: Representative Berg.
- 2582 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EVALUATION OF MEDICAL OPINIONS."  
Introduced by: Representative Harbin.
- 2583 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MUTUAL BENEFIT SOCIETIES."  
Introduced by: Representative Harbin.
- 2584 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CAPITOL DISTRICT."  
Introduced by: Representative Harbin.
- 2585 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS IN THE TWENTY-EIGHTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."  
Introduced by: Representative Harbin.
- 2586 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."  
Introduced by: Representative Harbin.
- 2587 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARINE RESOURCES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Kanoho, Morita, Schatz, Thielen, Waters and Berg.
- 2588 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Yamane, Chong, Say, Tsuji and Yamashita.
- 2589 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PSYCHOLOGISTS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Green, Arakaki, Herkes, Sonson, Luke, Takumi and Tsuji.
- 2590 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."  
Introduced by: Representatives Green, Arakaki and Hale.
- 2591 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE SIXTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."  
Introduced by: Representative Green.

- 2592 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH CARE."  
Introduced by: Representatives Green, Arakaki, Herkes, M. Oshiro, Schatz, Tsuji, Waters, Berg, Hale and Takumi.
- 2593 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VACCINATIONS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Green, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Hale, Herkes, M. Oshiro, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Tsuji and Waters.
- 2594 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT."  
Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Marumoto, Moses, Chong, Ito, Karamatsu, Tsuji and Yamashita.
- 2595 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY VISITS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Tanaka, Carroll, M. Oshiro, Sonson, Evans, Green, Halford, Ito, Karamatsu, Magaoay, Nishimoto, Souki, Tsuji, Wakai, Yamane and Yamashita.
- 2596 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."  
Introduced by: Representatives Tanaka, Carroll, Sonson, Arakaki, Green, Kahikina and Magaoay.
- 2597 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY SHELTERS AT PUBLIC SCHOOLS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Tanaka, Carroll, Chang, Green, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Chong and Halford.
- 2598 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."  
Introduced by: Representatives Tanaka, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Carroll, Green, Halford, Nishimoto and Sonson.
- 2599 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ASSISTED LIVING FACILITIES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Tanaka, Arakaki, Carroll, Green, Sonson and Nishimoto.
- 2600 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Tanaka, Sonson, Carroll, Halford, Magaoay and Yamashita.
- 2601 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADULT RESIDENTIAL CARE HOMES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Tanaka, Cabanilla, Carroll, Green, Sonson and Nishimoto.
- 2602 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VIDEOCONFERENCING."  
Introduced by: Representatives Tanaka, Carroll, Chang and Halford.
- 2603 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE THIRTY-EIGHTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."  
Introduced by: Representative Lee.
- 2604 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY INSURANCE."  
Introduced by: Representatives Herkes and M. Oshiro.
- 2605 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CABLE."  
Introduced by: Representative Herkes.
- 2606 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE."  
Introduced by: Representative Herkes.
- 2607 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE."  
Introduced by: Representative Herkes.
- 2608 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OUT-OF-STATE SALES OF TIME SHARE INTERESTS."  
Introduced by: Representative Herkes, by request.
- 2609 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING FOR EMPLOYEES IN NEW CENTURY CHARTER SCHOOLS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Takumi, Caldwell, and M. Oshiro.
- 2610 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS."  
Introduced by: Representative Takumi.
- 2611 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHANOL CONTENT."  
Introduced by: Representative Marumoto.
- 2612 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE NINETEENTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."  
Introduced by: Representative Marumoto.
- 2613 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Caldwell, Green, Kahikina, Lee, Luke, Morita, Nishimoto, B. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Wakai, Waters and Yamane.
- 2614 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY."  
Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Evans, Kanoho, Pine, Schatz, Thielen, Waters, Berg and Carroll.

- 2615 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST SEAWATER AIR CONDITIONING PROJECTS ON THE ISLAND OF OAHU."  
Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Kanoho, Pine, Thielen, Berg, Carroll and Evans.
- 2616 "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF REVENUE BONDS FOR ENERGY USE IN STATE FACILITIES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Berg, Carroll, Evans, Kanoho, Pine, Schatz, Thielen and Waters.
- 2617 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DISPOSITION OF REAL PROPERTY."  
Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Kanoho, Pine, Schatz, Thielen, Waters, Carroll and Evans.
- 2618 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEAWATER AIR CONDITIONING DISTRICT COOLING SYSTEMS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Carroll, Kanoho, Pine, Schatz, Thielen and Evans.
- 2619 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY."  
Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Carroll, Kanoho, Pine, Schatz, Thielen, Waters and Evans.
- 2620 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Berg, Carroll, Evans, Kanoho, Pine, Schatz, Thielen and Waters.
- 2621 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONSUMER ADVOCATE."  
Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Berg, Carroll, Evans, Kanoho, Schatz, Thielen and Waters.
- 2622 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FIRST REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."  
Introduced by: Representative Takamine.
- 2623 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STREAMLINED SALES AND USE TAX."  
Introduced by: Representative Takamine.
- 2624 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR."  
Introduced by: Representatives Takamine and Caldwell.
- 2625 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNIFORM STATE LAWS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Takamine, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Chang, Chong, Green, Hale, Herkes, Lee, Luke, Nishimoto, M. Oshiro, Schatz, Tanaka, Abinsay, Arakaki, Kahikina, Karamatsu, Kawakami, Takumi and Tsuji.
- 2626 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE BONDS."  
Introduced by: Representative Takamine.
- 2627 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Takamine, Chang, Green, Hale, Herkes and Tsuji.
- 2628 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS."  
Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro, Caldwell and Souki.
- 2629 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro, Caldwell and Herkes.
- 2630 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."  
Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro.
- 2631 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Green, Sonson and Tsuji.
- 2632 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE SIXTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."  
Introduced by: Representative Green.
- 2633 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY IMPACT FEES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Green, Schatz and Herkes.
- 2634 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A PORT AUTHORITY."  
Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Caldwell, Ito, Lee, Tanaka, Yamane, Chong, Nakasone, Shimabukuro and Stevens.
- 2635 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AHIHI-KINAU NATURAL AREA RESERVE MANAGEMENT PLAN."  
Introduced by: Representatives Souki and Tanaka.

2636 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE EIGHTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Souki.

2637 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION."

Introduced by: Representative Souki.

2638 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII'S FISHING INDUSTRY."

Introduced by: Representative Souki.

2639 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO USE OF INTOXICANTS WHILE OPERATING A MOTOR VEHICLE."

Introduced by: Representative Souki.

2640 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARKING FOR DISABLED PERSONS."

Introduced by: Representative Souki.

2641 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC WORK PROJECTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, M. Oshiro, Herkes, Ito, Luke, Nakasone, Shimabukuro, Souki and Takumi.

2642 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."

Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Chong, Ito, M. Oshiro, Shimabukuro and Takumi.

2643 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Chong, Ito, Kanoho, Luke, Morita, M. Oshiro, Schatz, Herkes, Karamatsu, Shimabukuro and Souki.

2644 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEMPORARY DISABILITY INSURANCE."

Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Kanoho, Luke, Morita, M. Oshiro, Sonson, Chong, Ito, Karamatsu, Nakasone and Souki.

2645 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERSONNEL ADMINISTRATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell and Luke.

2646 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Herkes, Nishimoto, M. Oshiro, Wakai, Ito and Karamatsu.

2647 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Green, Karamatsu, Schatz, Wakai, Carroll, Chong, Herkes, Lee, Luke, M. Oshiro and Shimabukuro.

2648 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII TO PROVIDE FOR INITIATIVE, REFERENDUM, AND RECALL."

Introduced by: Representatives Stevens, Meyer, Moses, Thielen, Ching, Magaoay, Souki, Tanaka and Waters.

2649 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES."

Introduced by: Representatives Stevens, Meyer, Moses, Carroll, Chang, Halford, Kanoho, Magaoay, Souki, Tanaka, Thielen, Wakai and Waters.

2650 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REGULATION OF TATTOOS, PIERCINGS, BRANDS, MUTILATION, IMPLANTS, AND SCARIFICATIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Stevens, Ching, Meyer, Moses, Carroll, Chong, Halford, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Kawakami, Magaoay, Souki, Tanaka, Thielen, Tsuji and Waters.

2651 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR."

Introduced by: Representatives Schatz and Stevens.

2652 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES."

Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Carroll, Kanoho, Thielen, Waters and Berg.

2653 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PLANNED COMMUNITY ASSOCIATIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Cabanilla, Green, Meyer, Arakaki, Ching, Chong, Herkes, Lee, Nishimoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Schatz, Sonson, Souki and Stevens.

2654 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS."

Introduced by: Representatives Cabanilla, Green, Luke, Arakaki, Herkes, Ito, Lee, Magaoay, Nishimoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Schatz, Sonson, Souki, Waters and Yamane.

2655 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENT INVESTIGATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Cabanilla, Lee, Magaoay, Souki, Stevens and Yamane.

2656 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CULTURAL IMPACT STUDIES."

Introduced by: Representative Luke.

2657 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CULTURAL IMPACT STUDY."

Introduced by: Representative Luke.



- 2658 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND DEVELOPMENT."  
Introduced by: Representative Luke.
- 2659 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY."  
Introduced by: Representative Luke.
- 2660 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS."  
Introduced by: Representative Luke.
- 2661 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY."  
Introduced by: Representative Luke.
- 2662 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIME."  
Introduced by: Representative Luke.
- 2663 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS."  
Introduced by: Representative Luke.
- 2664 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE."  
Introduced by: Representative Luke.
- 2665 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT."  
Introduced by: Representative Luke.
- 2666 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONVEYANCE TAX."  
Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Herkes, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Waters, Yamashita, Abinsay, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Ito, Karamatsu, Kawakami, Magaoay, Souki, Takamine, Tanaka, Tsuji and Wakai.
- 2667 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE PARKS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Carroll, Green, Herkes, Karamatsu, Kawakami, Luke, Magaoay, Morita, Nishimoto, M. Oshiro, Schatz, Tsuji, Wakai, Abinsay, Arakaki, Sonson, Souki, Takamine, Takumi, Tanaka and Yamashita.
- 2668 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOURISM RESEARCH AND STATISTICS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Green, Herkes, Karamatsu, Sonson, Wakai, Abinsay, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Carroll, Ching, Kawakami, Magaoay, Marumoto, Morita, Nishimoto, M. Oshiro, Schatz, Souki, Takamine, Tanaka, Tsuji and Yamashita.
- 2669 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONVENTION CENTER ENTERPRISE SPECIAL FUND."  
Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Green, Herkes, Karamatsu, Nishimoto, Schatz, Abinsay, Arakaki, Carroll, Kawakami, Magaoay, Morita, M. Oshiro, Sonson, Souki, Tanaka, Tsuji, Wakai and Yamashita.
- 2670 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."  
Introduced by: Representatives Green, Arakaki, M. Oshiro and Takumi.
- 2671 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OCEAN VESSELS."  
Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro, Kanoho, Morita, Schatz and Waters.
- 2672 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO QUEST."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Green, M. Oshiro, Sonson and Berg.
- 2673 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL SURF INSTRUCTION."  
Introduced by: Representative Nishimoto, by request.
- 2674 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISORDERLY CONDUCT."  
Introduced by: Representative Nishimoto.
- 2675 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOMELESS."  
Introduced by: Representative Nishimoto, by request.
- 2676 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOMELESS."  
Introduced by: Representative Nishimoto, by request.
- 2677 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOPEDS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Nishimoto and Souki.
- 2678 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."  
Introduced by: Representative Nishimoto.
- 2679 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS."  
Introduced by: Representative Nishimoto, by request.
- 2680 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Nishimoto, Arakaki and Green.

- 2681 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS."  
Introduced by: Representative Nishimoto, by request.
- 2682 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NOISE."  
Introduced by: Representative Nishimoto.
- 2683 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LANDLORD-TENANT CODE."  
Introduced by: Representative Nishimoto.
- 2684 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYEES."  
Introduced by: Representative Nishimoto.
- 2685 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION."  
Introduced by: Representative Nishimoto.
- 2686 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEAF BLOWERS."  
Introduced by: Representative Nishimoto.
- 2687 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIRE PROTECTION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Caldwell, Chang, Herkes, Karamatsu, Lee, Shimabukuro, Tsuji, Arakaki, Berg, Luke, Magaoay, Souki, Takumi, Tanaka and Wakai.
- 2688 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Chang, Green, Herkes, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Lee, Luke, Arakaki, Berg, Caldwell, Kawakami, Magaoay, M. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Souki, Takumi, Tanaka, Tsuji and Wakai.
- 2689 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."  
Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Herkes, Kanoho, Wakai, Arakaki, Berg, Chang, Shimabukuro, Souki, Tanaka and Tsuji.
- 2690 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE THIRTY-NINTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."  
Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro.
- 2691 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PREVAILING WAGES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Morita, M. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Takumi, Herkes, Luke, Takamine and Yamashita.
- 2692 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC WORKS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Ito, Morita, M. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Takumi, Luke and Takamine.
- 2693 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, M. Oshiro, Herkes, Kawakami, Luke, Nakasone, Nishimoto, Tanaka, Wakai, Yamane and Yamashita.
- 2694 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Green, Chong, Ito, M. Oshiro, Shimabukuro and Takumi.
- 2695 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII EMPLOYERS' MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Takumi, Chong, Herkes, Ito, Luke, M. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Tsuji and Yamashita.
- 2696 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT PRACTICES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, M. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Takumi, Ito and Takamine.
- 2697 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Kanoho, Luke, Ito, Morita, Nakasone, M. Oshiro, Souki and Takamine.
- 2698 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Green, Karamatsu, Lee, Luke, Takumi, Wakai, Herkes, Ito, M. Oshiro, Shimabukuro and Takamine.
- 2699 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Kanoho, Sonson, Chong, Ito, Karamatsu, Luke, Morita, Nakasone, M. Oshiro, Souki and Takamine.
- 2700 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXEMPT EMPLOYEES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Luke, M. Oshiro, Takai, Herkes, Nakasone, Shimabukuro, Souki, Takamine and Takumi.
- 2701 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL SERVICE."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Nishimoto, Takai, Takumi, Chong, Ito, Lee, Nakasone, M. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Souki and Takamine.

- 2702 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL DEFENSE."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Chang, Schatz, Takai, Waters, Green, Herkes, Kawakami, Magaoay, Morita, Nishimoto, M. Oshiro, Takamine, Tsuji, Wakai and Yamashita.
- 2703 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ALTERNATIVE ENERGY SOURCES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Carroll, Schatz and Waters.
- 2704 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NEGLIGENT HOMICIDE."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Lee, Luke, Wakai, Green and Souki.
- 2705 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OUTDOOR ADVERTISING."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Luke, Morita, Schatz, Carroll, Herkes, Lee, M. Oshiro and Takumi.
- 2706 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PEDESTRIAN SAFETY."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Lee, Luke, Morita, Shimabukuro, Souki, Tanaka and Yamane.
- 2707 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OUTDOOR ADVERTISING."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Kanoho, Lee, Luke, Morita, Takai, Thielen, Waters, Arakaki, Herkes, Shimabukuro and Souki.
- 2708 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADVERTISING."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Kanoho, Lee, Luke, Morita, M. Oshiro, Takai, Thielen, Waters, Arakaki, Herkes, Souki and Takamine.
- 2709 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUREAU OF CONVEYANCES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, M. Oshiro, Schatz, Takai, Wakai, Karamatsu, Souki, Takamine and Yamane.
- 2710 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NOISE."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Luke, Morita, Nishimoto, Schatz, Waters, Souki and Yamane.
- 2711 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS."  
Introduced by: Representative Say.
- 2712 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE PREPARATION OF THE 2050 SUSTAINABILITY PLAN."  
Introduced by: Representative Say.
- 2713 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR KAWAIAHAO SCHOOL."  
Introduced by: Representatives Say and Waters.
- 2714 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HARBORS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Say and Yamane.
- 2715 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POLICE OFFICERS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Yamane and Say.
- 2716 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONS OFFICERS."  
Introduced by: Representative Say.
- 2717 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION."  
Introduced by: Representative Say.
- 2718 "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR PLANS, DESIGN, CONSTRUCTION, AND EQUIPMENT OF A LEVEL III BIOTECHNOLOGY LABORATORY FACILITY FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."  
Introduced by: Representatives Say and M. Oshiro.
- 2719 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A PURCHASE OF SERVICE TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH."  
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2720 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR."  
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2721 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAX."  
Introduced by: Representative Say.
- 2722 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."  
Introduced by: Representative Say.
- 2723 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT."  
Introduced by: Representative Say.
- 2724 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS."  
Introduced by: Representative Say.
- 2725 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMINENT DOMAIN."  
Introduced by: Representative Say.

2726 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING."

Introduced by: Representative Say.

2727 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AND COUNTY LIABILITY."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

[Note: The following bills were received by the Clerk's Office after the Chair declared the day's final recess and prior to the 6:00 p.m. closing of the Journal this legislative day.]

2728 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."

Introduced by: Representative Abinsay.

2729 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."

Introduced by: Representative Abinsay.

2730 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."

Introduced by: Representative Abinsay.

2731 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."

Introduced by: Representative Abinsay.

2732 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."

Introduced by: Representative Abinsay.

2733 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR WIRELESS CONNECTIVITY AT RURAL SCHOOLS ON MAUI, LANAI, AND MOLOKAI."

Introduced by: Representatives Carroll, Berg, Luke, Morita, Shimabukuro, Tanaka, Tsuji, Wakai, Yamashita and Kahikina.

2734 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES."

Introduced by: Representatives Carroll, Berg, Green, Kahikina, Luke, Morita, Tsuji, Waters, Arakaki and Shimabukuro.

2735 "A BILL FOR AN ACT APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR BRIDGE SIGNS ON HANA HIGHWAY."

Introduced by: Representatives Carroll, Berg, Luke, Morita, Yamashita, M. Oshiro and Shimabukuro.

2736 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SIGNS."

Introduced by: Representatives Carroll, Morita, Yamashita, and M. Oshiro.

2737 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HONOPOU DISTRICT OF THE COUNTY OF MAUI."

Introduced by: Representatives Carroll, Luke, Tsuji, Waters, Arakaki, Berg, Green, Kahikina, Morita, Shimabukuro and Souki.

2738 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CABLE TELEVISION."

Introduced by: Representatives Carroll, Berg, Luke, Morita, Shimabukuro, Takai, Arakaki, Souki, Waters and Yamashita.

2739 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KALAUPAPA PATIENT RESIDENTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Carroll, Abinsay, Arakaki, Luke, B. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Takumi, Tanaka and Yamashita.

2740 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NOISE POLLUTION."

Introduced by: Representatives Carroll, Berg, Green, Kahikina, Luke, M. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Tsuji, Yamashita and Arakaki.

2741 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEPLETED URANIUM AND OTHER HAZARDOUS MATERIALS EXPOSURE."

Introduced by: Representatives Shimabukuro, Arakaki, Carroll, Green, Lee, Schatz and Takumi.

2742 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

2743 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

2744 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

2745 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY."

Introduced by: Representative Souki.

2746 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AVIATION FUEL TAXES."

Introduced by: Representative Souki.

2747 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVER LICENSING."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki and Lee.

- 2748 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO MATCH ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY FUNDS FOR THE WEST MAUI SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT."  
Introduced by: Representatives Souki and Kanoho.
- 2749 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONS."  
Introduced by: Representative Nakasone.
- 2750 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION RELATING TO THE LEGISLATURE."  
Introduced by: Representative Harbin.
- 2751 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESS RETENTION AND EXPANSION."  
Introduced by: Representative Harbin.
- 2752 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MUTUAL BENEFIT SOCIETIES."  
Introduced by: Representative Harbin.
- 2753 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MUTUAL BENEFIT SOCIETIES."  
Introduced by: Representative Harbin.
- 2754 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MUTUAL BENEFIT SOCIETIES."  
Introduced by: Representative Harbin.
- 2755 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER ADVOCATE FOR APPROPRIATE HEALTH CARE."  
Introduced by: Representative Harbin.
- 2756 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND."  
Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro.
- 2757 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND CONSERVATION."  
Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro.
- 2758 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."  
Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro.
- 2759 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Abinsay, Cabanilla, Carroll, Evans, Green, Hale, Herkes, Ito, Karamatsu, Kawakami, Lee, Luke, Shimabukuro, Tsuji, Yamashita, Arakaki, Marumoto, Souki, Takamine, Takumi and Wakai.
- 2760 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."  
Introduced by: Representative Takai.
- 2761 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST MAUI LAND AND PINEAPPLE COMPANY, INC."  
Introduced by: Representatives Yamashita, Chang, Chong, Herkes, Karamatsu, Say, Tanaka, Tsuji, Wakai, Yamane, Abinsay, Carroll, Magaoay, Nakasone and Souki.
- 2762 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE 12TH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."  
Introduced by: Representative Yamashita.
- 2763 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO ERADICATE AND CONTROL THE COQUI FROG."  
Introduced by: Representatives Tsuji, Chang, Hale, Herkes, Evans, Green and Takamine.
- 2764 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COQUI FROGS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Herkes, Chang, Evans, Green, Hale, Tsuji and Takamine.
- 2765 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Evans, Chang, Green, Hale, Herkes, Tsuji and Takamine.
- 2766 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMINENT DOMAIN."  
Introduced by: Representatives Tsuji, Abinsay, Berg, Chong, Herkes, Kanoho, Luke, Marumoto, Moses, Schatz, Waters, Yamane, Yamashita, Evans, Ito, Kahikina, Karamatsu, Magaoay, Meyer, Shimabukuro, Souki, Takamine and Tanaka.
- 2767 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."  
Introduced by: Representatives Tsuji, Abinsay, Chang, Chong, Green, Halford, Herkes, Karamatsu, Lee, Luke, Magaoay, Marumoto, Morita, B. Oshiro, Wakai, Yamashita, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Evans, Ito, Sonson, Souki, Takamine, Takumi, Tanaka and Yamane.
- 2768 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEFERRED DEPOSITS."  
Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro, Ito, Kahikina, Kanoho, Lee, Magaoay and Waters.
- 2769 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE ENTERPRISE ZONES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Chang, Herkes, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Magaoay, Tsuji, Yamashita and Wakai.

2770 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE EAST KAUAI IRRIGATION SYSTEM."

Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Chang, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Magaoay, Yamashita, Herkes and Wakai.

2771 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR AN AGRICULTURAL PARK IN ROYAL KUNIA."

Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Chang, Herkes, Karamatsu, Magaoay, Tsuji, Wakai, Yamashita and Kanoho.

2772 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROPERTY DAMAGE TO AGRICULTURAL AND AQUACULTURAL PROPERTY."

Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Chang, Herkes, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Magaoay, Tsuji, Wakai and Yamashita.

2773 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."

Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Chang, Herkes, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Magaoay, Tsuji, Yamashita and Wakai.

2774 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."

Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Chang, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Magaoay, Tsuji, Yamashita and Herkes.

2775 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."

Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Chang, Herkes, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Magaoay, Tsuji, Wakai and Yamashita.

2776 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS PERTAINING TO AGRICULTURE."

Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Chang, Herkes, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Magaoay, Tsuji, Yamashita and Wakai.

2777 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LEASES."

Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Herkes, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Magaoay, Tsuji, Yamashita and Wakai.

2778 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LANGUAGE ACCESS."

Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Arakaki, Caldwell, Carroll, Chang, Chong, Magaoay, M. Oshiro, Schatz, Sonson, Tanaka, Tsuji, Waters, Hale and Karamatsu.

2779 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISCRIMINATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Arakaki, Caldwell, Carroll, Chang, Chong, Magaoay, M. Oshiro, Schatz, Sonson, Tanaka, Tsuji, Waters and Hale.

2780 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DISPOSITION OF CONVICTED DEFENDANTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Carroll, Chang, Karamatsu, M. Oshiro, Schatz, Sonson, Tsuji, Chong, Hale and Tanaka.

2781 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE."

Introduced by: Representative Nishimoto.

2782 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."

Introduced by: Representative Nishimoto.

2783 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STANDARD DEDUCTION."

Introduced by: Representative Nishimoto.

2784 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOGS."

Introduced by: Representative Nishimoto, by request.

2785 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ZONING."

Introduced by: Representative Nishimoto.

2786 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY PROJECTORIES."

Introduced by: Representative Nishimoto, by request.

2787 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TELECOMMUNICATIONS."

Introduced by: Representative Nishimoto.

2788 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE STATE COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN."

Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Berg, Cabanilla, Carroll, Evans, Hale, Kawakami, Luke, Marumoto, Morita, M. Oshiro, Schatz, Shimabukuro and Thielen.

2789 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TIP CREDIT."

Introduced by: Representative Harbin.

2790 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENTS."

Introduced by: Representative Harbin.

2791 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representative Harbin.

- 2792 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AN AFFORDABLE HOUSING DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY."  
Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina, Chong and Say.
- 2793 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FORTY-FOURTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."  
Introduced by: Representative Kahikina.
- 2794 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE WAIANAE COST COMPREHENSIVE HEALTH CENTER."  
Introduced by: Representative Kahikina.
- 2795 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN HOMES COMMISSION."  
Introduced by: Representative Kahikina.
- 2796 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HONEY."  
Introduced by: Representatives Hale, Tsuji and Abinsay.
- 2797 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL DEFENSE."  
Introduced by: Representative Schatz.
- 2798 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE TWENTY-NINTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."  
Introduced by: Representative Abinsay.
- 2799 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ATTRACTIONS AND EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES TAX CREDIT."  
Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Abinsay, Arakaki, Berg, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Carroll, Chang, Evans, Green, Hale, Herkes, Ito, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Kawakami, Lee, Magaoay, Marumoto, Morita, Nakasone, Nishimoto, M. Oshiro, Schatz, Sonson, Stevens, Takumi, Tanaka, Thielen, Tsuji, Wakai, Yamane and Yamashita.
- 2800 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER RIGHTS."  
Introduced by: Representative Kanoho.
- 2801 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE."  
Introduced by: Representative Kanoho, by request.
- 2802 "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST THE HAWAII MEDICAL CENTER, L.L.C."  
Introduced by: Representatives Kanoho, Arakaki and Green.
- 2803 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONVEYANCE TAX."  
Introduced by: Representative Kanoho.
- 2804 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE TWENTY-THIRD REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."  
Introduced by: Representative Stevens.
- 2805 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE PLANNING."  
Introduced by: Representatives Yamane, Berg, M. Oshiro, Chong, Say and Yamashita.
- 2806 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUSTAINABILITY."  
Introduced by: Representatives Yamane, Berg, Chong, M. Oshiro and Yamashita.
- 2807 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GASOLINE DEALERS."  
Introduced by: Representative Yamane, by request.
- 2808 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION OF A GRANT TO THE HAWAIIAN HUMANE SOCIETY."  
Introduced by: Representative Yamane.
- 2809 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LEGISLATURE."  
Introduced by: Representative Harbin.
- 2810 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH INSURANCE RATE REGULATION."  
Introduced by: Representative Harbin.
- 2811 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MUTUAL BENEFIT SOCIETIES."  
Introduced by: Representative Harbin.
- 2812 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH INSURANCE."  
Introduced by: Representative Harbin.
- 2813 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE FOR DISABLED CHILDREN."  
Introduced by: Representative Harbin.
- 2814 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MUTUAL BENEFIT SOCIETIES."  
Introduced by: Representative Harbin.
- 2815 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PETROLEUM PRODUCTS."  
Introduced by: Representative Harbin.

2816 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY."

Introduced by: Representative Harbin.

2817 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."

Introduced by: Representative Harbin.

2818 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AVAILABILITY AND SALE OF PRIVATE INFORMATION."

Introduced by: Representative Marumoto.

2819 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DECABROMODIPHENYLETHER."

Introduced by: Representatives Thielen, Arakaki, Lee, Luke and Morita.

2820 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTION CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS AND EXPENDITURES."

Introduced by: Representatives Thielen, Hale and Marumoto.

2821 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAYS."

Introduced by: Representatives Carroll, Morita, Souki, Tanaka and Yamashita.

2822 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE."

Introduced by: Representatives Carroll, Luke, Shimabukuro, Abinsay, Arakaki, B. Oshiro, Souki, Takumi, Tanaka and Yamashita.

2823 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BILL OF RIGHTS DAY."

Introduced by: Representatives Carroll, Berg, Ito, Luke, Morita, Takai, Waters, Arakaki, Chong, Evans, Green, Karamatsu, Shimabukuro and Tanaka.

2824 "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE HANA HEALTH NUTRITION TRAINING CENTER."

Introduced by: Representatives Carroll, Abinsay, Arakaki, Caldwell, Chong, Luke, Morita, B. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Tanaka, Yamashita and Takumi.

2825 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A HEMODIALYSIS FACILITY IN HANA."

Introduced by: Representatives Carroll, Abinsay, Arakaki, Caldwell, Herkes, Luke, Morita, B. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Tanaka, Tsuji, Wakai, Waters, Yamashita, Berg, Chong, Kahikina, Souki and Takumi.

2826 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE HANA COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER."

Introduced by: Representatives Carroll, Abinsay, Arakaki, Caldwell, Chong, Luke, Morita, B. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Tanaka, Yamashita and Takumi.

2827 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LABELING AND IDENTIFICATION OF GENETICALLY MODIFIED FISH AND FISH PRODUCTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Carroll, Berg, Morita, Shimabukuro, Arakaki, B. Oshiro, Takumi, Tanaka and Yamashita.

2828 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representatives Pine, Cabanilla, Finnegan, Meyer, Moses, Stonebraker, Halford and Stevens.

2829 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A GENERAL EXCISE TAX EXEMPTION."

Introduced by: Representatives Pine, Marumoto, Meyer, Moses, Stevens, Stonebraker, Finnegan and Halford.

2830 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT PRACTICES."

Introduced by: Representatives Pine, Moses, Finnegan, Stevens and Stonebraker.

2831 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FORTY-THIRD REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Pine.

2832 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE."

Introduced by: Representatives Chong, Kanoho, Morita, Tsuji and Yamane.

2833 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRISONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Chong, Ito, Luke, Waters, Caldwell, Kawakami, Moses, Nakasone, Takamine, Takumi and Thielen.

2834 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FORTY-NINTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Chong.

2835 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOW-INCOME REFUNDABLE TAX CREDIT."

Introduced by: Representative Chong.

2836 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INFORMATION SECURITY."

Introduced by: Representatives Chong, Caldwell, Evans, Karamatsu, Lee, Luke, Say, Tanaka, Tsuji, Waters, Yamane, Yamashita, Kawakami, Nakasone, Takamine and Takumi.



- 2837 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Chong, Evans, Ito, Tsuji, Waters, Yamashita, Takumi, Tanaka and Yamane.
- 2838 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR SCHOOL CUSTODIAL TRAINING."  
Introduced by: Representative Souki.
- 2839 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE."  
Introduced by: Representative Souki, Chang, Evans, Herkes, Nishimoto, Cabanilla, Chong, Ito, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Kawakami, Magaoay, Nakasone, Sonson, Takamine, Tanaka, Tsuji, Wakai, Yamane and Yamashita.
- 2840 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH."  
Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Arakaki, Caldwell, Chang, Herkes, Ito, Karamatsu, Kawakami, Lee, Tsuji, Waters, Yamane, Yamashita and Souki.
- 2841 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IDENTITY THEFT."  
Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Abinsay, Caldwell, Chang, Ito, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Luke, Marumoto, Schatz, Tsuji, Waters, Yamane, Yamashita, Souki and Tanaka.
- 2842 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST IN CONSTRUCTING AND MAKING IMPROVEMENTS TO THE AGRICULTURAL IRRIGATION SYSTEMS ON THE NORTH SHORE OF THE ISLAND OF OAHU."  
Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Kanoho, Yamane, Abinsay, Takamine, Tanaka and Yamashita.
- 2843 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIME."  
Introduced by: Representatives Pine, Cabanilla, Ching, Finnegan, Meyer, Moses, Stevens and Stonebraker.
- 2844 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FORTY-FIFTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."  
Introduced by: Representative Shimabukuro.
- 2845 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII'S LEEWARD COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR A PHILIPPINE STUDIES PROGRAM AND FACULTY POSITION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Chong, Karamatsu, Magaoay, Sonson, Wakai, Yamane, Yamashita and Finnegan.
- 2846 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF INFORMATION PRACTICES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Thielen, Schatz and Hale.
- 2847 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AN ENVIRONMENTAL COURT."  
Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Berg, Carroll, Kanoho, Pine, Schatz, Thielen, Waters and Evans.
- 2848 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY."  
Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Berg, Carroll, Kanoho, Pine, Schatz, Thielen and Waters.
- 2849 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ACCOUNTABILITY."  
Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Berg, Carroll, Evans, Kanoho, Schatz, Thielen and Waters.
- 2850 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES FUNDING."  
Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Berg, Carroll, Chong, Evans, Kanoho, Pine, Schatz, Thielen, Tsuji, Waters and Yamane.
- 2851 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE TWENTY-FIRST REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."  
Introduced by: Representative Nishimoto.
- 2852 "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Saiki, Carroll and Kanoho.
- 2853 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC LAND TRUST."  
Introduced by: Representatives Saiki, Carroll and Kanoho.
- 2854 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNMARRIED COUPLES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Saiki, Caldwell, Lee, Luke, B. Oshiro and Thielen.
- 2855 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Evans, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Ching, Hale, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Waters, Chang, Chong, Finnegan, Halford, Kawakami, Magaoay, Nishimoto, Sonson, Souki, Stonebraker and Tanaka.

- 2856 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LICENSING FOR CONSULTANTS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Evans, Ching, Hale, Marumoto, Moses, Waters, Arakaki, Chang, Chong, Green, Halford, Ito, Kawakami, Magaoay, Meyer, Nishimoto, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Souki, Stevens, Stonebraker, Takumi and Tanaka.
- 2857 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Evans, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Ching, Hale, Meyer, Moses, Chang, Chong, Finnegan, Green, Halford, Ito, Kahikina, Kawakami, Lee, Magaoay, Nishimoto, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Souki, Stevens, Stonebraker, Takumi and Tanaka.
- 2858 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROTECTION OF CAVES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Evans, Hale, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Chang, Ching, Chong, Green, Ito, Kahikina, Kawakami, Magaoay, Meyer, Nishimoto, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Souki, Stonebraker, Takumi and Tanaka.
- 2859 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FENCING."  
Introduced by: Representatives Evans, Tsuji, Chang and Kanoho.
- 2860 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MAUNA KEA SUMMIT."  
Introduced by: Representatives Evans, Kanoho, Morita and Berg.
- 2861 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PLANNED COMMUNITY ASSOCIATIONS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Evans, Herkes and Karamatsu.
- 2862 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL PROPERTY TAX."  
Introduced by: Representatives Evans, Berg and Kanoho.
- 2863 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ESTABLISHMENT OF THE NATURAL ENERGY LABORATORY OF HAWAII AUTHORITY INNOVATION CORPORATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Evans, Morita, Chang and Karamatsu.
- 2864 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMINENT DOMAIN."  
Introduced by: Representatives Evans, and B. Oshiro.
- 2865 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE SEVENTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."  
Introduced by: Representative Evans.
- 2866 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY COURTS."  
Introduced by: Representative Evans.
- 2867 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CULTURAL AND HISTORIC SITES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Evans, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Chang, Ching, Hale, Magaoay, Marumoto, Moses, Nishimoto, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Stonebraker, Tanaka, Thielen, Waters, Chong, Finnegan, Green, Ito, Lee, Meyer, Souki and Stevens.
- 2868 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE THIRD REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."  
Introduced by: Representatives Tsuji, Karamatsu, Wakai, Abinsay, Moses, B. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Sonson and Tanaka.
- 2869 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROPERTY DAMAGE."  
Introduced by: Representatives Tsuji, Abinsay, Karamatsu, Marumoto, Moses, B. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Wakai, Evans, Sonson, Takamine and Tanaka.
- 2870 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE STATE AGRICULTURAL WATER USE AND DEVELOPMENT PLAN."  
Introduced by: Representatives Tsuji, Abinsay, Chang, Evans, Karamatsu, Moses, B. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Green, Marumoto, Sonson, Takamine, Tanaka and Wakai.
- 2871 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL PARKS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Tsuji, Abinsay, Evans, Karamatsu, Moses, B. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Takamine, Tanaka and Wakai.
- 2872 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO ERADICATE AND CONTROL THE COQUI FROG."  
Introduced by: Representatives Tsuji, Abinsay, Evans, Karamatsu, Moses, B. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Tanaka, Marumoto, Takamine and Wakai.
- 2873 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Tsuji, Abinsay, Chang, Chong, Green, Karamatsu, B. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Yamashita, Marumoto, Takamine, Tanaka and Wakai.
- 2874 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC WORKS CONTRACTS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Tsuji, Abinsay, Chang, Evans, Green, Hale, Moses, B. Oshiro, Harbin, Karamatsu, Marumoto, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Takamine, Tanaka and Wakai.

- 2875 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FISHING."  
Introduced by: Representative Kanoho.
- 2876 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY."  
Introduced by: Representative Kanoho.
- 2877 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAX."  
Introduced by: Representative Nakasone.
- 2878 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST TRADEWINDS FOREST PRODUCTS, LLC."  
Introduced by: Representative Takamine.
- 2879 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH INSURANCE."  
Introduced by: Representatives Takamine, Luke and Takumi.
- 2880 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Takamine, Evans, Herkes and Tsuji.
- 2881 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARINE RESOURCE MANAGEMENT."  
Introduced by: Representatives Takamine, Evans, Herkes, Kanoho and Tsuji.
- 2882 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO AUGMENT THE FUNDING FOR THE WEIGHTED STUDENT FORMULA."  
Introduced by: Representatives Takamine, Evans, Herkes and Tsuji.
- 2883 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH INSURANCE RATE OVERSIGHT."  
Introduced by: Representatives Magaoay, Cabanilla, Green, Lee, Nishimoto and Sonson.
- 2884 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR AMBULANCE SERVICE FOR THE HAIKU REGION OF MAUI."  
Introduced by: Representatives Carroll, Caldwell, Chong, Green, Luke, Morita, Saiki, Tanaka, Tsuji, Arakaki, Berg, Kahikina, Karamatsu, Shimabukuro, Souki and Yamashita.
- 2885 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADULT ENTERTAINMENT PRODUCTS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Carroll, Abinsay, Arakaki, Caldwell, Chong, Kahikina, Lee, Luke, Saiki, Tanaka, Tsuji, Waters, Yamashita, Karamatsu, B. Oshiro and Shimabukuro.
- 2886 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VEHICLES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Carroll, Saiki, Tanaka, Yamashita and Souki.
- 2887 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO ASSIST THE MOLOKAI REEF FISH RESTORATION PILOT PROJECT."  
Introduced by: Representatives Carroll, Berg, Caldwell, Chong, Evans, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Luke, Morita, Saiki, Tanaka, Tsuji, Wakai, Waters, Yamashita and Souki.
- 2888 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GREENBELTS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Carroll, Berg, Caldwell, Luke, Morita, Saiki, Shimabukuro, Tsuji, Waters, Chong, Green, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Souki, Tanaka and Yamashita.
- 2889 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR RECONSTRUCTION OF HISTORIC OLD NAHIKU SCHOOL."  
Introduced by: Representatives Carroll, Caldwell, Chong, Evans, Luke, Morita, Saiki, Waters, Berg, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Souki, Tanaka, Tsuji and Yamashita.
- 2890 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SENTENCING."  
Introduced by: Representative Stonebraker.
- 2891 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMINENT DOMAIN."  
Introduced by: Representatives Stonebraker, Finnegan, Meyer and Pine.
- 2892 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SUNSHINE LAW."  
Introduced by: Representatives Stonebraker, Marumoto and Berg.
- 2893 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."  
Introduced by: Representative Stonebraker.
- 2894 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Stonebraker, Finnegan, Meyer, Moses and Pine.
- 2895 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIMITATION OF ACTIONS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Luke and B. Oshiro.
- 2896 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMOTIONAL DISTRESS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Luke and B. Oshiro.

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| <p>2897 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO APPELLATE JURISDICTION."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Luke and B. Oshiro.</p>   | <p>2909 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Luke and B. Oshiro.</p>  |
| <p>2898 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ARBITRATION."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Luke and B. Oshiro.</p>  | <p>2910 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Sonson, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Kahikina and Halford.</p>  |
| <p>2899 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JUDGMENT LIENS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Luke and B. Oshiro.</p>   | <p>2911 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Sonson, Arakaki and Green.</p>   |
| <p>2900 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRONIC VOTING."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Luke and B. Oshiro.</p>  | <p>2912 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE FINANCES."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Takamine.</p>   |
| <p>2901 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GARNISHMENT."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Luke and B. Oshiro.</p>  | <p>2913 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Takamine.</p>   |
| <p>2902 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL RECORDS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Luke and B. Oshiro.</p>  | <p>2914 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Takamine.</p>   |
| <p>2903 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROTECTION OF PUBLIC TRANSIT WORKERS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Luke and B. Oshiro.</p>   | <p>2915 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Takamine.</p>   |
| <p>2904 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR EDUCATION, PREVENTION, AND TREATMENT PROGRAMS FOR DRUG ADDICTION."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Luke and B. Oshiro.</p> | <p>2916 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Marumoto, Pine, Thielen, Arakaki, Evans, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Morita, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Stevens, Stonebraker and Tanaka.</p>           |
| <p>2905 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Luke.</p>   | <p>2917 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FORTIETH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Karamatsu, Pine and Stonebraker.</p>                              |
| <p>2906 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENTS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Luke.</p>   | <p>2918 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THEFT."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Evans, Finnegan, Meyer, Morita, Pine, Thielen, Arakaki, Halford, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Marumoto, Sonson, Stevens, Stonebraker and Tanaka.</p>       |
| <p>2907 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE PAPAOLEA COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Luke.</p>                                  | <p>2919 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IDENTITY THEFT."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Finnegan, Marumoto, Meyer, Pine, Thielen, Arakaki, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Morita, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Stevens, Stonebraker and Tanaka.</p> |
| <p>2908 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE TWENTY-SIXTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Luke.</p>        |  |

2920 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES."

Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Finnegan, Marumoto, Meyer, Pine, Sonson, Arakaki, Evans, Halford, Kanoho, Morita, Stevens, Stonebraker, Tanaka, Tsuji and Wakai.

2921 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EXCLUSION OF PROCEEDS FROM THE MANUFACTURE, PACKAGING, AND SALE OF FOOD FROM GENERAL EXCISE TAX LIABILITY."

Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Finnegan, Halford, Marumoto, Meyer, Pine, Stevens, Stonebraker, Thielen, Arakaki, Kanoho and Tanaka.

2922 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Finnegan, Halford, Marumoto, Meyer, Pine, Thielen, Arakaki, Evans, Kanoho, Sonson, Stevens and Tanaka.

2923 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AMBULANCES."

Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Pine, Karamatsu, Sonson, Stonebraker and Wakai.

2924 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Moses, Cabanilla, Ching, Finnegan, Marumoto, Meyer, Pine, Stevens, Stonebraker, Green, Hale, Halford, Ito, Kanoho, Souki, Tanaka, Tsuji and Waters.

2925 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMUNITY-BASED ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Shimabukuro, Morita, B. Oshiro, Schatz, Takai, Berg, Cabanilla, Carroll, Chang, Green, Hale, Ito, Kahikina, Karamatsu, Souki, Takamine, Tsuji and Wakai.

2926 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMALL BOAT HARBORS."

Introduced by: Representatives Shimabukuro, Berg, Lee, Morita, B. Oshiro, Tanaka, Wakai, Carroll, Evans, Hale, Ito, Kahikina, Schatz, Souki and Tsuji.

2927 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HARBORS."

Introduced by: Representatives Shimabukuro, Berg, Evans, Lee, Morita, M. Oshiro, Schatz, Hale, Ito, Kahikina, Souki and Wakai.

2928 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COUNTIES."

Introduced by: Representatives Shimabukuro, Berg, Carroll, Evans, Morita, B. Oshiro, Takai, Wakai, Arakaki, Green, Hale, Ito, Kahikina, Souki and Tsuji.

2929 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BOATING."

Introduced by: Representatives Shimabukuro, Berg, Carroll, Evans, Morita, B. Oshiro, Takai, Tanaka, Wakai, Chang, Green, Hale, Ito, Kahikina, Lee, Souki and Tsuji.

2930 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN TRADITIONAL AND CUSTOMARY PRACTICES."

Introduced by: Representatives Shimabukuro, Green, Morita, Berg, Carroll, Chang, Hale and Ito.

2931 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERATED ELECTRICITY."

Introduced by: Representatives Shimabukuro, Berg, Chang, Evans, Ito, Kahikina, Morita, M. Oshiro, Schatz, Takai, Arakaki, Green, Hale, Lee, Schatz, Souki and Wakai.

2932 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE."

Introduced by: Representatives Shimabukuro, Chang, Evans, Hale, Ito, Morita, B. Oshiro, Schatz, Takai, Arakaki, Berg, Carroll, Green, Kahikina, M. Oshiro, Tsuji and Wakai.

2933 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WAIANAE COAST."

Introduced by: Representatives Shimabukuro, Berg, Carroll, Chang, Evans, Green, Kahikina, Morita, B. Oshiro, Schatz, Takai, Tsuji, Wakai, Hale, Ito and Souki.

2934 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOMELESS VETERANS."

Introduced by: Representatives Green, Chang, Ito, Kahikina, Shimabukuro, Tanaka and Berg.

2935 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELDERLY IDENTIFICATION."

Introduced by: Representative Nishimoto.

2936 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISASTER PLANNING."

Introduced by: Representative Nishimoto.

2937 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOCIAL RECIPROCITY."

Introduced by: Representative Nishimoto.

2938 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG TERM CARE."

Introduced by: Representative Nishimoto.

2939 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."

Introduced by: Representative Nishimoto.

2940 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SAGE PLUS."

Introduced by: Representative Nishimoto.

2941 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGING."

Introduced by: Representative Nishimoto.

- 2942 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FERAL PIGS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Berg, Kanoho, Morita and Evans.
- 2943 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RELIEF OF MANOA FLOOD VICTIMS."  
Introduced by: Representative Caldwell.
- 2944 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE TWENTY-FOURTH DISTRICT."  
Introduced by: Representative Caldwell.
- 2945 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Berg, Carroll, Chong, Evans, Kanoho, Lee, Magaoay, Morita, Nishimoto, Schatz, Tsuji, Waters, Yamashita, Kawakami, Nakasone and Takamine.
- 2946 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXAMINATIONS FOR THE DETERMINATION OF PERMANENT IMPAIRMENT."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Shimabukuro, Chong, Ito, M. Oshiro and Takumi.
- 2947 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Chong, Ito, Kanoho, Nishimoto, M. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Takai, Tsuji, Wakai, Carroll, Evans, Kawakami, Lee, Magaoay, Souki, Tanaka, Yamane and Yamashita.
- 2948 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUBSTITUTE TEACHERS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Evans, Waters, Yamane, Karamatsu, Luke, Nakasone, M. Oshiro, Souki and Takumi.
- 2949 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII LIVING WAGE LAW."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Lee, M. Oshiro, Takumi, Carroll, Chong, Magaoay, Nishimoto, Shimabukuro, Souki, Tanaka, Tsuji, Wakai and Yamashita.
- 2950 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOLUNTARY EMPLOYEES' BENEFICIARY ASSOCIATION TRUSTS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Kanoho, Sonson, Arakaki, Berg, Chong, Green, Ito, Kahikina, Karamatsu, Morita, Nakasone, M. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Souki, Takumi and Waters.
- 2951 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, M. Oshiro, Say, Takai, B. Oshiro, Souki, Takamine and Takumi.
- 2952 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC WORKS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Herkes, Ito, Magaoay, M. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Takai, Luke, B. Oshiro, Souki and Takumi.
- 2953 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Ito, Magaoay, M. Oshiro, Takai, Herkes, Luke, B. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Souki and Takumi.
- 2954 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY LEAVE."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Green, Luke, Morita, M. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Souki and Takumi.
- 2955 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSTANT RUNOFF VOTING."  
Introduced by: Representatives Stevens, Marumoto, Abinsay, Carroll, Evans, Halford, Herkes, Karamatsu, Lee, Magaoay, Pine, Souki and Tanaka.
- 2956 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHICS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Stevens, Cabanilla, Pine, Schatz, Abinsay, Carroll, Chang, Evans, Halford, Herkes, Karamatsu, Lee, Magaoay, Marumoto, Souki, Stonebraker, Takai, Tanaka and Yamane.
- 2957 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR SURVEY AND ENGINEERING DESIGN FEES FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF AN INDUSTRIAL PARK AT MANA, HILO, HAWAII."  
Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Green, Hale, Herkes, Kanoho, Tsuji and Takamine.
- 2958 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE SECOND REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."  
Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Tsuji, Green, Hale and Herkes.
- 2959 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT."  
Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Evans, Ito, Kanoho, Lee, Magaoay, Meyer, Sonson, Yamane, Berg, Cabanilla, Green, Halford and Wakai.
- 2960 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LOANS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Abinsay, Chang, Herkes, Karamatsu, Magaoay, Tsuji, Yamashita and Wakai.
- 2961 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."  
Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

- 2962 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."  
Introduced by: Representative Takumi.
- 2963 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."  
Introduced by: Representatives Say and Kahikina.
- 2964 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING."  
Introduced by: Representatives Say and Kahikina.
- 2965 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A COMMISSION TO CELEBRATE 2008 AS THE YEAR OF THE FAMILY."  
Introduced by: Representative Kahikina.
- 2966 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."  
Introduced by: Representative Kahikina, by request.
- 2967 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY."  
Introduced by: Representative Kahikina, by request.
- 2968 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTEREST RATES."  
Introduced by: Representative Herkes.
- 2969 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ANNUITIES."  
Introduced by: Representative Herkes.
- 2970 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION BOARD."  
Introduced by: Representatives Herkes and Nakasone.
- 2971 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERINARY MEDICINE."  
Introduced by: Representative Herkes, by request.
- 2972 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRICAL LICENSING."  
Introduced by: Representative Herkes.
- 2973 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MONEY TRANSMITTERS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Herkes, Luke and Marumoto.
- 2974 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION."  
Introduced by: Representative Herkes.
- 2975 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR URGENT AND EXTENDED IN WEST MAUI."  
Introduced by: Representatives Tanaka, Cabanilla, Carroll, Chong, Green, Halford, Kawakami, Lee, Magaoay, Nakasone, Nishimoto, Pine, Souki, Wakai, Yamane, Yamashita, Evans, Takamine and Tsuji.
- 2976 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE TENTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."  
Introduced by: Representative Tanaka.
- 2977 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC AGENCY MEETINGS."  
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2978 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION WEB SITE."  
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2979 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE MEDIUM EDUCATION PROGRAM."  
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2980 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT."  
Introduced by: Representative Say.
- 2981 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR MCKINLEY HIGH SCHOOL PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND ATHLETIC FACILITIES."  
Introduced by: Representative Say.
- 2982 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY."  
Introduced by: Representatives Say and Caldwell.
- 2983 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONVEYANCE TAX ALLOCATION."  
Introduced by: Representative Say.
- 2984 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY EFFICIENCY."  
Introduced by: Representative Say.
- 2985 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INFORMATION PRACTICES."  
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 2986 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."  
Introduced by: Representatives Tanaka and Say.

2987 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR SAINT LOUIS SCHOOL."

Introduced by: Representative Say.

2988 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OFFENSES AGAINST THE PERSON."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2989 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2990 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE MORTGAGE CREDIT CERTIFICATES."

Introduced by: Representative Say.

2991 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS."

Introduced by: Representatives Say and Kahikina.

2992 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AMENDMENTS TO THE HAWAII STATE CONSTITUTION RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS."

Introduced by: Representatives Say and Kahikina.

2993 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOBACCO ENFORCEMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.

2994 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND ACQUISITION."

Introduced by: Representative Ito.

2995 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF YOUTH SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Berg, Green, Herkes, Kawakami, Lee, Luke, Magaoay, Nishimoto, Takai, Waters, Yamane, Abinsay, Carroll, Chong, Sonson, Takumi, Tanaka, Tsuji, Wakai and Yamashita.

2996 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS."

Introduced by: Representative Ito.

2997 "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS TO PURCHASE THE OLD GREY HOUND FACILITY TO RELOCATE AND CONSOLIDATE THE OPERATIONS OF THE SHERIFF DIVISION."

Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Chong, Lee, Shimabukuro, Tanaka, Yamane, Souki and Wakai.

2998 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO ASSIST THE UNITED STATES ORGANIZATION WITH ITS PLANNED WELCOME HOME CELEBRATION FOR RETURNING HAWAII NATIONAL GUARD MEMBERS IN THE COUNTIES OF HAWAII, MAUI, AND KAUAI."

Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Abinsay, Chong, Herkes, Karamatsu, Luke, Magaoay, Nishimoto, Shimabukuro, Takai, Tanaka, Yamane, Cabanilla, Kawakami, Lee, Sonson, Tsuji, Wakai and Yamashita.

2999 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISASTER PREPAREDNESS."

Introduced by: Representatives Berg, Carroll, Green, Ito, Schatz and Waters.

3000 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VEHICULAR EMISSIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Berg, Caldwell, Carroll, Green, Schatz, Ito, Kahikina and Waters.

3001 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Berg, Carroll, Kahikina, Ito and Shimabukuro.

3002 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS."

Introduced by: Representatives Berg, Shimabukuro and Green.

3003 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE WATER CODE."

Introduced by: Representatives Berg, Green and Shimabukuro.

3004 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMICS EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Berg, Carroll and Wakai.

3005 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER CONSERVATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Berg, Carroll, Green and Yamashita.

3006 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER POLLUTION."

Introduced by: Representatives Berg, Carroll, Evans, Green, Morita, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Tsuji and Wakai.

3007 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."

Introduced by: Representatives Berg, Green, Shimabukuro, Schatz, Tsuji and Wakai.



- 3008 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES."  
Introduced by: Representative Halford, by request.
- 3009 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABANDONED VEHICLES."  
Introduced by: Representative Halford, by request.
- 3010 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GASOLINE PRICING."  
Introduced by: Representative Halford.
- 3011 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AUDITOR."  
Introduced by: Representatives Halford, Chang, Ching, Evans, Schatz, Sonson, Stevens, Stonebraker, Tanaka, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Carroll, Chong, Kahikina, Kanoho, Lee, Magaoay, Marumoto, Meyer, Morita, Nishimoto, Pine, Shimabukuro, Tsuji, Wakai and Yamashita.
- 3012 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."  
Introduced by: Representative Halford, by request.
- 3013 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEATH WITH DIGNITY."  
Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro and M. Oshiro.
- 3014 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BAIL."  
Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro and Luke.
- 3015 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS."  
Introduced by: Representative B. Oshiro.
- 3016 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNSERVED ARREST WARRANTS."  
Introduced by: Representatives B. Oshiro and Waters.
- 3017 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOBACCO PRODUCTS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Wakai, Arakaki, Caldwell, Chong, Hale, Kanoho, Luke, Nishimoto, Shimabukuro, Takai, Tsuji, Waters, Yamashita, Abinsay, Berg, Chang, Kahikina, Karamatsu, Kawakami, Magaoay, Morita, M. Oshiro, Souki, Takumi, Tanaka and Yamane.
- 3018 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Wakai, Hale, Kahikina, Luke, Nishimoto, Takai, Berg, Chong, Morita, Shimabukuro, Souki, Tanaka, Tsuji and Yamane.
- 3019 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGH TECHNOLOGY."  
Introduced by: Representatives Wakai, Caldwell, Herkes, Kanoho, Magaoay, Nishimoto, Takai, Waters, Yamane, Abinsay, Arakaki, Berg, Chang, Chong, Hale, Ito, Kahikina, Karamatsu, Kawakami, Morita, M. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Souki, Takumi, Tanaka and Yamashita.
- 3020 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HARBORS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Wakai, Cabanilla, Herkes, Kanoho, Kawakami, Luke, Morita, Nishimoto, Takai, Waters, Arakaki, Berg, Caldwell, Chang, Chong, Hale, Ito, Kahikina, Karamatsu, Magaoay, M. Oshiro, Souki, Takumi, Tanaka, Tsuji, Yamane and Yamashita.
- 3021 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE INCOME TAX."  
Introduced by: Representatives Wakai, Kahikina, Luke, Nishimoto, Abinsay, Caldwell, Chang, Chong, Hale, Ito, Kanoho, Magaoay, Morita, Souki, Tanaka, Tsuji and Yamane.
- 3022 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Wakai, Berg, Cabanilla, Hale, Kahikina, Luke, Morita, Nishimoto, Shimabukuro, Takai, Abinsay, Arakaki, Caldwell, Chong, Ito, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Magaoay, Souki, Takumi, Tanaka, Tsuji and Yamane.
- 3023 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAX DEDUCTIONS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Wakai, Hale, Kanoho, Luke, Nishimoto, Takai, Tanaka, Waters, Abinsay, Arakaki, Berg, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Chang, Chong, Herkes, Ito, Kahikina, Karamatsu, Kawakami, Magaoay, Morita, M. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Souki, Takumi, Tsuji, Yamane and Yamashita.
- 3024 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR SALT LAKE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IN THE THIRTY-FIRST REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."  
Introduced by: Representative Wakai.
- 3025 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE THIRTY-FIRST DISTRICT."  
Introduced by: Representative Wakai.
- 3026 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE THIRTY-FIRST DISTRICT."  
Introduced by: Representatives Wakai and Nishimoto.
- 3027 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ORGAN DONATION."  
Introduced by: Representative Wakai, by request.

3028 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISEASE MANAGEMENT."

Introduced by: Representative Wakai, by request.

3029 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Chong, Green, Ito, Thielen, Waters and Shimabukuro.

3030 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUREAU OF CONVEYANCES."

Introduced by: Representatives Schatz, Carroll, Kanoho, Morita, Waters and Evans.

3031 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE HOLIDAYS."

Introduced by: Representatives Carroll, Arakaki, Caldwell, Chong, Herkes, Kahikina, Lee, Luke, Morita, Saiki, Takai, Tsuji, Chang, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Magaoay, Say, Souki, Takumi, Tanaka and Yamashita.

3032 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."

Introduced by: Representatives Carroll, Arakaki, Berg, Green, Luke, Morita, Saiki, Shimabukuro, Takai, Waters, Chong, Karamatsu, Souki, Tanaka and Yamashita.

3033 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOLOKAI GENERAL HOSPITAL."

Introduced by: Representatives Carroll, Arakaki, Karamatsu, Morita, Saiki, Berg, Magaoay, Souki, Tanaka and Yamashita.

3034 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AN ENVIRONMENTAL COURT."

Introduced by: Representatives Carroll, Berg, Chong, Kahikina, Luke, Saiki, Schatz, Tanaka, Tsuji, Wakai, Yamashita, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Morita and Waters.

3035 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR MOLOKAI GENERAL HOSPITAL."

Introduced by: Representatives Carroll, Arakaki, Karamatsu, Morita, Saiki, Berg, Magaoay, Souki, Tanaka and Yamashita.

3036 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTRACTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Herkes, Caldwell, Chong, Evans, Ito, Karamatsu, Morita, Nishimoto, B. Oshiro, M. Oshiro, Say, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Takai, Takumi, Chang, Luke and Tsuji.

3037 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVER LICENSING."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki and Lee.

3038 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC INFRACTIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Souki and Lee.

3039 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY."

Introduced by: Representative Harbin.

3040 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."

Introduced by: Representative Harbin.

3041 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH CARE REIMBURSEMENTS."

Introduced by: Representative Harbin.

3042 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAUMA AND EMERGENCY CARE."

Introduced by: Representative Harbin.

3043 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC WORKS."

Introduced by: Representative Harbin.

3044 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GASOLINE."

Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Berg, Carroll, Evans, Kanoho, Schatz, Thielen and Waters.

3045 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PETROLEUM INDUSTRY."

Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Berg, Carroll, Evans, Kanoho, Schatz, Thielen and Waters.

3046 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY."

Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Lee, Thielen and Carroll.

3047 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BURIAL SITES."

Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Berg, Carroll, Kanoho, Saiki, Schatz, Waters and Evans.

3048 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VEHICULAR EMISSIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Berg, Carroll, Kanoho, Pine, Schatz, Thielen, Waters and Evans.

3049 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY."

Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Berg, Carroll, Evans, Pine, Thielen, Waters, Kanoho and Schatz.

3050 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY EFFICIENCY."

Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Carroll, Kanoho, Pine, Schatz, Thielen, Waters, Berg and Evans.

3051 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO QUARANTINE."

Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Carroll, Evans, Kanoho, Pine, Thielen, Waters, Berg and Schatz.

3052 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CLEAN FUEL."

Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Carroll, Evans, Kanoho, Schatz, Thielen, Waters and Berg.

3053 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY."

Introduced by: Representatives Morita, Carroll, Evans, Kanoho, Pine, Schatz, Thielen, Waters and Berg.

3054 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE."

Introduced by: Representative Nishimoto, by request.

3055 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OCEAN RECREATION."

Introduced by: Representative Nishimoto.

3056 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KAWAI NUI MARSH."

Introduced by: Representatives Chong, Kanoho, M. Oshiro, Thielen and Waters.

3057 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE HIGH TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Abinsay, Chang, Herkes, Magaoay, Marumoto, Tsuji, Wakai and Yamashita.

3058 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGH TECHNOLOGY INNOVATION CORPORATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Abinsay, Chang, Herkes, Magaoay, Tsuji, Wakai and Yamashita.

3059 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGH TECHNOLOGY."

Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Abinsay, Chang, Chong, Herkes, Ito, Magaoay, Tsuji, Wakai, Yamane and Yamashita.

3060 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGH TECHNOLOGY."

Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Abinsay, Chang, Herkes, Magaoay, Marumoto, Tsuji, Wakai and Yamashita.

3061 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Chang, Herkes, Chong, Ito, Magaoay, Souki, Tsuji, Wakai and Yamashita.

3062 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VENTURE FINANCING."

Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Abinsay, Chang, Chong, Herkes, Ito, Magaoay, Tsuji, Wakai, Yamane and Yamashita.

3063 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY TRAINING."

Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Abinsay, Chang, Chong, Ito, Magaoay, Tsuji, Wakai, Yamane and Yamashita.

3064 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Abinsay, Chang, Ito, Magaoay, Wakai, Yamashita, Herkes and Tsuji.

3065 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL INVESTMENTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Abinsay, Chang, Chong, Herkes, Magaoay, Tsuji, Wakai and Yamashita.

3066 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Abinsay, Chang, Herkes, Waters, Chong, Magaoay, Tsuji, Wakai and Yamashita.

3067 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE FUNDS."

Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Abinsay, Chang, Chong, Ito, Magaoay, Tsuji, Wakai, Yamane and Yamashita.

3068 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."

Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Abinsay, Herkes and Wakai.

3069 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO USE OF BIOLOGICAL RESOURCES COLLECTED IN HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Abinsay, Chang, Chong, Herkes, Magaoay, Tsuji, Yamashita, Wakai and Waters.

3070 "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS."

Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Chang, Chong, Herkes, Magaoay, Tsuji, Wakai, Yamashita and Yamane.

3071 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ROYAL KUNIA."

Introduced by: Representative Karamatsu.

- 3072 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A CONSTRUCTION AUTHORITY."  
Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Abinsay, Chang, Chong, Magaoay, Tsuji and Yamashita.
- 3073 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT."  
Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Abinsay, Chang, Chong, Ito, Magaoay, Tsuji, Wakai, Yamane and Yamashita.
- 3074 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT."  
Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Abinsay, Chang, Chong, Herkes, Ito, Magaoay, Tsuji, Wakai, Yamashita and Yamane.
- 3075 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT."  
Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Chang, Abinsay, Magaoay, Tsuji, Wakai and Yamashita.
- 3076 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT."  
Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Chang, Chong and Yamashita.
- 3077 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST ROSETTE STEEL HAWAII."  
Introduced by: Representative Karamatsu.
- 3078 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEX ASSAULTS COMMITTED BY MINORS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Chang, Kanoho, Magaoay, Pine, Thielen, Yamashita, Chong, Kawakami, Lee, Luke, Stevens and Tanaka.
- 3079 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SALE OF BONDS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Abinsay, Chang, Chong, Evans, Herkes, Ito, Magaoay, Tanaka, Tsuji, Wakai, Yamane, Yamashita and Stevens.
- 3080 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DIGITAL MEDIA."  
Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Chang, Abinsay, Chong, Magaoay, Tsuji and Yamashita.
- 3081 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A STATE-OWNED AIRCRAFT."  
Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Marumoto, Pine, Tsuji, Herkes, Ito, Lee, Souki and Tanaka.
- 3082 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GASOLINE."  
Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Chang, Chong, Herkes, Ito, Kanoho, Magaoay, Tanaka, Tsuji, Wakai, Waters, Yamane, Yamashita, Morita and Souki.
- 3083 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Chong, Ito, Souki and Tanaka.
- 3084 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GIFT CERTIFICATES."  
Introduced by: Representative Karamatsu, by request.
- 3085 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A STATE LOTTERY FOR EDUCATION."  
Introduced by: Representatives Karamatsu, Chang, Herkes, Ito, Waters, Abinsay, Magaoay, Souki and Tsuji.
- 3086 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."  
Introduced by: Representative Karamatsu.
- 3087 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT."  
Introduced by: Representatives Say and Kawakami.
- 3088 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ASSET MANAGEMENT."  
Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
- 3089 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' TRUST FUND."  
Introduced by: Representatives Say and Caldwell.
- 3090 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, M. Oshiro, Nakasone and Takumi.
- 3091 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTRACTORS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Cabanilla, Chang, Evans, Herkes, Ito, Karamatsu, Luke, Morita, Nishimoto, B. Oshiro, M. Oshiro, Say, Takai, Tsuji, Wakai, Green and Shimabukuro.
- 3092 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell and Ito.
- 3093 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE LIABILITY."  
Introduced by: Representative Caldwell.
- 3094 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY."  
Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, M. Oshiro, Waters, Karamatsu and Wakai.

- 3095 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO PAY THE STATE'S SHARE OF EXPENSES IN A PARTNERSHIP WITH A PRIVATE OR NONSECTARIAN EDUCATIONAL ORGANIZATION TO START EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION PROGRAMS IN COMMUNITIES IN NEED."
- Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Luke, M. Oshiro, Waters and Berg.
- 3096 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CURBSIDE RECYCLING."
- Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Chong, Lee, Luke, M. Oshiro, Thielen, Waters, Berg, Karamatsu, Morita, Nishimoto and B. Oshiro.
- 3097 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PETROLEUM STORAGE FACILITIES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Kanoho, M. Oshiro and Waters.
- 3098 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Berg, B. Oshiro, M. Oshiro, Takumi and Waters.
- 3099 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ANTITRUST VIOLATIONS BY THE PETROLEUM INDUSTRY."
- Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Herkes, Luke, B. Oshiro and M. Oshiro.
- 3100 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MORTGAGE FORECLOSURES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Caldwell, Herkes, M. Oshiro, Karamatsu, Luke and B. Oshiro.
- 3101 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING."
- Introduced by: Representatives Cabanilla, Green, Kahikina, Kanoho, Luke, Abinsay, Arakaki, Carroll, Chang, Evans, Finnegan, Herkes, Ito, Lee, Magaoay, Meyer, Nishimoto, M. Oshiro, Say, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Souki, Tanaka, Wakai, Waters and Yamane.
- 3102 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUM PROPERTY REGIMES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Cabanilla, Kahikina, Kanoho, Pine, Wakai, Evans, Herkes, Karamatsu, Luke, Nishimoto, Sonson, Souki, Stevens, Tanaka and Waters.
- 3103 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII'S LEEWARD COMMUNITY COLLEGE."
- Introduced by: Representatives Cabanilla, Arakaki, Carroll, Kahikina, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Lee, Luke, Magaoay, Nishimoto, Pine, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Stevens, Takai, Takumi, Tanaka, Wakai, Waters, Chang, Souki and Yamashita.
- 3104 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Cabanilla, Kanoho, Chang, Karamatsu, Lee and Souki.
- 3105 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PSYCHOTROPIC MEDICATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Sonson, Arakaki, Green and Nishimoto.
- 3106 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Ching, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Evans, Kahikina, Kanoho, Pine, Stonebraker, Thielen, Abinsay, Arakaki, Chang, Herkes, Marumoto and Tsuji.
- 3107 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRUG TREATMENT PROGRAMS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Ching, Abinsay, Chang, Marumoto, Meyer, Moses, Pine, Arakaki, Caldwell, Evans, Finnegan, Herkes, Kahikina, Kanoho, Stevens and Tsuji.
- 3108 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
- Introduced by: Representatives Ching, Chang, Finnegan, Marumoto, Meyer, Moses, Pine, Abinsay, Arakaki, Caldwell, Herkes, Kahikina, Kanoho, Tsuji and Wakai.
- 3109 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY."
- Introduced by: Representatives Ching, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Chang, Finnegan, Kahikina, Marumoto, Moses, Pine, Stevens, Stonebraker, Abinsay, Evans, Hale, Herkes, Kanoho and Tsuji.
- 3110 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MUFFLERS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Ching, Cabanilla, Kanoho, Moses, Abinsay, Arakaki, Caldwell, Evans, Finnegan, Herkes, Marumoto, Meyer, Stonebraker and Wakai.
- 3111 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MUFFLERS."
- Introduced by: Representatives Ching, Arakaki, Marumoto, Moses, Abinsay, Caldwell, Evans, Finnegan, Hale, Herkes, Kanoho and Wakai.
- 3112 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTIES."
- Introduced by: Representatives Ching, Abinsay, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Chang, Evans, Herkes, Kahikina, Kanoho, Marumoto, Stonebraker and Tsuji.
- 3113 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HISTORY MUSEUM."
- Introduced by: Representatives Ching, Abinsay, Cabanilla, Evans, Marumoto, Meyer, Moses, Stonebraker, Takai, Thielen, Arakaki, Chang, Finnegan, Herkes, Kahikina, Kanoho, Pine, Stevens and Tsuji.

- 3114 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION TAX CREDIT."

Introduced by: Representatives Ching, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Finnegan, Hale, Marumoto, Meyer, Moses, Thielen, Waters, Chang, Chong, Evans, Green, Halford, Kahikina, Kawakami, Magaoay, Nishimoto, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Souki, Stevens, Stonebraker and Tanaka.

- 3115 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PETROLEUM INDUSTRY."

Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Chang, Herkes, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Kawakami, Lee, Luke, Morita, Nishimoto, B. Oshiro, Schatz, Takai, Wakai, Abinsay, Arakaki, Evans, Say and Takamine.

- 3116 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII CHILDREN'S HEALTH CARE PROGRAM."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Berg, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Carroll, Chang, Chong, Green, Hale, Herkes, Ito, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Luke, Magaoay, Morita, Nishimoto, B. Oshiro, M. Oshiro, Say, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Takai, Tanaka, Tsuji, Wakai, Waters, Yamane, Yamashita, Karamatsu, Sonson, Souki, Takamine and Takumi.

- 3117 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NATURAL CATASTROPHES."

Introduced by: Representatives Herkes, Abinsay, Arakaki, Berg, Cabanilla, Carroll, Chang, Chong, Evans, Green, Hale, Ito, Kahikina, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Kawakami, Lee, Luke, Magaoay, Morita, Nishimoto, B. Oshiro, M. Oshiro, Say, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Takai, Takumi, Tanaka, Tsuji, Wakai, Waters, Yamane, Yamashita, Souki and Takamine.

- 3118 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro, Herkes and Karamatsu.

- 3119 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONVEYANCE TAX."

Introduced by: Representatives Nishimoto, Arakaki, Caldwell, Chong, Herkes, Kahikina, Luke, Morita, B. Oshiro, M. Oshiro, Schatz, Takai, Waters, Yamane, Abinsay, Chang, Green, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Kawakami, Say, Souki, Takamine, Wakai and Yamashita.

- 3120 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUBSTANCE ABUSE TREATMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Chong, Abinsay, Arakaki, Caldwell, Chang, Herkes, Kahikina, Karamatsu, Luke, Say, Takai, Wakai, Waters, Yamane, Yamashita, Cabanilla, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Nishimoto, M. Oshiro and Takamine.

- 3121 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL DEFENSE."

Introduced by: Representatives Yamane, Abinsay, Arakaki, Caldwell, Chang, Chong, Herkes, Kahikina, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Kawakami, Lee, Luke, M. Oshiro, Say, Schatz, Takai and Yamashita.

- 3122 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE THIRTIETH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki and Abinsay.

- 3123 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR HURRICANE PREPAREDNESS."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Ching, Green, Halford, Lee, Kawakami, Say and Takamine.

- 3124 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAX."

Introduced by: Representative Arakaki.

- 3125 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELDERLY CARE."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Ching and Lee.

- 3126 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RAPID IDENTIFICATION DOCUMENTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Green, Sonson and Luke.

- 3127 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATED TO HEALTH CARE."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Herkes, Magaoay, Schatz, Lee and Sonson.

- 3128 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTHCARE."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Cabanilla, Green, Kahikina, Halford, Lee and Takamine.

- 3129 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Cabanilla, Ching, Green, Herkes, Kahikina, Lee, Nakasone, Schatz, Tanaka, Finnegan, Kawakami, Sonson and Yamane.

- 3130 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD PROTECTION."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Green, Luke, Sonson and Shimabukuro.

- 3131 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO YOUTH SUICIDE PREVENTION."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki and Waters.

- 3132 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE REIMBURSEMENT TO THE COUNTIES FOR THE ISSUANCE OF PARKING PLACARDS TO PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Green, Kanoho, Carroll, Chang, Halford, Herkes, Kawakami, Takamine, Tanaka and Tsuji.
- 3133 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FEDERALLY QUALIFIED HEALTH CENTERS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki and Green.
- 3134 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC HEALTH."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki and Green.
- 3135 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIV/AIDS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki and Green.
- 3136 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ELDERLY."  
Introduced by: Representative Arakaki.
- 3137 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."  
Introduced by: Representative Arakaki.
- 3138 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."  
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- 3139 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."  
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- 3140 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."  
Introduced by: Representative Arakaki.
- 3141 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTAL SPECIALISTS."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki and Green.
- 3142 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAUMA CARE."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki and Green.
- 3143 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH INSURANCE."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Green, Herkes and Schatz.
- 3144 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE PHARMACY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM."  
Introduced by: Representatives Green, Arakaki, Abinsay and Sonson.
- 3145 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH CARE."  
Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Kahikina, Lee, Magaoay, Schatz, Sonson, Yamane, Cabanilla, Finnegan, Green, Herkes and Shimabukuro.
- 3146 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHER HOUSING."  
Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Arakaki, Caldwell, Chang, Kahikina, Shimabukuro, Berg, Green and Takumi.
- 3147 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHERS' HOUSING."  
Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Arakaki, Caldwell, Chang, Green, Kahikina, Shimabukuro, Berg, Hale and Takumi.
- 3148 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOLID WASTE CONTROL."  
Introduced by: Representative Waters.
- 3149 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND TRANSFER."  
Introduced by: Representative Waters.
- 3150 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ILLEGAL DISPOSAL OF SOLID WASTE."  
Introduced by: Representative Waters.
- 3151 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES."  
Introduced by: Representative Waters.
- 3152 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAX CREDITS."  
Introduced by: Representative Waters.
- 3153 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE."  
Introduced by: Representative Waters.
- 3154 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."  
Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Arakaki and Green.
- 3155 "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS IN THE FIFTY-FIRST REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."  
Introduced by: Representative Waters.
- 3156 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA."  
Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Arakaki, Caldwell, Chang, Shimabukuro, Wakai, Berg, Cabanilla and Takumi.

- 3157 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Arakaki, Berg, Caldwell, Chang, Chong, Shimabukuro, Takumi, Cabanilla and Wakai.

- 3158 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Berg, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Chang, Hale, Shimabukuro, Arakaki, Takumi and Wakai.

- 3159 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII COLLEGE OF NATURAL SCIENCES."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Berg, Caldwell, Chang, Hale, Shimabukuro, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Green, Takumi and Wakai.

- 3160 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Arakaki, Berg, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Chang, Green, Hale, Lee, Shimabukuro, Takumi, Wakai and Chong.

- 3161 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII FOR CAMPUS SECURITY."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Arakaki, Caldwell, Chang, Chong, Hale, Shimabukuro, Berg, Cabanilla, Takumi and Wakai.

- 3162 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO EXPAND THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII'S HAMILTON LIBRARY'S HOURS AN ADDITIONAL FORTY-TWO HOURS PER WEEK."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Berg, Caldwell, Chang, Green, Hale, Shimabukuro, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Chong, Takumi and Wakai.

- 3163 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WAIKIKI AQUARIUM."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Arakaki, Berg, Caldwell, Chang, Green, Shimabukuro, Takumi and Wakai.

- 3164 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Arakaki, Caldwell, Chang, Shimabukuro, Takumi, Berg, Green and Wakai.

- 3165 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK."

Introduced by: Representative Waters.

- 3166 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representative Waters.

- 3167 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII WEST OAHU."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Berg, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Chang, Kahikina, Karamatsu, Lee, Shimabukuro, Takumi, Yamane, Arakaki and Wakai.

- 3168 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Arakaki, Berg, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Chang, Kahikina, Karamatsu, Lee, Shimabukuro, Takumi, Yamane, Hale and Wakai.

- 3169 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII SMALL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CENTER."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Chang, Evans, Hale, Herkes, Shimabukuro, Tsuji, Arakaki, Berg, Takamine, Takumi and Wakai.

- 3170 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT HILO."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Arakaki, Berg, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Chang, Chong, Green, Hale, Herkes, Shimabukuro, Tsuji, Wakai, Evans, Takamine and Takumi.

- 3171 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT HILO."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Chang, Hale, Herkes, Shimabukuro, Tsuji, Wakai, Berg, Chong, Evans, Takamine and Takumi.

- 3172 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT HILO."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Arakaki, Caldwell, Chang, Green, Hale, Herkes, Shimabukuro, Tsuji, Wakai, Berg, Cabanilla, Evans, Takamine and Takumi.

- 3173 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT HILO."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Chang, Chong, Evans, Hale, Herkes, Shimabukuro, Tsuji, Wakai, Berg and Takumi.

- 3174 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT HILO COLLEGE OF PHARMACY."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Chang, Evans, Hale, Herkes, Shimabukuro, Tsuji, Wakai, Berg, Takamine and Takumi.



- 3175 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT HILO."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Arakaki, Berg, Caldwell, Chang, Hale, Shimabukuro, Tsuji, Wakai, Cabanilla, Evans and Takumi.

- 3176 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT HILO NATIVE HAWAIIAN INITIATIVES."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Arakaki, Berg, Caldwell, Chang, Hale, Shimabukuro, Tsuji, Wakai, Evans and Takumi.

- 3177 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT HILO NORTH HAWAII EDUCATION RESEARCH CENTER."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Arakaki, Caldwell, Chang, Evans, Shimabukuro, Tsuji, Wakai, Berg, Cabanilla and Hale.

- 3178 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII'S HAWAII COMMUNITY COLLEGE."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Berg, Caldwell, Chang, Evans, Hale, Herkes, Shimabukuro, Tsuji, Wakai, Arakaki, Cabanilla and Takumi.

- 3179 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE HAWAII COMMUNITY COLLEGE."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Berg, Caldwell, Chang, Evans, Herkes, Shimabukuro, Tsuji, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Chong, Hale, Takumi and Wakai.

- 3180 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE MAUI COMMUNITY COLLEGE."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Berg, Caldwell, Chang, Shimabukuro, Yamashita, Arakaki, Chong, Souki, Takumi and Wakai.

- 3181 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII'S MAUI COMMUNITY COLLEGE."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Berg, Caldwell, Chang, Shimabukuro, Tanaka, Wakai, Yamashita, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Chong, Souki and Takumi.

- 3182 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII'S KAUAI COMMUNITY COLLEGE."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Berg, Caldwell, Chang, Chong, Morita, Shimabukuro, Wakai, Arakaki, Cabanilla and Takumi.

- 3183 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS PERTAINING TO KAUAI COMMUNITY COLLEGE."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Berg, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Chang, Morita, Shimabukuro, Wakai, Arakaki and Takumi.

- 3184 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII'S HONOLULU COMMUNITY COLLEGE."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Berg, Caldwell, Chang, Shimabukuro, Wakai, Arakaki, Cabanilla and Takumi.

- 3185 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS PERTAINING TO HONOLULU COMMUNITY COLLEGE."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Arakaki, Berg, Caldwell, Chang, Chong, Shimabukuro, Wakai, Cabanilla and Takumi.

- 3186 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII'S KAPIOLANI COMMUNITY COLLEGE."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Arakaki, Berg, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Shimabukuro, Wakai, Chang and Takumi.

- 3187 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE KAPIOLANI COMMUNITY COLLEGE."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Arakaki, Berg, Caldwell, Nishimoto, Shimabukuro, Wakai, Cabanilla, Chang and Takumi.

- 3188 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS PERTAINING TO WINDWARD COMMUNITY COLLEGE."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Arakaki, Berg, Caldwell, Chong, Ito, Shimabukuro, Wakai, Cabanilla, Chang and Takumi.

- 3189 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII'S WINDWARD COMMUNITY COLLEGE."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Arakaki, Berg, Caldwell, Chong, Ito, Shimabukuro, Cabanilla, Chang, Hale and Wakai.

- 3190 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS PERTAINING TO WINDWARD COMMUNITY COLLEGE."

Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Arakaki, Caldwell, Chong, Shimabukuro, Wakai, Waters, Berg, Cabanilla, Chang and Takumi.

- 3191 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII'S LEEWARD COMMUNITY COLLEGE."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Berg, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Kahikina, Shimabukuro, Takumi, Wakai, Arakaki and Chang.

3192 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS PERTAINING TO LEEWARD COMMUNITY COLLEGE."

Introduced by: Representatives Waters, Berg, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Kahikina, Shimabukuro, Takumi, Wakai, Arakaki and Chang.

3193 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representative Waters.

3194 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COMMISSION FOR NATIONAL AND COMMUNITY SERVICE."

Introduced by: Representative Waters.

3195 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AUDIT AND ACCOUNTING."

Introduced by: Representative Waters.

3196 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representative Waters.

3197 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION'S ENGINEERING SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM."

Introduced by: Representative Waters.

3198 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CENTER FOR NURSING SPECIAL FUND."

Introduced by: Representative Waters.

3199 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representative Waters.

3200 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representative Waters.

3201 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representative Waters.

3202 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING."

Introduced by: Representatives Kahikina and Say.

3203 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIME."

Introduced by: Representative Finnegan.

3204 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ACT 308, SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII 2001."

Introduced by: Representative Finnegan.

3205 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL NUMBER PLATES."

Introduced by: Representatives Finnegan, Marumoto, Moses, Stonebraker, Halford and Stevens.

3206 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE THIRTY-SECOND REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Finnegan.

3207 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GRANTS-IN-AID."

Introduced by: Representative Finnegan.

3208 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION FUNDING."

Introduced by: Representatives Finnegan, Ching, Marumoto, Meyer, Moses, Pine, Stevens, Stonebraker, Thielen and Halford.

3209 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MINIMUM WAGE."

Introduced by: Representatives Takai, Arakaki, Chang, Chong, Evans, Finnegan, Green, Hale, Halford, Harbin, Herkes, Ito, Karamatsu, Kawakami, Luke, Magaoay, Marumoto, Nishimoto, B. Oshiro, Saiki, Say, Stevens, Tanaka, Wakai, Yamane and Souki.

3210 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISLAND OF KAHOLAWE."

Introduced by: Representatives Carroll, Berg, Evans, Kanoho, Luke, Morita, Schatz, Waters and Wakai.

3211 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE THIRTEENTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."

Introduced by: Representative Carroll.

3212 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL PROPERTY TAX."

Introduced by: Representatives Carroll, Saiki, Waters, Arakaki, Chong, Kahikina, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Luke, M. Oshiro, Takumi, Tanaka, Tsuji, Wakai and Yamashita.

3213 "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE VIII, SECTION 3, OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION, TO REQUIRE THE LEGISLATURE TO ESTABLISH A ONE PER CENT CEILING ON REAL PROPERTY TAX ASSESSMENTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Carroll, Saiki, Waters, Arakaki, Berg, Chong, Green, Kahikina, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Luke, M. Oshiro, Takumi, Tanaka, Tsuji, Wakai and Yamashita.

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| <p>3214 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL PROPERTY TAX."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Carroll, Saiki, Waters, Arakaki, Berg, Chong, Evans, Kahikina, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Luke, M. Oshiro, Takumi, Tanaka, Tsuji, Wakai and Yamashita.</p>  | <p>3223 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MIXED MARTIAL ARTS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Caldwell, Evans, Green, Herkes, Ito, Kahikina, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Lee, Magaoay, Morita, B. Oshiro, Tsuji, Wakai, Yamane, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Ching, Marumoto, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Sonson and Thielen.</p>   |
| <p>3215 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMINENT DOMAIN."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Carroll.</p>  | <p>3224 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEXUAL ASSAULT."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Karamatsu.</p>   |
| <p>3216 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISLAND OF KAHŌ'OLAWĒ."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Carroll, Arakaki, Evans, Kahikina, Schatz and Tanaka.</p>  | <p>3225 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representative Karamatsu.</p>   |
| <p>3217 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KUPUNA RECOGNITION DAY."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Carroll, Abinsay, Arakaki, Berg, Caldwell, Chang, Chong, Evans, Green, Ito, Kahikina, Kanoho, Lee, Luke, Magaoay, Morita, M. Oshiro, Saiki, Say, Shimabukuro, Takai, Takumi, Tanaka, Tsuji, Waters, Yamashita, Karamatsu, Schatz, Souki and Wakai.</p> | <p>3226 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUILDING IMPROVEMENTS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Abinsay, Arakaki, Caldwell, Carroll, Chang, Chong, Hale, Herkes, Kahikina, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Kawakami, Lee, Luke, Magaoay, Morita, Nishimoto, B. Oshiro, M. Oshiro, Schatz, Sonson, Takai, Takumi, Tanaka, Tsuji, Waters, Yamane, Yamashita, Evans, Green, Say, Shimabukuro and Souki.</p>                         |
| <p>3218 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENETICALLY MODIFIED ORGANISMS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Carroll, Morita, Saiki, Waters, Arakaki, Berg, Chong, Kahikina, Schatz, Tanaka, Tsuji and Yamashita.</p>   | <p>3227 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL ESTATE."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Abinsay, Arakaki, Berg, Cabanilla, Carroll, Chong, Green, Hale, Herkes, Kahikina, Kanoho, Luke, Magaoay, Morita, Nishimoto, B. Oshiro, M. Oshiro, Schatz, Sonson, Takai, Wakai, Waters, Yamane, Yamashita, Caldwell, Chang, Evans, Karamatsu, Kawakami, Lee, Say, Shimabukuro, Souki, Takamine, Takumi, Tanaka and Tsuji.</p> |
| <p>3219 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENETICALLY MODIFIED ORGANISMS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Carroll, Arakaki, Berg, Morita, Saiki, Tanaka, Caldwell, Chong, Kahikina and Yamashita.</p>  | <p>3228 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro, Abinsay, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Carroll, Chang, Chong, Green, Hale, Herkes, Ito, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Lee, Luke, Magaoay, Morita, Nishimoto, B. Oshiro, Say, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Takai, Takumi, Tanaka, Tsuji, Wakai, Waters, Yamane, Yamashita, Berg, Karamatsu, Souki and Takamine.</p>           |
| <p>3220 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL PRODUCT MARKET DEVELOPMENT."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Carroll, Berg, Chong, Kahikina, Saiki, Tanaka, Tsuji, Wakai, Waters, Arakaki and Yamashita.</p>   | <p>3229 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro, Abinsay, Berg, Caldwell, Chang, Chong, Hale, Halford, Herkes, Ito, Kahikina, Kanoho, Lee, Luke, Magaoay, Morita, Nishimoto, B. Oshiro, Say, Sonson, Takai, Takumi, Tanaka, Tsuji, Waters, Yamane, Yamashita, Evans, Green, Shimabukuro, Souki, Takamine and Wakai.</p>                                      |
| <p>3221 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NATURAL DISASTERS."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Carroll, Berg, Chong, Kahikina, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Luke, Morita, Saiki, Tanaka, Tsuji, Wakai, Waters, Yamashita and Souki.</p>  | <p>3230 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUILDING CODES."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Abinsay, Arakaki, Berg, Caldwell, Carroll, Chong, Green, Hale, Herkes, Kahikina, Kanoho, Lee, Luke, Magaoay, Morita, B. Oshiro, M. Oshiro, Schatz, Sonson, Takai, Tsuji, Yamane, Yamashita, Evans, Karamatsu, Kawakami, Nishimoto, Say, Shimabukuro, Souki, Takamine, Takumi, Tanaka, Wakai and Waters.</p>                |
| <p>3222 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY."</p> <p>Introduced by: Representatives Chang, Abinsay, Herkes, Kanoho, Magaoay, B. Oshiro, M. Oshiro, Tsuji, Waters, Evans and Souki.</p>   |   |

- 3231 "A BILL FOR AN ACT ESTABLISHING A STATE COMMISSION ON EMERGENCY RESPONSE."

Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Abinsay, Arakaki, Berg, Caldwell, Carroll, Chang, Chong, Evans, Green, Hale, Herkes, Kahikina, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Kawakami, Lee, Luke, Magaoay, Morita, Nishimoto, B. Oshiro, M. Oshiro, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Takai, Takumi, Tanaka, Tsuji, Wakai, Waters, Yamane, Yamashita, Say, Souki and Takamine.

- 3232 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL DEFENSE."

Introduced by: Representatives Ito, Abinsay, Arakaki, Berg, Caldwell, Carroll, Chang, Chong, Evans, Green, Hale, Herkes, Kahikina, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Kawakami, Lee, Luke, Magaoay, Morita, Nishimoto, B. Oshiro, M. Oshiro, Schatz, Sonson, Takai, Takumi, Tanaka, Tsuji, Waters, Yamane, Yamashita, Say, Shimabukuro, Souki, Takamine and Wakai.

- 3233 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro, Abinsay, Arakaki, Caldwell, Carroll, Chang, Chong, Green, Hale, Herkes, Ito, Kahikina, Kanoho, Kawakami, Luke, Magaoay, Morita, Nishimoto, B. Oshiro, Say, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Takai, Tanaka, Tsuji, Wakai, Waters, Yamane, Yamashita, Berg, Cabanilla, Karamatsu, Souki, Takamine and Takumi.

- 3234 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro, Caldwell, Luke, B. Oshiro, Say, Takai and Wakai.

- 3235 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE OF HAWAII ENDOWMENT FUND."

Introduced by: Representative M. Oshiro.

- 3236 "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS IN THE THIRTY-THIRD, THIRTY-FOURTH, AND THIRTY-SIXTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Takumi, B. Oshiro and Takai.

- 3237 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Takumi and Sonson.

- 3238 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OUT-OF-STATE SALES OF TIME SHARE INTERESTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Luke, Caldwell, Herkes, B. Oshiro, Schatz, Takai, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Lee, Takumi, Wakai and Yamane.

- 3239 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRUELTY TO ANIMALS."

Introduced by: Representatives Luke, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Evans, Herkes, Lee, B. Oshiro, Schatz, Takai, Takumi, Caldwell, Carroll, Chang, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Tsuji, Wakai, Yamane and Yamashita.

- 3240 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMAL CRUELTY."

Introduced by: Representatives Luke, Arakaki, Caldwell, Herkes, Lee, Schatz, Takai, Wakai, Yamane, Carroll, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Takumi, Tsuji and Yamashita.

- 3241 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LAND COURT."

Introduced by: Representative Luke.

- 3242 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR."

Introduced by: Representatives Luke, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Carroll, Chang, Herkes, Kanoho, Lee, B. Oshiro, Schatz, Takai, Tsuji, Wakai, Yamashita, Evans and Yamane.

- 3243 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IDENTITY THEFT."

Introduced by: Representatives Luke, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Evans, Herkes, Lee, Meyer, B. Oshiro, Schatz, Takai, Tsuji, Wakai, Yamane, Yamashita, Caldwell, Carroll, Chang, Kanoho, Karamatsu and Takumi.

- 3244 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IDENTITY THEFT."

Introduced by: Representatives Luke, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Carroll, Chang, Evans, Herkes, Lee, Meyer, B. Oshiro, Schatz, Takumi, Tsuji, Wakai, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Yamane and Yamashita.

- 3245 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRONIC COMMERCE."

Introduced by: Representatives Luke, Cabanilla, Evans, Herkes, Meyer, B. Oshiro, Sonson, Tsuji and Green.

- 3246 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY."

Introduced by: Representatives Luke, Cabanilla, Evans, Green, Herkes, B. Oshiro, Sonson and Tsuji.

- 3247 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING."

Introduced by: Representatives Luke, Green, B. Oshiro, Sonson, Cabanilla, Evans, Herkes and Tsuji.

- 3248 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."

Introduced by: Representatives Luke, Cabanilla, Evans, Herkes, Lee, B. Oshiro, Schatz, Takai, Arakaki, Caldwell, Carroll, Chang, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Tsuji, Wakai and Yamane.

- 3249 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR COMMUNITY PLACEMENT PROGRAMS FOR FEMALE OFFENDERS TRANSITIONING FROM PRISON TO THE COMMUNITY."

Introduced by: Representatives Luke and B. Oshiro.

- 3250 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUPERSEDEAS BONDS."

Introduced by: Representatives Luke, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Herkes, B. Oshiro, Schatz, Takai, Arakaki, Carroll, Evans, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Lee, Tsuji, Wakai and Yamane.

- 3251 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTIES."

Introduced by: Representatives Luke, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Carroll, Evans, Herkes, B. Oshiro, Schatz, Takai, Arakaki, Chang, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Lee, Tsuji, Wakai and Yamane.

- 3252 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TORT ACTIONS."

Introduced by: Representatives Luke, Cabanilla, Evans, Herkes, Takai, Yamashita, Arakaki, Caldwell, Chang, Kanoho, Karamatsu, B. Oshiro, Schatz, Tsuji, Wakai and Yamane.

- 3253 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII RULES OF EVIDENCE."

Introduced by: Representatives Luke, Caldwell, Herkes, B. Oshiro, Schatz, Takai, Yamane, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Carroll, Evans, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Lee, Tsuji and Wakai.

- 3254 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OATHS OF OFFICE."

Introduced by: Representatives Luke and B. Oshiro.

- 3255 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE USE OF SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBERS."

Introduced by: Representatives Luke, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Carroll, Chang, Evans, Herkes, Kanoho, Lee, B. Oshiro, Schatz, Takai, Tsuji, Wakai, Yamane, Karamatsu, Takumi and Yamashita.

- 3256 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE."

Introduced by: Representatives Luke and B. Oshiro.

- 3257 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO USE OF INTOXICANTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Luke and B. Oshiro.

- 3258 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Finnegan and Magaoay.

- 3259 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR DENTAL HEALTH."

Introduced by: Representative Arakaki.

- 3260 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH INSURANCE."

Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro, Arakaki, Green and Sonson.

- 3261 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INGENUITY CORPORATION CHARTER."

Introduced by: Representatives M. Oshiro, Herkes and Karamatsu.

### INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTION

By unanimous consent, the following concurrent resolution (H.C.R. No. 10) was referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.C.R. No. 10, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING CULTURAL PERPETUATION IN RURAL HAWAIIAN COMMUNITIES," was offered by Representative Say, by request.

### ANNOUNCEMENT

Speaker Say: "The Chair would like to remind all of you that 6:00 p.m. this evening is the filing deadline for all legislative bills."

At this time, Representative B. Oshiro moved to keep the Journal open until 6:00 o'clock p.m. this legislative day for the purpose of receiving bills for introduction, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried. (Representatives Kawakami and Schatz were excused.)

At 12:07 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative B. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the House of Representatives stood in recess until 12:00 o'clock noon, Friday, January 27, 2006. (Representatives Kawakami and Schatz were excused.)

### ADJOURNMENT

At 6:00 o'clock p.m., the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon, Friday, January 27, 2006.

## SIXTH DAY

Friday, January 27, 2006

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Third Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2006, convened at 12:02 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Mr. Walter Yoshimitsu, Roman Catholic Church, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representative Meyer, who was excused.

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

## GOVERNOR'S MESSAGES

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 196 through 202) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 196, dated January 23, 2006, transmitting the Department of Human Services' Report as required by Act 178, Section 162, SLH 2005 for the 2nd quarter of FY 06.

Gov. Msg. No. 197, dated January 23, 2006, transmitting the Department of Human Services' Report as required by Act 178, Section 159, SLH 2005 for the 2nd quarter of FY 06.

Gov. Msg. No. 198, dated January 20, 2006, transmitting the Department of Agriculture's Transfer of Revolving Fund Monies Annual Report for calendar year ending December 31, 2005.

Gov. Msg. No. 199, dated January 19, 2006, transmitting the corrected report on transfers of operating funds between programs required by Section 134 of Act 178, SLH 2005, the General Appropriations Act.

Gov. Msg. No. 200, dated January 23, 2006, transmitting the Progress Report to the Governor and Legislature of the State of Hawaii Regarding State Support for Achieving Hawaii's Renewable Portfolio Standards.

Gov. Msg. No. 201, dated January 20, 2006, transmitting the amendment to their October 3, 2005 report on unauthorized positions required by Section 167 of Act 178, Session Laws of Hawaii 2005, the General Appropriations Act of 2005.

Gov. Msg. No. 202, dated January 31, 2006, transmitting the Department of Education's Interagency Working Group report.

## INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative Hale introduced Ms. Katherine Jane Callaghan, Foreign Policy Advisor to Kevin Rudd, Australian Labor Party's Foreign Affairs spokesman; Dr. Stephanie Krebs, U.S. Department of State, English Language Officer; Ms. Teresita Bernales, International Visitor Program Coordinator, Pacific and Asian Affairs Council; and Ms. Abigail Sines, East-West Center Seminar Program Specialist.

Representative Arakaki introduced his cousin, Mr. Osamu Arakaki, Ph. D., Associate Professor, Faculty of Law at Shigakukan University in Okinawa.

Representative Kanoho introduced Ms. Anela Grace, a University of Hawaii student volunteering in his office.

Representative Magaoay introduced his legislative staff, Mr. Lawrence Sagaysay, Ms. Deirdra Alo, and Ms. Judy Fomin.

## ORDER OF THE DAY

## COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

The following bills (H.B. Nos. 2388 through 2803) were referred to committee by the Speaker:

H.B.  
Nos.Referred to:

2388	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2389	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2390	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2391	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2392	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
2393	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2394	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2395	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2396	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
2397	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2398	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
2399	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
2400	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
2401	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2402	Committee on Judiciary
2403	Committee on Judiciary
2404	Committee on Judiciary

2405	Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment and the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2429	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2406	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2430	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2407	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2431	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2408	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2432	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2409	Committee on Judiciary	2433	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2410	Committee on Judiciary	2434	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
2411	Committee on Finance	2435	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
2412	Committee on Finance	2436	Committee on Finance
2413	Committee on Finance	2437	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2414	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2438	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
2415	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance	2439	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2416	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance	2440	Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2417	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2441	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
2418	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2442	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2419	Committee on Finance	2443	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2420	Committee on Finance	2444	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs
2421	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns and the Committee on Tourism & Culture, then to the Committee on Finance	2445	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs
2422	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2446	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2423	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance	2447	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2424	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance	2448	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2425	Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance	2449	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2426	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2450	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2427	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2451	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2428	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance		

2452	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2475	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2453	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary	2476	Committee on Judiciary
2454	Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Legislative Management	2477	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs and the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2455	Committee on Judiciary	2478	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2456	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance	2479	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2457	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs	2480	Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Legislative Management
2458	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2481	Committee on Judiciary
2459	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs	2482	Committee on Judiciary
2460	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2483	Committee on Judiciary
2461	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2484	Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
2462	Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2485	Committee on Judiciary
2463	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2486	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2464	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2487	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2465	Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2488	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2466	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance	2489	Committee on Judiciary
2467	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2490	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2468	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2491	Committee on Judiciary
2469	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs	2492	Committee on Judiciary
2470	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs	2493	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2471	Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce	2494	Committee on Judiciary
2472	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2495	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2473	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance	2496	Committee on Judiciary
2474	Committee on Finance	2497	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
		2498	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
		2499	Committee on Judiciary
		2500	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
		2501	Committee on Judiciary



2502	Committee on Judiciary	2524	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2503	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2525	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2504	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2526	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
2505	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2527	Committee on Judiciary
2506	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance	2528	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
2507	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2529	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2508	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance	2530	Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance
2509	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2531	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Tourism & Culture, then to the Committee on Finance
2510	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance	2532	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
2511	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance	2533	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
2512	Jointly to the Committee on Tourism & Culture and the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance	2534	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2513	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance	2535	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
2514	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2536	Committee on Judiciary
2515	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2537	Committee on Judiciary
2516	Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance	2538	Committee on Judiciary
2517	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2539	Committee on Judiciary
2518	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2540	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2519	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance	2541	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2520	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance	2542	Committee on Judiciary
2521	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2543	Committee on Judiciary
2522	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2544	Committee on Judiciary
2523	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance	2545	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
		2546	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
		2547	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
		2548	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance

2549	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2572	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
2550	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2573	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2551	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2574	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2552	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2575	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2553	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2576	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2554	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance	2577	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2555	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance	2578	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
2556	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2579	Committee on Finance
2557	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance	2580	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
2558	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2581	Committee on Finance
2559	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2582	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2560	Committee on Labor & Public Employment	2583	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2561	Jointly to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment and the Committee on Health	2584	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
2562	Committee on Labor & Public Employment	2585	Committee on Finance
2563	Committee on Labor & Public Employment	2586	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
2564	Committee on Labor & Public Employment	2587	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
2565	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2588	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2566	Jointly to the Committee on Housing and the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance	2589	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
2567	Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance	2590	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
2568	Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance	2591	Committee on Finance
2569	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2592	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
2570	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2593	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
2571	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2594	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
		2595	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance

2596	Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance	2617	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
2597	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2618	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2598	Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance	2619	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2599	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health and the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance	2620	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2600	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2621	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
2601	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health and the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance	2622	Committee on Finance
2602	Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance	2623	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2603	Committee on Finance	2624	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2604	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2625	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2605	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce	2626	Committee on Finance
2606	Jointly to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment and the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2627	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2607	Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2628	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2608	Committee on Tourism & Culture, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2629	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2609	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2630	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
2610	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2631	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
2611	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2632	Committee on Finance
2612	Committee on Finance	2633	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
2613	Committee on Finance	2634	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2614	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2635	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
2615	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2636	Committee on Finance
2616	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2637	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
		2638	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance

2639	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2660	Committee on Tourism & Culture, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2640	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	2661	Committee on Judiciary
2641	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2662	Committee on Judiciary
2642	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2663	Committee on Judiciary
2643	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2664	Committee on Judiciary
2644	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2665	Committee on Judiciary
2645	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2666	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
2646	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2667	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
2647	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2668	Committee on Tourism & Culture, then to the Committee on Finance
2648	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2669	Committee on Tourism & Culture, then to the Committee on Finance
2649	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2670	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2650	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce	2671	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
2651	Committee on Judiciary	2672	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
2652	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance	2673	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2653	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce	2674	Committee on Judiciary
2654	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce	2675	Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
2655	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2676	Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
2656	Jointly to the Committee on Tourism & Culture and the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance	2677	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2657	Jointly to the Committee on Tourism & Culture and the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance	2678	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2658	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2679	Jointly to the Committee on Tourism & Culture and the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2659	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2680	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
		2681	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
		2682	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary
		2683	Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce

2684	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2705	Committee on Tourism & Culture, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2685	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance	2706	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2686	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2707	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2687	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2708	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns and the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2688	Jointly to the Committee on Tourism & Culture and the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2709	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
2689	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2710	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2690	Committee on Finance	2711	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then jointly to the Committee on Finance and the Committee on Legislative Management
2691	Jointly to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment and the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance	2712	Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance
2692	Jointly to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment and the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance	2713	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2693	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2714	Committee on Transportation
2694	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2715	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2695	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2716	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2696	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2717	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2697	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2718	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2698	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2719	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
2699	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2720	Committee on Judiciary
2700	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2721	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
2701	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2722	Committee on Finance
2702	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2723	Committee on Finance
2703	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2724	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources
2704	Committee on Judiciary	2725	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources
		2726	Committee on Housing
		2727	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
		2728	Committee on Agriculture
		2729	Committee on Agriculture
		2730	Committee on Agriculture

2731	Committee on Agriculture	2755	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
2732	Committee on Agriculture	2756	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
2733	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2757	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then jointly to the Committee on Finance and the Committee on Legislative Management
2734	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance	2758	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
2735	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance	2759	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
2736	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2760	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2737	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2761	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
2738	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2762	Committee on Finance
2739	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2763	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
2740	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2764	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection
2741	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2765	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
2742	Committee on Education	2766	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2743	Committee on Education	2767	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
2744	Committee on Education	2768	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
2745	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2769	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2746	Committee on Transportation	2770	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
2747	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2771	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
2748	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance	2772	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2749	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2773	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
2750	Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2774	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
2751	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance	2775	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
2752	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2776	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
2753	Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance		
2754	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance		

2777 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance

2778 Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

2779 Committee on Judiciary

2780 Committee on Judiciary

2781 Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce

2782 Committee on Finance

2783 Committee on Finance

2784 Committee on Judiciary

2785 Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary

2786 Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance

2787 Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance

2788 Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance

2789 Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance

2790 Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary

2791 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance

2792 Jointly to the Committee on Housing and the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance

2793 Committee on Finance

2794 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance

2795 Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

2796 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce

2797 Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance

2798 Committee on Finance

2799 Committee on Tourism & Culture, then to the Committee on Finance

2800 Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary

2801 Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance

2802 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance

2803 Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

#### COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

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

#### H.B. Nos.

#### Re-referred to:

2222 Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance

2251 Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance

#### STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Takamine, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1949, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1949, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Halford rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'd like to speak in, well I am in favor of this bill. I'm voting for this bill. But I would like to point out what I've perceived to be a shortfall in this bill, specifically regarding the Legislative Auditor, the funding for the Legislative Auditor.

"Again, there's insufficient funding for regular and ongoing comprehensive auditing of all State activity as required in our State Constitution. Mr. Speaker, I feel that this is so important because for us, our Legislature is responsible for the purse strings, for the management of our State finances. It is specifically these management and performance audits that will give us the insight and clarity into how to get the most value for the dollars that we spend.

"Perhaps, funding this would yield value in excess of the surpluses that we now see in our coffers. So I just wanted to take this opportunity again to say that I hope we will fulfill these constitutional mandates soon. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1949, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO PROVIDE FOR THE EXPENSES OF THE LEGISLATURE, THE AUDITOR, THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU, AND THE OMBUDSMAN," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representative Meyer being excused.

At 12:13 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:14 o'clock p.m.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1860, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1860, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Finnegan rose in support of the measure and asked that her written remarks be inserted in the Journal, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Finnegan's written remarks are as follows:

"Mr. Speaker, I rise in support of HB1860. This bill appropriates funds to operate the DOE website. Although I think a website is important to the Department of Education, when we adopted the Weighted Student Formula we wanted the School Community Councils to prioritize where education funding would be spent. When we continue to direct spending from the Legislature we hurt the intentions of the WSF and push our agenda before those at the school level."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1860, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Meyer being excused.

Representatives Takumi and Caldwell, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 3-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1863, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1863, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Finnegan rose in support of the measure and asked that her written remarks be inserted in the Journal, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Finnegan's written remarks are as follows:

"Mr. Speaker, I rise in support of HB1863. This bill repeals the transfer of functions to the Department of Education that were specified in Act 51 from the Departments of Budget and Finance, Attorney General, and Human Services, and delays for one year the transfer of public health nurses from the Department of Health."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1863, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Meyer being excused.

Representatives Takumi and Caldwell, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 4-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1865, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1865, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Finnegan rose in support of the measure and asked that her written remarks be inserted in the Journal, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Finnegan's written remarks are as follows:

"Mr. Speaker, I rise in support of HB1865. This bill establishes 8 new positions in the DOE and appropriates funding for them. I am in strong agreement with the DOE hiring a Chief Financial Officer. At this time I am unsure about prioritizing the other two positions over school based spending. I have requested from the Department of Education an organization chart with job titles and job functions to get a better understanding of the current management structure and the proposed new management structure."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1865, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Meyer being excused.

## INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

By unanimous consent, the following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 7 and 8) and concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 11 and 12) were referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.R. No. 7, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES AND THE JUDICIARY TO CLEAN UP AND BEAUTIFY THE AREA IMMEDIATELY ADJACENT TO THE BANYAN TREE BETWEEN THE TERRITORIAL BUILDING AND ALIOLANI HALE," was offered by Representative Harbin.

H.R. No. 8, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING HAWAII'S CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION TO SEEK FEDERAL FUNDING TO BE USED FOR PROGRAMS AND MEASURES INTENDED TO CONTAIN AND ERADICATE COQUI FROGS IN HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives Takamine, Chang, Evans, Green, Hale, Herkes and Tsuji.

H.C.R. No. 11, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING A TASK FORCE TO STUDY AND RECOMMEND ACTIONS TO PREVENT THE SPREAD OF COQUI FROGS AND OTHER INVASIVE SPECIES," was jointly offered by Representatives Evans, Chang, Green, Hale, Herkes, Tsuji and Takamine.

H.C.R. No. 12, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING HAWAII'S CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION TO SEEK FEDERAL FUNDING TO BE USED FOR PROGRAMS AND MEASURES INTENDED TO CONTAIN AND ERADICATE COQUI FROGS IN HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives Takamine, Chang, Evans, Green, Hale, Herkes and Tsuji.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative M. Oshiro: "Mr. Speaker, I just like to announce that one of our Members celebrated his birthday this past week Tuesday. I think we'd all like to wish him a belated 'Happy Birthday' to Chair Herkes. Happy Birthday. Thank you Mr. Speaker."

Speaker Say: "Any further announcements? If not, Members if you look at your appendix for tomorrow, it shows the hearings that are scheduled. It's on your agenda."



**ADJOURNMENT**

At 12:15 o'clock p.m. on motion by Representative B. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Thielen and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon, Monday, January 30, 2006. (Representative Meyer was excused.)

## SEVENTH DAY

Monday, January 30, 2006

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Third Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2006, convened at 12:04 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Representative Barbara C. Marumoto, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Berg, Halford and Meyer, who were excused.

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

## GOVERNOR'S MESSAGES

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 203 through 207) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 203, dated January 20, 2006, transmitting the High Technology Development Corporation's 2005 Annual Report.

Gov. Msg. No. 204, dated January 23, 2006, transmitting the Corrections Population Management Commission's Annual Report.

Gov. Msg. No. 205, dated February 3, 2006, transmitting the Report Pursuant to Senate Concurrent Resolution 93, Senate Draft 2, Requesting the Department of Health and Hawaii Health Systems Corporation to Submit a Report of Stake Holder Group Activities to Implement Crisis Stabilization Services at the Maui Memorial Medical Center.

Gov. Msg. No. 206, dated February 3, 2006, transmitting the Report Pursuant to HCR 229, HD 1, SD 1, 2005 Session Laws of Hawaii, Requesting the Legislative Reference Bureau to Coordinate Studies, with the Assistance of the Department of Health, to Evaluate the Impact of the Physician "On-call" Crisis on the Queen's Medical Center Trauma Center to Provide Emergency Medical Services in the State of Hawaii, and to Recommend Any Appropriate Government and Private Sector Responses to the On-call Crisis to Ensure Continued Access to Trauma Level Care.

Gov. Msg. No. 207, dated February 3, 2006, transmitting the Report Pursuant to Section 348F-4, Hawaii Revised Statutes, Requiring the Department of Health, Disability and Communication Access Board to Prepare a Yearly Detailed Progress Report of the Board's Activities.

## INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative Marumoto introduced her friends from Northern California, former mayor and councilman of the City of South San Francisco, Mr. Bob Yee, and his wife Mrs. Shirley Yee.

At 12:08 o'clock p.m., Representative M. Oshiro requested a recess, and the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:09 o'clock p.m.

Representative Sonson, on behalf of Representative Karamatsu and himself, introduced students of Honowai Elementary School in Waipahu.

Representative Stonebraker also welcomed the students of Honowai Elementary School.

## ORDER OF THE DAY

## COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

The following bills (H.B. Nos. 2804 through 3261) were referred to committee by the Speaker:

<u>H.B. Nos.</u>	<u>Referred to:</u>
2804	Committee on Finance
2805	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
2806	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
2807	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2808	Committee on Finance
2809	Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2810	Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2811	Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2812	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2813	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2814	Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2815	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2816	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2817	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
2818	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary

2819	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce	2840	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2820	Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2841	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
2821	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance	2842	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
2822	Jointly to the Committee on Tourism & Culture and the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2843	Committee on Judiciary
2823	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2844	Committee on Finance
2824	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	2845	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2825	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	2846	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2826	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	2847	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2827	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns	2848	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
2828	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2849	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
2829	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance	2850	Jointly to the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
2830	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2851	Committee on Finance
2831	Committee on Finance	2852	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2832	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Higher Education	2853	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2833	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs and the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance	2854	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2834	Committee on Finance	2855	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2835	Committee on Finance	2856	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2836	Committee on Finance	2857	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2837	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2858	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2838	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2859	Committee on Judiciary
2839	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance	2860	Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
		2861	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
		2862	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

2863	Jointly to the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection and the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance	2882	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2864	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2883	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
2865	Committee on Finance	2884	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
2866	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2885	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2867	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance	2886	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2868	Committee on Finance	2887	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
2869	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2888	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
2870	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance	2889	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
2871	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance	2890	Committee on Judiciary
2872	Jointly to the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance	2891	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2873	Jointly to the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance	2892	Committee on Judiciary
2874	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2893	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
2875	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2894	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2876	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then jointly to the Committee on Finance and the Committee on Legislative Management	2895	Committee on Judiciary
2877	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns and the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance	2896	Committee on Judiciary
2878	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance	2897	Committee on Judiciary
2879	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	2898	Committee on Judiciary
2880	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	2899	Committee on Judiciary
2881	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance	2900	Committee on Judiciary
		2901	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
		2902	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
		2903	Jointly to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment and the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
		2904	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
		2905	Committee on Judiciary
		2906	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance

2907	Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance	2931	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns and the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2908	Committee on Finance		
2909	Committee on Judiciary	2932	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
2910	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance		
2911	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	2933	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
2912	Committee on Finance	2934	Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2913	Committee on Finance	2935	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance
2914	Committee on Finance	2936	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2915	Committee on Finance		
2916	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2937	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance
2917	Committee on Finance	2938	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance
2918	Committee on Judiciary	2939	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance
2919	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary	2940	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance
2920	Committee on Judiciary	2941	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance
2921	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance	2942	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
2922	Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance	2943	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
2923	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	2944	Committee on Finance
2924	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	2945	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
2925	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance	2946	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2926	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance	2947	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2927	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance	2948	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2928	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	2949	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2929	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance		
2930	Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance	2950	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance

2951	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2974	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
2952	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2975	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
2953	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2976	Committee on Finance
2954	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2977	Committee on Judiciary
2955	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2978	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2956	Committee on Judiciary	2979	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2957	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance	2980	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns and the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
2958	Committee on Finance	2981	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2959	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns and the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance	2982	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
2960	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Finance	2983	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
2961	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	2984	Jointly to the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection and the Committee on Housing and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2962	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2985	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2963	Jointly to the Committee on Housing and the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance	2986	Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
2964	Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance	2987	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2965	Committee on Tourism & Culture, then to the Committee on Finance	2988	Committee on Judiciary
2966	Jointly to the Committee on Housing and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	2989	Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
2967	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	2990	Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
2968	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2991	Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2969	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary	2992	Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2970	Committee on Finance	2993	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2971	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce	2994	Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
2972	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce	2995	Committee on Human Services, then jointly to the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2973	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary		

2996	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary	3017	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2997	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	3018	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2998	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	3019	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
2999	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	3020	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
3000	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	3021	Committee on Finance
3001	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	3022	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
3002	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns and the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance	3023	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
3003	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance	3024	Committee on Finance
3004	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance	3025	Committee on Finance
3005	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns and the Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance	3026	Committee on Finance
3006	Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance	3027	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
3007	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance	3028	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
3008	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance	3029	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
3009	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance	3030	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
3010	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	3031	Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
3011	Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance	3032	Jointly to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
3012	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary	3033	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
3013	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary	3034	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
3014	Committee on Judiciary	3035	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
3015	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary	3036	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
3016	Committee on Judiciary	3037	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
		3038	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary

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| 3039 | Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance   | 3055 | Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns and the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance   |
| 3040 | Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance   | 3056 | Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance  |
| 3041 | Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance  | 3057 | Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance  |
| 3042 | Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance   | 3058 | Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance  |
| 3043 | Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance   | 3059 | Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance  |
| 3044 | Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance  | 3060 | Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance  |
| 3045 | Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance  | 3061 | Jointly to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment and the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance  |
| 3046 | Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then jointly to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance | 3062 | Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance  |
| 3047 | Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance   | 3063 | Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance  |
| 3048 | Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance  | 3064 | Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance  |
| 3049 | Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance  | 3065 | Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance  |
| 3050 | Jointly to the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection and the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance                         | 3066 | Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance   |
| 3051 | Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance  | 3067 | Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance  |
| 3052 | Jointly to the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection and the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance   | 3068 | Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance                      |
| 3053 | Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance  | 3069 | Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance                 |
| 3054 | Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance  | 3070 | Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Finance   |
|      |  | 3071 | Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance  |
|      |  | 3072 | Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance   |
|      |  | 3073 | Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance |



3074	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	3095	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
3075	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance	3096	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
3076	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	3097	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
3077	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance	3098	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
3078	Committee on Judiciary	3099	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
3079	Committee on Finance	3100	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
3080	Committee on Tourism & Culture, then to the Committee on Finance	3101	Committee on Judiciary
3081	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance	3102	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
3082	Jointly to the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection and the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	3103	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
3083	Committee on Tourism & Culture, then to the Committee on Judiciary	3104	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
3084	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce	3105	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
3085	Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	3106	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary
3086	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance	3107	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
3087	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance	3108	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
3088	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	3109	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
3089	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	3110	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
3090	Jointly to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment and the Committee on Tourism & Culture, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	3111	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
3091	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce	3112	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
3092	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	3113	Committee on Tourism & Culture, then to the Committee on Finance
3093	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary	3114	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
3094	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance	3115	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
		3116	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance

3117	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	3136	Committee on Health
		3137	Committee on Health
3118	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	3138	Committee on Health
		3139	Committee on Health
		3140	Committee on Health
3119	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance	3141	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
3120	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	3142	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
3121	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	3143	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
3122	Committee on Finance		
3123	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	3144	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
3124	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	3145	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
3125	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	3146	Jointly to the Committee on Housing and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
3126	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	3147	Jointly to the Committee on Housing and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
3127	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	3148	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
3128	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	3149	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
3129	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	3150	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
3130	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary	3151	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
3131	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance	3152	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
3132	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	3153	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Agriculture
3133	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance	3154	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
3134	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance	3155	Committee on Finance
3135	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	3156	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance

3157	Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	3180	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
3158	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	3181	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
3159	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	3182	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
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3170	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	3193	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary
3171	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	3194	Committee on Higher Education
3172	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	3195	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
3173	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	3196	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
3174	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	3197	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
3175	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	3198	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
3176	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	3199	Committee on Higher Education
3177	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	3200	Committee on Higher Education
3178	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	3201	Committee on Higher Education
3179	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	3202	Jointly to the Committee on Housing and the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
		3203	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

3204	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	3222	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
3205	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs and the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance	3223	Committee on Tourism & Culture, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
3206	Committee on Finance	3224	Committee on Judiciary
3207	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance	3225	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
3208	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance	3226	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
3209	Jointly to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment and the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance	3227	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
3210	Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance	3228	Committee on Finance
3211	Committee on Finance	3229	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
3212	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	3230	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
3213	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	3231	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
3214	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	3232	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
3215	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	3233	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
3216	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then jointly to the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection and the Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance	3234	Committee on Judiciary
3217	Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance	3235	Committee on Tourism & Culture, then to the Committee on Finance
3218	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then jointly to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce	3236	Committee on Finance
3219	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns and the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce	3237	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
3220	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce	3238	Committee on Tourism & Culture, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
3221	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	3239	Committee on Judiciary
		3240	Committee on Judiciary
		3241	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary
		3242	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary
		3243	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
		3244	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
		3245	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
		3246	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

3247	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
3248	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
3249	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
3250	Committee on Judiciary
3251	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
3252	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary
3253	Committee on Judiciary
3254	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary
3255	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
3256	Committee on Judiciary
3257	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
3258	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on International Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
3259	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance
3260	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
3261	Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns and the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance

#### COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENT

The following bill was re-referred to committee by the Speaker:

<u>H.B. No.</u>	<u>Re-referred to:</u>
1904	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

#### STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 5-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1840, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1840, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSERVATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Berg and Meyer being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 6-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1864, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1864, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Berg and Meyer being excused.

Representatives Takumi and Waters, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Higher Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 7-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1866, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1866, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns with Representatives Berg and Meyer being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 8-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1879, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1879, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERANS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Berg and Meyer being excused.

Representatives Ito and Arakaki, for the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs and the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 9-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2125, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2125, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. On Stand. Com. Report 9-06, I have some concerns. It's a very good bill in general. However, it talks about providing treatment and assessment for any crime. I think it's a little broad. I don't know if any crime would be considered, or just those crimes that might relate to drugs, because we're talking about substance abuse. So maybe it can be limited a little bit more as it moves through the other committees.

"Also, there is no financial impact assessed in the bill, at least attached there. I know it will require some funds. So just those comments. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2125, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUBSTANCE ABUSE TREATMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Berg and Meyer being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 10-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1861, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1861, pass Second Reading and be

placed on the calendar for Third Reading, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'm rising to just express some reservations about this bill. Thank you. Mr. Speaker, I will be voting for it, but I would like to get more information before we go through to Third Reading.

"The bill eliminates the requirement that the Department of Education's annual report of principals are provided to the Board of Education, I believe. I may be misreading this. But I believe that it's eliminating that requirement. I think that the more regular information that is provided, as we struggle to improve our school system, is important. And so I will talk to the Chair of the Education Committee to try to get some more insight on this. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1861, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading with Representatives Berg and Meyer being excused.

#### SUSPENSION OF RULES

On motion by Representative B. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Thielen and carried, the rules were suspended for the purpose of considering a bill on Third Reading on the basis of a modified consent calendar. (Representatives Berg and Meyer were excused.)

#### THIRD READING

##### H.B. No. 1949:

Representative M. Oshiro moved that H.B. No. 1949, pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Halford rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you Mr. Speaker. In favor of this bill, and for brevity, I'll just reference my remarks at Second Reading."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, H.B. No. 1949, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO PROVIDE FOR THE EXPENSES OF THE LEGISLATURE, THE AUDITOR, THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU, AND THE OMBUDSMAN," passed Third Reading by a vote of 49 ayes, with Representatives Berg and Meyer being excused.

At 12:14 o'clock p.m., the Chair noted that H.B. No. 1949 passed Third Reading.

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Stevens: "Mr. Speaker, our islands and especially the maritime community lost a distinguished citizen last night. Many of you know Captain David Lyman who was the Senior Pilot from the Pilots Association. He died last night while piloting a cruise ship out of Nawiliwili Harbor. He was just an outstanding citizen, a very good friend and mentor of mine. If you know, he's been involved in so many community service and charitable causes including the Hawaii Maritime Museum. He was a founding member. I would just like to request a moment of silence in his memory. Thank you Mr. Speaker."

At this time, the House of Representatives stood for a moment of silence in memory of veteran harbor pilot, Captain David Lyman.

Representative Moses: "Mr. Speaker, I'd just like to wish this Body *chung hee fat choy*. Happy New Year"

Speaker Say: "Representative Ching, would you like to clarify?"

Representative Ching: "*Do jie, do jie*. Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Yes, I would also like to wish this Body a *kung hee fat choy sa nin fai loh san tai gin hong* 'Happy New Year and in all four seasons, may peace and health be with you.'"

#### ADJOURNMENT

At 12:17 o'clock p.m. on motion by Representative B. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Thielen and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon, tomorrow, Tuesday, January 31, 2006. (Representatives Berg and Meyer were excused.)

## EIGHTH DAY

Tuesday, January 31, 2006

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Third Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2006, convened at 12:03 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Mr. Roosevelt Freeman, legislative aide to Representative Meyer, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Meyer and Thielen, who were excused.

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

## GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE

The following message from the Governor (Gov. Msg. No. 208) was received and announced by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 208, dated January 31, 2006, transmitting the Department of Education's Edible School Gardens follow-up report.

## ORDER OF THE DAY

## COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENT

The following bills was re-referred to committee by the Speaker:

<u>H.B. Nos.</u>	<u>Re-referred to:</u>
1947	Committee on Judiciary
2168	Committee on Legislative Management
2193	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
2233	Committee on Judiciary
2510	Committee on Finance
2708	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2960	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
3070	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance

## STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representatives Sonson and Hale, for the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on International Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 11-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2050, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2050, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERNATIONAL MATCHMAKING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Meyer and Thielen being excused.

Representatives Takumi and Caldwell, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment

presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 12-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1859, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1859, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading, and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading with Representatives Meyer and Thielen being excused.

## SUSPENSION OF RULES

On motion by Representative B. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Moses and carried, the rules were suspended for the purpose of considering a bill on Third Reading on the basis of a modified consent calendar. (Representatives Meyer and Thielen were excused.)

## THIRD READING

## H.B. No. 1861:

Representative M. Oshiro moved that H.B. No. 1861, pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I know it is Third Reading and there's no way to go back and look at this bill a little more. And I was not in the Committee. So I apologize.

"I just have a little concern that the Board of Education is the governing body over the Department of Education, it just seems to me that they would deserve to take a look at some of these documents in proceedings. And there was no testimony from the Board. So we have no idea if they think that this is a good idea or not. Thank you."

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

"Yes Mr. Speaker, I have similar concerns. Particularly in the fact that if you just read the bill alone, it seems like we're taking away the Legislature's directive to be accountable to the Board of Education. And so, just because I don't know that much about this bill, I just wanted to voice my strong reservations and hope that we're not taking away a requirement to be accountable to us and the Board. Thanks."

Representative Takumi rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you very much, Mr. Speaker. I had to put on the glasses so I can see you better. Just as a clarification on this bill, and if any Member has any questions regarding any bill, they're more than welcome to come in, talk to me so I can explain the rationale behind it.

"This bill, what it does is it repeals the requirement for an annual report submitted to the Board of Education on all principal transactions. In another words, on an annual basis, the Superintendent submits a report to the Board listing every principal in the system and whether or not they got promoted, retired, they left, whatever the case may be.

"This was a Board-initiated request. There were 7 bills proposed by the Department of Education. This was one of them and as people

who know the process, any bills submitted by the Department has to be approved by the Board. This bill was approved by the Board. It had their support. And it's basically a housekeeping bill.

"Secondly, more importantly, Mr. Speaker, this raises a whole question that we tried to embed in the Re-inventing Education Act of 2004. And that is, the Department and the Board should really be able to control their own destiny.

"I do believe the Legislature should not be in the business of saying, "Superintendent, provide a report to the Board." It should be the Board that requests the Superintendent to provide reports to them on a timely basis. This is a report that they don't feel they need. It's in statute. I believe we should repeal it.

"The Board is under its total authority at present to request any and all reports of the Superintendent that they deem necessary to conduct their business. So they do not need a law for us to tell them that they need a certain report. And that's the whole impetus behind this bill. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, H.B. No. 1861, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Third Reading by a vote of 49 ayes, with Representatives Meyer and Thielen being excused.

At 12:11 o'clock p.m., the Chair noted that H.B. No. 1861 passed Third Reading.

#### INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

By unanimous consent, the following resolution (H.R. No. 9) and concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 13 through 15) were referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.R. No. 9, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE TO PRESENT A HOMELAND SECURITY PLAN TO THE LEGISLATURE," was jointly offered by Representatives Say, Chong and Ito.

H.C.R. No. 13, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION SUPPORTING, AND REQUESTING ADDITIONAL FINANCIAL SUPPORT OF, HISTORIC PRESERVATION," was jointly offered by Representatives Ching, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Evans, Finnegan, Kawakami, Marumoto, Meyer, Moses, Nishimoto, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Chang, Chong, Green, Hale, Halford, Kahikina, Magaoay, Sonson, Souki, Stevens, Stonebraker and Waters.

H.C.R. No. 14, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE PRESERVATION OF JAPANESE SHRINES AND TEMPLES IN HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives Ching, Arakaki, Chang, Evans, Finnegan, Green, Hale, Ito, Kawakami, Marumoto, Meyer, Moses, Nishimoto, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Tanaka, Thielen, Waters, Cabanilla, Chong, Halford, Kahikina, Lee, Magaoay, Sonson, Souki and Stevens.

H.C.R. No. 15, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE TO PRESENT A HOMELAND SECURITY PLAN TO THE LEGISLATURE," was jointly offered by Representatives Say, Chong and Ito.

#### ANNOUNCEMENT

Representative Kahikina, for the Committee on Housing requested a waiver of the 48-hour advance notice requirement for the purpose

of conducting a public hearing with decision making to follow on the following measures, and the Chair "so ordered":

H.B. No. 1981, Relating to Leasehold Conversion;  
H.B. No. 2934, Relating to Homeless Veterans;  
H.B. No. 2991, Relating to Special Purpose Revenue Bonds;  
H.B. No. 2992, Proposing Amendments to Hawaii State Constitution Relating to Special Purpose Revenue Bonds;  
H.B. No. 1846, Relating to Affordable Housing Tax Credit;  
H.B. No. 1853, Relating to Rental Housing;  
H.B. No. 2239, Relating to Land Acquisition;  
H.B. No. 2240, Relating to Affordable Housing; and  
H.B. No. 2567, Relating to Affordable Housing.

Representative Kahikina: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Said measures will be heard in Committee on Wednesday, February 1st at 9:00 a.m. in Conference Room 329. All House Committee Members have been given an advanced copy of the amended hearing notice for their review prior to the hearing. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

#### ADJOURNMENT

At 12:13 o'clock p.m. on motion by Representative B. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Moses and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon, tomorrow, Wednesday, February 1, 2006. (Representatives Meyer and Thielen were excused.)



## NINTH DAY

Wednesday, February 1, 2006

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Third Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2006, convened at 12:06 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Chaplain Bradley Lum from Unity Church of Hawaii, after which the Roll was called showing all members present.

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

## DEPARTMENTAL COMMUNICATIONS

The following departmental communications (Dept. Com. Nos. 50 through 52) were received by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Dept. Com. No. 50, dated January 25, 2006, from David McClain, Interim President, University of Hawaii, transmitting The Research Corporation of the University of Hawaii's Annual Report for fiscal year ending June 30, 2005.

Dept. Com. No. 51, from the Legislative Reference Bureau, transmitting the Bioprospecting: Issues and Policy Considerations.

Dept. Com. No. 52, from the Legislative Reference Bureau, transmitting the On-Call Crisis in Trauma Care: Government Responses.

## ORDER OF THE DAY

## COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENT

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

<u>H.B. Nos.</u>	<u>Re-referred to:</u>
1830	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
1831	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2057	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2544	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2576	Committee on Higher Education
2864	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2866	Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Judiciary
3157	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
3176	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
3242	Committee on Judiciary

## STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 13-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1647, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1647, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Just one concern. What I understand, and again, this is not a Committee I'm in, and it'll come to my Committee later. But I understand that the intent is to do all of this undergrounding without passing on the cost to the consumer. I think that's an impossible task. I just want to point that out for anybody who is business-minded. They'll know that the consumer will ultimately pay. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1647, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNDERGROUNDING OF OVERHEAD UTILITIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 14-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1891, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1891, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. With reservations and short comments. Thank you. This is the State Educational Facilities Improvement Special Fund, otherwise known as SEFI. The money in this SEFI does not lapse. This creates a disincentive to meet deadlines. Also there is no oversight. It interferes with Budget and Finance's management of State's finances and bond authorizations. So I'm just a little concerned. Thank you."

Representative Takumi rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you very much, Mr. Speaker. In support of this measure. And just for the edification of the Members who are not on the Education Committee, this SEFI Fund as many of you who were here in previous years know that we reduced that amount from \$90 million to \$45 million in 1999.

"This bill merely asks, I mean it's going to be forwarded obviously to the Finance Committee to take a look at that. It's a blank amount. And whether or not we should increase that \$45 million to whatever amount. And it has a drop dead clause of one year. So we all know we're in unique circumstances. This is an opportunity for us to make a commitment to the repair and maintenance of schools and to have a one-time allocation into that Fund and then it will sunset. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1891, HD 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Waters, for the Committee on Higher Education requested a waiver of the 48-hour advance notice requirement for the purpose of conducting a public hearing on H.B. No. 3157, Relating to the University of Hawaii at Manoa Hawaiian Affairs tomorrow at 2:30 p.m. at the Campus Center Ballroom of the University of Hawaii and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ito for the Committees on Public Safety & Military Affairs and Water, Land, & Ocean Resources requested a waiver of the 48-hour advance notice requirement for the purpose of conducting a public hearing with decision making to follow on H.B. No. 2833, Relating to Prisons on Friday, February 3, 2006 in Conference Room 312 and the Chair "so ordered."

Speaker Say: "At this time, the Chair has an announcement for all of you. If you look in your tray, Members, you'll find H.B. No. 1949, SD 1. It has been placed on your desk. This measure is positioned to pass Third Reading in the Senate tomorrow and be returned to this Chamber.

"There upon, we will take Final Reading action on Friday. So this is to give you the 48 hours notice that this measure is coming back and we will take action on Friday. The Chair has given you this notice in order to comply, once more with the provisions of Article III, Section 15 of the State Constitution, which states in pertinent part: no bill shall pass Third Reading or Final Reading in either House, unless printed copies of the bill in the form to be passed shall have been made available to the Members of this House for at least 48 hours.

"That is to support all of our employees who are presently working this Session and for the Members of all the Neighbor Island delegation and for our legislative allowance."

Representative M. Oshiro: "Mr. Speaker, it gives me great pleasure to announce that today, we celebrate the birthday of one of our leaders. And that gentleman is none other than yourself. So I'd like to ask the Members to wish you, Mr. Speaker, a very Happy Birthday. And also Mr. Speaker, to invite all Members of the House to have some birthday cake outside the Caucus Room."

Speaker Say: "May I extend to all of you, for those individuals or colleagues whose birthdays do not fall during the Session, I want to wish you a Happy Birthday also."

#### ADJOURNMENT

At 12:16 o'clock p.m. on motion by Representative B. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon, tomorrow, Thursday, February 2, 2006.

## TENTH DAY

Thursday, February 2, 2006

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Third Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2006, convened at 12:05 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Pastor Glenn Yamaguchi from New Hope Chapel, Kapolei, after which the Roll was called showing all members present.

On motion by Representative B. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, reading of the Journals was dispensed with and the Journals of the First, Second and Third Days were approved. (Representatives Kahikina, Nishimoto and Souki were excused.)

## GOVERNOR'S MESSAGES

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 209 through 215) were received and announced by the Clerk:

Gov. Msg. No. 209, dated January 31, 2006, transmitting the Preliminary Report on the Implementation of Act 183, Incentives for Agricultural Lands.

Gov. Msg. No. 210, dated January 27, 2006, transmitting the ACT 306/SHL 2001 Progress Report: Implementation of A.R.T.S. FIRST: Hawaii's Arts Education Strategic Plan – July 1, 2004 to June 30, 2005.

Gov. Msg. No. 211, dated January 31, 2006, transmitting the Annual Report "Small Business Regulatory Review Board" prepared by the Business Assistance Branch of the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism.

Gov. Msg. No. 212, dated January 31, 2006, requesting immediate passage of House Bill No. 2278 appropriating \$1,214,367 in special funds for the State DNA database and \$1,076,217 in general funds for sexual assault treatment programs to the Department of the Attorney General.

Gov. Msg. No. 213, dated January 27, 2006, requesting immediate passage of House Bill No. 2346 appropriating \$5,169,458 in general funds to the Department of Education for electricity costs.

Gov. Msg. No. 214, dated January 27, 2006, requesting immediate passage of House Bill No. 2347 appropriating \$5,785,448 in general funds to the Department of Education for student transportation.

Gov. Msg. No. 215, dated January 31, 2006, requesting immediate passage of House Bill No. 2400 appropriating \$1,600,000 in general funds to the Department of Land and Natural Resources to assist in the purchase and preservation of Waimea Valley.

## INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative Wakai, on behalf of Representative Arakaki and Finnegan, introduced ninth grade students from Moanalua High School accompanied by teacher, Ms. Shauna Tanaka; chaperones, Mr. Keith Davis and Ms. Dianne Davis.

Representative Waters introduced Nemia "Sonny" Niupulusu, his legislative 'shadow' from the Hawaii Job Corps.

## ORDER OF THE DAY

## COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

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

<u>H.B. Nos.</u>	<u>Re-referred to:</u>
2234	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
2556	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2641	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2736	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
2822	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2983	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection and the Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
3032	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
3046	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then jointly to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
3115	Jointly to the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection and the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
3124	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
3132	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
3144	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
3218	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then jointly to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce

## STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 15-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2147, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2147, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DROUGHT MITIGATING WATER STORAGE FACILITIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 16-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1982, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1982, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE FISH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representatives Ito and Souki, for the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs and the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 17-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1809, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1809, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE DRIVER'S LICENSE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representatives Takumi and Waters, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Higher Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 18-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2182, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2182, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. In support with reservations, please. Thank you. Mr. Speaker, I am in strong support of the repair and maintenance of our schools. I have just a couple concerns.

"One being the new special fund, the New School Construction Special Fund that allows the DOE to enter into financing agreements without the approval of the Director of Finance. The DOE would be allowed to incur that. That would become a State obligation without regard to the statewide budget. That was the concern of the Budget and Finance.

"As we are taking a look at the numbers, we'll go ahead and just wait for Third Reading. But I have some other concerns that I'd like to put in written comments. Thank you," and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Finnegan's written remarks are as follows:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I want to thank Budget and Finance and the Department of Education for working together to create a better system of transparency in the way CIP money is managed and released. I am hopeful that this new process will be beneficial for all those involved, including those at the school level.

"Make no mistake that there currently is \$210 million available for Repairs and Maintenance and CIP projects for Fiscal year 06-07. In the Governor's supplemental budget, she offers an additional \$90 million, and the House Majority is suggesting an additional \$150 million. The DOE is asking for \$368 million and for the funds to be

deposited into SEFI. No proposals have come forward to even meet half of what DOE is asking for. It is extremely important to fund our school facilities; however, DOE isn't the only department that needs help with facilities. The University of Hawaii has major facility challenges, some in dilapidated conditions. I just ask that in our desire to help the DOE that we do not ignore other areas of desperate need. These projects did not show up overnight. For decades we ignored repairs and maintenance. Let us move forward in a responsible and realistic manner accountable to the taxpayers of Hawaii.

"Currently, this bill has a blank amount for additional appropriations for operations for the DOE for 06-07. I am a strong supporter of sending any new money for education directly to the school level to work in line with Act 51 and the Weighted Student Formula. Please consider HB 3208, a mechanism to fund money directly to the School Community Councils, to use at their discretion. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I just have reservations too. I believe the Comptroller and Budget and Finance need to be involved with the process."

Representative Meyer rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ching rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2182, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 19-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2260, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2260, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Arakaki rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you Mr. Speaker. H.B. 2260 is one of the priority bills for the Health Committee, especially for the Chair and Vice Chair."

Representative Lee rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I'd like to speak briefly in support of the measure. Thank you. I'd just like to briefly quote from an article that appeared in the *Honolulu Advertiser* written by Don Thompson of the Associated Press. The dateline is Sacramento, California.

"California last week became the first state to declare secondhand smoke a toxic air pollutant, putting tobacco fumes in the same category as diesel exhaust, arsenic, and benzene, because of its link to breast cancer.

"The article goes on to talk about how breast cancer is linked to a lot of other kinds of cancers including incredibly, cervical cancer which the Women's Caucus has a project on this year. So I'd like to have permission to put the remainder of this article into the Journal. Thank you very much," and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Lee submitted the following article:

"Secondhand smoke is air pollutant, Calif. Rules  
Link to breast cancer puts fumes in rank of arsenic for first time  
By DON THOMPSON  
Associated Press

SACRAMENTO, Calif. - California last week became the first state to declare secondhand smoke a toxic air pollutant, putting tobacco fumes in the same category as diesel exhaust, arsenic and benzene because of its link to breast cancer.

The unanimous decision by the state Air Resources Board relied on a September report that found a sharply increased risk of breast cancer in young women exposed to secondhand smoke. It also links drifting smoke to premature births, asthma and heart disease, as well as other cancers and numerous health problems in children.

"If people are serious about breast cancer, they have to deal with secondhand smoke. That's what this is all about," said Dr. Stanton Glantz, director of the Center for Tobacco Control, Research and Education at the University of California - San Francisco.

"This is a seminal, international document," Glantz said. "It's impossible to underestimate what a big deal this is."

The report by scientists at California's Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment drew on more than 1,000 other studies of secondhand smoke and blamed the fumes for 4,000 deaths each year in California from lung cancer or heart disease alone.

The most significant new finding cited by state officials is that young women exposed to secondhand smoke increase their risk of developing breast cancer between 68 percent and 120 percent. The disease kills about 40,000 women in the United States each year.

That conclusion conflicts with a 2004 report by the U.S. surgeon general. Sanford Barsky, a researcher writing on behalf of the R.J. Reynolds tobacco company, told the board the state report "either ignores mentioning or does not give the appropriate weight" to studies refuting a link between secondhand smoke and breast cancer.

California scientists say their research is more current than the surgeon general's report. The state report went through an exhaustive review that delayed its release for nearly a year but ensures it is based on sound research, said Dr. John Froines, director of UCLA's Center for Occupational and Environmental Health and head of the scientific review panel.

R.J. Reynolds spokesman David Howard said regardless of the dangers from passive smoke indoors, no research supports regulators' decision to declare it an air pollutant.

"No studies exist that show that exposure outdoors leads to any increased risk of tobacco-associated illness," he said.

The air board must next consider regulatory steps to reduce exposure to the smoke, a process that could take years.

"This is no longer some crazy, California, Left Coast way of thinking," said Cynthia Hallett, executive director of Berkeley-based Americans for Nonsmokers' Rights.

She cited smoking bans that have been enacted or are being considered across the nation and in other countries.

Much of the initial effort in California will focus on public education, said Paul Knepprath, vice president for government relations at the American Lung Association of California.

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

"Thank you. I rise with reservations. I know that we took a look at this bill I believe last year and possibly even the year before. I stood up with reservations then and I have not changed my mind. Until I see the details of the bill, I'm very concerned that it says 'prohibit smoking.' At least in the Committee Report, it says, 'prohibit smoking' in public places and places of employment.

"I really feel that you're going to force people out on the sidewalks, in the street. I really don't understand. If it's saying you can't smoke at all in the facility, which is where I think they're headed, then where are you going to put these people? So, I think we don't like smoking but we need to find appropriate places for them. And I don't agree with this total elimination. Thank you."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I have reservations also. I don't smoke. I quit cold turkey 13 years ago. I never wanted to go back and never feel the urge to. I don't think smoking is good for you. But I have a problem with the... You know, in some of the work places, of course, it's been negotiable to date at least. It's a negotiable item. But also more than that, if we really are opposed to smoking, as a State, and as a Body here, let's stop taking the tax money from cigarettes and let's ban the use of cigarettes in the State of Hawaii. It's simple. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Green rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. In strong support of this bill. The place that we're going to put our workers is in the ground and in their graves. So I strongly support this bill."

Representative Meyer rose in support of the measure with reservations, and asked that the remarks of Representative Evans be entered in the Journal as her own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2260, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMOKING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 20-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2060, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2060, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Pine rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, thank you. Last year, I had some concerns about this bill. I'm speaking with reservation. Well actually I'm voting no. I'm not agreeing personally with some of the things I'm about to say, but I'm trying to think on the other side, what parents who think and believe in that are sending their kids to our public schools.

"I'm assuming that this bill relates to sex education partly in our public schools. I was concerned last year because in the Finance Committee I asked specifically, a proponent of this measure, what exactly are they teaching kids in these schools? It says, 'age appropriate' in this bill.

"However, age appropriate could mean very different things to many different parents. For example, this bill requires that the people teaching this sex education in our schools have to teach contraception. And I can tell you that I have a very large religious community in my district and they don't even teach their kids that, because they don't believe in it. So while I'm open-minded myself, I am just expressing the views of the parents that send their kids to these schools.

"The other concern that I had last year, I asked the same question in the Finance Committee. I said, since there are parents that may have beliefs that the rest of the society do not believe in, are you contacting these parents to specifically tell them ahead of time, what their children will be taught? And they had promised to get that information to me, and I've asked it several times during the Session last year and they never gave that information to me to prove that they're actually doing that. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. With reservations. I have some of the similar concerns. I just look at the list of testifiers. I don't see any parent organizations there. I don't see any church groups there. So I think that we're leaving out a large segment of our society. Maybe the teachings are great. But I haven't seen what it is. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Also with reservations. Considering that the proponents of the bill have offered to capitulate with age appropriate education. My concern is that their recognition of what is appropriate for a certain age is contradictory to what many parents would feel. I know that in Massachusetts, a number of students as young as kindergartners are being taught the use of condoms, mutual masturbation, and even 'fisting'. If you don't know what that is, you can look it up.

"But this is inappropriate but there are some people, and the supporters of this bill will say that it's absolutely appropriate for a six year old to learn about mutual masturbation and some other things like that. I don't think it is appropriate and I'd like to keep some of these groups out of our schools."

Representative Cabanilla rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I stand in strong support of this measure. This argument about age appropriate can last for '40 days and 40 nights'. But I believe that we have our Department of Education that looks at this. And other members in the community that would look at what age appropriate sex education would be. But to close a long discussion about what is appropriate and not appropriate is for us to look at the bigger picture. This is something that we need for our youth. We deal with diseases like venereal diseases, AIDS, and so on. And unwanted pregnancy.

"I don't think that we need to mandate sex education in our class. We just have to believe that our leadership in this subject matter can come out appropriate to the most of us. We can never come to a 100% agreement on this matter. But I think that we should go with what we think is best for most of us. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Stonebraker rose to respond, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I would like to close by mentioning that one of the primary proponents of this bill, the ACLU, is notorious for its protection of pedophiles. Thank you."

Representative Lee rose in support of the measure and asked that her written remarks be inserted in the Journal, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Lee's written remarks are as follows:

"Mr. Speaker, I rise in support of HB 2060 relating to medically accurate sex information.

"Each year a million American teens become pregnant and approximately half of all teenagers ages 14 to 18 have engaged in sexual intercourse. Two-thirds of the girls who have engaged in sexual intercourse in this age group become pregnant unintentionally.

"The incidence of sexually transmitted diseases has been increasing for the first time in over a decade. One quarter of all new STD cases occur in the adolescent population.

"While abstinence is the best way to avoid pregnancy and STD's, research indicates encouraging abstinence is not the most effective way to reduce pregnancies and the spread of STD's. Surgeon General David Satcher's 2001 report, "Call to Action to Promote Sexual Health and Responsible Sexual Behavior," stressed the importance of accurate information about sex and its possible consequences in addition to encouraging our youth to abstain from sexual intercourse.

"HB 2060 requires that any recipient of State funds that provides information or programs about sex, family planning, pregnancy or sexually transmitted diseases must not only present information on the benefits of abstinence, but must also provide accurate information about contraception and its role in preventing pregnancy and the spread of STD's including HIV/AIDS. To minimize unwanted pregnancies and the abortions that often follow and the spread of STD's we owe our youth the best information available.

"Mahalo Mr. Speaker, for the time. I encourage my colleagues to vote yes on this measure."

Representative Sonson rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"In strong support. I would like the record to reflect that I'm adopting the words of the Representative from Lower Waipahu, Upper Ewa as my own," and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative B. Oshiro rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"In support, Mr. Speaker. Just very briefly to counter some of the prior comments. I believe one of the testifiers, the ACLU's mission is actually to stand for the constitutional rights of everyone. Whoever it is. And it doesn't necessarily have anything to do with pedophiles. Thank you."

The Chair then stated:

"Members, we've had a lot of discussion on this. It's going to be referred to the Committee on Judiciary. For those members who are part of the Committee, you've heard the discussion on Second Reading. So with the input that you have, I hope you'll come up with a better bill as we move into Third Reading."

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

"I'd like to just register reservations and put in a request that information be given to us on what the medically accurate information is."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2060, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second

Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representative Pine voting no.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 21-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2082, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Education.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2082, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR SCHOOL-BASED SUBSTANCE ABUSE TREATMENT FOR MIDDLE SCHOOLS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Education.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 22-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2095, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Education.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2095, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Education, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"On Standing Committee Report 22-06, I rise with reservations. I just noticed, unless it's incorrect, the Committee Referral just says Health. My question would be, if the intent is to ask our schools to provide suntan lotion, it's going to have a cost. And so it's not referred to Finance.

"The other thing is, if a child does get skin cancer, can they go back and say, 'Well, gee, the schools didn't provide adequate sun care protection.' So are we now creating a liability situation? So I just want to bring that up to the Members and if it is only going to the Health Committee, you know I have some concerns. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2095, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUN PROTECTION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Education.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 23-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2045, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Higher Education.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2045, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERINATAL CARE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Higher Education.

Representatives Kanoho and Abinsay, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Agriculture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 24-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2146, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2146, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representatives Kanoho and Abinsay, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Agriculture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 25-06) recommending that

H.B. No. 2145, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Tourism & Culture.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2145, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL TOURISM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Tourism & Culture.

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 26-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2619, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2619, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representatives Arakaki and Sonson, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 27-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2375, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2375, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR THE DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES DIVISION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representatives Arakaki and Sonson, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 28-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2377, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2377, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR EARLY INTERVENTION SERVICES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representatives Arakaki and Sonson, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 29-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2378, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2378, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII EARLY INTERVENTION COORDINATING COUNCIL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 30-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2076, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2076, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MINORS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No.

31-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1952, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1952, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

#### **SUSPENSION OF RULES**

On motion by Representative B. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the rules were suspended for the purpose of considering a bill on Third Reading on the basis of a modified consent calendar.

#### **THIRD READING**

##### **H.B. No. 1859, HD 1:**

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, H.B. No. 1859, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Third Reading by a vote of 51 ayes.

At 12:27 o'clock p.m., the Chair noted that H.B. No. 1859, HD 1, passed Third Reading.

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Representative Shimabukuro: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'd just like to announce that the Legal Aid Society of Hawaii will be having a reception today from 4 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 329. So if you all can make it. Thank you."

Representative Finnegan: "Thank you Mr. Speaker. In your trays you have a pin and it reminds you to 'Go Red For Women' tomorrow. Please wear red in support for women and heart disease. Wear it tomorrow whether you're a woman or you're a man. Thank you."

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

At 12:28 o'clock p.m. on motion by Representative B. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon, tomorrow, Friday, February 3, 2006.



## ELEVENTH DAY

Friday, February 3, 2006

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Third Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2006, convened at 12:05 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by former Representative Nobu Yonamine, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representative Halford, who was excused.

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

## GOVERNOR'S MESSAGES

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 216 and 217) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 216, dated January 24, 2006, transmitting the Natural Energy Laboratory of Hawaii Authority's 2005 Annual Report.

Gov. Msg. No. 217, dated January 26, 2006, transmitting the Department of Business, Economic Development and Tourism's 2005 Annual Report of the State of Hawaii Overseas Offices.

At 12:11 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:11 o'clock p.m.

The Chair announced:

"Before we take the Senate Communication out of turn, we are going to introductions and then call for a recess."

## INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative Cabanilla introduced Ms. Teo Gallegos of the Adult Care Home Association.

Representative Hale introduced her daughter, Mrs. Indira Hale Tucker, and son-in-law, retired judge Mr. Marcus O. Tucker of Longbeach, California.

Representative Marumoto introduced Ms. Michelle Squyer of the San Francisco State University Government Affairs Department.

Representative Takai, on behalf of Representatives Takumi and Berg, introduced and recognized members of the Hawaii State Student Council:

Ryan Hironaka, Chair; Tu Nguyen, Vice Chair; Mamelli Joy Basilio, Lobby Chair; Tiffany Lau, Deanne Sameshima, Jasmine Enos, Jessica Ogihara, Beatrice Morlan, Brittney Sutton, Hayden Atkins, Kelsey Copes-Gerbitz, Ashley-Rae Fujie, Angela Chong, Laura Layugan, Darren Ibara; and Advisor, Mr. Blain Shinno.

Representative Takai also introduced members of the 2005 Secondary Student Conference Planning Committee:

Francis Choe, Vice Chair; George Bodgen, Lobby and Political Action Chair; Jessica Au, Christopher Lee, Lindsey Nakashima,

Shyla LaVasseur, Sarah Iida, Geoffrey Kahapea, Ericson Abalos, Agustin Garcia, Cristhel Carinio, Jaelyn Mison, Vavi Domingo, Glen Bissell, Melanie Dudley, Lynn Nakagawa; and Advisors, Mr. Sean Ibara, Ms. Janice Uemori, Ms. Susan Marciel, Ms. Regina Yoshimori, Ms. Netlie Yokoyama, Ms. Glenda Joyo, Mr. Cliff Fukuda.

At 12:15 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:30 o'clock p.m.

The Chair announced:

"Prior to the recess, we had the introductions of our audience and now we would like to take up the Senate Communication."

## SENATE COMMUNICATION

The following communication from the Senate (Sen. Com. No. 3) was received and announced by the Clerk:

Sen. Com. No. 3, transmitting H.B. No. 1949, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO PROVIDE FOR THE EXPENSES OF THE LEGISLATURE, THE AUDITOR, THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU, AND THE OMBUDSMAN," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on February 2, 2006.

## SUSPENSION OF RULES

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the rules of the House be suspended for the purpose of considering a certain bill on Final Reading on the basis of a modified consent calendar, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried. (Representatives Halford, Kahikina, Kanoho, Marumoto and Saiki were excused.)

## FINAL READING

Representative M. Oshiro moved to agree to the amendments proposed by the Senate to H.B. No. 1949 (SD 1), seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried. (Representatives Halford, Kahikina, Kanoho and Saiki were excused.)

## H.B. No. 1949, SD 1:

Representative M. Oshiro moved that H.B. No. 1949, SD 1, pass Final Reading, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'm going to be voting with reservations on this bill. I know that our staffs are all waiting eagerly for this bill to pass. And I think my reservations aren't going to stop that. But one reservation that I expressed in the Finance Committee was the fact that there's a provision in this bill that appropriates \$100,000 for the Legislative Auditor to audit the Youth Correctional Center. In my mind, that was an unusual way of funding that. That should have come as a separate bill. A stand-alone bill which would have a hearing.

"In the Finance Committee, there was nobody from the Executive Branch there to speak to that. I don't think they were really even aware that that provision was in this budget. So that I just don't think that's the way we should operate. I think we should be more transparent and every bill should have a hearing. That is not the

usual part of this bill. So I felt that there wasn't enough communication to people that might want to come and testify.

"Also, two days ago when you discussed the 48 hours dealing with this bill, and the bill was on our desk. I didn't look at it. I wasn't aware that the Senate had amended the bill. In fact, it wasn't until yesterday that they passed it on Third Reading.

"I'm somewhat troubled with this bill, having to do with fairness issues. The discussion and argument on the Senate side dealt with fairness. And some of the things that came up were the fact that Senators on the Majority side had two staff people during the interim, where the 5 Republican Minority Members did not.

"So they were being funded, the Majority was being funded with an additional person to handle correspondence and to do all the kinds of things that we all have to do and with less people to help us. That to me is an issue of fairness.

"As far as the reduction that was made in the Ways and Means Committee, I don't know where that money was appropriated. I mean, who was going to receive it and for what position or whatever. But I think ..."

Representative Takai rose to a point of order, stating:

"Point of order, Mr. Speaker. Thank you. I think the speaker is speaking to something totally out of our jurisdiction. In fact, the governance of the Senate is beyond your scope as Speaker, Mr. Speaker."

The Chair then ruled:

"That's correct but it is part of the Senate Draft that we are adopting today. So please proceed, Representative Meyer."

Representative Meyer continued, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. That's absolutely right. The Draft that we sent to the Senate appropriated \$7,216,979 for the operation of the Senate. The bill that came back to us was \$340,000 less.

"There is no explanation in the Committee Report as to what that reduction was. What it represents. Because of some of the lack of fairness issues, or at least the perceived lack of fairness as we are all elected by constituents of very nearly equal numbers of constituents, it only seems proper that we should all be given the same amount of resources to do our jobs. So for those reasons, I'll be voting with reservations. Thank you, Mr. Speaker"

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I would also like to voice my reservations and include the words from the good Representative from Kahaluu. Adding to that, many of us know that it is the responsibility of the House to hold the 'purse strings'. So when it comes to spending money and allocating that to the Senate side, I'm very grateful to the previous speaker for indicating to us what may be an issue of unfairness that is going on perhaps in the Senate.

"It's important that we know that in the interim, the Minority members did not have an equal amount of staff, even though they do serve an equal amount of people. Those kinds of things are very important for us as we vote on these because all of us hope to have a fair and equitable means of funding for every Representative regardless of Party. For those reasons, I'm very grateful that this has come to light. Thank you."

Representative Pine rose in support of the measure with reservations, and asked that the remarks of Representatives Meyer and Stonebraker be entered in the Journal as her own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Finnegan rose in support of the measure with reservations, and asked that the remarks of Representatives Meyer and Stonebraker be entered in the Journal as her own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

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

"Mr. Speaker, I will also vote with reservations. I always stand up for parity. I would like to have the words of the Minority Floor Leader incorporated as my own," and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

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

"Mr. Speaker, with reservations and the same request," and the Chair "so ordered."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Also with reservations for the same reasons."

Representative Moses rose in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. With reservations and the words of the previous speakers. Thank you."

Representative Chong rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I rise in support. To the comments raised by the Representative from Kahaluu in regard to the audit for the Youth Correctional Facility, I think we need to do the audit. The audit is in my district. Its operations clearly affect the well-being of my community, especially in terms of security. I don't see a need to wait to have that audit."

Representative Luke rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Just briefly in support. I also wanted to speak a little bit about the audit for HYCF. Mr. Speaker, the notion that there was no awareness on behalf of the Administration is not true. Whether they knew it when the House Committee heard it. You know, it's irrelevant by the fact that when it went over to the Senate, it was clearly in the budget.

"If the Administration wanted to come and object to the audit, they could have come in front of the Senate Committee. Since we heard that bill, we have heard nothing from the Administration whether anybody objected to the audit.

"The second thing is in August 2005, the Department of Justice came down with a very scathing report of the HYCF and the administration of the HYCF. For us to float a bill as opposed to doing something on behalf of the Legislature would be absurd, because then we would be losing five months before we can actually act and find out more clearly what's going on. I think we need to act now. We need to act fast.

"In the meantime, the ACLU continues to have battles with the HYCF administration and the Lingle Administration. We continue to have abuse at HYCF. That's not something that we should be happy with and just allow it to go on.

"It's also not true that something like this has never happened before. We have done this in a serious situation like the Felix situation. Thank you."

Representative Moses rose to respond, stating:

"Thank you Mr. Speaker. I just ask the previous speaker to present to me the documented proof of the abuses. Thank you."

The Chair then stated:

"Thank you very much. She will, after."

Representative Pine rose to respond, stating:

"Yes, Mr. Speaker. I thank the previous speakers for the comments. I just want to make it clear that the Members of the Minority are not against this audit. We believe it's a very serious problem going on with the teenagers and the students there. We're just concerned about the process, Mr. Speaker. We want everything to be transparent here.

"And also, there's also very serious problems like homelessness and people that are losing their families for various reasons. I say we speed all those things up and pass all those things right now. Instead of waiting five months to house these people. Thank you."

Representative Ching rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Stonebraker rose to respond, stating:

"Very briefly, Mr. Speaker. We do agree that an audit of the Youth Correctional Facilities is in order. However, it is surprising that when it comes to light, that a Body counter to us, being a bicameral Legislature here, the Body on the other side. When it comes to light that there has been some injustice as far as funding of positions, it's rather surprising to find no reservations on the part of this Body from the other side of the isle. We don't want to make an issue of this.

"However, it should be something that upon coming to light, that the Senate has had some questionable practices in the past. It would be forthcoming to have a little reservation about that. I'm sure many of the people in this Body were not aware of what was going on, on that side. But now that it is brought up ..."

Representative M. Oshiro rose to a point of order, stating:

"Point of order, Mr. Speaker. I believe the remarks by the current speaker are not germane to this bill before us. The process and procedures of the Body on the other side are not relevant to the discussion in the House Chamber."

The Chair then stated:

"Thank you very much. Representative Stonebraker, could you confine your remarks."

Representative Stonebraker continued, stating:

"Well, pertaining to the spending, the funding, which is primarily the duty of the House. We let the money go. Now if I gave money to my children and I say, this is only to purchase such and such a thing. If I learn that they have purchased other things, I'm going to be concerned the next time that allocate money in that direction.

"So in light of that, finding out that there has been some lack of parity on the other side, I would think that this Body would show some reservation when it comes to voting on this. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and H.B. No. 1949, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO PROVIDE FOR THE EXPENSES OF THE LEGISLATURE, THE AUDITOR, THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU, AND THE OMBUDSMAN," passed Final

Reading by a vote of 48 aye with Representatives Halford, Kanoho and Saiki being excused.

At 12:42 o'clock p.m., the Chair noted that H.B. No. 1949, SD 1, passed Final Reading.

## ORDER OF THE DAY

### COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

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

#### H.B. Nos.

#### Re-referred to:

112, HD1	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs and the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
296	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2082	Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2145, HD1	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Tourism & Culture
2269	Committee on Finance
2444, HD1	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
2606	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2683	Committee on Housing, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
2699	Jointly to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment and the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2705	Committee on Judiciary
2769	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
2854	Committee on Judiciary
2902	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

### STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representatives Takumi and Ito, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 32-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2183, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2183, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY SHELTERS," passed Second

Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Halford, Kanoho and Saiki being excused.

Representatives Takumi and Arakaki, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 33-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2212, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2212, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. With reservations. The Department of Education had some concerns in regards to the definition of expunge, that I thought was very important to lay out what that will mean. So as we move forward with this bill, just keep that in mind. I know that it's going to Judiciary so I will wait till then. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2212, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUBSTANCE ABUSE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Halford, Kanoho and Saiki being excused.

Representatives Takumi and Arakaki, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 34-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2213, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2213, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR SUBSTANCE ABUSE ASSESSMENTS FOR UNINSURED STUDENTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Halford, Kanoho and Saiki being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 35-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2132, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2132, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO ACQUIRE REAL PROPERTY IN WAHIAWA, OAHU," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Halford, Kanoho and Saiki being excused.

Representatives Kanoho and Abinsay, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Agriculture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 36-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1938, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1938, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Halford, Kanoho and Saiki being excused.

Representatives Kanoho and Karamatsu, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 37-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2135, as amended in

HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2135, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMINENT DOMAIN," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Halford, Kanoho and Saiki being excused.

Representative Sonson, for the Committee on Human Services presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 38-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2078, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2078, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"On 38-06, I rise with reservations. As I read this bill, I see two sections to it. There is just one that I have a concern with. And that is: 'Requiring the cost of fostered child's motor vehicle insurance shall be paid by the natural parents.'

"I believe that parents can tell a child, you know if you want to drive a car, you have to go work at McDonald's or whatever and raise the money. Then you can maybe drive a car and you can pay for your motor vehicle insurance. I'm kind of surprised that we're telling parents they have to pay for their child's motor vehicle insurance. So that's my reservation. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2078, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOSTER CHILDREN," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Halford, Kanoho and Saiki being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 39-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2325, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2325, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MONEYS FOR DISASTER PREPAREDNESS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Halford, Kanoho and Saiki being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 40-06) recommending that H.B. No. 112, as amended in HD 1, be adopted, passed, and recommitted to the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs for further consideration.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 112, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY," was adopted, passed, and recommitted to the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs for further consideration with Representatives Halford, Kanoho, Morita and Saiki being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 41-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2444, as amended in HD 1, be adopted,

passed, and recommitted to the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs for further consideration.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2444, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY," was adopted, passed, and recommitted to the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs for further consideration with Representatives Halford, Kanoho, Morita and Saiki being excused.

### INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

By unanimous consent, the following concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 16 and 17) were referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.C.R. No. 16, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING APPROPRIATE SAFEGUARDS BE INSTITUTED IN HEALTH CARE FACILITIES TO MINIMIZE THE OCCURRENCE OF MUSCULOSKELETAL INJURIES SUFFERED BY NURSES," was jointly offered by Representatives Lee, Cabanilla, Evans, Shimabukuro, Takumi, Tsuji, Caldwell, Green, Herkes, Kanoho, Kawakami, Nakasone, Schatz, Souki, Takamine and Tanaka.

H.C.R. No. 17, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE GOAL OF ELIMINATING SUFFERING AND DEATH FROM CANCER BY THE YEAR 2015," was jointly offered by Representatives Lee, Arakaki, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Evans, Green, Herkes, Shimabukuro, Souki, Takumi, Tsuji, Kanoho, Kawakami, Nakasone, Schatz, Takamine and Tanaka.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Finnegan: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. As you know, a lot of us are wearing Red for Women today in regards to heart disease. I just wanted to bring awareness to one situation. That is, if you are experiencing pains in your chest, neck, arms, or that sort of things, and please let your elderly parents know that one of the things that I've learned through my husband, who's a fire captain at Kuakini Station, is that you should always call 911 first before trying to call a doctor, or call a family member or anything like that, because those minutes will count. So that's a very important piece of information. I would like to pass it on to Dr. Green to talk a little bit more about the 'Go Red For Women' Day."

Representative Green: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Thank you, Minority Leader. It's an important day because what we're really talking about is, half of our population who, just like the men have heart attacks, have cardiovascular problems, and they have real needs for care.

"Historically, research was done on men. That's something that is really good to know. For many decades, dating well back into our previous centuries, the way we did scientific research, especially in cardiovascular problems, was we had study groups that were only composed of men. Actually, white men for the most part. So what we learned over the years, as far as heart health goes was mostly how best to treat men. Cardiovascular disease in women isn't exactly the same disease as it is in men. We still have to be careful about smoking. We all have to be careful about our diets and all the other risk factors. But there are different presentations. So it's really good that we're addressing this today.

"Finally, Mr. Speaker and colleagues, several people came up to me and they wanted to know if I would say something specifically about a dear colleague of ours. I went to our colleague, Helène Hale

and asked her. She gave me permission to make a statement about her health.

"Cardiovascular fitness, vascular fitness in general, affects all of the blood vessels of the body. I just wanted to say, I'm proud to see that one of our colleagues, who has worked through a health problem, is recovering and is contributing to us in an extraordinary fashion, is here with us today having experienced some of these problems that we're honoring today by wearing red and talking about the issue. So I really think it's a good and honorable thing that we're doing today to bring special awareness to cardiovascular disease in women. Particularly in honor of Representative Hale"

Speaker Say: "The Chair has an announcement to make to all of you. I realize tomorrow, we'll be having a lot of Committee hearings. If there is no quorum, Chairs and Vice Chairs, you could defer decision making to the following hearing date and notice that you present to this Body. So you all realize on your desk, the number of hearings on Saturday.

"The Higher Education Committee will be going to the Big Island. For those who aren't going, just be aware that no decision making can occur if there is no quorum."

Representative Lee: "Mr. Speaker, could I just ask that all the women briefly remain in the Chamber for a photo opportunity immediately following the adjournment. Thank you."

### ADJOURNMENT

At 12:49 o'clock p.m. on motion by Representative B. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon, Monday, February 6, 2006. (Representatives Halford, Kanoho, Morita, Saiki and Souki were excused.)

## TWELFTH DAY

Monday, February 6, 2006

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Third Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2006, convened at 12:07 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered in song by Ms. Traci Toguchi, legislative aide to Representative Nishimoto and former Miss Hawaii, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Carroll and Souki, who were excused.

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

## GOVERNOR'S MESSAGES

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 218 and 219) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 218, dated January 23, 2006, transmitting the Hawaii Community Development Authority's Annual Report for fiscal year ending June 30, 2005.

Gov. Msg. No. 219, dated January 24, 2006, transmitting the Hawaii Strategic Development Corporation's 2005 Annual Report.

## MISCELLANEOUS COMMUNICATION

The following miscellaneous communication (Misc. Com. No. 9) was received by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Misc. Com. No. 9, dated January 27, 2006, from Thomas M. Driskill, Jr., President/CEO, Hawaii Health Systems Corporation, transmitting the report relating to a feasibility study to expand the Program of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE) to rural communities in Hawaii.

## ORDER OF THE DAY

## COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

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

<u>H.B. Nos.</u>	<u>Re-referred to:</u>
937	Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2179	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
2558	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
3005	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
3146	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
3147	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance

3210 Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance

3217 Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

## STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 42-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2129, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2129, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMALL BOAT HARBORS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Carroll and Souki being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 43-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1939, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1939, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Carroll and Souki being excused.

Representatives Kanoho and Magaoay, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Legislative Management presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 44-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2112, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2112, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Yes, Mr. Speaker. Please note my reservations. I do believe that the sale of public lands for private purposes is very, very important and should be considered. But I believe that we should move very cautiously with this particular bill. Just to make sure that the implications throughout the State are fully considered. Thank you very much."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I also have reservations. I noticed it's directed toward HCDA primarily. Not only do they have the Kakaako Project, but they have projects in Kalaheo. So I have some concerns. Thank you."

Representative Pine rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2112, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Carroll and Souki being excused.

Representative Sonson, for the Committee on Human Services presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 45-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2070, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2070, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A COMMISSION ON FATHERHOOD," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Carroll and Souki being excused.

Representative Sonson, for the Committee on Human Services presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 46-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2071, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2071, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE COMMISSION ON FATHERHOOD," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Carroll and Souki being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 47-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2346, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2346, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION ELECTRICITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Carroll and Souki being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 48-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2347, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2347, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION STUDENT TRANSPORTATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Carroll and Souki being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 49-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2713, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2713, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR KAWAIAHAO SCHOOL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Carroll and Souki being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 50-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2987, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2987, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR SAINT LOUIS SCHOOL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Carroll and Souki being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 51-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2128, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2128, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGH TECHNOLOGY EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment with Representatives Carroll and Souki being excused.

Representative Sonson, for the Committee on Human Services presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 52-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2069, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2069, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY SERVICE CENTERS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Carroll and Souki being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 53-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2879, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2879, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH INSURANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Carroll and Souki being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 54-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2443, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2443, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT ASSISTANCE COMPACT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Carroll and Souki being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 55-06) recommending that H.B. No. 296, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 296, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Mr. Speaker, I have reservations on this measure. It's a beautiful measure. However, it excludes those qualified residents from the Army Reserve who are also faithful citizens and patriotic members of



our society. I think they should be included. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 296, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TUITION ASSISTANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Carroll and Souki being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 56-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3126, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3126, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RAPID IDENTIFICATION DOCUMENTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Carroll and Souki being excused.

Representative Kahikina, for the Committee on Housing presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 57-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1981, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1981, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEASEHOLD CONVERSION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Carroll and Souki being excused.

Representative Kahikina, for the Committee on Housing presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 58-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2567, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2567, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Carroll and Souki being excused.

Representative Kahikina, for the Committee on Housing presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 59-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2934, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2934, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOMELESS VETERANS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs with Representatives Carroll and Souki being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 60-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2449, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2449, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS PERTAINING TO THE CIVIL AIR PATROL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Carroll and Souki being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 61-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2447, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2447, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE HAWAII CIVIL AIR PATROL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Carroll and Souki being excused.

Representative Abinsay, for the Committee on Agriculture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 62-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2177, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2177, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE VII, SECTION 12, OF THE HAWAII STATE CONSTITUTION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Carroll and Souki being excused.

Representative Abinsay, for the Committee on Agriculture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 63-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2178, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2178, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Carroll and Souki being excused.

Representative Abinsay, for the Committee on Agriculture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 64-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2772, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2772, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROPERTY DAMAGE TO AGRICULTURAL AND AQUACULTURAL PROPERTY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Carroll and Souki being excused.

Representative Abinsay, for the Committee on Agriculture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 65-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2774, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2774, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Carroll and Souki being excused.

Representative Abinsay, for the Committee on Agriculture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 66-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2775, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2775, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading and was



referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Carroll and Souki being excused.

Representative Abinsay, for the Committee on Agriculture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 67-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2253, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2253, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO CONVERT THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE'S ANIMAL QUARANTINE SHELTER INTO AN ANIMAL SHELTER TO BE USED DURING DISASTERS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Carroll and Souki being excused.

Representative Abinsay, for the Committee on Agriculture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 68-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2272, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2272, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE LOANS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Carroll and Souki being excused.

Representative Abinsay, for the Committee on Agriculture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 69-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2771, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2771, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR AN AGRICULTURAL PARK IN ROYAL KUNIA," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Carroll and Souki being excused.

Representative Karamatsu, for the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 70-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1924, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Higher Education.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1924, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR SMALL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Higher Education with Representatives Carroll and Souki being excused.

Representative Karamatsu, for the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 71-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3069, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3069, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO USE OF BIOLOGICAL RESOURCES COLLECTED IN HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs with Representatives Carroll and Souki being excused.

Representative Karamatsu, for the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns presented a report (Stand. Com.

Rep. No. 72-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2957, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2957, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR SURVEY AND ENGINEERING DESIGN FEES FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF AN INDUSTRIAL PARK AT MANA, HILO, HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Carroll and Souki being excused.

Representative Karamatsu, for the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 73-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1968, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1968, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Carroll and Souki being excused.

Representative Karamatsu, for the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 74-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2707, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2707, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OUTDOOR ADVERTISING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Carroll and Souki being excused.

Representative Karamatsu, for the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 75-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2708, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2708, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADVERTISING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Carroll and Souki being excused.

Representative Abinsay, for the Committee on Agriculture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 76-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2777, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2777, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LEASES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Carroll and Souki being excused.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Harbin: "Mr. Speaker, I'd like to make my first announcement. That would be an announcement of absolute dismay at the inability of us to pay our employees their checks on Friday. I just cannot fathom being a leader and hiring staff and to have them wait since January 3rd to get a paycheck; hit the stagger, and then suddenly sit in the office until 5:30 p.m. to find they are not getting paid. And I as their leader was not told about this until I saw it in the paper the next day. I am embarrassed and I need to say, 'shame on

us, shame on the Chief Clerk, and shame on the Office of the Speaker.' Thank you."

Speaker Say: "Thank you very much. Your point is well taken."

Representative Caldwell: "Brief announcement. You know last week Friday, Betty Friedan passed away, the author of *Feminine Mystique*. Today they're having a memorial service for her at Riverside Drive in Manhattan. For some of us, for example, maybe the Representative from Kaimuki/Kapahulu wasn't born when *Feminine Mystique* was written. It really helped change the world of women in our country. It resulted in great progress in terms of women in business, women in politics, our current Governor has benefited from what Betty Friedan started. Hopefully we'll see it in further progress. There's much more that needs to be done.

"I thought it could be appropriate at this time to have a moment of silence for Betty Friedan and reflect on what she's done for our country. Thank you very much, Mr. Speaker."

At this time, the House of Representatives stood for a moment of silence in memory of *Feminine Mystique* author, Ms. Betty Friedan.

Representative Cabanilla: "Mr. Speaker, I would like to rise in defense of all of us and the Clerk, as well as for you. I believe the reason why our staff didn't get paid last Friday is because the Executive Order wasn't signed, because the Governor was out of town. I believe the Lt. Governor was in the building. I was just wondering how come the measure to allow our staff to get paid wasn't executed. I stand corrected if I'm wrong with my assumption. But from what I was told, that was the cause of why my staff as well, didn't get paid. Thank you."

Representative Arakaki: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. The Committee of Health will be reconvening at 1:00 p.m. in Conference Room 329 for the purpose of hearing one last bill on our agenda and also to make decisions on the measures that we heard in the morning. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Karamatsu: "Your Members of the Economic Development & Business Concerns Committee and Labor Committee will reconvene in Room 423 at 2:15 p.m."

Representative Pine: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Not to continue in this conversation but I just wanted to make clear that it has nothing to do with the Governor. I think it has everything to do with a particular legislative Body here. I'll talk to Representative Cabanilla about what happened there."

#### ADJOURNMENT

At 12:19 o'clock p.m. on motion by Representative B. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon, tomorrow, Tuesday, February 7, 2006. (Representative Carroll was excused.)

## THIRTEENTH DAY

Tuesday, February 7, 2006

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Third Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2006, convened at 12:06 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Ms. Nicole Valentini from Saint Elizabeth School, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representative Souki, who was excused.

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

## GOVERNOR'S MESSAGES

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 220 through 222) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 220, dated February 3, 2006, transmitting the Report Pursuant to Section 3 of Act 213, Session Laws of Hawaii 2005 (Regular Session), Requiring a Report by the Student Substance Abuse Assessment and Treatment Advisory Task Force.

Gov. Msg. No. 221, dated February 3, 2006, transmitting the Report Pursuant to Section 321-195, Hawaii Revised Statutes, Requiring a Report by the Department of Health on Implementation of the State Plan for Substance Abuse.

Gov. Msg. No. 222, informing the House that on February 4, 2006, the following bill was signed into law:

H.B. 1949, SD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO PROVIDE FOR THE EXPENSES OF THE LEGISLATURE, THE AUDITOR, THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU, AND THE OMBUDSMAN." (ACT 001)

## DEPARTMENTAL COMMUNICATION

The following departmental communication (Dept. Com. No. 53) was received by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Dept. Com. No. 53, dated January 23, 2006, from the Department of Health, transmitting corrected copies for their responses to SCR 109, SD 1, REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO MAKE EDUCATIONAL MATERIALS AVAILABLE, IN WRITTEN AND ELECTRONIC FORM, ON THE PREVENTION, DIAGNOSIS, AND TREATMENT OF HEPATITIS C TO PHYSICIANS, OTHER HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS, VETERANS, AND OTHER PERSONS AT HIGH RISK FOR HEPATITIS C; and SCR 227, SD 1, HD 1, CREATING A PLANNING TASK FORCE FOR THE HEALTHY START PROGRAM.

## INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative B. Oshiro introduced Ms. Nicole Valentini, an 8th grade student at Saint Elizabeth School who delivered today's invocation. She was accompanied by her father, Mr. David Valentini, and Saint Elizabeth School Vice Principal, Ms. Pamela Falasco.

Representative Cabanilla introduced students from the Friendship Christian School in Ewa Beach. They were accompanied by their teacher, Ms. Rhoda McGuire; and parent, Ms. Lisa Ramos.

Representative Magaoay introduced staff members of the Waialua Public Library: Mr. Tim Littlejohn, Library Branch Manager, Ms. Leta Mamizuku, and Ms. Toni Albios; and members of the Friends of Wailua Library: Ms. Marge Russell, President, Ms. Petie McManus, Ms. Alice Stanley, Ms. Donna Nathanson, Ms. Pam Goodman-Kilmer, Ms. Evangeline Goodman-Kilmer, Mr. Wayne Delventhal, and Ms. Elaine Delventhal.

Representative Chang introduced friends from Florida, Mr. Fred Frankel, Chairman of the Board of the Trade Center Development Corporation; Mr. Ed Oppel, Head of Construction of the Baltimore Inner Harbor Project and Developer of the National Aquarium; and Mr. Randy Avon, Chief Executive Officer of the World Trade Center.

## ORDER OF THE DAY

## COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

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

<u>H.B. Nos.</u>	<u>Re-referred to:</u>
2192	Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary
2605	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2743	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
2803	Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Finance
3034	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
3139	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
3140	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance

## STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representatives Morita and Kanoho, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection and the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 77-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1706, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1706, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Harbin rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"I'd like to state into the Journal that this bill, and I'm speaking against the bill, Sir. In opposition. I would like to state my opposition into the Journal that this bill may be fatally flawed in that

the Chair of the EEP Committee inappropriately inserted me as voting on the Energy Committee, which I did not. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1706, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM ENVIRONMENTAL COVENANTS ACT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representative Harbin voting no, and with Representatives Chang and Souki being excused.

Representatives Sonson and Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 78-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2043, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2043, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAID," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang and Souki being excused.

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 79-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2620, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2620, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Chang and Souki being excused.

Representative Chang, for the Committee on Tourism & Culture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 80-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1923, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1923, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Chang and Souki being excused.

Representative Chang, for the Committee on Tourism & Culture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 81-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1922, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1922, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL EXCISE TAX," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang and Souki being excused.

Representative Chang, for the Committee on Tourism & Culture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 82-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2669, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2669, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONVENTION CENTER ENTERPRISE SPECIAL FUND," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang and Souki being excused.

Representative Chang, for the Committee on Tourism & Culture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 83-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2668, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2668, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOURISM RESEARCH AND STATISTICS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang and Souki being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 84-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2753, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2753, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MUTUAL BENEFIT SOCIETIES," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Chang and Souki being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 85-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2813, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2813, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE FOR DISABLED CHILDREN," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Chang and Souki being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented two reports:

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 86-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2670, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce; and

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 87-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2103, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Higher Education.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the reports of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2670, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce; and H.B. No. 2103, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Higher Education, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Evans rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her on both measures, and the Chair "so ordered."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Please note me having reservations on 86 and 87. And just short comments. I am currently a part of the Health Task Force. I know that we are expecting a report come either mid-February hopefully, or the ending of February. I'd like to see where that goes before we move forward. Thank you."

Representative Meyer rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her on both measures, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ching rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her on both measures, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Pine rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her on both measures, and the Chair "so ordered."

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

"I'd like to register a no vote on both of these please, Mr. Speaker. I'm sure that we'll have a lot of debate on these coming up. We will see these in their future Committees. But this is of course to create the Hawaii Health Authority and for Universal Health Care, to study it. Mr. Speaker, to summarize, this has been studied all over the world in different countries where it's failing. I think it would be disastrous.

"In its current form, \$1 is allocated. We can save the trouble of passing this bill. I'll give a dollar here to end it. But Mr. Speaker, this is bad idea. And it comes up every year. If you want the health care system to look like the DMV, then this is the bill to do it. But I think it's a bad idea. Thank you."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker, in support. These two bills, we want them to keep moving because we are, as the Minority Leader stated, in the process of a good dialogue to look at whether our system needs to be changed. In some countries around the world, it has benefited the people greatly."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker, reservations on both measures. You know, maybe Universal Health Care is good for some countries, but how come they're all trying to come here? Thank you."

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

"Mr. Speaker, I stand in support of this measure. Our health care system is at stake in this State. We are plagued with the high cost of health care. So studying this measure or other measures, it's worthwhile. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the reports of the Committee were adopted and H.B. No. 2670, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representative Stonebraker voting no, and with Representatives Chang and Souki being excused; and

H.B. No. 2103, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Higher Education with Representative Stonebraker voting no, and with Representatives Chang and Souki being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 88-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2162, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Higher Education.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee

was adopted and H.B. No. 2162, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RURAL HEALTH CARE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Higher Education with Representatives Chang and Souki being excused.

Representative Magaoay, for the Committee on Legislative Management presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 89-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2259, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2259, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Sonson rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"On page 4. Yes, a quick comment in support of Stand. Com. 89-06. Mr. Speaker, you might have noticed a huge headline in the newspapers this Saturday. \$100 million was brought into the State. Mr. Speaker, by just looking at that, it seems that there are millions of dollars coming into the State. We probably have no idea where it's going and how it's being used.

"The current Administration has greatly impacted the amount of money, federal funds, that are coming in. And it's terrific. However, the body, which has been established, the Legislative Auditor, which is the body I think that we need at this point; because we need to be sure that the money that's coming in, the federal funds that are coming in, will be spent wisely.

"Let me tell you one thing that has been done that presents the concern that will be resolved by this. Mr. Speaker, \$100 million is actually brought here because there is now an obligation of the State to continue. We have no choice on it because we have been obligated, unilaterally by the Administration to a contract with the federal government. But we must continue.

"Indeed we have been subsidizing the federally qualified health centers, and we've been willing to do so. However Mr. Speaker, the Legislature has not had anything to say regarding the continued funding over 6 years, which made this amount of federal funds coming in. Moreover, Mr. Speaker, the money that is going to be brought in within the next 6 years, \$50 million every year seems to be targeted to be distributed to private hospitals.

"Again, Mr. Speaker, federal funds are coming into the State. The Legislature at this point has no say in how it's being distributed. We don't know whether or not the programs being funded by these funds are the best. We don't know whether or not we're getting the best bang, I've always wanted to say this, for the buck.

"So, Mr. Speaker, funding these positions that has been created, as the Legislative Analyst, is wise. It's again, in adopting words from the Administration, it's not going to cost the State anything because it's going to be federally funded. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Finnegan rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker, in support. I just wanted to make a couple comments in regards to these federal funds. Yes, these federal funds should be credited to the hard work of the Administration because they've been working very hard to get us these additional funds.

"We've seen a lot of positive affects from that in regards to making payments to some of these private hospitals who take care of our Medicaid clients. So I definitely think that we're heading in the right direction. I don't think that there's ever been a time, at least I haven't been a part of any conversation, memos, or letters that have said that the Administration does not want any guidance, leadership, from the

Legislature. So I will stand in support of this measure. But I definitely think that that ability is already there. Thank you."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'm rising with some reservations on this measure. I noticed in the Committee Report it says, 'the purpose of this bill is to take steps, to activate the dormant office', dormant office at the Legislative Analyst. So for many years, we have had no need for this position.

"My concern is that because we have a surplus, we're finding ways to spend it. I believe that the present Administration has, at least in some of the departments, the Department of Human Services, they have maximized the use of the federal money. I think each department; it's their responsibility to account for the federal money. They are working in that arena day in and day out. I just question the needs of this. So that's the reason for my reservations. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2259, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OFFICE OF THE LEGISLATIVE ANALYST," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang and Souki being excused.

Representative Magaoay, for the Committee on Legislative Management presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 90-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2712, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2712, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE PREPARATION OF THE 2050 SUSTAINABILITY PLAN," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang and Souki being excused.

Representative Magaoay, for the Committee on Legislative Management presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 91-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1917, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1917, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AMENDMENTS TO THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION RELATING TO THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A SALARY COMMISSION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Chang and Souki being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 92-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2398, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2398, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII OCEAN AND COASTAL COUNCIL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang and Souki being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 93-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2395, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2395, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROTECTION OF FOREST RESERVES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Chang and Souki being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 94-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2133, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2133, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE NATURAL AREA RESERVE SYSTEM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Chang and Souki being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 95-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2138, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2138, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"I'm sorry Mr. Speaker. I'm a little slow on the uptake. Just quickly on Stand. Com. Report Number 95. I would just like to register with reservations. I'll just withhold my comments for Third Reading. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2138, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Chang and Souki being excused.

Representatives Takumi and Sonson, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Human Services presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 96-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2364, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2364, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD ABUSE OR NEGLECT REPORTING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Chang and Souki being excused.

Representatives Sonson and Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 97-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3130, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 3130, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I rise with deep reservations on Stand. Com. Report 97. This bill, I have said, and I suppose it's an old issue that comes up every year. It has a wonderful intent in protecting children. However, what I find difficult with the bill as written right

now is that it does not take into account the whole picture. At the crux of it is the anonymity.

"On page 2 of the bill it says, anonymity, confidentiality, and freedom from prosecution for parents may encourage them to leave the newborn infant at a suitably safe place. There's speculation as to what encourages someone to abandon their baby at any given place. But the problem with the anonymity part of that is that it causes many problems down on the line because it forever severs the relationship of that parent and child, and the ramifications as you know are medical. You can see there is no medical history required or asked for in this bill. The medical history can change. Then if you can't find the parent or the child, and you're in need of plasma or bone marrow, or such, of course can't find the person. So that kind of defeats the purpose.

"Secondarily, what does not change? Medical conditions change. Some people don't know they're going to get diabetes in ten years. But they might. What doesn't change is people's identity, their ethnic background, their genetics. So we're finding that many diseases are oriented towards what particular ethnic group you might come from. So as it's written, I still have problems as it is written. But I will go with reservations because of the intent. Thank you."

Representative Moses rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Arakaki rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. In strong support of this measure. I just want to note that now, we're just one of five States that don't have some type of safe haven or safety net provisions. Really, this really is a life saving measure. Even if it only saves one life, I think it'll be worth it.

"I also want to note that, although I didn't have a chance to talk to my colleague from Liliha, last year, we did make some amendments. The current bill reflects those amendments to allow the personnel at the hospital, fire station, or police station; although they may not inquire as to the identity of the person leaving the newborn child, they can inform the person that the information may be voluntarily put forth regarding any medical history, including major illnesses or disease. It also allows the personnel to ask the person leaving the newborn child, about the history of the child.

"So I think we need to keep the fact that the information has to be confidential, unless it's volunteered. But with that, I think to the greatest extent possible, we want to be sensitive to the issues brought up by the Representative from Liliha. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative rose Finnegan and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Meyer rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3130, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD PROTECTION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Chang and Souki being excused.

Representative Abinsay, for the Committee on Agriculture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 98-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2796, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2796, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HONEY," passed Second Reading and was referred

to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Chang and Souki being excused.

Representative Abinsay, for the Committee on Agriculture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 99-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2767, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2767, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang and Souki being excused.

Representatives Abinsay and Karamatsu, for the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 100-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2769, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2769, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE ENTERPRISE ZONES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang and Souki being excused.

Representative Chang, for the Committee on Tourism & Culture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 101-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3080, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3080, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DIGITAL MEDIA," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang and Souki being excused.

## INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

By unanimous consent, the following resolution (H.R. No. 10) and concurrent resolution (H.C.R. No. 18) were referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.R. No. 10, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII TO WORK TO ABOLISH THE DEATH TAX PERMANENTLY," was offered by Representative Marumoto.

H.C.R. No. 18, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII TO WORK TO ABOLISH THE DEATH TAX PERMANENTLY," was offered by Representative Marumoto.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, requested a waiver of the 48-hour advance notification for decision making only for H.B. No. 1796, Relating to Notice. Also short form bills, H.B. No. 2972, Relating to Electrical Licensing, and H.B. No. 3605, Relating to Cable. Proposed HD 1 for both bills will be available. These bills are scheduled for tomorrow at 2:05 p.m. in Conference Room 325, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs requested a waiver of the 48-hour advance notice requirement

for the purpose of conducting a public hearing with decision-making to follow on H.B. No. 2192, Relating to Controlled Substances to be heard on Thursday, February 9th, 8:30 a.m. in Conference Room 309, and the Chair "so ordered."

At 12:29 o'clock p.m., Representative Morita requested a recess, and the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:30 o'clock p.m.

Representative Evans: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I want to announce the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection will reconvene in Conference Room 312. We have 3 agendas. The first one will be a joint EEP/EDB for decision-making on H.B. No. 3050 Relating to Energy Efficiency.

"The second will be an agenda on EEP for decision making on H.B. No. 3044, Relating to Gasoline; H.B. No. 3222, Relating to Energy; and H.B. No. 2175, Relating to Energy.

"We'll also reconvene to finish the hearing we held this morning. We heard 7 bills and we did hear testimony. We are still in discussion, and that's a joint hearing, Agriculture and EEP. Thank you."

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education, requested a waiver of the 48-hour advance notice requirement for the purpose of conducting a public hearing for decision-making only on H.B. No. 2550 and H.B. No. 2610, both bills Relating to Charter Schools tomorrow at 2:00 p.m. in Conference Room 309, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Arakaki: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Just a reminder on behalf of the Chair of the Labor Committee and for the Committee on Health, we have a meeting for decision-making only at 1:00 p.m. in Conference Room 329. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

At 12:31 o'clock p.m. on motion by Representative B. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon, tomorrow, Wednesday, February 8, 2006. (Representatives Chang and Souki were excused.)



## FOURTEENTH DAY

Wednesday, February 8, 2006

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Third Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2006, convened at 12:07 o'clock p.m., with the Vice Speaker Takai presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Pastor Jack Smith of Church of the Nazarene, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami, who were excused.

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

## GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE

The following message from the Governor (Gov. Msg. No. 223) was received and announced by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 223, dated February 1, 2006, transmitting the Department of Public Safety and Department of Human Services' Report as required by SCR 128 adopted by the 2005 Hawaii State Legislature.

## INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative Ito introduced Army Master Sergeant Alan W. Perez and congratulated him on his recent retirement. He was accompanied by his wife, Mrs. Patty Perez, 1st Lt. Byron Cadiz, 1st Lt. Gavin Sakagawa, Lt. Colonel Jeff Potacio and 1st Lt. Jayson Watts.

Representative M. Oshiro introduced homeless advocate Pastor Jack Smith of the Church of the Nazarene who delivered today's invocation.

## ORDER OF THE DAY

## COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

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

<u>H.B. Nos.</u>	<u>Re-referred to:</u>
2328	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2948	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2962	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2966	Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance

## STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Magaoay, for the Committee on Legislative Management presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 102-06)

recommending that H.B. No. 1918, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1918, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMISSION ON SALARIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 103-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1839, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1839, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 104-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2961, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2961, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 105-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1934, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1934, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE NATURAL ENERGY LABORATORY OF HAWAII AUTHORITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representative Sonson, for the Committee on Human Services presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 106-06) recommending that H.B. No. 937, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 937, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Mr. Speaker, I rise to speak in support of the measure with some reservations. Thank you. I'm supporting this measure because I'd like to support the Chair of Human Services and his concerns for the problems that were brought up, especially in light of the many interim briefings that they had on the problems at the Youth Correctional Facility.

"I guess my concern is that over the years we've really not provided the needed resources at the Youth Correctional Facility. In fact, the Office of Youth Services has needed to fulfill their mandate.

And I would hate to see our Youth Correctional Facility become just another prison.

"There are many corrections that need to be made. I'm just hoping that along with the reformation and this new structure, there'd be added resources provided, because without the resources, it's like just rearranging the deck chairs in the *Titanic*. It's going to take a great deal of resources to turn the ship around.

"There's a Department of Justice settlement that was just issued. There was also a finding in the District Court against the Administrators, both of the Office of Youth Services and the Administrator for the Youth Correctional Facility. And these are very grave charges that were made of abuses against young people who are wards of the State. I don't think we can allow this to continue happening.

"So I'm hoping that by supporting the Chair and his efforts, that we can resolve this problem and get immediate action and provide especially the emergency funding that the Youth Correctional Facility and the Office of Youth Services need to make the changes. So with that, Mr. Speaker, I urge everyone to support this measure."

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

"I'd like to note my reservations on the measure. I believe it's another level of bureaucracy and it's not going to solve the problem. It's just going to make it worse. Thank you."

Representative Sonson rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, in support. This is a very important measure, Mr. Speaker. This measure as it moves along, will actually help to solve the problems that has been undergoing at the HYCF, OYS. OYS oversees HYCF. In the agreement that's been reached by the State and the feds that was signed yesterday, also mentioned by a prior speaker, actually speaks to HYCF as having the problem. What the bill does is to isolate HYCF on itself, give it more autonomy, and also ensure that the resources are indeed provided.

"The concern of the Health Chair that the resources has not been given to OYS in the past is true. We have not. However, we are not there now, we are here. We are trying to face a problem that's been created by the lack of resources in the past. New resources must be afforded to the facility. As I read the agreement between the Federal Government and the State of Hawaii, it seems to indicate that there will be a monitor, Mr. Van Fleet, who will be overseeing this agreement to ensure there's implementation of the conditions contained therein.

"It also states here that there will be identification of new resources in the federal side, to ensure that we are successful. HYCF must be successful. It is their duty to ensure that the kids that go in there are treated for mental health, medical needs. And treated in such a way to ensure that they are safe from each other, that they are safe from the workers that work there, and so forth, that they are free from harassment, and the other things that were complained about in the separate lawsuit brought on by the ACLU.

"This bill, as it moves forward, I hope that, Mr. Speaker, that everyone can continue to look at it and support it because it is indeed very important that we do not fail in meeting all the conditions that are contained in this agreement with the DOJ. If we fail, then a lawsuit will ensue. A consent decree is not and I would backup, I would like to credit the State Attorney General in doing a fine job in negotiating with DOJ to ensure that we don't have a federal consent decree over our heads; that the DOJ is allowing the State to try to address the concerns and the problems that are brought on by the ACLU head-on and be given an opportunity to fix it within three years.

"As stated in the article that's been written in *Honolulu Advertiser*, Mr. Bennett has said that the work has already been done. And thanks to the Committee that worked over the interim, that looked and identified the problems that were complained of. It is the interaction between that Committee that was formed, and the questions that they've asked the Administrators of the facility that has started not only the dialogue going, but actually the work going. There have been massive improvements already, although there are a lot of things to be done. And yes, we do need the resources and we need your support. Thank you very much."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 937, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 107-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2573, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Higher Education.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2573, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NATURAL RESOURCE MANAGEMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Higher Education with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representative Karamatsu, for the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 108-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3057, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3057, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE HIGH TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representative Karamatsu, for the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 109-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3060, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3060, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGH TECHNOLOGY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representative Karamatsu, for the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 110-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1979, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1979, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"I'm assuming we're talking about 110. Mr. Vice Speaker, I rise with reservations regarding this bill. I have a very serious concern about carving out the requirement for licensing for certain unlicensed contractors for repairs. I feel this is a very, very, very important

issue for many of our property managers. You know, incidental repairs. But as long as we're going to require a whole large group of small businesses to follow very strict requirements for licensing, which includes many, many requirements for insurance and other requirements, that we have to be very, very careful about who we allow to do unlicensed work because of the potential liability and injury to the employees of the business community.

"So again, with very strong reservations. I really, really, request that we proceed very cautiously on extending unlicensed activity."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1979, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTRACTORS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representative Karamatsu, for the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 111-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2127, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Education.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2127, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Education with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representative Karamatsu, for the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 112-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3068, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 3068, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Halford rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3068, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representatives Karamatsu and Souki, for the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns and the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 113-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2877, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2877, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Mr. Vice Speaker, again I rise with very strong reservations. I would like to caution us with taking away gross excise taxes on gasoline. Because what I'm very, very concerned about is the studies on the mainland have shown, when you do these types of release of taxes, it just adds to the profit coffers of the oil companies, which is

money still coming out of the backs of our people of Hawaii. So if we're going to take away gross excise tax, which I support in many measures as we all, know, let us please proceed cautiously with some type of protection that this doesn't end up being another profit column for the oil companies."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2877, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAX," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representatives Karamatsu and Chang, for the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns and the Committee on Tourism & Culture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 114-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2421, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2421, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Mr. Speaker, I rise and speak in favor of Standing Committee Report 114, which would provide tax credits to performing arts, qualified high tech businesses. I'm for helping our performing arts as much as possible. However, I did vote WR because the testimony from the Department of Taxation, and Business and Economic Development said that H.B. 3080 was a preferable vehicle, much easier to administer. So I think we should take a look at this one. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2421, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERFORMING ARTS BUSINESSES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representatives Karamatsu and Morita, for the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns and the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 115-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2931, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2931, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERATED ELECTRICITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 116-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2811, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2811, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Harbin rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Yes, thank you, Vice Speaker. I stand in very, very strong support. I wanted to take this opportunity to speak to what exactly is Mutual Benefit Society. What it is in our laws. This is, the Mutual Benefit Society is a law that was passed in the early 70s. Mutual Benefit Societies were created by nurses to attempt to expedite healthcare to the people of Hawaii. Basically the workers, the employees of the small business community of which the Prepaid Healthcare Act mandates coverage.

"This started off as a very, very wonderful concept. However, the Mutual Benefit Society Law has not been looked at or reviewed since the early 70s. What is happening now is that the members of the Mutual Benefit Society, especially the healthcare organizations, the members which our employees and workers have no voice in the management appointment of the Boards of Directors, or even have the ability to bring forth any special hearings or request to address management of the Mutual Benefit Societies.

"What we need to do is we need to have that particular law looked at but if not at least some type of oversight that the rights of our employees are protected as the owners and members of the Mutual Benefit Societies and that's the reason that I am standing in very strong support and I ask that my fellow colleagues really take a look at the Mutual Benefit Societies laws as it stands. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2811, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MUTUAL BENEFIT SOCIETIES," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 117-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3053, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3053, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representatives Ito and Kanoho, for the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs and the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 118-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2833, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2833, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRISONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 119-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2549, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2549, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MILITARY RESERVE COMPONENTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 120-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2998, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2998, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO ASSIST THE UNITED STATES ORGANIZATION WITH ITS PLANNED WELCOME HOME CELEBRATION FOR RETURNING HAWAII NATIONAL GUARD MEMBERS IN THE COUNTIES OF HAWAII, MAUI, AND KAUAI," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representatives Ito and Caldwell, for the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 121-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2715, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2715, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I stand with reservations on 121-06. House Bill No. 2715. This is relating to police officers. It is giving a maintenance allowance for the uniforms and weapons. Sounds like a good bill and God knows, I mean I'm a Marine. Most police officers, you know, they end up coming from the military and such. We're all for them. My problem with it is it's a negotiable item and if they're unhappy with the maintenance allowance that they get now or the uniform or the weapons they get now, they should negotiate that contract. What we're doing is setting it up so anytime a bargaining unit in this State doesn't like what they bargain for, they'll come back to us and ask us to make them whole again and I think it's a dangerous precedent. We ought to be very careful."

Representative Ito rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I'm in support. Mr. Speaker, this is not a collective bargaining issue. This is a public safety issue. This version will allow officers, to buy equipment, offer some monetary relief to help minimize a pay differential between Hawaii police officers and that of other jurisdictions. It's a valuable tool for the retention and equipment of our officers, and this will help address the State shortage issue in our police department. If you read this Sunday's paper there was an article on Chief Correa and he explained it clearly that they need some help. Thank you."

Representative Meyer rose in support of the measure with reservations, and asked that the remarks of Representative Moses be entered in the Journal as her own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Yamane rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I stand in strong support. Our officers are on duty 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. They're required to report in and respond to situations even though they're off duty. If we value our safety, want to make sure that our communities have adequate officers, if you want to tackle the issues of drugs, ice, property crimes, murder, and incidents against the innocents, then we need to start standing up and supporting the men and women that make our community safe. Thank you."

Representative Waters rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"In strong support. We need to support our brave men and women in blue and I like to incorporate the words of the Chair of Public Safety as my own," and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2715, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POLICE OFFICERS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representatives Ito and Caldwell, for the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 122-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2339, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2339, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL DEFENSE AGENCY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representatives Ito and Caldwell, for the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 123-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2340, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2340, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERANS' SERVICES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representatives Ito and Caldwell, for the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 124-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2265, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2265, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Moses rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2265, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representatives Ito and Caldwell, for the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 125-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2131, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2131, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. This goes back to the police officers. This is a tax credit for law enforcement officers. I'm speaking with reservations. Again it's a negotiable item. We heard it on the previous measure that we should support them and I do support them and therefore, I will support their bargaining unit to get more money for their uniforms, etc. This is a tax credit so they can go out and buy vests, bulletproof vests. They're issued bulletproof vests now. Some of the officers don't care for the vest that's issued to them. They think it's too heavy so they go out and buy a different one and that's fine but I don't think we should pay for it. I think they should go back and negotiate for the vest that they choose. There are more of them than us and I think they could do that. Thank you."

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

"Mr. Speaker, I rise up with reservations. Thank you. I certainly support the police officers safety. The reason for my reservations is that we did receive some testimony if these officers buy these upgraded vests, their insurance policy would be null and voided. If they were injured when they were wearing those vests. So I would like to see as this bill moves along perhaps that loophole could be corrected. Thank you."

Representative Ito rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, in support. Mr. Speaker, this bill is to assist our law enforcement officers by providing a one time, one time tax credit to purchase non-departmental bulletproof vest. Right now the tax credit reimburses police officers for an amount equal to the difference between the cost of a high quality vest and the cost of a department-issued vest. The department-issued vests do not adequately withstand the stress of daily use. For example, an officer's perspiration, weight, and body size are factors that can contribute to the failure of a vest with a possible result of serious injury to the officer. Again, Mr. Speaker, this is not a collective bargaining issue. This is a public safety issue. Thank you."

Representative Yamane rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Standing in strong support. We've been hearing about supporting our police officers. Well what does support mean, Mr. Speaker? The Director of Taxation states that this legislation will result in a loss of approximately \$10,000 to \$15,000, Mr. Speaker. One time, \$15,000. Is that what we call support? Thank you."

Representative Ching rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker, in strong support. Our police officers put their lives on the line for us. And if individuals need certain types of vests to protect them to the greatest extent possible, I would like to stand in support of protecting those that protect us. Thank you."

Representative Kanoho rose to disclose a potential conflict of interest, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. A ruling on a potential conflict. I have two sons who are police officers," and the Chair ruled "no conflict."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2131, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX CREDITS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representatives Ito and Caldwell, for the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 126-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1999, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1999, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Halford rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Moses rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker, in opposition. Thank you, Mr. Speaker. The Adjutant General's Office, our major defense and civil defense agency in this State, is doing an annual review. Actually, a reorganization review and it will be due in October of this year. We're looking at reorganization. I think what we're doing here is we're jumping the gun. They testified against this measure and they said, 'Let's wait until the reorganization review is published this October and see what is needed.' Thank you."

Representative Stonebraker rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Stevens rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Thank you. I would just like to register a no vote. We did receive really compelling testimony in opposition from the Department of Defense in Committee. Our Civil Defense Department has just received national recognition for their tsunami readiness and I feel that the organization should be allowed to complete their reorganization study before we pass this measure. Thank you."

Representative Finnegan rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Pine rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ito rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, in support. You know, Mr. Speaker, you know, this will give the Governor, first hand information to react. Right now within the chain of command, it goes through several bureaucracies. And if you saw what FEMA did on the mainland, it wasn't within the cabinet. It was detached from the cabinet so the response time was very, very slow.

"Mr. Speaker, with our increased concern about terrorism and natural disasters, Hawaii's state of readiness to respond is critical to the safety, welfare, and defense of our people. It is imperative that our Civil Defense team has the authority to act quickly and therefore I believe this proposal merits further discussion.

"Mr. Speaker, I just want to say that the reason why they got the award is because of our package last Session about the hurricane preparedness. So again it was the Legislature that took the initiative. Thank you."

Representative Meyer rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker, I'm rising in opposition to this measure. Having lived through Hurricane Iniki right in Kauai, sort of in the eye of the storm and seeing how well that the Civil Defense worked with the National Guard, which is under, is now under General Lee's command, I think you needed that coordination between those two groups. Many people that come out to work for the Civil Defense are volunteers and I mean they work very hard but it's not a pay job, and I think they benefit greatly by being attached to a bonafide military organization. And I think we ought to wait till that report is

completed before we move forward with this. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

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

"With reservations. Thank you. I really appreciate the comments from the Chair of Public Safety and what the intent of the bill is. I would just like to think that we could address those concerns about quick response time in another manner than creating another department. Thank you."

Representative Ching rose in support of the measure with reservations, and asked that the remarks of Representative Evans be entered in the Journal as her own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Yamane rose in support of the measure and asked that the remarks of Representative Ito be entered in the Journal as his own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1999, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A DEPARTMENT OF CIVIL DEFENSE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Finnegan, Halford, Meyer, Moses, Stevens and Stonebraker voting no, and with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Judiciary presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 127-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2521, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2521, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR COMMUNITY ANTI-DRUG FUND," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Judiciary presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 128-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2625, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2625, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNIFORM STATE LAWS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Judiciary presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 129-06) recommending that H.B. No. 355, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 355, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Judiciary presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 130-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2055, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee



was adopted and H.B. No. 2055, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEX ASSAULT SERVICES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Judiciary presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 131-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2418, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2418, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX ADMINISTRATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Judiciary presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 132-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2540, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2540, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR INCREASING STIPENDS FOR VOLUNTEER PRECINCT OFFICIALS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Judiciary presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 133-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2565, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2565, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF ELECTIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Judiciary presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 134-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1840, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1840, HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Thielen rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker. Thank you. Mr. Speaker, I'd like to have a no vote cast for me on House Bill 1840, please. I don't support the safe harbors. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1840, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSERVATION," was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representative Thielen voting no, and with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 135-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2039, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2039, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Lee rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker. I'd like to speak in support of this measure. This measure is part of a package of legislation that was put forth by the Mililani Drug Free, which is a community group in Central Oahu. And I just briefly would like to say that Hawaii is currently experiencing a severe housing shortage and we need to ensure that every available property is habitable especially for our *keiki*. We also need to give landlords and law enforcement officials guidance on what constitutes a thorough decontamination. I have additional written remarks that I'd like to insert in the Journal. Thank you very much, Mr. Speaker," and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Lee's written remarks are as follows:

"Mr. Speaker. With the popularity of synthetic drugs like crystal methamphetamine, clean up of illegal drug production facilities has become a major problem.

"Many of the chemicals used in the production of crystal meth are toxic especially to children. These chemicals include volatile organic chemicals like toluene, acetone, methanol, petroleum distillates and others, lead (depending on the manufacturing method) and mercury (also depending on the manufacturing method).

"When illegal labs are discovered, human habitation of the premises is often unsafe. To determine whether living in the building is safe and to conduct necessary clean up, it is important to adopt regulations for the testing and decontamination of property used for the production of illegal drugs.

"Hawaii is currently experiencing a severe housing shortage. We need to ensure that every available property is habitable especially for our *keiki*. We also need to give landlords and law enforcement officials guidance on what constitutes a thorough decontamination."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2039, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DECONTAMINATION OF ILLEGAL DRUG MANUFACTURING SITES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 136-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2184, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2184, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER RESOURCES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 137-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2927, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2927, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HARBORS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 138-06)

recommending that H.B. No. 2856, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2856, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LICENSING FOR CONSULTANTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 139-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2397, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2397, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Stevens rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I stand in strong support of this measure. In my district, over the past couple of years we suffered with several grounded vessels that really are an eyesore and pollute our beaches. And sometimes the bureaucracy to get them removed off the beaches has been troubling. I would like to applaud Chair Kanoho and the WLO Committee for moving along this measure. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2397, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GROUNDED VESSELS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 140-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2518, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2518, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Harbin rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I stand in strong support. This bill is a perfect example of what we as legislators need to do, which is to establish policy and release the law to the Administration to implement. And this dismisses the sunset that was imposed and I strongly support this measure. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2518, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AND COUNTY TORT LIABILITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representatives Kanoho and Abinsay, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Agriculture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 141-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2271, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2271, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO NON-AGRICULTURAL PARK LANDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Judiciary presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 142-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2286, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2286, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

At 12:43 o'clock p.m., Representative Halford requested a recess, and the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:43 o'clock p.m.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Judiciary presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 143-06) recommending that H.B. No. 462, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 462, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTION DAY POLL WATCHERS," passed Second Reading, and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Judiciary presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 144-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2539, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2539, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTION," passed Second Reading, and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Judiciary presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 145-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2779, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2779, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISCRIMINATION," passed Second Reading, and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Judiciary presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 146-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1787, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1787, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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



"I believe 146, Relating to Child Endangerment. I believe this measure, and I'm speaking with strong reservations, Mr. Speaker. This would make it illegal actually to leave a child and a child is defined as under the age of 9 in the bill, unsupervised in a motor vehicle. We may open up certain circumstances where we really have to take a look at.

"What's going on in our schools today is that if you go to Waipahu Elementary, when the bell rings and it's time to go home, children that are 9 years old may walk home. This bill says that we can't leave them without supervision in a car and yet we're going to be allowing them to walk home. This may lead to a situation where shall we then lock up our kids in the school to ensure that they are safe.

"I think that there are a lot of concerns out there regarding or as a result of what has happened to a child that was accidentally abducted when this person tried to steal a car. I'm not sure if we're not just overreacting with legislation such as this. It did fix up at least a more concerning portion of it where it was actually at age 15, which I think is very unreasonable. That if you leave a child in a car supervised but by a person, another child that is age 15, it would be a criminal act. So although we did improve some, Mr. Speaker, I still think we really need to think about this some more and perhaps look at what other things are impacted by this bill. Thank you."

Representative Lee rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I like to speak in favor of the measure. Mr. Speaker, would you leave \$1 million in your car? Would you let your child play with a loaded gun? Of course not, not even for a minute. Lots of caring and responsible parents have left their children alone and around a car not realizing the risks involved. Some parents think it's okay to leave a child in a car alone while they run into a store, quickly drop off dry cleaning or drop off another child in school. The dangers are real.

"The results of leaving a child unattended in or around a vehicle can be deadly and in the hands of a child, a car is a lethal weapon. It's dangerous to leave children unattended in or around a vehicle because children are naturally curious, they like to pretend to drive and they can set the vehicle in motion. Young children are impulsive, unpredictable, and move very fast. I'm sure you know that, Mr. Speaker. They can quickly get into the path of a moving vehicle.

"Young children have very poor judgment and little understanding of danger, they're not aware of the hazards of motor vehicles. Children left in vehicle with keys in the ignition are at risk of being taken with the vehicle. Children can activate power accessories and become trapped in windows or sunroofs. The Center for Disease Control and Prevention reports that from July 1, 2000 through June 30, 2001, an estimated 9,160 children age 14 years and younger were treated in US hospital emergency departments for injuries caused by being left unattended in and around motor vehicles.

"A local merchant observed people are more concerned about taking their wallets and purses out of cars than about leaving their keiki alone in a car. The recent incident in Wahiawa on the day that this bill was passed I think illustrates my point. Thank you very much."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1787, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD ENDANGERMENT," passed Second Reading, and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Judiciary presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 147-06) recommending that H.B. No.

1825, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1825, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC INFRACTIONS," passed Second Reading, and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Judiciary presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 148-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1983, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1983, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY," passed Second Reading, and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Judiciary presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 149-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2114, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2114, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GRAFFITI," passed Second Reading, and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Judiciary presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 150-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2207, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2207, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEXUAL ASSAULT," passed Second Reading, and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Judiciary presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 151-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2303, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2303, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT," passed Second Reading, and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading with Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

At this time, the Chair stated:

"Members, please note the 48-hour notice for Standing Committee Reports Nos. 152-06 and 153-06, listed on page 14."

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Judiciary presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 152-06) recommending that H.B. No. 439, as amended in HD 1, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, consideration of Stand. Com. Rep. No. 152-06 on H.B. No. 439, HD 1 was deferred and in accordance with Article III, Section 15 of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, printed copies of H.B. No. 439, HD 1, were made available to the members of the House.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Judiciary presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 153-06) recommending that H.B. No. 440, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, consideration of Stand. Com. Rep. No. 153-06 on H.B. No. 440, HD 2 was deferred and in accordance with Article III, Section 15 of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, printed copies of H.B. No. 440, HD 2, were made available to the members of the House.

#### SUSPENSION OF RULES

On motion by Representative B. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the rules were suspended for the purpose of considering a bill on Third Reading on the basis of a modified consent calendar. (Representatives Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami were excused.)

#### STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Judiciary presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 154-06) recommending that H.B. No. 649, HD 1, pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 649, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SENTENCING OF REPEAT OFFENDERS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 47 ayes, with Representatives Cabanilla, Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami being excused.

At 12:50 o'clock p.m., the Chair noted that H.B. No. 649, HD 1, passed Third Reading.

#### INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

By unanimous consent, the following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 11 and 12) and concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 19 and 20) were referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.R. No. 11, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE PRESIDENT AND THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES TO STUDY POTENTIAL USE OF WATERWAYS AND LANDS WITHIN PEARL HARBOR UNDER FEDERAL JURISDICTION FOR PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION," was jointly offered by Representatives Cabanilla, Arakaki, Green, Luke, Morita, Nishimoto, Shimabukuro, Souki, Stonebraker, Takamine, Takumi, Tanaka and Tsuji.

H.R. No. 12, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO COORDINATE EDUCATIONAL PRESENTATIONS TO ALL STUDENTS ENTERING THE NINTH GRADE ON THE ECONOMIC, ENVIRONMENTAL, CRIMINAL, AND SOCIAL COSTS OF GRAFFITI," was jointly offered by Representatives Cabanilla, Arakaki, Chong, Green, Nishimoto, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Souki, Stonebraker, Takumi, Tanaka, Tsuji and Yamane.

H.C.R. No. 19, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE PRESIDENT AND THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES TO STUDY POTENTIAL USE OF WATERWAYS AND LANDS WITHIN PEARL HARBOR UNDER FEDERAL JURISDICTION FOR PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION," was jointly offered by Representatives Cabanilla, Arakaki, Evans, Green, Luke, Morita, Nishimoto, Shimabukuro, Souki, Stonebraker, Takamine, Takumi, Tanaka and Tsuji.

H.C.R. No. 20, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO COORDINATE EDUCATIONAL PRESENTATIONS TO ALL STUDENTS ENTERING THE NINTH GRADE ON THE ECONOMIC, ENVIRONMENTAL, CRIMINAL, AND SOCIAL COSTS OF GRAFFITI," was jointly offered by Representatives Cabanilla, Arakaki, Chong, Evans, Green, Herkes, Ito, Nishimoto, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Sonson, Souki, Stonebraker, Takumi, Tanaka, Tsuji and Yamane.

#### ANNOUNCEMENT

Representative Arakaki for the Committee on Health requested a waiver of the 48-hour hearing notice requirement for decision making only on H.B. No. 3087, Relating to Procurement, to be held tomorrow, Thursday, February 9th at 9 o'clock a.m., and the Chair "so ordered."

#### ADJOURNMENT

At 12:51 o'clock p.m. on motion by Representative B. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon, tomorrow, Thursday, February 9, 2006. (Representatives Cabanilla, Chang, Kahikina and Kawakami were excused.)

## FIFTEENTH DAY

Thursday, February 9, 2006

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Third Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2006, convened at 12:05 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Father Marc Alexander of the Catholic Diocese of Honolulu, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Caldwell, Kawakami, Saiki and Takamine, who were excused.

On motion by Representative B. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, reading of the Journals was dispensed with and the Journals of the Fourth, Fifth, Sixth and Seventh Days were approved. (Representatives Caldwell, Kawakami, Saiki and Takamine were excused.)

## INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative Pine, on behalf of Representative Cabanilla, introduced members of the Campbell High School Student Government, and their advisor, Ms. Kimura.

Representative Luke introduced Professor Junn-ming Wong, Vice Dean of the Ching-hwa University School of Law in Beijing. He was accompanied by Professor Alison Conner, Chinese law and society specialist at the University of Hawaii.

## ORDER OF THE DAY

## COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

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

<u>H.B. Nos.</u>	<u>Re-referred to:</u>
2746	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
2950	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2984	Jointly to the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection and the Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance

## STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representatives Hale and Morita, for the Committee on International Affairs and the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 155-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1888, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1888, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Caldwell, Kawakami, Saiki and Takamine being excused.

Representatives Kanoho and Abinsay, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Agriculture

presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 156-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1928, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1928, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Caldwell, Kawakami, Saiki and Takamine being excused.

Representatives Kanoho and Ito, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 157-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2442, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2442, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MILITARY INSTALLATIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Caldwell, Kawakami, Saiki and Takamine being excused.

Representatives Sonson and Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 158-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3144, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 3144, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. This was not one of my Committees. But just the review, I see in some of the testimony... First of all, I'm with reservation. I believe that not only does the bill create some duplicate of services that will cost the State money, but it moves some duties to DHS from other areas of our government. And it deletes the asset test from SPAP and actually creates a new benefit that even the federal government doesn't have. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 3144, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE PHARMACY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Caldwell, Kawakami, Saiki and Takamine being excused.

Representatives Kahikina and Kanoho, for the Committee on Housing and the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 159-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2242, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2242, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Caldwell, Kawakami, Saiki and Takamine being excused.

Representatives Hale and Karamatsu, for the Committee on International Affairs and the Committee on Economic Development

& Business Concerns presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 160-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1890, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1890, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SISTER STATE AND PROVINCE RELATIONSHIPS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Caldwell, Kawakami, Saiki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Caldwell, for the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 161-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2002, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2002, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII EMPLOYERS' MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Caldwell, Kawakami, Saiki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Caldwell, for the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 162-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2211, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2211, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEFINITIONS FOR WORKERS' COMPENSATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Caldwell, Kawakami, Saiki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Caldwell, for the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 163-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1797, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1797, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Caldwell, Kawakami, Saiki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 164-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1971, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1971, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE NATURAL ENERGY LABORATORY OF HAWAII AUTHORITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns with Representatives Caldwell, Kawakami, Saiki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 165-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1915, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1915, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Caldwell, Kawakami, Saiki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 166-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1993, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Higher Education.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1993, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TELEPSYCHIATRY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Higher Education with Representatives Caldwell, Kawakami, Saiki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 167-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2415, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2415, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NET INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR FOOD, MEDICAL SERVICES, AND NONPRESCRIPTION DRUGS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns with Representatives Caldwell, Kawakami, Saiki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 168-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2401, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2401, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOL AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Caldwell, Kawakami, Saiki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 169-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3142, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3142, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAUMA CARE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Caldwell, Kawakami, Saiki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 170-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2321, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2321, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TORTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Caldwell, Kawakami, Saiki and Takamine being excused.

Representatives Hale and Karamatsu, for the Committee on International Affairs and the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 171-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2199, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2199, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERNATIONAL TRADE AGREEMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Caldwell, Kawakami, Saiki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Sonson, for the Committee on Human Services presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 172-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2370, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2370, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR GENERAL ASSISTANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Caldwell, Kawakami, Saiki and Takamine being excused.

Representatives Sonson and Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 173-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2362, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2362, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRESCRIPTION DRUGS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Caldwell, Kawakami, Saiki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Caldwell, for the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 174-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1892, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1892, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Caldwell, Kawakami, Saiki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Caldwell, for the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 175-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2310, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2310, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Caldwell, Kawakami, Saiki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 176-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3046, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns and the Committee on Agriculture.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3046, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns and the Committee on Agriculture with Representatives Caldwell, Kawakami, Saiki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Sonson, for the Committee on Human Services presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 177-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2044, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2044, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POST-FOSTER CARE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Caldwell, Kawakami, Saiki and Takamine being excused.

### SUSPENSION OF RULES

On motion by Representative B. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the rules were suspended for the purpose of considering a bill on Third Reading on the basis of a modified consent calendar. (Representatives Caldwell, Kawakami, Saiki and Takamine were excused.)

### THIRD READING

#### H.B. No. 2286:

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, H.B. No. 2286, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT," passed Third Reading by a vote of 47 ayes, with Representatives Caldwell, Kawakami, Saiki and Takamine being excused.

At 12:14 o'clock p.m., the Chair noted that H.B. No. 2286, passed Third Reading.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Kahikina: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Your Committee on Housing will hold decision-making on HB 2239 as announced at the Wednesday, the 8th hearings. HB 2239 Relates to the Kukui Gardens acquisition. Decision making will follow our 9 a.m. agenda, in Room 329 tomorrow, February 10th," and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Evans: "Yes, Mr. Speaker. I'd like to announce that the Committee hearing for Energy & Environmental Protection did not finish this morning. We'd like to come back after session, for decision making on two agendas. The first one is the 8:00 agenda for HB 3049, HB 2848, HB 2314, HB 1913, HB 1945, HB 1948 and HB 3218. And also we had a second agenda, HB 2503 and HB 2508," and the Chair "so ordered."

At 12:16 o'clock p.m., Representative Kahikina requested a recess, and the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:20 o'clock p.m.

Representative Kahikina for the Committee on Housing requested a waiver of the 48-hour hearing notice requirement for decision making only on HB No. 1886, Relating to Housing; and HB No.

2368, Relating to Public Housing, to be held tomorrow, Friday, February 10th after the 9:00 a.m. agenda in Conference Room 329, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Waters: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'd like to announce that your Committee on Higher Education is having decision-making on all bills heard on February 2nd, 4th, and 6th, at 2:00 p.m. today," and the Chair "so ordered."

At 12:21 o'clock p.m., Representative Luke requested a recess, and the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:22 o'clock p.m.

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

At 12:22 o'clock p.m. on motion by Representative B. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon, tomorrow, Friday, February 10, 2006. (Representatives Caldwell, Kawakami, Saiki and Takamine were excused.)

## SIXTEENTH DAY

Friday, February 10, 2006

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Third Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2006, convened at 12:05 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered in song by Representative Lynn Finnegan, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Cabanilla, Herkes and Souki, who were excused.

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

## GOVERNOR'S MESSAGES

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 224 through 227) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 224, dated January 31, 2006, transmitting the Aloha Tower Development Corporation's 2005 Annual Report.

Gov. Msg. No. 225, dated February 8, 2006, transmitting the Report Pursuant to House Concurrent Resolution 40, House Draft 1, Requesting the Hawaii State Council on Developmental Disabilities to Continue to Convene the Residential Settings Task Force to Identify Issues and Solutions Regarding Individuals with Developmental Disabilities and Their Choice of Residential Settings.

Gov. Msg. No. 226, dated February 9, 2006, requesting immediate passage of House Bill No. 2273 appropriating \$6,500,000 in general funds and special funds to the Department of Education for insurance premiums and anticipated expenditures relating to the Kalaheo Elementary School fire.

Gov. Msg. No. 227, dated February 9, 2006, requesting immediate passage of House Bill No. 2275 appropriating \$1,276,000 in general funds to the Department of Accounting and General Services for electricity payments.

## INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative Moses, on behalf of Representatives Pine and Cabanilla, introduced home schooled students and their mothers from the Calvary Chapel-Kapolei and Ewa Beach Home School Programs:

Ms. Heather Ulmen and her two children;  
Ms. Sharyl Cowan and her three children;  
Ms. Toni Langlitz and her two children;  
Ms. Regina Leonardi and her two children;  
Ms. Sheryll Kresnak and her two children;  
Ms. Melissa Ramirez and her two children;  
Ms. Victoria Tandberg and her six children;  
Ms. Denise Tory and her two children;  
Ms. Debbie Transiguracion and her three children;  
Ms. Susan Duffy and her two children;  
Ms. Yumiko Donathan and her child;  
The Franco family;  
The Sewell family; and  
The Tsukayama family.

Representative Stonebraker also recognized the home schooled students and their mothers from the Calvary Chapel-Kapolei and Ewa Beach Home School Programs.

Representative Tsuji introduced members of the HSTA from the Big Island.

Representative Morita introduced Mr. Leroy and Mrs. Avis Kaona, HSTA members from Anahola, Kauai.

At 12:15 o'clock p.m., Representative B. Oshiro requested a recess, and the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:42 o'clock p.m.

## ORDER OF THE DAY

## COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

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

<u>H.B. Nos.</u>	<u>Re-referred to:</u>
1975	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Health
2164	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
2842	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
2870	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
2952	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
2953	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance
3068, HD1	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
3142, HD1	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance

## SUSPENSION OF RULES

On motion by Representative B. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the rules were suspended for the purpose of considering certain bills on Third Reading on the basis of a modified consent calendar. (Representatives Arakaki, Chang, Herkes, Kahikina, Saiki and Takamine were excused.)

## UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Judiciary presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 152-06) recommending that H.B. No. 439, as amended in HD 1, pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 439, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF THE OMBUDSMAN," passed Third Reading by a vote of 45 ayes, with Representatives Arakaki, Chang, Herkes, Kahikina, Saiki and Takamine being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Judiciary presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 153-06) recommending that H.B. No. 440, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, pass Third Reading.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 440, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OMBUDSMAN," passed Third Reading by a vote of 45 ayes, with Representatives Arakaki, Chang, Herkes, Kahikina, Saiki and Takamine being excused.

At 12:43 o'clock p.m., the Chair noted that H.B. Nos. 439, HD 1, and 440, HD 2, passed Third Reading.

#### STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Kahikina, for the Committee on Housing presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 178-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2240, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2240, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Evans rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I stand in strong support. The only reason that I'm standing is I just think this is part of the whole package that we're trying to push forward on affordable housing. What I'd like to see in this bill, if at all possible, is to construct teacher housing and student housing on or adjacent to the planned State facilities. If it's just a possibility to include that in there. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2240, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Caldwell, for the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 179-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2237, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Education.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2237, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Education, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'm rising in support with some fairly strong reservations. This bill creates a collective bargaining unit for substitute teachers of the Department of the Education including, the way that it was amended, it also now includes part-time substitute teachers working less than one-half of a full-time equivalent. It also covers part-time employees working more than 20-hours. So this may be people doing janitorial work, cleaning rooms and things such as that.

"Substitute teachers are defined as casual employees. Establishing a collective bargaining unit for substitute teachers would set a precedent for other casual employees. Additional cost would incur such as medical and other employee benefits, the number of hours worked, and the benefits received would create an administrative challenge to determine cost-sharing arrangements. All substitute teachers would be required to be teacher trained and be subjected to

similar employment qualifications of high educational standards and be licensed, according to No Child Left Behind.

"Only 44% of the 4,100 substitute teachers are presently licensed. This would adversely impact the pool of substitute teachers. This bill will also extend bargaining rights to substitute teachers, but not to other half-time ... No, that's incorrect. That was the original bill.

"Another reason I was surprised that this bill came out is because there was a task force of substitute teachers and out of that, that was not of priority for them to join a union. They wanted medical insurance or a \$700 bonus if they worked 90 days out of the year. But as far as the union, the bargaining unit, that was not one of their priorities. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2237, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING IN PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Education with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Caldwell, for the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 180-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2450, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2450, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Caldwell, for the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 181-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2629, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2629, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Caldwell, for the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 182-06) recommending that H.B. No. 315, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 315, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Mr. Speaker, I wanted to register reservations on Stand. Com. Report 182. This bill would have the State pay 50% of over-time cost for police officers who are subpoenaed to testify in various judicial situations. I just think that we should not be getting in the middle of what should be a collective bargaining situation, when you're talking about wages. So that's why I have strong reservations."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 315, HD 1, entitled: "A



BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUBPOENAS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Caldwell, for the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 183-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2778, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2778, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LANGUAGE ACCESS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Chang, for the Committee on Tourism & Culture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 184-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1818, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1818, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MINORS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Chang, for the Committee on Tourism & Culture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 185-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2965, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2965, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A COMMISSION TO CELEBRATE 2008 AS THE YEAR OF THE FAMILY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 186-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2968, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2968, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTEREST RATES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 187-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2256, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2256, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Sonson rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. In support of this Spyware Bill. First, I'd like to thank the Chair of CPC for moving this bill out. Mr. Speaker, the purpose of this bill is to protect Hawaii. The purpose of the bill is to protect Hawaii computer users from attacks by malicious software programs, oftentimes called "search and replace," which use

their system in order to gather confidential information or are designed to compromise the confidentiality, availability, or integrity of data on a user's computers.

"The bill allows the Attorney General or a prosecuting attorney to seek up to \$2,500 per violation, and includes a provision for private individuals to seek up to \$5,000, or three times the amount of actual damages caused by the malicious software, whichever is greater.

At present, Mr. Speaker, there are 12 States that already have laws similar to this measure. Hawaii needs to be defended against the onslaught electronic threats on the Internet. House Bill 2256 will deter companies that make a profit by exploiting the security vulnerabilities of consumers and malicious software programmers, known as 'hackers', from attacking Hawaii computer users with impunity. I strongly encourage my colleagues to support this measure.

"The companion bill in the Senate died, Mr. Speaker. The reason for that is that there was objection from the police department, seemingly because they said it would be difficult to enforce. I believe, Mr. Speaker, that because the bill provides for private enforcement also, I think we should keep it alive and keep it moving. It is important for computer users, such as you and me, to ensure that there is at least something on the books that hackers will look at which will in itself form a deterrent. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2256, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Hale, for the Committee on International Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 188-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2293, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2293, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COURT ADVISEMENT CONCERNING ALIEN STATUS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 189-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2515, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2515, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LAND LIABILITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Sonson, for the Committee on Human Services presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 190-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1815, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1815, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD PROTECTION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representatives Morita and Abinsay, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection and the Committee on Agriculture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 191-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1946, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1946, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FERTILIZER," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representatives Morita and Abinsay, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection and the Committee on Agriculture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 192-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2308, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Higher Education.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2308, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Higher Education with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 193-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3218, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns and the Committee on Agriculture.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 3218, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns and the Committee on Agriculture, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Thielen rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Mr. Speaker, I am going to cast a no vote on House Bill 3218. Thank you. I do believe that we need to get more information about genetically modified organisms that are presently in Hawaii. I think it needs to be much more transparent. The bill needs some work. I look forward to supporting it later on. Thank you."

Representative Kanoho rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3218, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENETICALLY MODIFIED ORGANISMS," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns and the Committee on Agriculture with Representatives Kanoho and Thielen voting no, and with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 194-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1807, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1807, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I rise with reservations. This is talking about steel plates over ditches and such in the road. A very good idea, we should have them. Motorcycles are especially susceptible to hitting a steel plate. What they want is a warning before it. Good idea, but we already have standards for that. We have national standards that apply. Our State highways already comply with this. The county says they already do too. So I'm not sure if it's private people that are putting out steel plates without any signs. So signs are needed, but we have to make sure we don't go afoul of the federal guidelines for our roads. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1807, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 195-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1812, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1812, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. This is red light photo cameras. It may be a good idea. I'm speaking with reservations. Thank you. It may be a good idea. The problem is the camera takes a picture of the license plate and the intersection. It doesn't take a picture of the person, the driver. I know it talks about, well, it's expected that it's the registered driver unless you prove that somebody else is driving your car. That's all well and good. But I think when you get to court, it's going to require that you prove who was actually driving it. And the camera won't do that."

"The bill itself says: No summons or citation pursuant to the photo red light imaging detector systems program shall be issued unless it contains a clear and unobstructed photographic, digital, or other visual image of the driver of the motor vehicle."

"That's right in the bill itself. Yet in the other places in the bill, it says: picture of the license plate at the intersection. So, there's some conflict. Thank you."

Representative Harbin rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I rise in complete support of this measure. My Neighborhood Boards in my district, in Chinatown and the Keeaumoku area, we are trying so hard to protect our elders. I guess I'm one of them too, because I've almost gotten run over a couple of times. But we need to, we need to start implementing deterrents because it will make our drivers be a little bit more considerate of the people in the crosswalks. Thank you."

Representative Stevens rose in support of the measure and asked that the remarks of Representative Harbin be entered in the Journal as her own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Stonebraker rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I'm opposed to this measure. I was here when we had that traffic cam debacle a couple of years ago. It actually is a

nice breather from the monotony that happens. A lot of people were here. There's a lot of things going on in the news.

"I think the general consensus from the people in the community was that the traffic cameras really weren't working to deter speeders or accidents. But really they were in place to generate income. I think that was the feeling of many people in the community. I felt the same thing.

"The problem with that program was that the cameras weren't set up in the rural neighborhood areas where they were needed the most. But they were set up in very large thoroughfares, Mr. Speaker, where the most amounts of tickets could be generated. And so what you had is people breaking the speed limit and receiving a ticket in the mail, when they had really only gone two or three ..."

Representative Souki rose to a point of order, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, point of order. I believe the Representative is speaking about a bill that has long since seen its demise. It doesn't have any relevance here to this bill. Thank you."

The Chair then stated:

"Representative Stonebraker, please proceed but confine your remarks to the bill dealing with the red lights."

Representative Stonebraker continued, stating:

"I appreciate my esteemed colleague's concern for the subject matter here. Thank you for interrupting me, Mr. Souki.

"Mr. Speaker, the issue is that it's generating money. The real problem is not that we don't have cameras. The problem is that we don't support our police officers. For years, this Body has refused to allow the adjudicated traffic fines to go directly to the police officers. Here is another example that since we have not supported the police officers directly, allowing them to keep the money that they worked for in giving tickets, in keeping law and order on the street. Now, my concern is that we're going to put up these traffic cameras that will be not designed to keep safety, not designed to protect pedestrians, but rather they'll be another way that we can generate income.

"The Standing Committee Report even says that this is to be administrated by the counties and the funds will go in a general fund. I haven't been able to see thoroughly the text of the bill itself, but I believe what's going to happen is the counties are going to administer and the State is going to reap a windfall. I don't think this is fair and I don't think this is the way we should go about protecting our citizens. Thank you."

Representative Souki rose, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, point of information. If I can for this Body here on this particular bill. I wish to speak in favor of this bill. The money is going to be deposited in the general fund only as it prepares to disburse the money to the counties. It goes into the general fund and then to the respective counties. Thank you very much."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1812, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representative Stonebraker voting no, and with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 196-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1901, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1901, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. This is another pedestrian safety measure. I'm in support but with reservations. And I'm all for protecting pedestrians whether they be *keiki*, the elderly, or any of us at any age. This one provides for red flags at the intersections. So you pick up a red flag, hold it out, cross the street, put it in a bucket. My reservation is not with protecting the safety of the people, but I just can't see this working. I can't see the flags remaining in the bucket. I think they'll end up walking across the street themselves. Thank you."

The Chair then stated:

"For the edification of the Members of this House, this particular measure has two more Committees to make the crossover. So it's going go to Judiciary, where the Committee Members on Judiciary will have another opportunity to address the concerns that are being voiced."

Representative Stonebraker rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Very briefly, Mr. Speaker, in opposition. This kind of regulation I think should raise a red flag for anyone of the legislators here. This is ridiculous."

Representative Finnegan rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Lee rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker. I like to speak in favor of the measure that we just passed. Mr. Speaker, I'm well aware that we have a time crunch here, but I think that it's important to speak about this measure because it's another way to look at how we can cut down our dubious distinction of being the leader in the nation in pedestrian deaths.

"In 2005 we began to crack down on drivers who failed to yield to pedestrians. Media outlets ran stories warning drivers to yield to pedestrians. The police department focused their enforcement on drivers that fail to yield to pedestrians. And as a result drivers became more aware of pedestrian right-of-way laws, but in 2005 we have 33 pedestrians killed by cars so obviously something's not working. We're just about the worst in the nation.

"So a few years ago, Salt Lake City, Utah, faced the same problem. The National Transportation Agency ranked the city first in the nation in pedestrian deaths and as a result, Salt Lake City tried this unconventional method to protect pedestrians. They did have success. There've been a number of other cities in the nation that have tried this and have found it successful.

"The bill would establish a pilot flag program similar to the highly effective flag program of Salt Lake City. Several of Hawaii's most dangerous intersections as chosen by the Department of Transportation will be provided with containers and day-glow flags. Over the course of two years the data would be collected on the effectiveness of the flag program. Twenty days before the 2008 Legislative Session a report will be provided to the Legislature. At that time the Legislature will decide the fate of the program based on its effectiveness.

"The flag program is unconventional in many ways. For one, the use of a flag is completely voluntary. Secondly, unlike the majority

of pedestrian safety measures it approaches the problem of pedestrian safety from the pedestrian side. Clearly the most unusual aspect of the flag program is how well it has worked in other cities. Will it be as astoundingly effective here in Hawaii? Your vote in favor of this bill will allow us to find out. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1901, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PEDESTRIAN SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representative Stonebraker voting no, and with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 197-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1904, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1904, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC SAFETY AT PUBLIC SCHOOLS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 198-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1953, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1953, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 199-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2234, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2234, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Ching rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I rise in strong support of this measure. I agree with many of the premises here on the Standing Committee Report, Relating to Motor Scooters and I would like to add that a number of our other densely populated neighborhoods also suffer noise pollution. This an issue that while it perhaps has not gotten the proper coverage, it is a real quality-of-life issue for us. Especially our elderly who have spent their many years and their resources to purchase a home only to not be able to sleep at night, and to have it eroded by inconsiderate mopeds and motor scooters that are actually being altered at times, I believe by the stores themselves. So in strong support, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2234, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR SCOOTERS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 200-06) recommending

that H.B. No. 2264, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2264, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STREET LIGHTING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 201-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2655, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2655, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Stonebraker rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2655, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENT INVESTIGATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 202-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2214, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2214, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. This is relating to the Rental Motor Vehicles Surcharge Tax. If this Body remembers, we used to charge a \$2 tax for rental vehicles. I'm in support with reservations. And then we raised it to \$3 a few years ago, and it's due to sunset August 31, 2007. So it's good. I like the sunset. I like taking less tax from the people even if they're visitors.

"The problem with this is we're reverting it early back to \$2, and it's estimated by DOTAX that's it about \$17 million loss for the Highway Special Fund, where this money goes. Now the problem with that loss for the Highway Special Fund is that that money is already figured in to the plans for the construction of the roads and the repaves of the roads, and much of it is matched 4 to 1 by the federal government.

"So by taking this money out of the Highway Special Fund, we're going to drop some of the projects that have already been planned through the OMPO planning process and they're already in our constrained STIP, State Transportation Improvement Plan.

"So I don't know who is going to make up the money. I guess the Legislature could put some money from the general fund into the Highway Special Fund, but I'm not sure if we can or not. Thank you."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker, with reservations as well. I wanted to reiterate the concerns of taking a \$17 million loss to CIP projects, a loss to supplements of the CIP projects as well. I think that we are already an attractive, I understand from the tourism industry, we're the most desirable place to visit. So I don't think that lowering taxes needs to be, in this particular case, to visitors, needs to be encouraged to make us more attractive. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2214, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENTAL MOTOR VEHICLE SURCHARGE TAX," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 203-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2244, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2244, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MOTOR VEHICLE RENTAL INDUSTRY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 204-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2735, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2735, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR BRIDGE SIGNS ON HANA HIGHWAY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Saiki, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 205-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3216, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection and the Committee on Legislative Management.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3216, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISLAND OF KAHOLAWE," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection and the Committee on Legislative Management with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 206-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1884, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1884, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'm rising in support with reservations. Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I surely support measures like these for programs and positions like the Hoa Aina O Makaha. The

reservations that I do have though is that we are going directly opposite in where we wanted to be with the weighted student formula and we should really try to resist so that we can build the weighted student formula to what its intent was supposed to be. So that's my reservations. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1884, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representatives Ito and Chang, for the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs and the Committee on Tourism & Culture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 207-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2000, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2000, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Mr. Speaker. I rise with reservations. I believe there's really good intentions in this bill because we always worry about people getting hurt from fireworks, but I really worry about government going too far in looking at the behavior of people. The best example I have is young people like to run around in playgrounds. And if you look at children you think, in my mind sometimes, they're just accidents waiting to happen, and it takes adults to teach them and educate them about you know the potential hazards. A good example in the parks is swing sets and swings. If you don't teach your children to be careful, you're going to get hit by a swing. So I really have concerns how far we're going to go with outlawing and restricting fireworks. Thank you."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'm rising in support with reservations. Yes, Mr. Speaker. This measure bans non-aerial common fireworks that means sparklers, snakes, those such of things that our children use. It bans them only in counties over 500,000. I guess that's us. And it bans the use of them on the Fourth of July. Only on the Fourth of July. I don't know what the intent of the measure is. If it's to stop fires, well then let's look at the fires that were started this last Fourth of July.

"There were a lot of fires where I live, out Leeward way especially. Most of them were by arsonists. They were not caused by the normal use of fireworks even the aerial fireworks. That's not what caused the fires. Ask the firemen. They were caused by arsonists. They were caused on purpose either by using flares or by setting brushfires.

"So it doesn't seem like this measure is for the purpose of stopping fires. It seems it's to punish the patriotic celebration of the Fourth of July. Thank you."

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

"Mr. Speaker, I rise with reservation on this measure. I think every now and then, or every year, we always look at fireworks and we always blame fires on fireworks. I think it's time for us to realize that every time we visit this topic we're visiting tradition. I've lived in Hawaii for 40 years and one of the things I look forward to is New Year's and July 4th because I get to enjoy myself and watch my children play.

"I think rather than looking at this fireworks bill in the way we are looking at it now, we should look at people's behavior and how they use it, rather than restrict sales. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

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

"Mr. Speaker, I rise in support with reservations. I just don't feel that we should take one holiday and eliminate the celebration, the traditional type of celebration of that holiday and leave it for the others. If our intent is to ban all firework use, I think it should go across all holidays. Taking the Fourth of July out of all the other holidays that we traditionally celebrate with fireworks, I just think it's not achieving the purpose that we would set out. Thank you."

Representative Meyer rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'm rising in opposition to this measure. I feel that this is just an incremental way to have the Legislature eventually ban all fireworks of every kind, totally. I was born and raised in Hawaii. This was always an exciting time. In our neighborhood for the Fourth of July, New Year's, it is a cultural practice. It's something that is so much a part of Hawaii and I would hate to see that gone."

"The area that I represent has people of all ethnic persuasions. When I go door to door, I have people that say they have stopped voting when we banned fireworks, the aerials and put a restriction where you had to pay a permit to get the firecrackers. Last New Year's in Kahaluu it was pretty quiet actually, and I think the record will show that they had a record amount of permits that people bought to buy the fireworks."

"It's just it seems like there's a lot of people that just don't want to have fun. I think the few nights out of the year is not you know something that is not bad. I understand why the firemen would rather not have to put out fires, but I think we have to look at the whole picture and not just do away with the little pleasures in life that we still have. Thank you."

Representative Takai rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I rise in support of this measure. Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I just wanted to mention to you and the Members that when we take a look at State law governing fireworks, we're only taking a look at two holidays. New Year's Eve and the Fourth of July. So let's be very clear that we're not talking about just banning it for the Fourth of July. State law only allows fireworks on New Year's Eve and the Fourth of July. It also permits the use of fireworks for cultural and religious, or weddings and those types of things. But what we're looking at right now is restricting the use of fireworks during the Fourth of July."

"I think it's a good move on our part because if you take a look at the debate we had when we considered banning fireworks across the board, the one thing that resonated though all the debate was this: Hawaii's a very special place with a unique culture. People do celebrate New Year's and New Year's Eve in a special way. We understood that and we continue to appreciate that and that's why I think we continue to utilize fireworks during New Year's Eve. However I don't think you can use that same argument for the Fourth of July. In fact if you take a look at the Fourth of July as compared to New Year's Eve, most people, myself included, don't necessarily celebrate the Fourth of July as we do New Year's Eve. So I think this is a good attempt at addressing some of the concerns that the firefighters have and that we as a community have."

"My hope in the future, because I made this very clear years ago, is that we eventually ban all the use of fireworks and we go and enjoy fireworks from the standpoint of being spectators at these grand

million dollar events put on by General Growth Partners or whoever. That's what I hope to do, but in this case I think we should take a look at the Fourth of July as being an event where we can go and participate in firework shows and not necessarily create fires across the entire State. So I support this measure. Thank you."

Representative Sonson rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you very much, Mr. Speaker, in support and request that the words of the prior speaker be inserted into the Journals as my own," and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Sonson continued, stating:

"Two speakers ago, someone talked about those little things in life that we go through when we're young and we miss it. It brought to mind an incident when I was young when I was playing with firecrackers. I was very curious to see what would happen if I held one in my hand and let it blow up. These are little pleasures in life that I really want to forget, now that I'm old."

"It's stupid to blow your hand off, but those are the things that you do when you're a kid. Like I said I don't miss those little pleasures. Again as I grow up, Mr. Speaker, I realized that it costs money to buy these things, and there's a lot of poverty all over the world. We're lucky that only 10 to 14% of our children in Hawaii are living in poverty. But you know there are a lot of states that are way up high. We happen to be better than the national average. Every cent that I blew up when I was a child, if I had that right now, I could put it to better use."

Representative Meyer rose, stating:

"Mr. Speaker. The speaker is straying far from the bill as poverty and these kinds of data that he's bringing in have nothing to do with this bill."

Representative Sonson continued, stating:

"That's right, Mr. Speaker. I'm really going way out of hand and luckily, I still have my hand. So I'm really encouraging that we should limit the use of fireworks as the prior speaker said. And it is not to limit our the way we show our patriotism either. Anyway, Mr. Speaker, I support this bill. Thank you."

The Chair then stated:

"Members, let's proceed on because it is Second Reading and it's going to go to Judiciary where they will have another chance at it."

Representative Pine rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ching rose in support of the measure with reservations, and asked that her written remarks be inserted in the Journal, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ching's written remarks are as follows:

"Mr. Speaker, I rise with strong reservations on H.B. 2000. While I agree with the Hawaii Police and Fire Departments that the increase in injuries and property damage from fireworks are serious concerns, this particular draft is problematic."

"First, this piece of legislation as drafted is not equally applied throughout the State of Hawaii. H.B. 2000 would ban the sale of non-aerial fireworks on the Fourth of July in counties with a population of more than 500,000 residents, ultimately affecting only those residing in Honolulu County."

"Second, there are better solutions. Studies report that bans such as those described in this bill would contribute to the promotion of



black markets. According to the State Department of Health, over 50% of the people treated for fireworks-related injuries during 2006's New Year's festivities were under the age of 15. We need to make sure vendors are enforcing the laws by checking the I.D.s of customers, and that parents are adequately supervising their children. Through public announcements the State can better educate people on firework safety.

"Lastly and perhaps most importantly, as public policy makers, it behooves us to be mindful of the power of the message legislation sends to the community. As currently drafted, H.B. 2000 is demeaning in its discrimination to the celebration of our country's birthday, which has been marked with fireworks celebrations from the first anniversary in 1777. The Fourth of July binds Hawaii to our fellow states and nation, and this draft is contrary to the values of civic spirit."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2000, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATED TO FIREWORKS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representative Meyer voting no, and with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 208-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1941, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1941, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 209-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2503, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2503, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DERELICT VEHICLE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representatives Souki and Morita, for the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 210-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3097, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 3097, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PETROLEUM STORAGE FACILITIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Karamatsu, for the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 211-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1970, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1970, pass Second Reading and be

referred to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker, I have strong reservations about House Bill 1970. The reservations relate to the fact that if this bill becomes law we're going to really slow down our efforts to create low and affordable housing for our people. I think we have to look at it in a much more comprehensive way. You put this requirement in and the housing just comes to a halt. It won't be able to go ahead. Maybe some day something like this will make sense, but not today when we have homeless on the street and other families that are desperately trying to find a place that they can live in whether it's rental or be able to buy. Thank you."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker, I'm rising with some reservations on this bill. I'm concerned like the previous speaker about adding to the cost of housing. I believe that this bill sets up an artificial staffing requirement that is difficult to comply with and to enforce. It will also operate as an impediment to putting more practices and trainees on the work site. It's calling for more licensed people and that will automatically disqualify a premises. Thank you."

Representative Stonebraker rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

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

"Mr. Speaker, as your Chair of Housing I stand in support with reservations if this does affect affordable housing. It is getting my attention."

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

"Mr. Speaker, please note my reservations with similar concerns."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker, my reservation on 211 and 212 with similar concerns."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1970, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTRACTORS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Karamatsu, for the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 212-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1972, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1972, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Stonebraker rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

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

"Mr. Speaker, please note my reservations with similar concerns."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker, my reservation on 211 and 212 with similar concerns."

Representative Halford rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Kahikina rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1972, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRICIANS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Labor & Public Employment with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Karamatsu, for the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 213-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3118, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 3118, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Mr. Speaker, I speak in favor of this measure. I do have reservations however. The purpose of the bill is to allow responsible corporations that will take into consideration the interest of its employees and the public in areas such as the environment, and allowing businesses to incorporate as responsible business corporations.

"I think the goals of these corporations are very idealistic and very noble but perhaps a little unrealistic. Testimony came from the Democratic Party of Maui and some other individuals. The part where I have serious reservations is that it exempts these corporations from the corporate income tax, and so I just wanted to point that out. Thank you."

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

"Mr. Speaker, reservations with similar concerns. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3118, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Karamatsu, for the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 214-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2524, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2524, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker, this bill will disallow automatic permit approvals. A lot of people testified for this bill because they're philosophically against automatic approvals. But some agencies who are probably for it said they had problems dealing with it because when there was a vacancy or lack of quorum, there might have been automatic approval even though the number of people who were there voted against the measure. So rather than killing the entire automatic approval bill law, I think we should look to amending it, and perhaps making some leeway when there is a lack of quorum or when there are vacancies. Thank you."

Representative Ching rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2524, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERMIT APPROVALS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Karamatsu, for the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 215-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2594, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2594, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Karamatsu, for the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 216-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3067, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3067, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE FUNDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representatives Karamatsu and Caldwell, for the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented two reports:

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 217-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3074, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance; and

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 218-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3073, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the reports of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 3074, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, and H.B. No. 3073, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I believe this is a study to see if we should create a Hawaii Construction Authority. I believe that it's unnecessary and therefore I'll be voting no on this.



"The next measure is actually the creation of the Hawaii Construction Authority so we're doing a study and creating it at the same time. So I believe this is waste of money and we don't need it. So I'm going to be voting no on both of these. Thank you."

The Chair then stated:

"The Chair will entertain the motion that we address both of these measures at the same time. Standing Committee Report Nos. 217 and 218."

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

"I'm rising in support with strong reservations on both of them. On Stand. Com. Report 217, which creates a task force. I believe you got too many people on the task force, and I'm troubled by the fact that there's no representation from non-signatory contractors. Thank you."

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

"Mr. Speaker, I have reservations on these two measures. I believe that it would increase cost, cause delays, and this oversight committee will actually, when bringing complaints, will also bog-down the Department of Labor, who will be hard pressed to handle all the complaints. Thank you."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker, I have reservations for this same reason expressed by the previous speaker. Mr. Speaker, we just have got to stop doing things that can slow down the delivery of low and affordable housing."

"Everything that we have on our desk today and everyday henceforth we should look at through that perspective and say what's going to hurt our delivery of the low income and affordable housing. If it's going to hurt it, or might hurt it, put it on the side. Deal with it in another three, four, five years. But right now the main focus has got to be streamline. This in no way streamlines. This just adds a whole nother overgloss of bureaucracy, and it will not help deliver those projects. Thank you."

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

"Mr. Speaker, I rise with very, very strong concerns about this bill. It also surprises and shocks me that it's being couched as an economic development tool for the success and growth of the Hawaii construction industry. The construction industry along with other industries in this State are so heavily, overly regulated, controlled, reports, you name it, that the administrative costs for the end product to the people that need it the most. And right now, the homeless and low income housing is very upfront on our agenda."

"But to add another layer of oversight that can create more havoc for our struggling businesses that are just trying to get their employees out there working without another authority, I find really, really not an economic development tool but, in fact, a tool of slowing growth."

Representative Moses rose in support of both measures with reservations, and asked that the remarks of Representative Thielen be entered in the Journal as his own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Stevens rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations on both measures for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ching rose in support of both measures with reservations, and asked that the remarks of Representative Thielen be entered in the Journal as her own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Finnegan rose in support of both measures with reservations, and asked that the remarks of Representative Thielen be entered in the Journal as her own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Evans rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote on both measures for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the reports of the Committees were adopted and H.B. No. 3074, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Evans and Stonebraker voting no, and with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused; and

H.B. No. 3073, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Evans and Stonebraker voting no, and with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representatives Karamatsu and Caldwell, for the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 219-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2335, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2335, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Meyer rose in opposition to the measure, and asked that her written remarks be inserted in the Journal, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Meyer's written remarks are as follows:

"Mr. Speaker, I am rising in support of HB 2335 with some reservations. The bill as written requires the public utility furnished telephone service, in our case that would be Hawaiian Telecom, to disconnect the telephone number of any person who has advertised as a licensed plumber or electrician when they are in fact not licensed."

This requirement puts the telephone company in a very compromising position. They could be found liable if a person died because they could not reach 911 due to the disconnected line. The utility could be found liable for wrongful termination of service. It is also possible that the Board of Electricians and Plumbers could provide the utility with an incorrect name or number causing an innocent person to lose phone service, which could negatively impact their business. I don't believe we should put the phone company in this position. Hopefully this bill will be amended as it moves through the process. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2335, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHAPTER 448E, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representative Meyer voting no, and with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Kahikina, for the Committee on Housing presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 220-06) recommending that H.B. No.

2991, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2991, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I am rising with reservations on this. Thank you. First of all, I want it to be known that housing is at the very forefront of what I believe in, and what I need, and what I personally need. But I just want to start bringing it to the attention of my fellow colleagues here as we move along trying to solve these problems, we have to make sure that we understand that we have some inherent problems in the existing system.

"For instance with the special revenue bond this is a very, very good vehicle for attempting to deliver a need that our people need through nonprofits and I support that totally. But until we come to grips with, and deal with, the encumbrances that come along with these special revenue bonds such as a very questionable ... We don't we haven't figured out yet whether or not Chapter 104 even applies to this. And if Chapter 104 does apply to these special revenue bonds for the low income housing, then what we've done is we taken a special project, given it special revenue bond capabilities, and then what we're doing is covering it with another 20% to 30% of increase of administrative cost to comply with these Chapters.

"So I think we need to really look at some of the underlying cost drivers and we maybe need to look at maybe revising, I believe it's Chapter 201G where we can increase the exemptions for nonprofits from the Chapter 104 requirements. I think it's at a half million now, and perhaps maybe we need to raise that substantially so that we can give them the true benefit of what we're trying to do with these SPRBs. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2991, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Kahikina, for the Committee on Housing presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 221-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2992, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2992, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Marumoto rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I would like to speak in favor of 221. I feel that a special purpose ... Changing the Constitution is not necessary to achieve low-income housing and all those noble goals. Also I feel that in the event we pass the Little Davis Bacon Law to cover special purpose revenue bonds, it would increase cost and defeat our purpose in trying to provide low and moderate income housing. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2992, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AMENDMENTS TO THE HAWAII STATE CONSTITUTION RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 222-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1021, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1021, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 223-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1913, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1913, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOLID WASTE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 224-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2508, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2508, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WAIVER OF ABANDONED VEHICLE PUBLIC AUCTION REQUIREMENTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representatives Morita and Abinsay, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection and the Committee on Agriculture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 225-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2873, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2873, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Transportation, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'm rising in support with reservations. I'm in support of the portion of the bill that talks about trying to deal with invasive species, and putting some money into a fund to do that. That's important to do, although I have problems with creating more and more special funds because they usually end up getting raided somewhere down the line.

"But it also takes a certain percentage and a disclosed percentage at this point from the Harbor Special Fund, which I don't think is a very good idea at all, and from Airport Revenue Fund. I think that may cause a lot of problems in the future too. We'll end up having to put the money back in from somewhere else. So let's just take money out of the general fund and pay for combating invasive species. Thank you."

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

"Mr. Speaker, I rise in support with reservations. I don't feel that money should be taken from the Harbor Special Fund. Our piers are deteriorating and we need that money to keep the piers and our harbors in working order. Although I do believe that fighting invasive species is a very, very good cause and we do get them through the ships that come to the harbors. I believe the Harbor Special Fund should be reserved for taking care of the harbor itself. Thank you."

Representative Pine rose in support of the measure with reservations, and asked that the remarks of Representative Moses be entered in the Journal as her own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Finnegan rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2873, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Transportation with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representatives Morita and Abinsay, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection and the Committee on Agriculture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 226-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2263, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2263, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTROLLING INVASIVE SPECIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Caldwell, for the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 227-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2950, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2950, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'm rising in support with reservations. Last year we passed a bill that reinstated the Voluntary Employee's Beneficiary Association Trust for the HSTA. This bill will broaden it to cover all unions.

"I'm somewhat concerned because we did experience a lot of savings in the Employer Union Trust Fund, and I think most of us saw where we didn't have to make payments for a month because there were those savings. I think with broadening this to all unions it may have the effect that everyone's premiums on healthcare will go up. Thank you."

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

"I agree with the previous speaker and I'd like to voice my reservations as well."

Representative Takumi rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I stand in strong support. Mr. Speaker, the previous two comments reminds me after you read *A Million Little Pieces*. It's hard to separate fact from fiction.

"The facts are that this bill does nothing to enlarge the VEBA coverage. Last year's bill actually did that. Last year's bill was not just limited to the HSTA. It was open to any bargaining unit. This bill is merely a housekeeping bill so that a union like the HGEA doesn't have to create a VEBA Trust for every single one of their bargaining units, but it can be done as a union in general. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Takai rose in support of the measure and asked that the remarks of Representative Takumi be entered in the Journal as his own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2950, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOLUNTARY EMPLOYEES' BENEFICIARY ASSOCIATION TRUSTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Caldwell, for the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 228-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2180, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Higher Education.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2180, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Higher Education with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Caldwell, for the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 229-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2646, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2646, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Caldwell, for the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 230-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1867, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1867, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Caldwell, for the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 231-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2647, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2647, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Caldwell, for the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 232-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2694, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2694, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"I'm getting slow. I rise on 232. I'd like to state my very, very large, substantial reservation. The purpose of this bill if I can just recap it real quick, is to attempt to increase or tamper with the reimbursement rates for certain physicians, the medical providers. Then it goes on further to talk about the inordinate amount of paper work that the physician networks have.

"I'd really like to caution my fellow colleagues here in the House if you were not here back in the 90s when we attempted to tinker with the workers' comp system, and the only outcome was the capping of reimbursements to the physicians. It has had a horrible affect on our medical provider network, so I'm going to ask that we really, really proceed with caution as we start to do this and perhaps maybe we really need to look at having some type of a good working relationship with the providers, with the Department of Labor, before we take any radical steps as we did in the 90s. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2694, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Caldwell, for the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 233-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2695, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2695, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII EMPLOYERS' MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Caldwell, for the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 234-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2698, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2698, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Mr. Speaker. I'm at 234. Again with strong reservations on this bill. I think we're headed in the right direction. I think that this bill, the purpose of this bill is to try to establish some type of standardization of forms. This is one of the biggest problems we have in our work comp system.

"About three or four years ago when I was with the Chamber of Commerce, as a small business advocate, the Chamber strongly worked with the Department of Labor and with this Legislature and the then Governor to attempt to try to get some type of funding directed specifically to the DCD, which is the Disabilities Compensation Division of the Department of Labor. They are terribly, terribly under, not only understaffed, but they are under computerized.

"As of 6 months ago unless things have changed in my new capacity here, and not as a person out on the streets. The only way that you can submit forms was by a fax. The fax machine breaks you can't get your forms in. They need help. They need computerization before you can even start to standardize forms because the forms need to be standardized from the employer to the provider to the employees everywhere.

"We need this but, we need to enable that Department and we need to really look at some funding for them specially to get them online in this electronic world. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2698, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 235-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3222, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3222, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 236-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2175, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2175, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Waters, for the Committee on Higher Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 237-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3029, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3029, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," passed Second

Reading and was referred to the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representatives Waters and Takumi, for the Committee on Higher Education and the Committee on Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 238-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2440, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2440, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM ATHLETE AGENTS ACT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representatives Saiki and Kanoho, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 239-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2113, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2113, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KULEANA LANDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 240-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3087, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 3087, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Mr. Speaker, I'm sorry I have to rise again with reservations and actually I may end up having to oppose these measures that are going to be coming before us that deal with procurement.

"I'll speak on 240 and what I'll do is stay seated on the rest of the procurement issues for today. I need to really, really, really, really get into the record my position on procurement. We have spent I think, the last two years trying to deal with: Do we want procurement? Do we want controlled procurement? Do we want to ... What do we want to do?

"I feel that we as policymakers, we need to make a decision. We're either going to be a State that has even-handed, across-the-board, uniform procurement. We cannot be allowing our tax dollars and the trust that our taxpayers put in us to be handed out to different agencies in different ways so that the providers of the services have no way of knowing what are the rules, what is the game plan for certain departments.

"This bill I think starts off correctly with the assumption of at least establishing a chief executive officer as the procurement officer. At least we can earmark someone that is responsible. But I think to raise the threshold amount before we have these people trained in how and what procurement is, I think is putting the cart before the horse and we really, really need to lay the bar of responsibility to not only this particular agency, but to all. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3087, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT," passed

Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 241-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1992, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1992, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'm rising with reservations on 241. I really like the part of the bill that looks to raising the cigarette tax by 2.5 cents per cigarette for dealing with Native Hawaiian programs that assist uninsured with focus on smoking cessation, prevention, education, and treatment of diseases caused by smoking. That makes sense to me.

"What I don't like about the bill is that we're trying to fund community health centers by taxing cigarettes. I think if we need money for community health centers then we should just say it and look on how we're going to do this. I don't believe we keep using cigarettes for a way to get money to fund programs.

"Like I said, I support the idea of the Hawaiian Program because it's the focus is smoking. But like I said, with community health centers, I think we should look at funding elsewhere. Thank you."

Representative Moses rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, in support with reservations. Actually I'm not in support. I have to vote no on this, Mr. Speaker. The problem is, it is a tax increase. It doesn't matter whether it's from cigarettes or anything else. It's a tax increase.

"Once again, I'll say if we don't want to have the health problems that are associated with smoking, we ought to ban smoking in the State of Hawaii, but instead we keep taxing the cigarettes and we get more and more money from it. So we don't really want it to go away because if it went away, how would we fund these rural health centers? We also take money from the big settlement. We take a lot of money from that. So again if we want to fund rural health care let's do that. Let's not tax cigarettes to do it. Thank you."

Representative Green rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. In support. I appreciate the comments from both of the previous speakers. They make good and correct points.

"The point of this bill is to do a couple of things. Very briefly as we increase the cost of tobacco, fewer people smoke and it has exactly double the effect on young people so for every dollar that a pack of cigarettes cost more, 5 to 7% of adults smoke less, and it's double the effect on children. So it has a very good effect.

"The less smoking we have in this State decreases overall health costs very, very dramatically. Without tobacco in the country we would save \$500 billion. Those are national health numbers. \$500 billion annually.

"And finally the purpose for giving the moneys to the federally qualified health centers, while I completely agree that we should essentially fund them well, because there are 13 health centers across the State, geographically well-placed to take care of our uninsured,

underinsured, and families that in general are more poor than other families. I was instructed directly by the Director of Health and other people in leadership positions in government that if I wanted to find money for new programs or expanding programs I liked, I had to go find it on my own. I'm not a rich guy so I couldn't fund them personally. We had to find a measure that would actually get money directly to go into these health centers.

"So this has a really nice coordinated effect. We'll have less in the way of chronic health and expensive health problems for the State and at the same time, moneys will go while we're preventing those illnesses into the places where we have our greatest need to take care of the uninsured. So I actually think this is a perfect mechanism. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Stonebraker rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Thielen rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I have strong support for this measure, Mr. Speaker. I would like just like to ask that the remarks from the Representative from North Kona be entered in the Journal as if they were my own," and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Meyer rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1992, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIGARETTE TAX," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representative Moses voting no, and with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representatives Arakaki and Sonson, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 242-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3123, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 3123, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR HURRICANE PREPAREDNESS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representatives Arakaki and Sonson, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 243-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2941, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2941, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representatives Arakaki and Caldwell, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 244-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3128, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 3128, HD 1, pass Second Reading and

be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Mr. Speaker. On 244, I rise with strong reservations. I have real concerns about a universal healthcare system, and I won't go into all the details of that. But I am struck by something on page 2. Interesting, whoever authored this bill is really making some really interesting and strong statements that I don't believe reflect probably me and some other members of our Body, but I'm just going to read one paragraph. I haven't read the rest of it but, there must be other comments in there I wouldn't agree with, but this one particular.

"Let me frame it for you. The three biggest cost-drivers of healthcare in the United States and Hawaii today are associated with the following: a profit driven complex of payments; reluctant, multi-payer, health insurance bureaucracies competing to insure only the healthy; and the wealthy by leaving those who need healthcare the most to the taxpayers.

"There's a lot of editorial comments in this legislation right now and I just have some concerns about that. But also I have concerns about the whole concept of universal healthcare. So with reservations. Thank you."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker, I'm rising with the same reservation as the Representative from Waimea. Thank you."

Representative Hale rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Yes, Mr. Speaker, thank you. I strongly support this. Every major civilized nation of the world can take care of their people. We can't take care of them. We have to stop thinking about money and thinking about welfare. Thank you."

Representative Stonebraker rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"I'll be voting no on this and I'll vote no on it till the very final Reading, with these brief comments. A study once said, and I agree with it, if you think healthcare is expensive now, wait until the government runs it.

"We've seen how the government runs the Department of Motor Vehicles, the education system. To put them in charge of health care, well one could argue on a philosophical level, why don't we make government run auto insurance? What's the difference? There's a lot of people that don't have auto insurance and they drive. Well the same argument is made to provide universal health care. Well, there's a lot of people that aren't insured. The problem is that there's so much evidence from around the world that people are waiting in lines and dying for treatments that they need to have done, procedures that they need to have taken care of immediately. And it's just not getting done.

"We have the best healthcare in the world. The medicine here is fantastic. As a matter of fact, Mr. Speaker, my father was diagnosed and is recovering remarkably from Guillain-Barre syndrome and my colleague from North Kona probably knows a lot about that. But what was amazing was going into the hospital, the emergency at Queen's. We found that the care was tremendous. It's hard to compare the amount of attention that one receives. Now if you made a universal healthcare system, what you would have is everybody down there just to get attention.

"Now when we were there, there was a woman and I don't want to make any personal judgment, but she was uncontrollable by the



security guards because she was flighty, she was wandering off, she talked about this, that and the other. And really all they wanted to do was provide for her but she wouldn't sit in one place and wait for the nurse to get her name and number. And my father appropriately leaned over to me and said, now could you imagine what would happen if there was a universal healthcare system. This place would look like Aala Park. Everybody would be here for this drug, that drug, this treatment, that treatment. And everybody else that might really need treatment, who is undergoing dialysis or other serious ailments, would be shutout. And that's exactly what happened in Canada and other parts of the world.

"The rate of death for prostate and breast cancer is doubled in Canada and England because of this system. This system doesn't help the people. It hurts them. And for that reason, I'll vote no. Thank you."

Representative Green rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Just brief comments in support of the concept. And I would remark that the first patient I ever saw had Guillain-Barre syndrome, in 1995. Conceptually, I think that we need to get healthcare for everyone in the United States of America. And I think that once universal healthcare becomes a reality, it will be an American form of universal healthcare. I cannot say what that will mean. I'm not advocating a new tax on the people of America or the State of Hawaii.

"What I'm trying to do when bills like these come forward is to say, we really have to have an honest and large dialogue that includes all of the players, the hospitals, the insurers but most importantly the consumers of health care which is every single one of us. So going forward, if the system worsens, if it becomes more expensive or excludes even more people from getting care, that we're prepared as Americans to take care of all of our own. So I hope people will keep their minds open. A lot of these bills are meant to keep discussion going because it's probably the most principle issue that will affect all of our constituents. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Cabanilla rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I stand in support of this measure. I believe that this bill has something to do with a single-payer system in which they take care of the billing for all the different companies because billing drives the cost by 30 percent. By funneling them to a single-payer system, that 30 percent becomes a savings. And let me just say that it doesn't have anything to do with the delivery of healthcare. It has something to do with billing. And we have to do something with our healthcare, Mr. Speaker. The cost of insurance is going so high that if we don't do any intervention, the system and all the insurance companies dealing with us will go bankrupt.

"It's nearing its demise. Everybody wants a lot of coverage, expanded coverage. And we now as a society believes that health care is a right as opposed to a privilege. And if you want a lot, you have got to be willing to pay a lot, and right now we're not willing to pay a lot. Thank you."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. In support at this point, at least with reservations. It creates another special fund which is one thing that I don't like right off the bat. But also, we have tremendous medicines here that cost a lot, and we're not allowing for that fact in all of our discussions. We're talking about healthcare being so costly. Well yeah, because it is good healthcare. Usually you pay for what you get.

"People from Canada, universal healthcare, they flock across the border to get treatment. In fact, our waiting list is very long for most

countries trying to come here. I don't see any Americans waiting in line to go to countries with universal healthcare just to get good health care. They want to get their healthcare here. So I think we ought to bear that in mind. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Finnegan rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ching rose in support of the measure with reservations, and asked that her written remarks be inserted in the Journal, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ching's written remarks are as follows:

"Mr. Speaker, I rise with strong reservations on this bill. Single payer systems have raised a quality and timeliness of care issues and may require complex and expensive financing arrangements. During the 2005 Legislative Session, HB 1304, HD1, SD2, CD1 was passed creating a temporary healthcare task force to investigate the different options available to provide health care to all of Hawaii's residents. The task force was appropriated \$200,000 with which to "contract for services and studies as necessary". Since the task force has not yet made recommendations regarding a single payer system, HB 3128 is premature. Thank you."

Representative Marumoto rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Stevens rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Thielen rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 3128, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTHCARE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representative Stonebraker voting no, and with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 245-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2819, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2819, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DECABROMODIPHENYLETHYER," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 246-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1898, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1898, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VITAL STATISTICS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 247-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2902, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2902, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL RECORDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representatives Arakaki and Sonson, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 248-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2154, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2154, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representatives Arakaki and Sonson, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 249-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2185, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2185, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGING IN PLACE TAX CREDIT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representatives Arakaki and Sonson, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 250-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2935, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2935, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELDERLY IDENTIFICATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representatives Arakaki and Sonson, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 251-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2107, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2107, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A HAWAII CAREGIVER GRANT PROGRAM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representatives Arakaki and Sonson, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 252-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3105, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 3105, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PSYCHOTROPIC MEDICATION," passed

Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representatives Arakaki and Caldwell, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 253-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3127, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 3127, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATED TO HEALTH CARE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representatives Arakaki and Caldwell, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 254-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3129, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 3129, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 255-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2059, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2059, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

At 1:52 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 1:53 o'clock p.m.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 256-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1878, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1878, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVESTMENT SECURITIES ACT," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 257-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2313, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2313, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESS REGISTRATION," passed Second



Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 258-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2315, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2315, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CODE OF FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 259-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2331, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2331, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AN INACTIVE STATUS FOR PROFESSIONAL AND VOCATIONAL LICENSES," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 260-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2743, as amended in HD 1, be adopted, passed, and recommitted to the Committee on Education.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2743, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," was adopted, passed, and recommitted to the Committee on Education with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

### THIRD READING

#### H.B. No. 462, HD 1:

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, H.B. No. 462, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTION DAY POLL WATCHERS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 46 ayes, with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

#### H.B. No. 2539, HD 1:

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, H.B. No. 2539, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTION," passed Third Reading by a vote of 46 ayes, with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

#### H.B. No. 2779, HD 1:

Representative M. Oshiro moved that H.B. No. 2779, HD 1, pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Abinsay rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. This is Third Reading, and if I may stand in strong support. Very briefly, Mr. Speaker, this is a bill that makes it a civil rights violation to unlawfully discriminate against

preventing an individual from city, State or county benefits, including financial assistance for the sole reason that the individual cannot use English proficiently.

"Mr. Speaker, passing this measure, I believe is a demonstration once again by the State that we are indeed a very compassionate State in extending our support for our people who are most in need of our support or help.

"Mr. Speaker, this issue is really very dear to my heart because at one point of my life, being an immigrant, I had experienced the same situation on many occasions. And at that time, I just didn't have any recourse, where to go.

"We also passed a measure Mr. Speaker, House Bill 2778 on Second Reading, and this is Relating to Language Access. As a result, this is going to create an office under that Department of Labor. And I would just like to speak more, hopefully, on this measure at the appropriate time. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, H.B. No. 2779, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISCRIMINATION," passed Third Reading by a vote of 46 ayes, with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

#### H.B. No. 1787, HD 1:

Representative M. Oshiro moved that H.B. No. 1787, HD 1, pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Lee rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, in support. I have some written comments to submit to the Journal. But I just wanted to say one thing about this HD 1, that I hope that the Senate will restore a provision contained in the as introduced version, that requires driver license exams to have a question in this provision. Teenage parents and teenage babysitters are the most likely to be unaware of the dangers of leaving *keiki* in a vehicle unattended. For the majority who have children later in life, it's important for them to be made aware of the dangers of leaving unattended *keiki* in cars. After their initial driver's test, drivers generally do not take a written exam for many years. We need to take advantage of the opportunity to inform drivers of the dangers of leaving *keiki* unattended in vehicles. I ask that my colleagues support this measure and send it on to the Senate. Mahalo."

Representative Lee's written remarks are as follows:

"Mr. Speaker, I rise in support of HB 1787, HD1, Relating to Child Endangerment. Many people do not realize how dangerous it is to leave small children in cars for even short periods of time. It is dangerous for the child and for those in close proximity to the car as well.

"In 2005, four vehicles on Oahu were stolen with *keiki* inside left there by their parents or babysitters while running quick errands. All four of these incidents ended without major tragedy, but unfortunately that is not always the case.

"Hundreds of these kinds of incidents happen every year in the United States and unfortunately we are not immune to them here in Hawaii. Most of us remember the tragic accident on the Windward side in late 2003 where a little girl died from hyperthermia after being left in the backseat of a car.

"To give two further examples, a 10-week old baby died in a car in North Carolina when the car caught on fire. The baby's mother had gone into the Lyle Creek Elementary School to pick up another of her children who was in kindergarten. She had only been away from the car for a few minutes.

"In Hamilton, Massachusetts a 2-year old was run over by a minivan (and fortunately survived) after he and his sister accidentally put the vehicle in neutral while they were playing in it. The sister jumped out, but the little boy got caught under the vehicle.

"HB 1787, HD1 would put parents on alert that leaving their *keiki* in cars for even short periods of time is very dangerous. The bill makes it a traffic infraction to leave a *keiki* unsupervised in a motor vehicle.

"While I hope my colleagues will support this HD 1, I also hope the Senate will restore a provision contained in the 'as introduced' version that requires driver's license exams to have a question about this issue. Teenage parents and teenage babysitters are the most likely to be unaware of the dangers of leaving *keiki* in a vehicle unattended. For the majority who have children later in life, it is important for them to be made aware of the dangers of leaving unattended *keiki* in cars. After their initial driver's test, drivers generally do not take a written exam for many years. We need to take advantage of the opportunity to inform drivers of the dangers of leaving *keiki* unattended in vehicles.

"I ask that my colleagues support this measure and send it on to the Senate. Mahalo."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, H.B. No. 1787, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD ENDANGERMENT," passed Third Reading by a vote of 46 ayes, with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

#### **H.B. No. 1825, HD 1:**

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, H.B. No. 1825, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC INFRACTIONS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 46 ayes, with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

#### **H.B. No. 1983, HD 1:**

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, H.B. No. 1983, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY," passed Third Reading by a vote of 46 ayes, with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

#### **H.B. No. 2114, HD 1:**

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, H.B. No. 2114, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GRAFFITI," passed Third Reading by a vote of 46 ayes, with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

#### **H.B. No. 2207, HD 1:**

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, H.B. No. 2207, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEXUAL ASSAULT," passed Third Reading by a vote of 46 ayes, with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

#### **H.B. No. 2303, HD 1:**

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, H.B. No. 2303, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT," passed Third Reading by a vote of 46 ayes, with Representatives Arakaki, Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz and Takamine being excused.

At 1:59 o'clock p.m., the Chair noted that H.B. Nos. 462, HD 1; 2539, HD 1; 2779, HD 1; 1787, HD 1; 1825, HD 1; 1983, HD 1; 2114, HD 1; 2207, HD 1; and 2303, HD 1, passed Third Reading.

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

At 1:59 o'clock p.m., Representative Herkes requested a recess, and the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 2:00 o'clock p.m.

Representative Sonson: "Mr. Speaker, it's an honor to stand up and say Happy Birthday to the doctor in the House. Josh Green will be 36 tomorrow. I also would like to stand up and say Happy Birthday to my daughter who is 10 years old today. Happy Birthday Marie."

Representative Takumi: "Mr. Speaker, just an announcement. We have a 2 o'clock hearing for Education, but we also have a joint decision making with the Labor Committee. And so in deference to the Labor Committee members, we'll do decision making on those bills first, and then we're going to the regular Education hearing. Thank you."

### **ADJOURNMENT**

At 2:01 o'clock p.m. on motion by Representative B. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon, Monday, February 13, 2006. (Representatives Cabanilla, Saiki, Schatz, Takamine and Yamane were excused.)

## SEVENTEENTH DAY

Monday, February 13, 2006

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Third Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2006, convened at 12:06 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered in song by Representatives Hermina Morita, Dennis Arakaki, Ezra Kanoho and Bertha Kawakami, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representative Takai, who was excused.

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

## GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE

The following message from the Governor (Gov. Msg. No. 228) was received and announced by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 228, dated February 14, 2006, transmitting the Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism's Annual Report for 2005.

## INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative Takamine, on behalf of the Big Island delegation, introduced the members of the Hilo High School Key Club: Kathryn Kawauchi, President; Melanie Dudley, Trevor Takamine, and CyVan Yamamoto; and their advisor, Ms. Charlene Masuhara.

Representative Takamine further introduced his son, Mr. Trevor Takamine.

Representative Finnegan introduced her office manager, Ms. Carrie Kealoha.

## ORDER OF THE DAY

## COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

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

<u>H.B. Nos.</u>	<u>Re-referred to:</u>
591	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
1966	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance
1975, HD1	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
2121	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
2174	Jointly to the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection and the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, then to the Committee on Judiciary
3244	Jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

At 12:12 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 12:13 o'clock p.m.

## STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representatives Sonson and Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 261-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2672, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2672, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO QUEST," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Takai being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 262-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2215, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2215, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONCESSIONS ON PUBLIC PROPERTY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Takai being excused.

Representatives Hale and Karamatsu, for the Committee on International Affairs and the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 263-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1889, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1889, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Evans rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Meyer rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1889, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Takai being excused.

Representatives Chang and Ito, for the Committee on Tourism & Culture and the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 264-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2688, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2688, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. In support with reservations. This measure regulates fireworks again, like the one we had the other day. This one talks about not only the definitions of fireworks. That's okay. But it also talks about when you can buy them. One of the limiting factors is no more than five days before New Years, Chinese New Years, or the Fourth of July.

"Another one though is not after 12:00 a.m. on New Years Day. So I'm thinking, okay I want to take my children out to use sparklers or snakes at the park because it's a holiday, and I can't buy any fireworks on that day. Then you look at Chinese New Years, not after 6:00 p.m., and 8:00 p.m. on the Fourth of July. So I'm just wondering about these time restrictions. I think next we'll regulate what color of fireworks we're able to buy. Thank you."

Representative Evans rose in support of the measure with reservations, and asked that the remarks of Representative Moses be entered in the Journal as her own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2688, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative Takai being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 265-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2619, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2619, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Takai being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 266-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2439, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2439, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A ONE CALL CENTER," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Takai being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 267-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2969, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2969, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Strong reservations on this measure. There was no support from either the Insurance Commissioner or the Securities Commissioner on the portion which mandates the transfer of jurisdiction of variable annuities from the Securities Commissioner to the Insurance Commissioner. I know this is moving to Judiciary, Mr. Speaker, so I will limit my comments to that. Just strong reservations. Thank you."

Representative Marumoto rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I rise in opposition to this measure. For the same reason stated by the previous speaker, I am in opposition. But I would like to point out that the bill does more than affect seniors. It affects all consumers. I am on the subsequent Committee, so we'll discuss it there. Thank you very much."

Representative Halford rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Herkes rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. In support. Mr. Speaker, this is just a policy call. With these types of annuities, one of the problems is that they're sold to seniors promising them a return in the period of time when they're not going to be alive. So this is a senior protection act. It's a model bill that was given to us by NCOIL. When I was at the NCOIL meeting in November, we spent a lot of time on this issue.

"So the question is, do variable annuities come under the securities administration or under the insurance division? The consensus from NCOIL was that they are an insurance product, basically, and should be under the insurance division. Then this bill really calls for protection of seniors being sold those variable annuities. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2969, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ANNUITIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representative Marumoto voting no, and with Representative Takai being excused.

Representative Chang, for the Committee on Tourism & Culture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 268-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3238, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3238, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OUT-OF-STATE SALES OF TIME SHARE INTERESTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representative Takai being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 269-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2637, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2637, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Takai being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 270-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2058, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2058, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REPRODUCTIVE RIGHTS PROTECTION COMMITTEE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative Takai being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 271-06) recommending that H.B. No.

2105, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2105, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR DONATED DENTAL SERVICES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Takai being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 272-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2526, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2526, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION AS A GRANT-IN-AID TO THE COUNTY OF HAWAII FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICE PERSONNEL TO STAFF THE AEROMEDICAL HELICOPTER UNIT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Takai being excused.

Representatives Herkes and Arakaki, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 273-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1975, as amended in HD 1, be adopted, passed, and recommitted jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Health.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1975, HD 1, be adopted, passed, and recommitted jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Health, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

The Chair then addressed Representative Stevens, stating:

"Representative Stevens, what is the motion before us this afternoon, on this particular measure?"

Representative Stevens responded, stating:

"To recommit."

The Chair responded, stating:

"Yes, absolutely right. Okay, you got it."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1975, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES," was adopted, passed, and recommitted jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Health, with Representative Takai being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 274-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2746, as amended in HD 1, be adopted, passed, and recommitted to the Committee on Transportation.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2746, HD 1, be adopted, passed, and recommitted to the Committee on Transportation, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Berg rose to speak in support of the motion to recommit with reservations, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'd just like to register a vote with reservations. Taxes are a methodology and avenue for us to enhance

quality of life. They're not intended to exacerbate problems of fuel prices. So I'm with reservations. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2746, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AVIATION FUEL TAXES," was adopted, passed, and recommitted to the Committee on Transportation, with Representative Takai being excused.

## SUSPENSION OF RULES

Representative B. Oshiro moved that the rules be suspended to consider certain House Bills on Third Reading on the basis of a modified consent calendar, seconded by Representative Meyer.

The Chair then addressed Representative Tsuji, stating:

"Representative Tsuji what is the motion before this Body at this point in time? The motion before this House?"

Representative Tsuji responded, stating:

"I'm sorry, Mr. Speaker. To recommit?"

Speaker Say: "No. To suspend the Rules of the House, to consider certain bills for Third Reading by consent calendar. That's okay. You weren't paying attention Representative Tsuji."

Representative Tsuji: "Mr. Speaker, I wasn't paying attention. I apologize."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the rules were suspended for the purpose of considering certain House Bills on Third Reading on the basis of a modified consent calendar. (Representative Takai was excused.)

## THIRD READING

### H.B. No. 1878:

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, H.B. No. 1878, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVESTMENT SECURITIES ACT," passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative Takai being excused.

### H.B. No. 2313:

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, H.B. No. 2313, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESS REGISTRATION," passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative Takai being excused.

### H.B. No. 2315:

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, H.B. No. 2315, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CODE OF FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative Takai being excused.

### H.B. No. 2331:

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, H.B. No. 2331, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AN INACTIVE STATUS FOR PROFESSIONAL AND VOCATIONAL LICENSES," passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative Takai being excused.

At 12:21 o'clock p.m., the Chair noted that H.B. Nos. 1878; 2313; 2315; and 2331, passed Third Reading.

#### INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTION

By unanimous consent, the following resolution (H.R. No. 13) was referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.R. No. 13, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE HAWAII YOUTH CORRECTIONAL FACILITY TO CONDUCT A STUDY ON THE FEASIBILITY OF PROVIDING A CONTINUUM OF ALCOHOL, SUBSTANCE ABUSE, SEX OFFENDER, SEX ABUSE VICTIM, AND MEDICAL AND MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES FOR INCARCERATED YOUTH," was jointly offered by Representatives Sonson, Abinsay, Arakaki, Berg, Cabanilla, Caldwell, Evans, Finnegan, Green, Harbin, Herkes, Kanoho, Karamatsu, Lee, Luke, Morita, Moses, B. Oshiro, M. Oshiro, Pine, Say, Schatz, Shimabukuro, Thielen, Tsuji, Yamane, Hale, Halford, Kahikina, Kawakami, Marumoto, Meyer, Nishimoto, Stevens, Stonebraker, Tanaka, Wakai and Yamashita.

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Caldwell: "Mr. Speaker, in 1809 on this day, Abraham Lincoln was born – an outstanding man. You know when he read his Gettysburg Address, one comes to understand when he talked about, "We the people ..." For the first time, he defined it as all the people of our great country. And that legacy lives on. I think even though for us as Democrats, we may find that he was the first, I think, really great Republican President. We've all learned much from his legacy. I just wanted to bring that to the attention of the Members of this Body. Thank you."

Representative Souki for the Committee on Transportation requested a waiver of the 48-hour hearing notice requirement to hear H.B. No. 2746, HD 1, Relating to Aviation Fuel Taxes, to be held Wednesday, February 15<sup>th</sup> at 11 o'clock a.m., with decision making to follow, and the Chair "so ordered."

#### ADJOURNMENT

At 12:23 o'clock p.m. on motion by Representative B. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon, tomorrow, Tuesday, February 14, 2006. (Representative Takai was excused.)

## EIGHTEENTH DAY

Tuesday, February 14, 2006

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Third Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2006, convened at 12:03 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Mr. Jacce Mikulanec, office manager to Representative Schatz, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Takai and Takamine, who were excused.

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

## INTRODUCTION

The following introduction was made to the members of the House:

Representative Sonson introduced Mr. Jack Tweedie, Director of the Children and Families Program, National Conference of State Legislatures.

Representative Sonson also introduced Ms. Park Kaleiwahea, his office manager.

## ORDER OF THE DAY

## COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

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

<u>H.B. Nos.</u>	<u>Re-referred to:</u>
2556	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
2572	Committee on Finance
2748	Committee on Finance
2770	Committee on Finance
2887	Committee on Finance
2934	Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance
3071	Committee on Finance
3118	Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns, then to the Committee on Finance
3123, HD1	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Finance

## STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Chang, for the Committee on Tourism & Culture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 275-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3113, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 3113, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Ching rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I rise in strong support of this measure. Thank you. This measure seeks to introduce a concept and have a museum, which would honor all the various cultures here in Hawaii. Of course, including our native host culture. And tell the story of all of our cultures that have come here, the story of hard work, the story of success to inspire the children, our future of tomorrow to know that they too can *carpe diem* or seize the day. This museum seeks to connect with the different schools around the State and make sure that children know from where they come and who they are, and participate in history.

"Secondarily, this museum seeks to also capitalize on a new trend, a growing trend in tourism, which is heritage tourism. We have many reports that now state, that of all the profiles of tourists, it is the heritage tourists who stays longer and spends more money in Hawaii. And as we know, we cannot always accommodate every single person or else we would have hotels on every square inch of our islands. We have to look to those who also care about our island culture. So I see it a win-win for visitor and resident alike. Mahalo."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3113, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HISTORY MUSEUM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representative Chang, for the Committee on Tourism & Culture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 276-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3235, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3235, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE OF HAWAII ENDOWMENT FUND," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 277-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2400, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2400, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Magaoay rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I'm in strong support on this bill. I ask my colleagues to support this bill. It's really a good endeavor, especially as you mentioned in your speech on Opening Day, about being stewards of the land. This is one of the *ainas* that we need to preserve. I had a bill that I introduced, but this bill is an Administration bill, but the money is going to be coming from this year's budget instead of next year. I think working together in partnership, we can preserve and be good stewards. So I recommend it to all of my colleagues for their support. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2400, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR ACQUISITION OF WAIMEA VALLEY,

OAHU," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 278-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1981, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1981, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEASEHOLD CONVERSION," was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 279-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3126, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3126, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RAPID IDENTIFICATION DOCUMENTS," was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 280-06) recommending that S.B. No. 1223, SD 2, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 1223, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NEGOTIABLE INSTRUMENTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representatives Takumi and Caldwell, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 281-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2609, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2609, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING FOR EMPLOYEES IN NEW CENTURY CHARTER SCHOOLS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representatives Takumi and Caldwell, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 282-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2551, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2551, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representatives Takumi and Abinsay, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Agriculture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 283-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1843, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees

was adopted and H.B. No. 1843, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOCATIONAL AGRICULTURE EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 284-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3232, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 3232, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'm rising in support with reservations. All the testimony we got from the Civil Defense is that they already do this. This is just adding another delaying factor to them trying to plan as they do now. Thank you."

Representative Meyer rose in support of the measure with reservations, and asked that her written remarks be inserted in the Journal, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Meyer's written remarks are as follows:

"Mr. Speaker, I'm rising in support of HB 3232, but with some strong reservations. This bill, as written, will appropriate funds to support the efforts of a newly created commission on disaster hazards. It will also pay for additional work, to be performed by the Civil Defense Division, to update information relating to disaster hazards and make that information accessible in electronic form. I believe this bill will divert the Civil Defense Division's efforts from its main purpose, which is preparing for and training volunteer members for Hawaii's next natural disaster.

"Mr. Speaker, in addition, the testimony from both the Civil Defense Division and Department of Defense was tepid and less than enthusiastic. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Ito rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, in support. Mr. Speaker, this bill will establish a Commission on Disaster Hazard Information to oversee the process of compiling information relating to disaster hazards across the State into a manageable and accessible electronic form and keep the information up-to-date. The University of Hawaii concurs with the necessity of making sure that this information is verified and valid. This will greatly enhance our State's ability to make comprehensive mitigation plans for the safety of the Hawaii people. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3232, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL DEFENSE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 285-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2444, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2444, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Moses rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:



"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I rise in opposition. Thank you, Mr. Speaker. This bill, right in the bill itself it says, "no state or county agency, commission, corporation, department, or any other authority of the state or county, shall expend any federal funds provided by the United States Office for Domestic Preparedness under the State Homeland Security Program, unless the department of defense submits to the legislature." And then it goes through a bunch of things they have to submit.

"My contention is, Mr. Speaker, nowhere in the bill does it say what the Legislature will do with that. It goes on to say if the Legislature is not in Session, the reports will be submitted to yourself and the President of the Senate. Again, it doesn't say what the Legislature will do or that the Legislature must approve. So I don't understand why we're putting this burden on the Department of Defense for expending federal money on preparedness. Thank you."

Representative Stonebraker rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'll be voting against this. I'm assuming that it's for the same reasons. I was reading on other bills when the previous speaker was speaking. But in a time where we need to be extra cautious with what we do regarding natural disaster and our emergency needs, I think most importantly, we've seen with some examples, especially in the Gulf Coast states, where the inflexibility of the government agencies has led to an exacerbation of much of the problems caused by natural disasters. So for those reasons, I believe that this bill goes in the opposite direction. I believe it makes it more rigid and more difficult to local agencies to spend the money that they need and to get the assistance that needs to be gotten to the residents in the area as quickly as possible. This will go in the opposite direction, making it more difficult to do that. So for those reasons, I'll be voting no. Thank you."

Representative Ito rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, in support. Mr. Speaker, all this bill does is require the State to disclose a plan for homeland security. While it is important to ensure that Hawaii is safe from terrorists and threats of harm, the public should have a general idea of what the priorities are and how the taxpayer dollars are being spent. For example, Hawaii is 95% dependent on food and other goods being shipped in and through Hawaii harbors and Neighbor Island harbors. Protection of this transportation hub would be critical for homeland security.

"Furthermore, our hospitals and other industrial manufacturers use nuclear materials that could be used to build a nuclear weapon. We need to know if our homeland security plan addresses the safeguards of such materials. Mr. Speaker, we need to know what concerns are being addressed. Thank you."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'm rising in support with some strong reservations. My concern is that as written now, this bill would limit the Department of Defense's ability to spend funds in a timely manner. It will restrict the expending of funds received by the Department of Transportation Port Security Grant of Health. It will delay implementation of federally mandated safety and security improvements to our transportation facilities. In this time of terrorists, as well as some of the concerns that the bill has, but my concern is for homeland security and any kinds of terrorist threat, that we don't want to tie the hands of the very people that we rely on to keep us as secure as possible. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Please note my strong reservations and that I'll be looking in the future to understand this bill a little bit more."

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

"Same request, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Ching rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Stevens rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Halford rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Thielen rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Yamane rose in support of the measure and asked that the remarks of Representative Ito be entered in the Journal as his own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2444, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Moses and Stonebraker voting no, and with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 286-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2448, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2448, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representatives Saiki and Kanoho, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 287-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2930, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2930, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN TRADITIONAL AND CUSTOMARY PRACTICES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representatives Herkes and Arakaki, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 288-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1872, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1872, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Thielen rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'm rising in strong support of House Bill 1872. Thank you. Mr. Speaker, we all know that it's important to be able to provide prescriptive drugs, particularly to our seniors at a cost that is affordable. Unfortunately, that's not been the case in the

United States or particularly here in our island. Americans pay the world's highest drug prices. We paid more than 81% than buyers in Canada last year. And also at 81% higher than in six Western European countries. In 2000, the differential was 60%. So we're just on an upward scale with the high cost of prescriptive drugs. We pay 108% more than the French for the same drugs. 118% more than the Italians. 58% more than the Swiss. And that's the country with prices closest to those in the United States.

"This bill is an effort to increase access to affordable prescriptive drugs, Mr. Speaker, by allowing the consumers of this State to obtain an injunction or damages or other relief when a drug manufacture or its licensee sells drugs for an excessive price. That part of the bill may be changed as we go to Judiciary. And the Committee Report does indicate that the Judiciary Committee should look at the legal aspects of the bill. What it does is, which should not be changed or modified in any way, it will require the drug industry to justify why it's medications cannot be priced more reasonably when the prices are compared with four high income industrialized countries. And the prices here, locally, exceed 30% over those four highly industrialized countries. Then the drug industry has to justify why we should be paying these excessive prices.

"It's all in the best interests of the consumer, Mr. Speaker, that we have this information. And I think it's also telling to note that the only entities that testified against the bill are the drug manufacturers who are reaping in these huge profits. Thank you."

Representative Green rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. In support. A very brief story. A constituent and patient called me the other day and said, 'Dr. Green, my medicine, I ordered it from Canada because it was 60% cheaper and it was seized.' She wanted to know why the medicine was seized. It was a federal thing. But she had this medicine called Plavix, which is meant to keep the blood a little thinner when aspirin is not enough. She had a heart attack and she needed to not have another heart attack. So she didn't have her medicine. And then she had to go rebuy the medicine that was taken from her.

"Now I'm not advocating or even broaching the subject of whether or not we should be able to get medicines from Canada or other countries. But it was so expensive that she then couldn't purchase the medicine when she went to rebuy it here. And had to wait once again for all the paperwork and processes to go by. So she went six or eight weeks without having that medicine that decreased her likelihood of having another heart attack. It's the same medicines used for strokes.

"So, it's such a conundrum for people that are on fixed incomes that we need a bill or some kind of bill that just provides for common fairness because it's absolutely a real situation. A lot of people can't afford their medications and are at increased risk for very, very serious complications. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

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

"Mr. Speaker, I rise in favor of this bill but I have some reservations. I can tell we're going to have an interesting time in Judiciary with this measure. This one, this bill would go into effect when the wholesale price of a patented prescription drug in the State is more than 30% higher than the comparable price in any high income country. These countries would be the United Kingdom, Germany, Canada, and Australia. And I'm kind of wondering whether we have somebody in the Department of Health who's checking these prices, or some Attorney General who maybe checking the prices in these countries. I think that sounds like a kind of a lot of work to chase down these prices in all these countries to determine whether there's a 30% differential.

"I do not like excessive prices. I wish our drug prices were lower. I'm not certain that this is the proper vehicle, the proper route to take in getting lower prices. But I think it's a little bit unwieldy to prove where the prices are 30% lower, and when, on what day. You've got a moving target here in Hawaii too. We have all different prices at all different points in our State. So I have my reservations. I'm looking forward to hearing testimony on this in the next Committee. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1872, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRESCRIPTION DRUGS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representatives Herkes and Arakaki, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 289-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1873, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1873, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRESCRIPTIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 290-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2076, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2076, HD 2, be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"I have some reservations on this measure, Mr. Speaker. Currently, the law allows for the treatment of minors as far as in regards to medicine. Primarily, the concern of many people is the administration of abortions to minors without the consent of a parent. That's embarrassing."

The Chair stated:

"That's okay, just turn your phone off."

Representative Stonebraker continued, stating:

"You're not supposed to call me here. Just kidding. I'm sorry, Mr. Speaker. Please forgive me.

"This bill, what it does, Mr. Speaker, is it allows for parents to be involved in plastic surgery. To me, it just seems very awkward that parents don't have the right to be involved in any other forms of medication or surgery or treatment, except for plastic surgery. It seems to be illogical. It continues to violate the rights of parents to be involved with their children's medical treatment. Thank you."

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

"Thank you very much, Mr. Speaker. In support with the same reservations as the prior speaker. In addition to my reservations, Mr. Speaker, testimony was brought forward that this is actually a bill that's targeted towards minors, who are predominantly the clients of the Waikiki Health Center. The bill, though as promulgated, as stated in this measure, defines medical services too broadly. As I understand it, the Center does not provide anything more than

primary care. So I think that in order to address the issues of that particular entity, we should limit this bill indeed to just primary care.

"Right now, it does include major surgery, heart transplant, kidney transplant, whatever it may be because it's defined as any care treatment service or procedure. So as this bill moves forward, Mr. Speaker, we should take a look at this and try to limit it in order to not have the doctor substitute for parents' right to determine what happens to their 14-year old. Thank you so much."

Representative Pine rose in support of the measure with reservations, and asked that her written remarks be inserted in the Journal, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Pine's written remarks are as follows:

"Mr. Speaker, I rise to speak with reservation on HB 2076, HD2.

"This bill proposes to improve the provision of medical services to youth that do not have a parent or guardian to authorize medical procedures. Within the State of Hawaii, there are many teens that are either homeless, runaways, from Micronesia or other countries, with no parents in the State, or otherwise lacking adult supervision. The bill allows these teens the ability to receive seriously needed health services, while acknowledging a minor's right to privacy and control of their own health services. The bill also allows providers to accept the consent of a minor if a physician determines the minor understands the benefit and risk of medical care and the services are for the minor's benefit.

"As written, the bill appears much broader than its intent because the bill would allow all 14 year old minors in the State of Hawaii to have access to medical services without parental consent. Although this may not be the bill's intent, the bill may cause conflict for those children with parental guardians who cover the children under their health care plans, in situations such as pregnancy. Therefore, the bill should be narrowed to reflect the intended purpose.

"The wording of the bill also raises concerns as to how the bill may affect care to children who are not at risk described in section one of the bill. For children who are unable to carry out their care without assistance, as in the case with those children with chronic disease such as asthma and diabetes, the bill fails to account who would be responsible for covering the costs of long term care.

"In its current form, HB 2076, HD2, is the right step in providing much needed emergency medical services for those minors who are in serious need of medical care, but the bill still needs to be narrowed for its intended purpose. For these reasons, I am voting with reservations on HB 2076, HD2."

Representative Finnegan rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Arakaki rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. In strong support. Mr. Speaker, I just want to point out that we actually had this law in place several years ago. It was tied to the operations of the Youth Outreach Program in Waikiki. As the Chair of Human Services mentioned, this is primarily targeted to homeless youth. When we talk about parents, I would agree with the Representative from Hawaii Kai that I think in every case possible, we want parents to be involved in the decisions, especially when it comes to the healthcare of minors.

"But for these youths, there actually is no connection with their parents. I think we don't want to deny some needed healthcare that a lot of time is urgent for these street children. Therefore, what we're doing is we're just allowing for these decisions to be made. In terms of the family planning issues, we're told that these are rights that they already have given by law. So we're not extending anything beyond what is in the current law.

"I don't think there's any real cause for alarm because in most cases it's the very everyday decisions that have to be made, especially in primary care to make sure that these young people even if they're runaways and on the street, that they can have access to the care that they need. So I would urge everyone to support this measure. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Representative Green rose to speak in support of the measure, stating

"Just a very brief comments in support. I think that everyone needs to know that the tenor of this bill is to focus on basic primary healthcare services. Just to be up front, probably at the community health centers also. None of those centers do perform abortions. We don't have to have that whole debate now but we can work on the language together I'm sure. Just to make sure that for essential and necessary care, and it's almost always basic care, that the minors can get it rather than get no care. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2076, HD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MINORS," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representatives Arakaki and Sonson, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 291-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2106, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2106, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL EXCISE TAX," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representative Kahikina, for the Committee on Housing presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 292-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1852, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1852, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE CONDEMNATION OF LAND IN NANAKULI, OAHU, FOR A PUBLIC HOUSING PROJECT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representative Kahikina, for the Committee on Housing presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 293-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1886, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1886, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representative Kahikina, for the Committee on Housing presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 294-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2964, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2964, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I rise with reservations. The intent of this bill is to transfer land to nonprofits for self-help building and affordable housing and I applaud that and I support that concept. However, I really feel that we need to take a very strong look at the implications and the possible underlying impacts by the requirements of Chapter 104 on the transfer of land to a nonprofit.

"Right now the exemption is at only a half a million dollars and if we want this to really work without the consequences of a 20% to 30% increase in expense that we need to address that issue simultaneous with any type of transfer. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2964, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representative Kahikina, for the Committee on Housing presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 295-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1853, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1853, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENTAL HOUSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representative Kahikina, for the Committee on Housing presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 296-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2239, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2239, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND ACQUISITION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representatives Sonson and Luke, for the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Judiciary presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 297-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2371, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2371, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE HAWAII YOUTH CORRECTIONAL FACILITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representatives Sonson and Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 298-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1822, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1822, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMUNITY CARE FOSTER FAMILY HOMES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representatives Sonson and Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 299-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2910, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2910, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representative Sonson and Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 300-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2097, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2097, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Stevens rose to speak in support of the measure, stating

"Mr. Speaker, I rise in support of this bill. The purpose of this bill is to provide caregivers with some financial relief by providing \$1,000 tax credit to every eligible caregiver providing care to one or more elderly relatives requiring such care. Mr. Speaker, I have some personal experience. I am a caregiver for my elderly mom and it's usually the wishes of an elderly person to stay at home as long as possible. This bill is a good start in recognizing the efforts and sometimes the sacrifices of caregivers who work really hard to allow their elderly loved ones to stay at home and enjoy the life that they have. Thank you."

Representative Lee rose to speak in support of the measure, stating

"Mr. Speaker, I stand in strong support and I'd like the words of the Representative from Waikiki to be recorded into the Journal as if they were my own," and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ching rose to speak in support of the measure, stating

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Also in strong support. Similarly I had recently experienced in what it is to be a caregiver and I appreciate this bill. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2097, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAREGIVERS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representative Sonson, for the Committee on Human Services presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 301-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2365, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2365, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NOTICE TO FOSTER PARENTS FOR CHAPTER 587, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES, CHILD PROTECTIVE ACT HEARINGS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representatives Kahikina and Kanoho, for the Committee on Housing and the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 302-06) recommending

that H.B. No. 2566, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2566, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I once again rise with very strong reservations on this bill. I again am totally, 100% in support of dealing with our affordable housing crisis. However, I question two things. One again, transferring \$60 million for construction of housing makes it subject to Chapter 104 thereby increasing the cost 20% to 30%. And my second reservation is if we in fact, as policy makers, should be stepping in to micromanaging an authority that has overall planning of a distinct such as Kakaako. Thank you."

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

"I rise with strong reservations. I believe the intent of trying to get affordable housing in closer to the downtown core of Honolulu is a good idea, conceptually. But I actually believe this bill has some unintended consequence that I wanted to point out to my colleagues. That is so far, the Alexander and Baldwin residential property is still on the books. It has not been discontinued as an idea. And so if the Alexander and Baldwin, two residential, housing projects go up, what I see is actually the State ending up subsidizing those two buildings being built, because if you read the way it's written, it says subsidies and other assistance could come from this fund for qualifying multifamily ownership housing units for households with incomes at or below 140% of the median family income.

"So if you think about this you could build a high-rise. Alexander and Baldwin could build this high-rise on the backside of the buildings where it faces away from the ocean. They could take the less desirable properties. They could put them into qualifying for this. The State actually subsidizes and gives them money and then it pencils out for them because the houses or the condo units on the front side of the project that face the ocean, they could actually make a lot of money I suspect on those in this type of real estate market. So I think there's an unintended consequence, and in fact I don't believe the State wants to subsidize them. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2566, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representatives Kanoho and Souki, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 303-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2875, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2875, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FISHING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representatives Kanoho and Souki, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 304-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2533, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2533, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Green rose to speak in support of the measure, stating

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. In support. I just wanted to ask my colleagues to consider this bill closely because what it does it allows the counties to look at using impact fees, the other counties that is, to use impact fees if they're significant infrastructure needs that have been unmet. Currently in our statutes only Oahu is able to deal with this if they choose to apply impact fees, which is my understanding because their population is 500,000 or greater. This bill simply removes that language for the State so that the other counties, if those county councils and individuals in the county think they need infrastructure dollars can use impact fees to help them.

"It's particularly important on my side of the Big Island where they feel there's some shortage of infrastructure and they're looking for ways to get it. From my dialogue with a lot of the development community, they've been very much in favor of working with the local areas to use some of this so-called, impact moneys to help out. So I think really we can work out language, but this is a bill I would like my Oahu colleagues to join our Neighbor Island colleagues to get passed. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. In support with some reservations. Thank you, Mr. Speaker. You and the Body remember I'm sure, the debate we had in this House a couple years ago about the impact fees to build the North South Road. Many considered it a tax on the developer. Basically we passed it because the developer was interested in paying the fees so that they could get the road built so that they could develop. So it was a win-win, and that we had no problem with and it's worked out well. But there's some problems in this bill I think that need to be straightened out and I'm sure they can be.

"One is Section 2 of the bill, and is supposedly redundant according to most of the people that have seen it. It defines public facility capital improvement costs as the cost of land acquisition, construction, planning, and engineering, etc., etc. So it should be looked at I think a little closer.

"Section 3 has several problems. It substantially alters the impact fee legislation that we passed earlier by removing the requirement that seven specific factors must be considered. So it leaves it a little more vague and it does not say what the percentage is. The impact fees are based on an objective and fair process in the current law, but now it looks like these decisions may be left up to the agency and it will create a problem and raise questions of fairness. Again the developer in the previous instance felt this was a good idea, they wanted to proceed. Now I'm concerned about, will they say, 'This is not fair. Don't do this to us.'

"It also removes the developer's ability to claim offset payments. So that will make it less desirable for the developers. Further the county, at least City and County of Honolulu says that they don't believe the wording in that section, Section 3 will stand judicial scrutiny. So, Mr. Speaker, I'm just pointing there are concerns that we need to work out as this bill moves forward. Thank you."

Representative Herkes rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. In opposition. Mr. Speaker, about eight years ago we passed an Act in this Legislature requiring counties to pass defensible impact fee ordinances, and we gave them a year to do it. That was about I think, eight years ago. The County of Hawaii is

just thinking about it. Trying to comply with that law. I used to work for Kamehameha Investment Corp., we were developers. And I would take projects into the County Council of Hawaii and they would say, "Oh boy, here comes Kamehameha Schools so we'll sock it to them." The quote, impact fees were out of line and we'd lose the project. And that's why I think the defensible impact fees are important. Developers should know up front what's happening. We require counties about eight years ago to adopt one. So that's why I'm opposed to this bill."

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

"Mr. Speaker, I rise in support with reservation on this measure. My reservation lies with full understanding of this bill, mainly because every resident on the Leeward side that's a member of a planned community, a certain amount of their payment goes to impact fees. It's with their understanding that this money collected for impact fees is for their infrastructure in our area. I don't understand if this money that we're collecting right now from the people on the Leeward side, will be shared by people on the other islands. I think that if it's put forward, the impact fees will serve specific area, then that should be it. But if it's otherwise, then I will welcome my colleagues from the other islands to take part of it. But as of now I believe that the impact fees we're collecting are for our particular region. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Stonebraker rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"I'd just like to register a no vote and I'll reserve my debate for this for Final Reading."

Representative Meyer rose in support of the measure with reservations, and asked that her written remarks be inserted in the Journal, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Meyer's written remarks are as follows:

"Mr. Speaker, I am rising in support of HB 2533 but with some serious reservations. The bill as written substantially alters the existing impact fee statute. It all but removes the requirement that seven specific factors must be considered in determining the proportionate share of the public facility capital improvement costs a developer is required to pay by way of impact fees. This is a major shift away from determining impact fees based on an objective and fair process.

"Section 3 of the bill also removes a developer's ability to claim offset payments. Offset payments are defined as a reduction in impact fees designed to fairly reflect the value of non-site related public facility capital improvements provided by a developer pursuant to county land use provisions.

"If this bill were to pass in its present form, it would leave an agency to determine impact fees without having to justify them, which would surely raise questions of fairness for developers."

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

"Very strong reservations, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Finnegan rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ching rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Evans rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2533, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IMPACT FEES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Herkes and Stonebraker voting no, and with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representatives Souki and Arakaki, for the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 305-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2640, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2640, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARKING FOR DISABLED PERSONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 306-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2217, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2217, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 307-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2505, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2505, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL DRIVER LICENSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 308-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2509, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2509, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVER LICENSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 309-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3037, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3037, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVER LICENSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 310-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3257, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.



On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3257, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO USE OF INTOXICANTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 311-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1902, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1902, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Moses rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker, I rise in opposition. Thank you, Mr. Speaker. We already authorized the counties to assess an additional half percent GET Tax for mass transit. This measure now says that we want to take part of our GET on gasoline and give that to the counties basically for mass transit again. Thank you."

Representative Finnegan rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Marumoto rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Stevens rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Meyer rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'd also like to register a no vote on this measure. This is another special fund, another place to squirrel money away. After all the funds that were taken out of the Highway Fund over the years, I think we need to keep that money for highway repairs. Thank you."

Representative Thielen rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Stonebraker rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Pine rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Halford rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Harbin rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ching rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Lee rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I'd like to speak in favor of the measure. Mr. Speaker, the nexus between gasoline sales and mass transit is obvious. All of us who buy gasoline for our private vehicles should support the increase funding this bill would provide for mass transit including purchasing buses and subsidizing bus fares. Similarly those who drive vehicles with poor fuel efficiency would contribute more to this special fund than those who drive fuel-efficient vehicles. The measure is intended to enable the poor and low income mass

transit riders and bus riders to have better access to transportation by allowing for fare subsidization programs to be established on a sliding scale based on income. I have further written comments to insert. Thank you."

Representative Lee's written remarks are as follows:

"Mr. Speaker, I rise in support of this measure. This bill will establish a mass transit special fund and directs the general excise tax revenues collected on gasoline sales to the new special fund. The funds would then be disbursed to the counties to assist them with mass transit issues.

"The nexus between gasoline sales and mass transit is obvious, and all of us who buy gasoline for our private vehicles should support the increased funding this bill would provide for mass transit, including purchasing buses and subsidizing bus passes. Similarly, those who drive vehicles with poor fuel efficiency will contribute more to the special fund than those who drive fuel-efficient vehicles.

"The measure is intended to enable the poor and low-income mass transit riders to have better access to transportation by allowing for fare subsidization programs to be established on a sliding scale based on income.

"I recognize the concerns raised by the testimony in opposition to this bill by the Department of Taxation, where they note the obvious, but hard-to-estimate, impact on general fund revenue this bill would involve. This is a cost that I think is worth paying. As for their argument that Honolulu County already has a GET surcharge to fund mass transit, I would counter that this bill would not supplant those monies but rather supplement them. Without this bill the City and County of Honolulu would receive their share (0.5%) of the 4.5% GET on gasoline sales, this bill would provide the remaining 4.0% on this particular product.

"I urge my colleagues to support this measure. Thank you."

Representative Meyer rose to respond, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Just kind of a brief rebuttal. The taxpayers of this State and this County. Let's just start with this County. We already subsidize The Bus by about 75% to 80%. That's a direct benefit for people that are riding the bus. There's no question in my mind that if we go through with this mass transit we will be subsidizing that at a very high level. There is a point at which we have to look at what makes sense. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The Chair then stated:

"The bill is going to the Finance Committee and they will have a lively discussion on this."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1902, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Finnegan, Harbin, Marumoto, Meyer, Moses, Stevens, Stonebraker and Thielen voting no, and with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 312-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2736, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2736, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SIGNS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 313-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2652, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2652, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 314-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3093, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3093, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE LIABILITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 315-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2057, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2057, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 316-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3139, as amended in HD 1, be adopted, passed, and recommitted to the Committee on Health.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3139, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," was adopted, passed, and recommitted to the Committee on Health with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 317-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3140, as amended in HD 1, be adopted, passed, and recommitted to the Committee on Health.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3140, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," was adopted, passed, and recommitted to the Committee on Health with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 318-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2605, as amended in HD 1, be adopted, passed, and recommitted to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2605, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CABLE," was adopted, passed, and recommitted to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representative Takamine, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 319-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2273, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2273, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING EMERGENCY APPROPRIATIONS FOR RISK MANAGEMENT," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representative Takamine, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 320-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2275, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2275, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR ELECTRICITY PAYMENTS STATEWIDE," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

Representative Takamine, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 321-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2626, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2626, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE BONDS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading with Representatives Kanoho and Takai being excused.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, requested a waiver of the 48-hour advance notice requirement to hear H.B. No. 2605, HD 1, Relating to Cable, with decision making to follow, tomorrow, at 2:10 p.m., and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Schatz, for the Committee Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, requested a waiver of the 48-hour advance notice requirement to hear two appropriation bills, H.B. No. 2748, Relating to the Ahihi-Kinau Natural Reserves Management Plan, and H.B. No. 2889, Making an Appropriation for Reconstruction of Historical Old Nahiku School, tomorrow, Wednesday, February 15, at 9:30 a.m. in Room 312, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Judiciary, requested a waiver of the 48-hour advance notice requirement for the purpose of decision making only on H.B. No. 2051, Relating to the Protection for Victims of Human Trafficking, following the 2:30 p.m. Agenda today, February 14, in Room 325, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health, requested a waiver of the 48-hour advance notice requirement to hear two short form bills, H.B. No. 3139 and H.B. No. 3140, Thursday at 9:00 a.m., in Room 329, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ching: "Mr. Speaker, thank you. I just wanted to announce that it is Valentine's Day. Americans and people throughout the entire world, especially in Japan, will be consuming huge amounts of now what is the newest connoisseur gourmet or what we call 'designer chocolate.' So as you may go out and purchase some for your loved ones, we wanted to just remind you



that Hawaii is the only State in the US that can grow chocolate, does grow chocolate, and some of the best in the world. What you have in your box today is from Hawaii, made in Hawaii from Peaberry Kona Coffee, and also apple banana from Hawaii. I believe it's the only place in the world you can find it. Thank you."

Representative Berg: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. It is Valentine's Day and on behalf of our host culture and the children of Hawaii, each of you has a message to keep us positive and moving forward together. Thank you and aloha."

Speaker Say: "Thank you very much, Representative Berg and Representative Ching for the gifts of aloha and Valentines."

#### ADJOURNMENT

At 12:50 o'clock p.m. on motion by Representative B. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon, tomorrow, Wednesday, February 15, 2006. (Representatives Kanoho and Takai were excused.)

## NINETEENTH DAY

Wednesday, February 15, 2006

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Third Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2006, convened at 12:07 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Mr. Edmond Suka, legislative aide to Representative Shimabukuro, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representatives Souki and Takai, who were excused.

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

## GOVERNOR'S MESSAGES

The following message from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 229 through 236) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 229, dated February 10, 2006, requesting immediate passage of House Bill No. 2370 appropriating \$416,718 in general funds to the Department of Human Services for General Assistance benefit payments to disabled individuals.

Gov. Msg. No. 230, dated February 10, 2006, requesting immediate passage of House Bill No. 2371 appropriating \$1,320,000 in general funds to the Department of Human Services for remedial measures at the Hawaii Youth Correctional Facility.

Gov. Msg. No. 231, dated February 9, 2006, requesting immediate passage of House Bill No. 2374 appropriating \$4,724,703 in general funds to the Department of Health for operations at the Hawaii State Hospital and community-based services.

Gov. Msg. No. 232, dated February 10, 2006, requesting immediate passage of House Bill No. 2375 appropriating \$6,807,562 in general funds to the Department of Health for the Medicaid Home and Community Based Service Waiver Program.

Gov. Msg. No. 233, dated February 10, 2006, requesting immediate passage of House Bill No. 2376 appropriating \$7,154,735 in general funds and special funds to the Department of Health for emergency medical services.

Gov. Msg. No. 234, dated February 10, 2006, requesting immediate passage of House Bill No. 2377 appropriating \$3,200,928 in general funds to the Department of Health for early intervention services for infants and children.

Gov. Msg. No. 235, dated February 10, 2006, requesting immediate passage of House Bill No. 2384 appropriating \$1,000,000 in special funds to the Department of Health for the Healthy Start program.

Gov. Msg. No. 236, dated February 10, 2006, requesting immediate passage of House Bill No. 2385 appropriating \$15,000,000 in general funds to the Department of Health for pandemic influenza preparedness.

## INTRODUCTIONS

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

Representative Shimabukuro introduced Mr. Hiroshi Ashitomi representing the Council for Opposing Offshore Base Construction at Henoko Bay, Okinawa; and Mr. Yasukuni Enokawa, an activist for

the closure of a Marine air station in Okinawa. They were accompanied by Mr. Pete Doktopr and Mr. Kyle Kajihira.

Representative Arakaki, on behalf of the *Uchinanchu* Members: Representatives Nakasone, B. Oshiro, M. Oshiro, Takumi, Takamine, and Cabanilla-Arakawa, announced a briefing, press conference and reception with Mr. Ashitomi and Mr. Enokawa, today at 1:15 o'clock p.m. in Conference Room 423.

## ORDER OF THE DAY

## COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENT

The following bill was re-referred to committee by the Speaker:

H.B.  
No.

Re-referred to:

1904	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
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## STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 322-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2761, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2761, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST MAUI LAND AND PINEAPPLE COMPANY, INC," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 323-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2942, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2942, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FERAL PIGS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 324-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3056, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3056, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KAWAI NUI MARSH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representatives Kanoho and Souki, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 325-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2633, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees

was adopted and H.B. No. 2633, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY IMPACT FEES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representatives Kanoho and Souki, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 326-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2888, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2888, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GREENBELTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representatives Morita and Kanoho, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection and the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 327-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2174, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2174, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 328-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2314, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2314, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX CREDITS FOR ENERGY STAR RATED APPLIANCES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representative Karamatsu, for the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 329-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2805, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2805, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE PLANNING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representative Karamatsu, for the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 330-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2806, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2806, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUSTAINABILITY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representative Karamatsu, for the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 331-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2878, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2878, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Harbin rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I rise in opposition to 331. The reason for my opposition is I really question using the SPRB process for a company that is not even registered to do business in the State of Hawaii, and has no place of residence or anything in the State of Hawaii. So I just raise that as a potential policy issue about what our policy should be as far as SPRBs. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2878, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST TRADEWINDS FOREST PRODUCTS, LLC," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representative Harbin voting no, and with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representative Karamatsu, for the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 332-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3077, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3077, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST ROSETTE STEEL HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representative Karamatsu, for the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 333-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3019, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3019, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGH TECHNOLOGY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representative Karamatsu, for the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 334-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3058, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 3058, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Mr. Speaker, on 334, I rise with reservations. In reading the Committee Report, it says that they can establish operational bank accounts of foreign denominations in out-of-state locations, which is fine. But if you take this in context with another bill that we're passing out today, that we're not going to audit the High Tech Innovation Corporation, that we're going to do some exemptions. When you put these two together, I have some real concerns on that. Thank you."

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

"Mr. Speaker, I rise to express some reservations. I have very similar reservations on this bill. This would provide an exemption from Chapter 40 and it would result in HTIC, the Innovation Center, not being subject to DAGS supervision and pre-audit. The Comptroller could no longer supervise their expenditure to ensure that their funds are properly spent and comply with the Executive Orders and rules. They would not be able to pre-audit the expenditures to make certain appropriations are proper. They also would be exempted from Chapter 36 and 38. That was a problem for me too. Testimony was in opposition from B&F. So I would just want to express these reservations as this bill goes forward. Thank you."

Representative Halford rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ching rose in support of the measure with reservations, and asked that the remarks of Representative Marumoto be entered in the Journal as her own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Meyer rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

The Chair stated:

"Members, this is going to the Finance Committee so for those who are on the Finance Committee, please address the issues that were brought to our attention."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3058, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGH TECHNOLOGY INNOVATION CORPORATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 335-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2332, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2332, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRINCIPAL PRIVATE DETECTIVES AND GUARDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 336-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3226, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 3226, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. In support with some reservations. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The Chair stated:

"Representative Moses, you're on Finance, right? Do you want to address it in Finance since we have a time constraint? But I'll let you say a few words with reservations if you want."

Representative Moses continued, stating:

"Okay, I'll bring it up but there are several issues that need to be addressed. It's just that it only applies to certain high-rises, not to other facilities that could benefit from it, and it makes the Tax Department the expert in determining who benefits from this. I don't think they can do it. Thank you."

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

"Mr. Speaker, I'll be very brief. This bill has something to do with ... I have strong reservations. My reservation comes from the fact that I'm a taxpayer and I'm also a member of the Human Services Committee. I think that making a blanket policy on taking the initiative to retrofit these buildings, although I support the intent, I think these buildings should be safe. However, we're talking about a major high-ticket item here. Just imagine how many high-rise buildings we have in Honolulu. I would rather see these tax dollars spent on fixing our schools, building more homes for the needy, the disabled and the homeless. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3226, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUILDING IMPROVEMENTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 337-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3231, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 3231, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Moses rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Meyer rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Finnegan rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3231, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT ESTABLISHING A STATE COMMISSION ON EMERGENCY RESPONSE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 338-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2595, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2595, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Stonebraker rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Moses rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Finnegan rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Tanaka rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I rise in support for this bill. Family visits are important aspects of the rehabilitation process. It is beneficial for inmates to have direct contact with their loved ones. I know personally how bad the situation is in Maui Correctional Center. At MCC, family visitations are routinely cancelled without notice, leaving family members, some of whom have flown in from Molokai and Lanai, alone in the parking lot unable to see their loved ones. And the reason often given by Maui Correctional Center is that they have a shortage of adult correction officers or ACOs. To me, this is not an excuse. MCC has known about the staff shortage for a while. Yet, nothing is done to improve moral or recruit new employees. This is not right. And the individuals who hurt the most are the inmates and their *ohana*.

"H.B. 2595 aims to ensure that pre-approved and prescheduled family visits are honored by the Department of Public Safety and that incarcerated inmates have the opportunity to visit with their children and families. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Moses rose to respond, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. In brief rebuttal. I agree with every word that the previous speaker said. The problem is there's not enough correctional officers. So we can't just direct that these visitations occur when we don't have enough officers. Also there could be an infraction by the inmate that precludes him from seeing visitors. And it doesn't allow for that. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Ching rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2595, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY VISITS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representative Moses voting no, and with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 339-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3092, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the reports of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 3092, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Stonebraker rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Moses rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Finnegan rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Cabanilla rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I stand in opposition of this measure. Although I support the intent of expanding the Halawa Correctional Facility, I think that we here as a Body wanted longer and harsh punishment for our criminals. However, we're short of prisons. And I think we need

both. As we go forth, for us to carry on our intent, we should also support it by doing the right thing to support more prisons. Thank you."

Representative B. Oshiro rose to speak in support of the measure with reservations, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I rise with some reservations on this. I do support the actual initiative for us to take a look at what we're going to do with our prison systems. I don't think we've seen enough leadership in this area. As long as people are going to be asking for more mandatory sentences and for longer prison terms for all of the many crimes that we have on our statutes, we do need to make sure that there's a proper infrastructure. My reservations come around in the area of expanding the Halawa Community Prison, which is in my district. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3092, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Cabanilla and Moses voting no, and with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representative Kahikina, for the Committee on Housing presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 340-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2598, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2598, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Tanaka rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I rise in strong support of H.B. 2598. We need to support our *kupunas*, just as they took care of and taught each of us. They are linked to the past. Their knowledge and experience shapes future generations in society. I know that many of us, myself included, are over 55-years old and can relate to being raised on plantation-style housing. While I have no doubt that these homes are warm and loving, years of wear and tear have made them rickety and unsafe. Unfortunately, house renovation and repairs are not cheap, especially for elderly individuals trying to enjoy their retirement and golden years.

"This bill will aid those *kupunas* living in potentially hazardous and deteriorated housing by providing them with low-interest loans. Thank you to Housing Chair Kahikina and the members of the Housing Committee for supporting this measure. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2598, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representative Kahikina, for the Committee on Housing presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 341-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2990, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2990, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE MORTGAGE CREDIT CERTIFICATES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representative Kanoho, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 342-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2943, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2943, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

The then Chair stated:

"Representative Caldwell, this may be your last chance so please say something."

Representative Caldwell rose to speak in support of the measure, stating

"Actually, Mr. Speaker. It is a very good bill. And it is addressed towards the victims of Manoa flood although, I think it's something that could be expanded to victims of flooding anywhere in the State. Thank you very much."

Representative Thielen rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'm rising in opposition although I sympathize with the flood victims. Mr. Speaker, my home was flooded twice up to the level of about two and a half feet. I think we need to consider very carefully, are we going to set up a State policy that in any event of a flood, we are going to help the victims of that flood? And do we have the funds to do that? Or is it better that the people are able to get National Flood Insurance Program flood insurance. I didn't have that for the first flood. And it was a sorry lesson I learned. I did have it for the second flood. I just don't think we should single out a small group of people, as much as I sympathize with them, because probably more than anyone else in this Chamber, I've been through it twice. But I don't think we should single them out to give them this tax credit. Thank you."

Representative Finnegan rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, also in opposition and just similar comments as the Representative from Kailua, as well as, we have had flood victims in our area with Mapunapuna, as well as Moanalua and Foster Village. So I have the same comments. Thank you."

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

"With reservations. I also, in my district, have many flood victims. But the other comment that hasn't come up yet is also, maybe a needs assessment. I know this year we're looking at affordable housing and helping low-income. Maybe if we had a needs assessment for low-income people, that would be more in line with what we're trying to do this year. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2943, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RELIEF OF MANOA FLOOD VICTIMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representative Finnegan voting no, and with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representatives Caldwell and Karamatsu, for the Committee on Labor & Public Employment and the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 343-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2691, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2691, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Marumoto rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'm in opposition to H.B. 2691. Thank you. This would have to do with, the title is prevailing wages. It would form a very large joint Labor Management Committee to watch over construction projects in the event that there's any violation of the Little Davis-Bacon Act. I will just simply note that employees can now take civil action against employers for various violations. So I don't think we need a joint Labor Management Committee to watch over every individual project. This may extend it to non-governmental sponsored projects. That means private projects. So I think it's a big step toward a lot more paperwork and higher cost for construction. Thank you."

Representative Harbin rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I rise in complete opposition to this measure. I will try to proceed in my usual delicate manner as I address this issue. I'm also going to request that I'd be able to sit in on the Finance Committee when and if this bill does come out. I really question a quasi-public, or I guess, a private committee which claims to possess experience and expertise in the construction industry, to have the right to sue private employers on the behalf of employees. We have an agency that's mandated to do this."

"During the interim, I sat in on many wage standards meetings and saw statistics. It's quite interesting that for a little minimal clerical errors, which happen quite a bit in completing certified payrolls, that there are these real *manini* errors that were corrected, employers made the employees whole. It was considered a big deal. It raised the number of citations for the employers. It was all types of employers. And I really question a policy of giving a Labor Management Committee, which has no statutory right to be going after private employers in any size, shape, or form. I look forward to some more in-depth discussion as to why we need something like this. Thank you."

Representative Meyer rose in opposition to the measure, and asked that her written remarks be inserted in the Journal, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Meyer's written remarks are as follows:

"Mr. Speaker, I am rising in opposition to HB 2691. This bill would allow a federal Labor Management Committee established under 29 USC 175-a to bring an action for injunctive in other relief against contractors who fail to pay prevailing wages under Chapter 104 HRS on public works projects. These federal labor management committees are only formed when a collective bargaining agreement is in place. The problem here is this bill would give the committee the right to bring injunctive action against a contractor regardless of whether there is a collective bargaining agreement in place or not."

"I would question the legality of the committee to bring injunctive action since they are not the injured party. The injured party is the employee and they have a neutral advocate in the State Department of Labor and Industrial Relations Enforcement Division."

Representative Stevens rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Finnegan rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Thielen rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Stonebraker rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ching rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2691, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PREVAILING WAGES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Harbin, Marumoto, Meyer and Stonebraker voting no, and with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representatives Caldwell and Karamatsu, for the Committee on Labor & Public Employment and the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 344-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2692, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2692, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Stonebraker rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Harbin rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I rise to say no to this bill. I, like many of us in this Chamber, we are here for one very specific reason, which is to try to, at least in this Session, to find some way to have, develop different means, mechanisms of funding our need for affordable housing. It is these types of bills that will interfere with controlling the cost of affordable housing. I really wish that we would pause, take a look at what it is that we're trying to do. Are we trying to deliver affordable housing to our people, or are we not? If we are not, then let's continue to pass these types of measures. If we are, let's stop and think about what we are doing to the cost of affordable housing. Thank you."

Representative Marumoto rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Again, I'm in opposition to this measure. I think this would require that Little Davis-Bacon Act, the State prevailing wage law to cover a lot of private projects. Especially those that are financed by special purpose revenue bonds. I've said this many times on the Floor. We use these bonds to allow public utilities, medical centers, housing projects, industrial bonds, independent schools to get lower priced financing. So when you add this type of layer over these projects, it increases the cost. It causes delays. And time is money. So it certainly increase the cost of our affordable housing that we're so concentrated on this year.

"I question the title of this bill, and the previous bill. This was entitled "Public Works," and yet it really covers private projects. I would hope that the next Committee would take a serious look at it and not even hear this bill. Thank you very much."

Representative Thielen rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'm voting no on this measure as well. Thank you. Mr. Speaker, I'd like to also have the remarks of the Representative of Kakaako entered into the Journal as if they were my own," and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Thielen continued, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, it's once again, we're not looking at how we're going to deliver low-income and affordable housing. That should be the primary focus of this Legislature this Session. That's the huge drastic need. Bills like this are going to hurt. And they're actually going to stop some of those projects. So I think we need to answer to those people who so desperately need housing if we go ahead with this bill. Thank you."

Representative Cabanilla rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I rise in support of this measure. I believe this came up because we have a lot of contracts with the federal government here in town that mainly repair a lot of military projects. These contractors are bringing in people from California thereby affecting our local job market and the industries in town because as federal contractors, they don't have to abide with our rules. We would like them to hire our own people. So it's about protecting our own turf, Mr. Speaker. Thank you."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker, I'll just go with reservations at this point. I wasn't going to say anything but the last speaker commented on hiring out-of-state worker, but the problem is we can't hire enough carpenters within the State to do the jobs that we have already. So that's why we have to go out-of-state. Thank you."

Representative Stevens rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Meyer rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker, I'm rising in opposition to this measure. This bill just creates a tremendous expansion of public works jobs. The body of law that created the public works rules and requirements, it seems very clear to me that this was to cover just public works. Jobs that were initiated by the State government, county governments. But because of an opinion by the Attorney General, the justification for this bill has come about. I would like to see this whole thing go to the Supreme Court of the State of Hawaii. I think one Deputy Director up at the Attorney General's Office could very possibly be wrong.

"The Department of Labor couldn't possibly have the staff and space to monitor all kinds of additional jobs that we're now going to call public works that we never called public works before. In this situation there is not governmental contract agency. If Hanalei School decides to build something with SPRBs, they are the contractors. Not a county or State department. So there's a whole lot of problems with this bill, but it seems very clear that the whole genesis of this is to expand almost, double, triple, the jobs that will now be considered public works and we don't have a department that could handle that. Thank you."

Representative Caldwell rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Just one brief comment. In support, Mr. Speaker. We've heard both in Committee and now on the Floor about opinions of the Attorney General. I like to just point out that this same Attorney General in written opinions has given the Governor the basis for vetoing numerous bills in the three years I've been here. Those opinions of the Attorney General are valid for the Governor when she wants to veto something. And now when you get an opinion from the same Attorney General, not one but two, Mr. Speaker, somehow that opinion no longer counts. We're doing what the Attorney General has asked us to do. Thank you."

Representative Finnegan rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for her, and the Chair "so ordered."



Representative Ching rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2692, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC WORKS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Ching, Finnegan, Harbin, Marumoto, Meyer and Stonebraker voting no, and with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 345-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3017, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3017, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOBACCO PRODUCTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 346-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2376, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2376, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR THE EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES SYSTEM BRANCH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 347-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2187, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2187, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Magaoay rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker, on this Standing Committee Report 347, I stand in strong support. I'd like to thank the Chair of Health who pushed this out. It's really a critical matter for us on the North Shore, on the Windward and Leeward side, and also the island of Kauai. The service has been provided by DOD for the air ambulance. It's been provided to us. This will be going out as of March 31st of this year.

"Right now what we're trying to do is provide some kind of stopgap, hopefully a temporary measure, as the unit is deployed to Iraq. What we're looking at right now is that hopefully this is a tool for us to find a service, and not only looking on Oahu, maybe we can use it as a model to look at different islands like Kauai which doesn't have this service. So it goes to Finance and I ask my colleagues for their support as we look for a permanent solution. Hopefully it's temporary for us at the State, and hopefully the DOD takes over. Thank you."

Representative Pine rose in support of the measure and asked that her written remarks be inserted in the Journal, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Pine's written remarks are as follows:

"Mr. Speaker, I rise to speak in strong support on HB2187HD1.

"As all of us know that the 12 Black Hawk helicopters with Charlie Company of the 25th Infantry Division's combat aviation brigade who have over the past 31 years served as Hawaii's guardian angels in the sky are being deployed to Iraq in August for a yearlong mission to protect the United States from terrorism. These brave military men and women have transported over seven thousand patients and saved countless lives by transporting patients from rural areas of Oahu to downtown area hospitals. I wish them Godspeed during their mission.

"HB 2187, HD1 will appropriate funds (\$600,000) to the Department of Health to contract with a government agency or U.S. military branch to provide intra-island only roto-wing aeromedical services for rural Oahu.

"It is the duty of this Legislature to pass this bill. We have the duty to make sure that our citizens are protected and cared for. This important legislation guarantees that our rural communities will have access to aeromedical services.

"We all know how bad traffic can be here in Honolulu. Some of us have even been late to committee meetings because of the heavy traffic. Imagine a child on the Leeward Coast who is in need of immediate emergency attention. Without this bill, that child would have to be loaded into an emergency response vehicle and transported from the Leeward Coast to downtown Honolulu through heavy traffic.

"We owe it to that child and to all our citizens to make sure we have reliable aeromedical services on this island. That is why I am supporting HB 2187. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2187, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representatives Arakaki and Sonson, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 348-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3116, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 3116, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Arakaki rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. In strong support of H.B. 3116. I just want to note this is probably a proud moment in our Legislature's history. I did want to thank the Majority Leader and my Vice Chair for their efforts in negotiating and crafting this public-private partnership. And I also want to note the Department of Human Services and Director Koller and the Health Committee agree that investing in children's health is probably one of the best things we could do for our future. So I'd like to ask everybody to remember this moment and hopefully we can celebrate this at the end of Session."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 3116, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII CHILDREN'S HEALTH CARE PROGRAM," passed Second



Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representatives Herkes and Arakaki, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 349-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1869, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1869, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Thielen rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'm rising in support of this bill. Thank you. Mr. Speaker, the bill deals with an aspect of pharmaceutical research that highlights the growing trend of drugs being rushed to the market without adequate trials and lack of input, and also with lack of information provided to physicians.

"The bill provides that a manufacturer or laborer of prescription drugs shall post on the Internet information concerning any clinical trial that the manufacture conducted or sponsored. Specifically it's supposed to post the name of the entity that conducted the clinical trial, summary of the purposes of the clinical trial, dates during which the trial is taking place, and information concerning the results of the clinical trial, including potential or actual adverse effects of the drug.

"That's important information for our consumers to have, Mr. Speaker. When you look at the Vioxx drug problem and the constant downplaying of any negative finding, or not answering the concerns raised by physicians, we see that this information is really important to our consumers. So I would urge my colleagues to vote in favor of this measure."

Representative Marumoto rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, please cast a no vote for me on this measure. The pharmaceutical companies had no problem with disclosing some of the results of their later clinical trials, but they said earlier ones would be problematic. Also there's one feature in this measure that is retroactive and calls for clinical trials to be on the Internet if sponsored on or after October 2002. So I think we should take another look at this measure. Thank you."

Representative Meyer rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1869, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADVERTISING BY DRUG MANUFACTURERS AND DISCLOSURE OF CLINICAL TRIALS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representative Marumoto voting no, and with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representatives Herkes and Caldwell, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 350-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2320, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2320, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representatives Herkes and Luke, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 351-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3244, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 3244, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Finnegan rose in support of the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I'd like to just note my very strong support."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 3244, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IDENTITY THEFT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representatives Sonson and Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 352-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1821, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1821, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CARE HOMES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 353-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2438, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2438, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOANS FOR HEALTH PROFESSIONALS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 354-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2743, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2743, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 355-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2550, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2550, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 356-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3108, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 3108, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Ching rose in support of the measure and asked that her written remarks be inserted in the Journal, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ching's written remarks are as follows:

"Thank you Mr. Speaker. I rise in strong support of House Bill 3108 - Relating to Education.

"The time has come to give teachers the choice of where and how they need to spend their allotted funds for classroom supplies. It is our responsibility as the State of Hawaii to prepare each child to succeed in today's society and work force, and being technology proficient and innovative are important in achieving this goal. The debit card program for public school teachers will enhance education.

"Firstly, teachers need creative curriculum. Every child is unique and has different learning skills and needs. One size doesn't fit all. Debit cards liberate teachers to be free in their way of reaching children. Elements of innovation are a must in a classroom.

"Secondly, teachers need flexibility. Debit cards give teachers the freedom to go to different providers of supplies, rather than the restricted options of vendors that appear on the supply list. Teachers come across situations in which they have limited tools and not all events can be foreseen. Flexibility in curriculum is essential.

"Lastly, debit cards encourage a relationship between businesses in a school's community and the school. As members of an island State, relationships help us succeed and contribute to the success of a community as a whole. When we reach out to the 'mom and pop' stores within a community, they will be more inclined to support and get involved with the school in the future. Community relationships will strengthen with a debit card program, as well as boost morale and serve as an appealing tool to recruit teachers."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3108, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representatives Takumi and Caldwell, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 357-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1862, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1862, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representatives Takumi and Hale, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on International Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 358-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3258, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 3258, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 359-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2423, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2423, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE HIGHWAY FUND," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 360-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2520, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2520, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE ROADS IN LIMBO PROGRAM FOR THE COUNTY OF HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 361-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2504, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2504, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEFINITION OF NEIGHBORHOOD ELECTRIC VEHICLE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 362-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2677, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2677, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker, in support with reservations. I understand the need for regulating the noise of the mopeds. It's very bad, especially in Waikiki. There's maybe even concern that they're being used for drug deliveries. My problem with the bill is that the HRS already requires that mopeds be inspected and the laws actually broader than this current law that the bill we're looking, the bill that we're looking at. But HRS also allows police to issue the citations already. But bikers could just put on pipes to pass the test. It's very easy then they take the pipes back off. So there's not assurance. Thank you."

Representative Ching rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. In strong support. I wanted to also mention that I agree with the previous speaker on what he had to say. There've been reports to my office that moped drivers at 2:00 and 3:00 a.m. in the morning. A couple people have reported that they believe them to be drug dealers. But what we know is that fatalities have skyrocketed because of the retrofitting of mopeds. Also we know that our elders who spend all their money to have a nice home, it's affecting their quality of life. Something has to be done about mopeds. In strong support."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2677, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOPEDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 363-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2305, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2305, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR VIOLATIONS INVOLVING MINORS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 364-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2610, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2610, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 365-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2848, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2848, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

Representative Karamatsu, for the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 366-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2121, as amended in HD 1, be adopted, passed, and recommitted to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2121, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT," was adopted, passed, and recommitted to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

### SUSPENSION OF RULES

On motion by Representative B. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the rules were suspended for the purpose of considering certain bills on Third Reading on the basis of

a modified consent calendar. (Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen were excused.)

### THIRD READING

#### H.B. No. 2273:

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, H.B. No. 2273, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING EMERGENCY APPROPRIATIONS FOR RISK MANAGEMENT," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

#### H.B. No. 2275:

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, H.B. No. 2275, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR ELECTRICITY PAYMENTS STATEWIDE," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

#### H.B. No. 2626:

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, H.B. No. 2626, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE BONDS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 48 ayes, with Representatives Halford, Takai and Thielen being excused.

At 12:48 o'clock p.m., the Chair noted that H.B. Nos. 2273; 2275; and 2626, passed Third Reading.

### INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTION

By unanimous consent, the following concurrent resolution (H.C.R. No. 21) was referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.C.R. No. 21, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO ASSESS THE SOCIAL AND FINANCIAL EFFECTS OF REQUIRING HEALTH INSURERS TO OFFER COVERAGE FOR CERTAIN TYPES OF RECONSTRUCTIVE SURGERY, INCLUDING CRANIOFACIAL SURGERY," was offered by Representative Waters.

### ANNOUNCEMENT

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, requested a waiver of the 48-hour advance notice requirement to hear H.B. Nos. 173, Relating to the National Guard; and 2343, Relating to the Penal Code, with decision making to follow, tomorrow, February 16th, at 8:30 a.m. in Room 309, and the Chair "so ordered."

At 12:49 o'clock p.m., Representative Arakaki requested a recess, and the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:50 o'clock p.m.

### ADJOURNMENT

At 12:51 o'clock p.m. on motion by Representative B. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon, tomorrow, Thursday, February 16, 2006. (Representatives Halford, Pine, Takai and Thielen were excused.)

## TWENTIETH DAY

Thursday, February 16, 2006

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Third Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2006, convened at 12:04 o'clock p.m., with the Speaker presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Pastor Joe Hunkin, Jr. of Lighthouse Outreach Center, after which the Roll was called showing all members present with the exception of Representative Souki, who was excused.

On motion by Representative B. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, reading of the Journals was dispensed with and the Journals of the Eighth, Ninth, Tenth, Eleventh, Twelfth, Thirteenth, Fourteenth and Fifteenth Days were approved. (Representative Souki was excused.)

## SENATE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the Senate (Sen. Com. Nos. 4 through 6) were received and announced by the Clerk:

Sen. Com. No. 4, transmitting S.B. No. 2049, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DERELICT VEHICLE," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on February 15, 2006.

Sen. Com. No. 5, transmitting S.B. No. 2055, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WAIVER OF ABANDONED VEHICLE PUBLIC AUCTION REQUIREMENTS," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on February 15, 2006.

Sen. Com. No. 6, transmitting S.B. No. 2338, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR THE DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES DIVISION," which passed Third Reading in the Senate on February 15, 2006.

On motion by Representative B. Oshiro seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the following Senate bills passed First Reading by title and further action was deferred: (Representative Souki was excused.)

S.B. No. 2049, SD 1      S.B. No. 2338  
S.B. No. 2055

## ORDER OF THE DAY

## COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

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

<u>H.B.</u> <u>Nos.</u>	<u>Re-referred to:</u>
1021, HD1	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Finance
3254	Committee on Judiciary

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTION  
(FLOOR PRESENTATION)

The following resolution (H.R. No. 16) was announced by the Clerk and the following action taken:

H.R. No. 16, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION HONORING LAURA MANIS, ANTHONY LENZER, BRUCE MCCULLOUGH, AND ROSE NAKAMURA, LEADERS OF THE

FAMILY CAREGIVER SUPPORT MOVEMENT FOR THEIR DECADES OF COMMUNITY SERVICE," was jointly offered by Representatives Lee, Arakaki, Kahikina, B. Oshiro, M. Oshiro, Shimabukuro, Waters, Abinsay, Berg, Cabanilla, Chang, Ching, Evans, Green, Hale, Halford, Harbin, Ito, Karamatsu, Kawakami, Magaoay, Marumoto, Morita, Nishimoto, Pine, Saiki, Say, Schatz, Souki, Stevens, Takumi, Tanaka, Wakai, Yamane and Yamashita.

Representative Lee, moved that H.R. No. 16 be adopted, seconded by Representative Arakaki.

Representative Lee introduced the following honorees, who were seated on the floor of the House, Ms. Laura Manis and Mr. Anthony Lenzer. Representative Arakaki then introduced the following honorees, who were seated on the floor of the House, Mr. Bruce McCullough and Ms. Rose Nakamura.

Representative Lee also introduced the following guests, who were seated in the Gallery:

Guest of Ms. Laura Manis  
Mr. Jerome Manis;  
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gridder;  
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Singer;  
Ms. Jan Sotherland; and  
Ms. Arien Grabbe.

Guest of Mr. Bruce McCullough  
Mrs. Sandra McCullough; and  
Mr. John Hayakawa.

Guest of Ms. Rose Nakamura  
Mr. Shim Kanazawa;  
Dr. Mary Bitterman;  
Ms. Makoto Kunimune;  
Rev. Eric Matsumoto;  
Ms. Michiko Motooka; and  
Ms. Betty Koseki.

Na Tutu  
Ms. Julia Duarte; and  
Ms. Helen Wagner.

American Association of Retired People  
Ms. Barbara Kim Stanton.

Representative Lee also recognized the members of FACE, who were seated in the gallery.

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and H.R. No. 16 was adopted with Representatives Nakasone and Souki being excused.

At 12:22 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:28 o'clock p.m.

## STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Representative Sonson, for the Committee on Human Services presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 367-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2788, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2788, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE STATE COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN," passed Second

Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representatives Sonson and Arakaki, for the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 368-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2680, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2680, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 369-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1955, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1955, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LITTER CONTROL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Saiki, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 370-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2169, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2169, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Saiki, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 371-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2928, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2928, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COUNTIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Caldwell, for the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 372-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2309, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2309, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII EMPLOYER-UNION HEALTH BENEFITS TRUST FUND," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Caldwell, for the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 373-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2558, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2558, pass Second Reading and be

referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Mr. Speaker, I'm rising in support with some pretty strong reservations on H.B. 2558, having to do with vocational rehabilitation. My concern is, the way this bill is changing the law, it could create an increase in the cost of workmen's comp insurance, which is already very high. I guess that's my main concern. Thank you."

Representative Harbin rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I rise with a strong no on this provision. Vocational rehab is a tool that is used for our employees that have been permanently injured and are unable to return to their job. Voc rehab is a self-referral process to help our employees gain gainful employment in other areas. What this attempts to do is to expand it to those that are not permanent and give them the same benefit. I was under the assumption coming into this Session that we were on a quest for some type of work comp reform because of the brokenness of the system. These types of measures are the types of measures that will set us back tenfold. Vocational rehab is one of the most quickest growing expense cost drivers in the work comp system. It's a self-referral system. I think before we start making these expansions of benefits, we really need to stop and take a look at the whole system, which is horribly broken. Thank you."

Representative Finnegan rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2558, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representative Harbin voting no, and with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representatives Caldwell and Herkes, for the Committee on Labor & Public Employment and the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 374-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1802, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 1802, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION INSURANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representatives Herkes and Ito, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 375-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2276, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2276, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WIRELESS ENHANCED 911 BOARD," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 376-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2078, HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2078, HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Evans rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Meyer rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Kahikina rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2078, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOSTER CHILDREN," was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representative Evans voting no, and with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 377-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2211, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2211, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEFINITIONS FOR WORKERS' COMPENSATION," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 378-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2325, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2325, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MONEYS FOR DISASTER PREPAREDNESS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 379-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2620, HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2620, HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Marumoto rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I'm in favor of this measure. I'm in favor of fuel efficiency in motor vehicles. In fact, I'm probing the market now for a hybrid car. But very briefly, I think if this bill is enacted it would result in a very expensive and bureaucratic nightmare for the counties. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2620, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 380-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2670, HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2670, HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Moses rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Stonebraker rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ching rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Finnegan rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Marumoto rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Meyer rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Thielen rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Stevens rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. So many reservations. Just briefly in support. I do appreciate the reservations. I think we all need to have reservations about where we are in our healthcare system. The purpose of keeping these bills alive and working on them is to find out where at the end of the day, when we get a very good idea from the Lewin Group, which is a professional group hired by the Hawaii Healthcare Task Force that we, this Body, created; that the Governor supported; that she put money into; and that we appropriated. And to find out what the place of, even the consideration of single payer healthcare is. And goodness knows what that professional group will come to. So I'm appreciating that we're not voting these bills down. But instead, keeping our minds open so that by the end of the Session, if we need to act, we can. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

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

"With reservations. Just one comment that if this moves forward, I do hope that they look at things like getting rid of the Certificate of Need and how to promote private and competitive healthcare in Hawaii also. Thank you."

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

"Thank you. With reservations. And just to point out that the bill as it is now certainly deserves reservations. The speaker from Kona made a good point about further deliberation. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2670, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representative Stonebraker voting no, and with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Saiki, for the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 381-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2204, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee

was adopted and H.B. No. 2204, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Abinsay, for the Committee on Agriculture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 382-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2631, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2631, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Abinsay, for the Committee on Agriculture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 383-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2776, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2776, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS PERTAINING TO AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Abinsay, for the Committee on Agriculture presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 384-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2960, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2960, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LOANS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representatives Abinsay and Morita, for the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 385-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2759, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2759, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representatives Abinsay and Morita, for the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 386-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2763, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committees be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2763, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Tsuji rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I'm paying attention. Thank you very much. Mr. Speaker, I speak in strong support of H.B. 2763. During the last Session, we finally recognized the value and the importance of this invasive Coqui frog eradication. This bill really has embraced the

Big Island majority. This is one of the packages that we've made into the Legislative Session this Session. It talks about appropriation originally for the Island and the County of Hawaii. But in final realization, we realize that this is more than a County of Hawaii concern. We realize it's the continuing concern and effort of a statewide eradication program. It involves all counties throughout the State of Hawaii. The appropriations amount has been deleted and we urge continued support. Thank you very much."

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

"In support, Mr. Speaker. But you know, I have some reservations on this. I think we're going about this war on frogs in a very limited way. It's a band-aid approach. We're giving only a slight amount of money. Last year, we gave \$100,000, I think. Whereas this one calls for \$1 million. But when I was on the Big Island just two weeks ago, I was reading the paper about what the actual need is to eradicate. The war on frogs must escalate to a point of \$45 million. Either we commit to this war on frogs or we find other ways to eliminate the problem. Coqui mochi was suggested, but I don't know whether or not that's even appropriate for the Big Island.

"Mr. Speaker, prevention might be something we can do. Containment might be something we can do. But eradication for the Big Island is not going to happen with \$1 million. It's going to cost \$45 million according to the government official, I believe from BLNR. So more money for the war on frogs."

Representative Chong rose in support of the measure and asked that the remarks of Representative Tsuji be entered in the Journal as his own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Evans rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"I rise in strong support. Thank you. I hope that we continue moving this bill forward and do provide appropriations because the beauty of us getting involved is that we're actually empowering the local people to take charge of themselves, and what this problem is creating for them. What this money, I think, will do is give the ability to the counties to provide equipment, to provide some grant money and support to the local people that are coming together in these kind of Coqui frog patrols to educate their neighbors and to actually know how to solve the problem if in fact they bring plants home with Coqui frog on them. So I think the money that we give goes an awful long ways to fighting this battle.

"The other thing is in many areas of the Big Island, it's probably, some of the neighborhoods, there's thousands and thousands of them. So to totally eradicate, I think they've come to a point where they know that that probably won't happen. But what they can do is they contain it. And that's very important on the Big Island, to contain those areas. Thank you."

Representative Hale rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Yes, all I can tell you, if any of you have 30,000 Coqui frogs all night long, you'd all be for all of this. Thank you."

Representative Abinsay rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Yes. Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Also in strong support. But first, I would like to adopt the words of the Vice Chair of the Agricultural Committee as if they were my own," and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

"And now for the edification of our colleague from Waipahu, we would like to also mention that aside from the two million that we originally requested on this measure, with the work of the Hawaii Invasive Species Council, they were also given a certain amount of



dollars, we're talking about millions. And one of the components or responsibilities of this Council is to also address the Coqui frog problem. So I hope that will address the concern of our colleague. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2763, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO ERADICATE AND CONTROL THE COQUI FROG," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representatives Abinsay and Morita, for the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 387-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2765, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2765, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Waters, for the Committee on Higher Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 388-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2479, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2479, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Mr. Speaker, I rise in support but with some reservations. Thank you. The purpose of this bill is to provide for much needed parking space in Kakaako by authorizing the University of Hawaii in consultation with the HCDA, to enter into agreements with private developers to expedite construction of a parking structure at Kakaako Makai. As you know, Mr. Speaker, the medical school is very close to our harbors and our container yard. I would just like to urge that the location for this parking structure not interfere with our cargo operations down at the harbor. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2479, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONSTRUCTION OF A PARKING STRUCTURE AT KAKAOKO MAKAI, OAHU," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Waters, for the Committee on Higher Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 389-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3190, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3190, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS PERTAINING TO WINDWARD COMMUNITY COLLEGE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Waters, for the Committee on Higher Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 390-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3196, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3196, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Waters, for the Committee on Higher Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 391-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2040, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2040, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Ching rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I rise in support. Thank you. Mr. Speaker, I rise in strong support of this bill that celebrates Senator Hiram Fong's legacy by naming a scholarship program at UH in his honor. Not only am I very proud to have had Senator Fong as a constituent, but I'm blessed to call him a friend and mentor. He was truly a kind and generous man who always made the time to help young people. This scholarship would honor his legacy.

"As an aside, might I note that it was a nice, remarkable find to see that when I taught at Maemae, that Senator Fong is in many of our national textbooks, and also that he is the first Asian to ever been nominated for the U.S. presidency. Mahalo."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2040, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SENATOR HIRAM L. FONG SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Waters, for the Committee on Higher Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 392-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3163, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3163, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WAIKIKI AQUARIUM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Waters, for the Committee on Higher Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 393-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3165, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 3165, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Yamane rose to disclose a potential conflict of interest, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I wanted to express a potential conflict. I'm a graduate of the School of Social Work," and the Chair ruled "no conflict."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3165, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK,"



passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Waters, for the Committee on Higher Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 394-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3167, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 3167, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Cabanilla rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I rise in strong support for H.B. 3167. If I may, I would like to include the rest of the leadership from the Leeward side to say thank you to all my colleagues on this Floor for this measure having made it this far. As we know, the population, there's a big population shift on the Leeward side. And this infrastructure has been long awaited in coming forth. This will bring economic boost to the area. We welcome this campus and I hope that this Body will continue to support it."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3167, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII WEST OAHU," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Waters, for the Committee on Higher Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 395-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3198, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3198, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CENTER FOR NURSING SPECIAL FUND," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Waters, for the Committee on Higher Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 396-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3193, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3193, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representatives Arakaki and Sonson, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 397-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2063, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2063, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A LONG-TERM CARE RESOURCE INITIATIVE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representatives Arakaki and Sonson, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 398-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3131, as

amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 3131, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO YOUTH SUICIDE PREVENTION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 399-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1965, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1965, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Meyer rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Stand. Com. Rep. 399, which is H.B. 1965, Relating to Drug Treatment, residential drug treatment and appropriations. I'm all for this bill. It was written to operate residential drug treatment facilities for adults and children in rural areas in the counties of Hawaii, Maui, and Kauai. I would hope that we would have some money in there for the rural areas of Oahu because our need is certainly as great, if not greater. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1965, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRUG TREATMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 400-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2074, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2074, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Arakaki rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Yes, Mr. Speaker. I'd like to speak in support of the measure. And actually, I just wanted to give credit to a young lady. She's a 10-year old at Momilani Elementary School, who's really the driving force behind this measure. She suffers from juvenile diabetes, but in spite of that she's had the courage to come forward and advocate for others who also suffer the same condition. Her name is Natasha Garcia and because I'm not sure whether this bill is going to be heard in Finance, I just wanted to read her name into our Journal, so that we can credit her and also acknowledge her for her courage in advocating for research, and also to raise funds personally, and asking us to help her raise funds for the research of juvenile diabetes. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2074, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JUVENILE DIABETES CURE RESEARCH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 401-06) recommending that H.B. No.

2109, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2109, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 402-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2590, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2590, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Kahikina rose in support of the measure and asked that his written remarks be inserted in the Journal, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Kahikina's written remarks are as follows:

"Mr. Speaker, I rise in support of this measure Relating to Health. The purpose of the measure is to appropriate funds for important emergency services at the Waianae Coast Comprehensive Health Center.

"To reiterate: this bill makes an appropriation to WCCHC to:

- (1) Provide vital health care services to an estimated population of 40,000 people; and
- (2) Ensure continued twenty-four-hour emergency room and ambulatory service to Leeward, O'ahu.

"The Waianae Coast Comprehensive Health Center is a vital part of our health care delivery system for the medically under-served in Waianae. Access to adequate emergency health care for all persons certainly is one of the most significant needs of our community. Thank you, Mr. Speaker"

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2590, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 403-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2592, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2592, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH CARE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 404-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3135, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3135, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIV/AIDS," passed Second Reading and was

referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 405-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2298, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2298, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISCLOSURE OF VITAL STATISTICS RECORDS TO LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS FOR CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 406-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2047, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2047, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Evans rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Lee rose to disclose a potential conflict of interest, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I would like to declare a potential conflict. I am a member of the Corporate Board of the American Cancer Society," and the Chair ruled "no conflict."

Representative Meyer rose in support of the measure with reservations, and asked that her written remarks be inserted in the Journal, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Meyer's written remarks are as follows:

"Mr. Speaker, I'm rising to support HB 2047 with some serious reservations. Personally I believe this bill goes way too far. It is one thing to prohibit smoking in State offices and buildings, but quite another to dictate to the counties and private employers what they must do on their premises. State government should not usurp the counties' home rule rights, nor should it interfere with private property rights. Business owners who own or lease their premises should be free to run them as they see fit. This bill as written is overbearing. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2047, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 407-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2048, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2048, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FLAVORED TOBACCO PRODUCTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 408-06) recommending that H.B. No.

2148, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2148, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOBACCO," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Arakaki, for the Committee on Health presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 409-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2589, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2589, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Chang rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Thielen rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Karamatsu rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Carroll rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Finnegan rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Tsuji rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Meyer rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Moses rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Pine rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ching rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Yamashita rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Stevens rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Chong rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Halford rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

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

"Mr. Speaker, can I not vote on this? I actually walked out of the room because I really didn't know what to do on this particular measure, but as I walked out and sat down ... Yes, I am in support with reservations and I want the discussion to go on. As I sat down I came up a memory of what was said, and I think it's worth noting of what the psychiatrist said. I have no objection of a psychologist prescribing psychotropics. However, he also then goes on to say that we have to balance the reason why we're pushing this forward, which

is access versus consumer protection. There was a issue whether or not the curriculum for the psychologist to take, because there's a curriculum that's been submitted and there's a question whether or not it was sufficient to address the whole array of psychotropics that a psychologist will have to prescribe in lieu of having a medically trained psychiatrist to prescribe.

"So as this bill moves forward, I hope that we all look at that. That there's an open mind at least in the psychiatrist side saying that, 'Yeah there's a way.' But however we must take a look at the safety, the safety of the consumers to see whether or not the curriculum is sufficient to address that. I would have a suggestion and I did suggest this to my good friend, the doctor, who is the introducer of this bill. I said, 'You know, this measure is limited to prescriptive authority only in the rural areas where there is an access problem. However maybe we should ask what kinds of psychotropics are being dispensed at those areas to see whether or not we need the whole array of psychotropics.' Because, Mr. Speaker, as he explained it to me. Most of the need out in the rural areas is really something that could be addressed by a much more limited prescriptive authority which is only for antidepressants.

"As you know we had a big debate last Session regarding what kinds of access consumers would have as to psychotropics and I think I was mistaken when I said that the whole array of psychotropics had to do with something like Mel Gibson going crazy in one of his movies. I was wrong. I think those kinds of psychotic behaviors like Mel Gibson displayed in the movie are addressed by psychotropics that are antipsychotic. I learned this as I go on. And actually the kinds of needs that are in the rural areas could be addressed by antidepressants. They are less dangerous, have less side effects, and etc. And I think that if the discussion would go along those lines I think more Members would probably consider prescriptive authority. Anyway, Mr. Speaker, that's my piece. Thank you very much."

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

"I would like to register a reservation with this measure and if I may briefly state why I have reservations. This prescriptive authority that's now written in this bill requires a psychologist to work with a medical doctor. I would much rather see this psychologist work collaboratively with a psychiatrist, because a lot of this psychotropic medication that they write are very potent and has a lot of side effects. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Marumoto rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Yamane rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Hale rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"I would just like to say that we just had a hot discussion on this and it was passed by the Committee and it will go to another Committee so that's enough right now."

Representative Evans rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Green rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. In support. So let me sum up the big dialogue for the group here. We're talking about giving psychologists the right to prescribe medications, but specifically medication for mental health issues, about 3% of all the medications that are prescribed by any health care professional. The reason we need this, and I'm convinced we need this is the following.

"A person stands on the edge of a cliff literally, and gets sunburned, for 5 hours, comes in with second degree burns, they see their primary care doctor. The doctor treats him for sunburn they think, and find out later that they were suicidal standing on the end of the cliff, literally. This is the kind of testimony we had about this. Now why on earth would we give psychologists the right to prescribe something that someone went through medical school and then residency for 4 years, and then additional 3, 4, or 5 years to prescribe? The reason is this, we don't have psychiatrists prescribing in the rural countryside areas, in the health profession shortage areas.

"This bill only allows, only allows for prescriptions in community health centers and others like the Hawaiian Health Center. Places that there are no psychiatrists and there aren't any other ways to get care. So the psychiatrists who have chosen not to go there over the past 20 years cannot deliver that care have left this vulnerable population. People from a socioeconomic standpoint, if they have mental health problems gravitate to areas where they can possibly afford to live. To Ocean View, to Ka'u, to the rural areas around the State. The psychiatrists don't go there.

"No one has more respect from me than the psychiatrist and their expertise. We don't want a second-tier system. What this bill is about is getting psychologists the right to prescribe when, number one, they're in a collaborative relationship with a doctor of medicine. That will not change. In fact, I'm sure that the compromises ultimately will go to a point where there will always be in a collaborative relationship because they will be doing it only at Community Health Centers where the doctors still don't have enough time to prescribe those medications. We won't do anything unsafe because we're not going to have some lack of supervision. We're completely prepared to negotiate the curriculum. That was set forth after a long discussion.

"I don't know if everyone is aware of this but last year we passed a resolution, which forced a task force of six people, two psychiatrists, two psychologists, Senator Baker, and myself to sit down and talk about these issues. The last thing I want to do is do something that's unsafe for people, but everyday that the majority of the poor don't get this kind of care, they remain subject to suicidal ideation, catastrophic problems. They can't get their medicines. It's not a perfect world.

"Every doctor should come to you and say they have reservations. There's no question, colleagues, that that's important. But the bottom line is every weekend I see three or four people that are suicidal. They couldn't get their medicines. These are rural ERs that I'm working in. They couldn't get them because there was no doctor available, there's no psychiatrist available. The solutions that you'll hear from the Psychiatry Association, again a well-respected organization with excellent professionals, would be we could do more tele-medicine. I also put in a bill for that. We can do other things such as provide residency coverage. All of these recommendations amount sadly to solutions that might, might account for less than 5% of the problem."

Representative Yamashita rose to yield his time, and the Chair, "so ordered."

Representative Green continued, stating:

"Thank you. And I'll wrap up. But the bottom line is this. That these two groups, the psychiatrists and psychologists, are urged more by me than by anybody else to find negotiated ground on the curriculum, number one. The relationship with the professionals, number two. And number three, very possibly the formulary, the extent of the formulary because there's no question we don't want to make things more dangerous for a patient.

"But everyday that we don't do something which has sadly amounted to many years where we haven't taken definitive action. All the recommendations that came from the Psychiatry Association, we had years to take up. We actually got a task force together and

they still didn't come up with any substantive recommendation that would account for more than 5% of the problem.

"So we got to do something if not this year it's another year that poor mental health patients will go untreated. That's all you really need to remember. Now when people say there's controversy, it will be hammered out between the professionals on both sides. I've told them that. But we really can't afford any longer to neglect this group of people. Thank you, colleagues."

Representative Schatz rose to disclose a potential conflict of interest, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker, a ruling out of a potential conflict of interests. I'm the Executive Director of a not-for-profit that provides psychiatric services to adults with mental illness," and the Chair ruled "no conflict."

Representative Schatz continued, stating:

"Thank you. I'd like to vote in favor of this and adopt the words of the Vice Chair of Health with the exception of the part about being an ER doctor," and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Kahikina rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker, I stand in support of this measure and ask that the words from my colleague from the Big Island be entered in the Journal of my own," and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Kahikina continued, stating:

"Mr. Speaker I fully agree with the doctor. Coming from Waianae and as I was going through trying to investigate the homeless crisis. We find that a lot of the homeless are mentally ill. It was sad for me to find out that many of them are turning to ice because they don't have the medical treatment that they need.

"Now I got elected, this is my 12th year. For 11 years we've been dealing with the same issues. And for 11 years these psychiatrists have been promising that they will go into this narrow, limited areas such as the community centers. Mr. Speaker, maybe they have gone there but that's not enough. We need more.

"Lastly Mr. Speaker, if I were to be sick and I would listen to advice, I would listen to a doctor before I would listen to any other professional. Thank you."

Representative Arakaki rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker, I stand in strong support of this measure. And this is not the first time we're introducing this measure although this is the first time that the Health Committee has passed it out of Committee, and it was a rather narrow vote. But last year, we deferred the bill in order to study the matter further. You heard from the Vice Chair from Kona, and I think he was a perfect person to lead this task force because not only is he a prescribing doctor, but he also works in an underserved area.

"Actually, as he said, we need this bill to sort of force the parties to come to a compromise, because I mean there are arguments on both sides. I think there is a way to compromise and to craft a measure that may not satisfy everyone, but at least it will assure patient safety and at the same time address the access issue. For those who have reservations, especially those who come from a Neighbor Island and those who come from rural areas, I really want you to ask yourself, who are the psychiatrists that you have within your island and within your zip code? And if you can name them that's fine. But also, I want you to visit your community health centers because these are

people who really don't have access like you and I and most of us here on the Floor.

"We have access probably to the finest providers because we can afford it and because most of us, for those of us who live in Honolulu, we have access to psychiatrists or even psychologists. But we have to think about those who probably need the services the most and who needs the services critically. We have to think about them. And that's who it's directed to. It's not directed to the whole population. It's just directed to those that we feel are very vulnerable and don't have the kind of access that's needed for the needed services. So if you have reservations, then do some research and ask those questions. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'm remaining with reservations. I heard all my colleagues, and I've heard our colleague from the Big Island, who is a doctor. One of the things I heard was that the psychologist would be doing this, at least in communications with a medical doctor. It wouldn't be in total isolation. My concern over this is maybe there's an underlying cause that's being missed. Maybe it's a tumor or some other disease and not just you know a mental condition. And that could be missed without a doctor."

"I understand the rural health centers don't have doctors and I think that our solution should be to ensure that they do have adequate medical care at those facilities, even if it's you know out in the Old West. Doctors hopped from town to town, I mean, at least have some visitation. But I'm just concerned about that they will be treating the symptoms and not the underlying cause. Thank you."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. In support but with reservations. Just want to clarify that it could have been a no except for the words of wisdom from the Chair of Health and the Vice Chair of the Health Committee. Thank you."

Representative Green rose to respond, stating:

"Just a brief clarification, Mr. Speaker, again in support. That the health centers will have doctors. They do have doctors. In fact, they're federally mandated to have a full-time physician. They'll also have other providers there."

"The expectation is these patients will be seen in a follow-up with a physician or in consultation with a psychiatrist, but the reality is that there's so much mental health need in this population that they can't get appointments. They never can get appointments with psychiatrists, virtually. Virtually never. With the doctors, the primary care doctors, they have a very difficult time getting consultation, maybe every six weeks. You've all been burdened by the phone person on the other end when you call and they'll say, 'Okay we can see you in eight weeks.' Well, if you're suicidal or depressed eight weeks won't do it."

"So what the plan is, is they will actually be able to see someone, who then can give them the definitive care, who then will speak to the doctor. And if they think it's desperate, they will get them in to see the doctor. But right door is closed and we have to open some door to these people. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The Chair then stated:

"Members, we've had a lot of discussion on this matter. You all realize it's going to be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce. For those of you who are on the Committee, you've heard the discussion with reservations and in strong support. May we proceed on at this point?"

Representative Stonebraker rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2589, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PSYCHOLOGISTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce with Representatives Stevens, Stonebraker and Thielen voting no, and with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Caldwell, for the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 410-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2952, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2952, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Stonebraker rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Harbin rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"I stand in opposition and absolute no to 410. I did not hear you move on. I'm very sorry. This is going to be a very... I'm going to be speaking all Session on these bills of these types on this particular issue. Just so that some of us in this in this Chamber can understand why I am so concerned about this type of language."

"Chapter 104 is the Chapter that I have been repeatedly saying is going to have a very large, substantial impact on our ability to deliver affordable housing to our people."

"Chapter 104 and this particular measure in particular is attempting to 'jerry-rig' the statute by requiring that the Department of Labor become the collector of certified payrolls. And why do I say jerry-rigging? Because there was an innocuous, and very innocuous Attorney General's opinion on one section of Chapter 104, without looking at the entire Chapter. And what that did was it raised issues and questions about certified payrolls and government entities."

"So this measure like many others that are going to come before us are going to attempt to address this questionable AG's opinion on one section by appointing an agency to become a government contracting agency when in fact the government contracting agency has no control over the money, the funding, or the relationship between the employer and employee."

"So we need to look at this not just as little pieces of the statute. I think we need to step back and look at the entire statute and the impact that it is, will have on our ability to deliver affordable housing. Thank you."

Representative Marumoto rose in opposition to the measure and asked that the remarks of Representative Harbin be entered in the Journal as her own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Meyer rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'm rising in opposition to this measure. No, I'm not going to speak on it right now. Thank you."

Representative Thielen rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'm voting no also, Mr. Speaker. And as I've said a number of times on bills of this sort, we have to examine them with a magnifying glass to see what their impact will

be on our need - our absolute need to create low income and affordable housing.

"Every time we do something like this, we prevent this State from moving forward in delivering those needed units. I think it's really important, Mr. Speaker. I mean I wish that the Majority Leadership would sit down at a table, and I'll gladly provide magnifying glasses. But sit down at a table and just go over the legislation in total and pinpoint the ones that are going to stop affordable housing and low income housing, and housing for the homeless. And when those are going to prevent that, set them on the side and say maybe in two years maybe in three years, but not now. Because our primary focus, we're going to stay focused, we're going to deliver those housing units. This bill will hurt that effort. Thank you."

Representative Moses rose in opposition to the measure and asked that the remarks of Representative Thielen be entered in the Journal as his own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Stevens rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Finnegan rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ching rose in opposition to the measure and asked that the remarks of Representative Thielen be entered in the Journal as her own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2952, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC WORKS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Ching, Finnegan, Harbin, Marumoto, Meyer, Moses, Stonebraker and Thielen voting no, and with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 411-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2931, HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2931, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERATED ELECTRICITY," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Kahikina, for the Committee on Housing presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 412-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2176, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2176, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Mr. Speaker, I rise with strong reservations. This is another bill that I think has got wonderful intentions and I really want to support it. But I think it's a dream if we think we're going to accomplish until we resolve the issues that we discussed in Standing Committee Report 410. I encourage us to put these things together when we talk. Thanks."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2176, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING," passed

Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Kahikina, for the Committee on Housing presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 413-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2368, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2368, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Arakaki rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I speak in support of this measure. And I want to start by thanking the Chair of the Housing Committee for considering the amendment that we made to this measure to exempt families with children, the disabled, and the elderly from this expedited, eviction process. And I guess my concern as a policy maker is we have a public housing program that essentially is a safety net for people without housing. And to think that we're going to expedite the process with that where we actually are cutting holes in that safety net, and allowing people to become homeless. People who have children, people who are disabled, people who are elderly.

"The question is if we take away public housing, what do they have left? Do we want put them in shelters or do we want to allow to be on the streets? We have few alternatives so in a way I'm hoping we can force a discussion on what do we do with people who can't afford rents even in low income rental housing. And what can we do perhaps in helping them to manage their finances because many times that's the problem, that they fall behind a rents and once they do, they can't really catch up.

"So I believe we need to hold people accountable to pay their rent, but I believe that our State agency shouldn't be thought of as landlords or even Simon Legree and be allowed to just toss people out, and for us to make it easier for them to do that. So, Mr. Speaker, I hope we can continue this discussion, but in the meantime I hope we can consider the most vulnerable in our population as an exemption. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. It's been a while since I actually visited this issue because I'm no longer on this Committee. However, I'm going to go by memory. I'm voting with reservations. One of the reasons why this bill came forward, I believe if I remember correctly is that there are situations where people take advantage of the eviction process. And many times we've discovered that there are areas where there's families that will go and you know spend for other things, other things that are not as priority as housing. And what's happening is in these situations there are other people that need this public housing, that they are living on the beach or don't have a home.

"And so what they wanted to do was not cut the eviction process short just to get them these people in public housing, just to get them out sooner. But it was basically to say stop manipulating the eviction process and take this seriously, and we'll help you through this process so that you can stay in public housing. But pay your rent first. And then from there you know if you're truly having a hard time, I think that there are those types of mechanisms in place where they can get help.

"So I'm like I said I need to revisit the situation a little bit better, but as it goes forward I'd just like to voice my reservation because of that."



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

"Reservations and the words of the prior speaker be inserted in the Journals as my own," and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Sonson continued, stating:

"In addition, Mr. Speaker, it's not only rent that these people are being evicted for, it's also for breaking house rules like brining in people at all hours of the night, drug use, and what not.

"So as long as there are similarly situated people waiting in line. People with children, elderly, disabled that are waiting in line who have never had the chance to get into the housing yet, let's not make exceptions for the troublemakers. Thank you."

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

"I just wanted to rise with reservations and ask that the words of the Minority Leader be inserted in the Journal. But brief comment about the fact that when people are breaking the rules and are not paying their rent and the word gets around, it's demoralizing for the other people that are doing what they're supposed to do. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2368, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC HOUSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 414-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2996, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2996, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Cabanilla rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I stand in opposition of this measure. This measure has something to do with repealing the prohibition against the manufacture, possession, sale, or acquisition of detachable ammunition magazines for pistols with capacity in excess of 10 rounds.

"Mr. Speaker, I believe that we have the constitutional right to bear arms. However allowing us to have high capacity magazines just because criminals have access to it is not right. Just because criminals can carry this that doesn't mean that those of us who are law abiding should do the same.

"We now live in civilized times. We're no longer in frontier times and besides if you can't defend yourself with 10 rounds, you might as well forget it. Thank you, Mr. Speaker"

Representative Thielen rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. A no vote please for many of the same reasons."

Representative Moses rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"In support, Mr. Speaker. All we're doing here is complying with federal law. It's been repealed federally this prohibition, and we're just conforming. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2996, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Cabanilla and Thielen voting no, and with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 415-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2192, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2192, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES," passed Second Reading and was referred jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 416-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2446, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2446, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

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

"Mr. Speaker, I have reservations on this measure. This would allocate \$11 million from the Hurricane Relief Fund for increasing capacity at Queen's Medical Center. I appreciate Queen's Medical Center and I support what they're doing there, but my concerns have to do with the Hurricane Relief Fund."

Representative Moses rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker, basically the same comments. I'm in opposition. In opposition, Mr. Speaker. This does take the money from the Hurricane Relief Fund. If we want to give it to a private hospital, do a grant-in-aid, do it out of the general fund. Don't use the Hurricane Relief Fund."

Representative Thielen rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. A no vote for the same reasons please."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I did have reservations on this and it's mainly before we get to the Hurricane Relief Fund part. Just doing it for one hospital kind of concerns me as well, so I'll be with reservations for now."

Representative Ching rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Meyer rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

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

"Reservations, Mr. Speaker. I note that the original bill was for \$11 million. Thank you."

Representative Halford rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Caldwell rose to disclose a potential conflict of interest, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, a potential conflict. My wife serves on the Board of Queen's," and the Chair ruled "no conflict."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2446, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR INCREASING POWER GENERATING CAPACITY FOR THE QUEEN'S MEDICAL CENTER," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance with Representatives Moses and Thielen voting no, and with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Ito, for the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 417-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3121, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3121, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL DEFENSE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representatives Takumi and Caldwell, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 418-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2552, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2552, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representatives Takumi and Caldwell, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 419-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2962, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2962, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representatives Takumi and Caldwell, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Labor & Public Employment presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 420-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3098, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 3098, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Waters, for the Committee on Higher Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 421-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1924, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1924, be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Harbin rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"I stand in complete support and in total excitement that we actually have something to help the local and small business community.

"On Opening Day, I was really pleased that you invited and had on the Floor, I think it was four or five budding, growing, small, young, small businesses. This is great. Small businesses employ over 98% of all our workers are employed by the small business community and so often because we're so busy working they get lost in the shuffle here at the Legislature.

"I am happy to see that we are attempting to support them and help them with development and training because being in business is a constant, constant not only battle, but a need to learn and modernize and grow. I encourage that we move this bill out and I encourage that we all support this. And I believe there's another bill that hopefully will make it to the Floor soon, which will be a complement to this, which will enable DBED to reach out and assist these businesses with their business and retention and expansion.

"So let's keep this moving. Let's support our business community because these are the backbones of our economy and they're going to be here if and when our economy starts to cool down. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1924, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR SMALL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Waters, for the Committee on Higher Education presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 422-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3160, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3160, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Judiciary presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 423-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2443, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2443, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT ASSISTANCE COMPACT," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Judiciary presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 424-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1468, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1468, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS," passed Second Reading and was



referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Judiciary presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 425-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1833, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1833, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Judiciary presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 426-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1819, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1819, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHAPTER 281, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Judiciary presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 427-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2277, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2277, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE, ITS OFFICERS, OR ITS EMPLOYEES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Judiciary presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 428-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2291, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2291, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Judiciary presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 429-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2417, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2417, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX ADMINISTRATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Judiciary presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 430-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2823, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2823, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BILL OF RIGHTS DAY," passed Second

Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Judiciary presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 431-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3217, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3217, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KUPUNA RECOGNITION DAY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 432-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2819, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2819, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DECABROMODIPHENYLETHER," was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representatives Arakaki and Sonson, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 433-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2366, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2366, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCREASING CAPACITY FOR HOME AND COMMUNITY-BASED LONG-TERM CARE SERVICES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representatives Arakaki and Sonson, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 434-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3133, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 3133, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FEDERALLY QUALIFIED HEALTH CENTERS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 435-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1899, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1899, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE USE OF SAFETY HELMETS BY MINORS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 436-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2422, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee

was adopted and H.B. No. 2422, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 437-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2575, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2575, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NO FAULT INSURANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 438-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1805, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1805, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Stonebraker rose to speak in opposition to the measure, stating:

"Just on SCR 438, I'm going to be opposition of this. Mr. Speaker, my first year in office I actually introduced a measure just like this, but I have changed my mind. This is a bill that would prohibit the use of cell phones while driving unless it has a hands-free system. I think it looks on the surface like a good idea, but the real problem is the dialing. The problem is the eating, and the problem is doing the fingernails. The problem is dealing with the kids. There's a lot of distractions. And I just am opposed to this for those reasons. Thank you."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker, I also have reservations on this measure. You heard some of the problems from my colleague. The main problem is of course you still have to dial with this measure and we can outlaw that too and then you can't use cell phones at all. But I have seen people right behind me on the freeway putting on makeup and we're not outlawing that.

"When I ask the police isn't there a law against distracted driving and they said only if you get in an accident and they can say that that's the cause. It should be the same thing with cell phones. If you're weaving and bobbing and you end up hitting a car and you get stopped then and they say you were using a cell phone. Okay, then that should be a penalty for you but to just outlaw it completely I think is not good. Thank you."

Representative Ching rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

The Chair then stated:

"Members, this measure will be going to the Judiciary Committee also to look into the legal aspects of it."

Representative Meyer rose in opposition to the measure and asked that the remarks of Representatives Moses and Stonebraker be entered in the Journal as her own, and the Chair "so ordered." (By reference only.)

Representative Finnegan rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1805, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE USE OF MOBILE PHONES WHILE DRIVING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary with Representatives Meyer and Stonebraker voting no, and with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 439-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2639, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2639, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO USE OF INTOXICANTS WHILE OPERATING A MOTOR VEHICLE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 440-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2747, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2747, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVER LICENSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 441-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2075, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2075, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Souki, for the Committee on Transportation presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 442-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3081, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 3081, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Magaoay rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker, Standing Committee Report 442, in support. I'd like to thank the Chair and Vice Chair of Transportation for being very innovated and also take a look at the needs we have on the North Shore for a Medivac. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3081, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A STATE-OWNED AIRCRAFT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representatives Souki and Kanoho, for the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean

Resources presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 443-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2399, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.B. No. 2399, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTER-ISLAND FERRY SERVICE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 444-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2710, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2710, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Evans rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Finnegan rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Meyer rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ching rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2710, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NOISE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 445-06) recommending that H.B. No. 1948, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 1948, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Thielen rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Mr. Speaker, I rise in support of House Bill 1948, Relating to Solid Waste Management. I do have one reservation about it. There was an addition put into the bill that I don't actually support and that's adding the 68 oz. bottles to Hawaii 5 Program. I would prefer that those not be included. Thank you."

Representative Stonebraker rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

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

"I also have reservations, Mr. Speaker, on 445. I do support recycling in Hawaii. I think we don't do enough of it. But the people in my district are really hurting financially. Half the people in my district are amongst the poorest in this State. And I see this as an additional tax, but I'm hoping we find another way to pay for this recycling of this 2-liter bottle. Thank you."

Representative Finnegan rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

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

"Strong reservations, please."

Representative Moses rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 1948, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Morita, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 446-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2506, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 2506, HD 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Stonebraker rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

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

"Yes, Mr. Speaker. With reservations. In time, anyone can lessen their tax burden, I support that, Mr. Speaker. And this would be for the counties for the fuel tax. I do believe that they do need some help because of their rising cost of the gas. However, Mr. Speaker, we've traditionally taken monies out of the State Highway Fund to pay for other things. I believe that's a Fund that we should no longer touch as a Body. The reason is, Mr. Speaker, we get a one to four matching dollars for this particular Fund. So it doesn't make fiscal sense for us to take money out of this Fund. Although I do support the county to be relieved of this tax, I think we should perhaps look at another place to find the million dollars. Because in essence, we'll be losing a total between \$4 and \$5 million for that Fund. Thank you."

Representative Evans rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Finnegan rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Ching rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Halford rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Moses rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2506, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE FUEL TAX," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Judiciary presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 447-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2476, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee

was adopted and H.B. No. 2476, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATUTORY REVISION: AMENDING, REENACTING, OR REPEALING VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE HAWAII REVISED STATUTES AND THE SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII FOR THE PURPOSE OF CORRECTING ERRORS AND REFERENCES, CLARIFYING LANGUAGE, AND DELETING OBSOLETE OR UNNECESSARY PROVISIONS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Judiciary presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 448-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2896, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2896, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMOTIONAL DISTRESS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Judiciary presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 449-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2900, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2900, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRONIC VOTING," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Judiciary presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 450-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3242, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Representative M. Oshiro moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.B. No. 3242, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro.

Representative Karamatsu rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3242, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Judiciary presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 451-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2287, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 2287, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT," passed Second Reading, and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Judiciary presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 452-06) recommending that H.B. No. 3234, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative M. Oshiro, seconded by Representative B. Oshiro and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.B. No. 3234, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN

ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS," passed Second Reading, and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representative Kahikina being excused.

The Chair then stated:

"Members, please note the 48-hour notice for Standing Committee Report No. 453-06 as listed on page 22."

Representative Luke, for the Committee on Judiciary presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 453-06) recommending that H.B. No. 2050, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, pass Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, consideration of Stand. Com. Rep. No. 453-06 on H.B. No. 2050, HD 2 was deferred and in accordance with Article III, Section 15 of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, printed copies of H.B. No. 2050, HD 2, were made available to the members of the House.

### INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

By unanimous consent, the following resolutions (H.R. Nos. 14 and 15) and concurrent resolution (H.C.R. No. 22) were referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.R. No. 14, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY TO LEASE THE ALA MOANA PUMP STATION TO FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY OF HAWAII," was jointly offered by Representatives Waters, Arakaki, Shimabukuro, Cabanilla, Chang, Green and Takumi.

H.R. No. 15, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII STATE CENTER FOR NURSING AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO INVESTIGATE AND RECOMMEND WAYS TO ASSIST THE PUBLIC AND PRIVATE SECTORS TO RELIEVE THE NURSING SHORTAGE AND ENSURE A CONTINUOUS, ADEQUATE SUPPLY OF NURSES TO STAFF HOSPITALS AND OTHER MEDICAL FACILITIES IN THE STATE," was jointly offered by Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Cabanilla, Chang, Green, Karamatsu, Lee, Magaoay, Shimabukuro, Tsuji, Waters and Carroll.

H.C.R. No. 22, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII STATE CENTER FOR NURSING AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO INVESTIGATE AND RECOMMEND WAYS TO ASSIST THE PUBLIC AND PRIVATE SECTORS TO RELIEVE THE NURSING SHORTAGE AND ENSURE A CONTINUOUS, ADEQUATE SUPPLY OF NURSES TO STAFF HOSPITALS AND OTHER MEDICAL FACILITIES IN THE STATE," was jointly offered by Representatives Arakaki, Abinsay, Cabanilla, Chang, Green, Karamatsu, Lee, Magaoay, Shimabukuro, Tsuji, Waters and Carroll.

### ANNOUNCEMENT

Representative Karamatsu: "Mr. Speaker, EDB will reconvene its hearing, the 9:00 a.m. Agenda in Room 309, following today's session, with decision making to follow."

### ADJOURNMENT

At 1:27 o'clock p.m. on motion by Representative B. Oshiro, seconded by Representative Meyer and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon, tomorrow, Friday, February 17, 2006. (Representative Kahikina was excused.)