

FIFTH DAY

Wednesday, January 28, 2015

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 9:35 o'clock a.m., with Speaker Souki presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Representative Romy M. Cachola, after which the Roll was called showing all Members present with the exception of Representatives Carroll, Ing, McKelvey, Oshiro and Pouha, 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. 89 through 127) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 89, dated January 9, 2015, transmitting the report, Relating to Prescription Drugs, prepared by the Hawaii Employer-Union Health Benefits Trust Fund pursuant to Act 226, SLH 2013.

Gov. Msg. No. 90, dated January 16, 2015, transmitting the State of Hawaii Community-Based Economic Development Technical and Financial Assistance Program FY 2014 Annual and Financial Reports, prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism pursuant to Section 210D-0014, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 91, dated January 16, 2015, transmitting the Self-Sufficiency Income Standard: Estimates for Hawaii 2013, prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism pursuant to Section 201-3, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 92, dated January 16, 2015, transmitting the Hawaii Housing Finance and Development Corporation 2014 Annual Report, pursuant to Section 201H-21, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 93, dated January 16, 2015, transmitting the Hawaii Small Business Regulatory Review Board Annual Report Summary, prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism pursuant to Section 201M-5(f), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 94, dated January 16, 2015, transmitting the Hawaii Employer-Union Health Benefits Trust Fund's Annual Report for Fiscal Year ending June 30, 2014, pursuant to Section 87A-25, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 95, dated January 16, 2015, transmitting the report, Urging the Director of Health to Convene a Task Force to Assess the Scope and Feasibility of Establishing an Emergency Services Patient Advocate Program, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to HCR 122 (2014).

Gov. Msg. No. 96, dated January 16, 2015, transmitting the report, Child and Adolescent Mental Health Division Strategic Plan 2015-2018 and Biennial Review of Progress Made on the 2011-2014 Strategic Plan, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to Section 321-175 and Section 321-176, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 97, dated January 16, 2015, transmitting the Hawaii Public Housing Authority Annual Report, Fiscal Year 2014, prepared by the Hawaii Public Housing Authority pursuant to Section 356D-20, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 98, dated January 16, 2015, transmitting the Report on Administratively Established Funds and Accounts, prepared by the Department of the Attorney General pursuant to Section 37-52.5, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 99, dated January 16, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report of Proceedings under the Hawaii Omnibus Criminal Forfeiture Act,

prepared by the Department of the Attorney General pursuant to Section 712A-16(6), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 100, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report: Safe Routes to School, prepared by the Department of Transportation pursuant to Act 317, SLH 2012.

Gov. Msg. No. 101, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the report, Statewide Noxious Invasive Pest Program, prepared by the Department of Transportation pursuant to Act 106, SLH 2012.

Gov. Msg. No. 102, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the report, Status and Progress of Clean Energy Initiatives and Analysis of the Environmental Response, Energy, and Food Security Tax, prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism pursuant to Act 73, SLH 2010.

Gov. Msg. No. 103, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the Hawaii Health Systems Corporation Annual Audit and Report for FY 2014, pursuant to Section 323F-22(b) and Section 323F-22(c), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 104, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the report, Status of the Business and Information Technology/Information Resource Management Transformation Strategic Plan (Implementation Phase), prepared by the Office of Information Management and Technology pursuant to Act 84, SLH 2011.

Gov. Msg. No. 105, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the Annual Internal Audit Report, prepared by the Hawaii Health Systems Corporation pursuant to Section 323F-22(d), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 106, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the Report on the Effects of the January 2014 Tank Leak at the Red Hill Fuel Storage Facility, prepared by the Red Hill Fuel Storage Facility Task Force pursuant to SCR 73 (2014).

Gov. Msg. No. 107, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the report, Schedules for Controlled Substances, prepared by the Department of Public Safety pursuant to Section 329-11, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 108, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the report, Sexual Assaults in Correctional Facilities, prepared by the Department of Public Safety pursuant to Act 194, SLH 2010.

Gov. Msg. No. 109, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the report, Cognitive Restructuring, prepared by the Department of Public Safety, Corrections Program Services Division, pursuant to Act 193, SLH 2010.

Gov. Msg. No. 110, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the report, Return of Out-of-State Inmates, prepared by the Department of Public Safety pursuant to Section 353H-7, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 111, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the Corrections Population Management Commission Report, pursuant to Section 353F-5, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 112, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the report, Mental Health Services for Committed Persons, prepared by the Department of Public Safety pursuant to Act 144, Section 3, SLH 2007.

Gov. Msg. No. 113, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the report, Findings, Recommendations, and Plans Relating to the Exploration of a Competitively Procured Public-Private Partnership Agreement for a New System of Correctional Facilities, prepared by the Department of Public Safety pursuant to SCR 120, SD 2 (2014).

Gov. Msg. No. 114, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the report, Gender-Responsive Community Based Programs for Women, prepared by the Department of Public Safety, Corrections Program Services Division, pursuant to Section 367D-8, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 115, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report of Hawaii Correctional Industries, prepared by the Department of Public Safety pursuant to Section 354D-3.5, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 116, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the report, Criminal Offender Treatment Act, prepared by the Department of Public Safety pursuant to Section 353G-13(c), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 117, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the report, Reentry Pilot Project for Nonviolent, Low-Risk Drug Offenders, prepared by the Department of Public Safety pursuant to Act 149, SLH 2014.

Gov. Msg. No. 118, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on the Status of the Federal Reimbursement Maximization Special Fund, prepared by the Department of Public Safety pursuant to Section 353C-7(c), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 119, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the 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, prepared by the Department of Public Safety pursuant to Act 100, Sections 6 and 7, SLH 1999.

Gov. Msg. No. 120, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the report, The Feasibility of a Long-Term Services and Supports Social Insurance Program for Hawaii, prepared by the Department of Health, Executive Office on Aging.

Gov. Msg. No. 121, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the Report on Assistance Allowance and Public Assistance Cost Control Recommendations, prepared by the Department of Human Services, Benefit, Employment, and Support Services Division, Med-QUEST Division, pursuant to Section 346-54, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 122, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the Report on Litigation Deposits Trust Fund Transactions and Collections Made on Behalf of Other Departments and Agencies for Fiscal Year 2013 - 2014, prepared by the Department of the Attorney General pursuant to Section 28-16, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 123, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the Report on the Antitrust Trust Fund, Fiscal Year 2013-2014, prepared by the Department of the Attorney General pursuant to Section 28-13(d), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 124, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the Report on the Housing First Program, prepared by the Department of Human Services, Benefit, Employment, and Support Services Division, pursuant to Section 346-378(d), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 125, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the report, Airport Security Expenditures, prepared by the Department of Transportation, Airports Division, pursuant to Act 1, SLH 2014.

Gov. Msg. No. 126, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the report, Customer Facility Charge, prepared by the Department of Transportation, Airports Division, pursuant to Act 226, SLH 2008.

Gov. Msg. No. 127, dated January 20, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report: Bikeway Projects and Expenditures, prepared by the Department of Transportation pursuant to Act 222, SLH 1995.

DEPARTMENTAL COMMUNICATIONS

The following departmental communication (Dept. Com. No. 58) was received by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Dept. Com. No. 58, from the University of Hawaii, dated January 16, 2015, transmitting the Report on the Findings from the Hawaii Physician Workforce Assessment Project, pursuant to Section 5, Act 18, Special SLH 2009, as amended by Act 186, SLH 2012.

ORDER OF THE DAY

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

On motion by Representative Evans, seconded by Representative Tupola and carried, the following bills (H.B. Nos. 749 through 1133) passed First Reading by title and were referred to Printing: (Representatives Carroll, Ing, Oshiro and Pouha were excused.)

H. B. Nos.

749 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Brower, Lee, Rhoads, Thielen, Belatti, Creagan, Ing, Luke and Morikawa.

750 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSERVATION AND RESOURCES."

Introduced by: Representatives Takayama, Creagan, Har, Ichiyama, Kawakami, Lee, Lowen and Tsuji.

751 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION."

Introduced by: Representative McDermott.

752 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHECK CASHING."

Introduced by: Representative McDermott.

753 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONFORMANCE OF STATE PERSONAL EXEMPTION TO FEDERAL PERSONAL EXEMPTION."

Introduced by: Representative McDermott.

754 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISPOSABLE FOOD CONTAINERS."

Introduced by: Representatives Lowen, Ing, Lee, LoPresti, Luke, Thielen and Brower.

755 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."

Introduced by: Representative Lowen.

756 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VIDEOCONFERENCING."

Introduced by: Representative Lowen.

757 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY STORAGE."

Introduced by: Representatives Lowen and Lee.

758 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHERS."

Introduced by: Representative Lowen, by request.

759 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COOLING SYSTEMS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL FACILITIES."

Introduced by: Representatives Cullen, Aquino, Har and Yamane.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Cullen and Aquino.

761	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION."	776	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RADIATION LEVELS IN SEAFOOD."
	Introduced by: Representatives Cullen and Aquino.		Introduced by: Representative Choy, by request.
762	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KINDERGARTEN."	777	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
	Introduced by: Representative Cullen.		Introduced by: Representatives Johanson, Belatti, Evans, Kobayashi, Lee, Lowen, Luke, Matsumoto, Morikawa, Nakashima, Nishimoto, Ohno, Saiki and Thielen.
763	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ELDERLY."		
	Introduced by: Representative Cullen.	778	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REFUNDABLE FOOD/EXCISE TAX CREDIT."
764	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FARM WORKER HOUSING."		Introduced by: Representatives Johanson, Belatti, Evans, Kobayashi, Lee, Lowen, Luke, Matsumoto, Morikawa, Nishimoto, Ohno, Saiki and Thielen.
	Introduced by: Representative Hashem.		
765	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."	779	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES."
	Introduced by: Representative Hashem.		Introduced by: Representatives Johanson, Belatti, Kobayashi, Lee, Luke, Matsumoto, Morikawa, Nakashima, Nishimoto, Ohno, Saiki, Takayama and Thielen.
766	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."		
	Introduced by: Representative Hashem.	780	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOARD OF EDUCATION."
767	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY."		Introduced by: Representatives Johanson, Belatti, Lee, Luke, Matsumoto, Morikawa, Nakashima, Nishimoto, Ohno, Saiki, Takayama, Takumi, Thielen and Kobayashi.
	Introduced by: Representative Hashem.		
768	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY."	781	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THEFT OF PERSONAL ELECTRONIC DEVICES."
	Introduced by: Representative Hashem.		Introduced by: Representatives Johanson, Creagan, Evans, Fukumoto Chang, Ito, Nakashima, Takayama, Thielen and Yamane.
769	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GLASS CONTAINER RECOVERY."	782	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CYTOMEGALOVIRUS."
	Introduced by: Representative Luke.		Introduced by: Representatives Woodson, Creagan and Belatti.
770	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR."		
	Introduced by: Representatives Luke and McKelvey.	783	"A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION REGARDING FREEDOM OF SPEECH."
771	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT."		Introduced by: Representatives Woodson, Rhoads and San Buenaventura.
	Introduced by: Representative Kawakami.		
772	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ROSE-RINGED PARAKEET."	784	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION."
	Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami, Morikawa and Tokioka.		Introduced by: Representatives Woodson, Aquino, Johanson, LoPresti, Nakashima, San Buenaventura and Yamashita.
773	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMUNITY FOOD FORESTS."		
	Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami, Cullen, Morikawa, Tokioka and Kong.	785	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAX CREDITS."
			Introduced by: Representatives Woodson and Kawakami.
774	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMALL BUSINESS."	786	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT RECORDS."
	Introduced by: Representative Kawakami.		Introduced by: Representatives Woodson, Mizuno, Rhoads and San Buenaventura.
775	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."		
	Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami and Choy.		

787	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MASSAGE." Introduced by: Representative Oshiro.	801	"A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR SUNSTRONG LLC, A RENEWABLE ENERGY DEVELOPER SERVING THE GENERAL PUBLIC IN PROVIDING ELECTRIC ENERGY." Introduced by: Representative Ito.
788	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARIJUANA." Introduced by: Representatives Oshiro and Har.	802	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE." Introduced by: Representative Evans.
789	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAX CREDITS FOR VOTING IN ELECTIONS." Introduced by: Representative Oshiro.	803	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS." Introduced by: Representatives Evans, Brower and McKelvey.
790	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM." Introduced by: Representative Oshiro.	804	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE TWENTY-FOURTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT." Introduced by: Representative Belatti.
791	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RETIREMENT OF JUDGES." Introduced by: Representative Oshiro.	805	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERANS DISABILITY BENEFITS." Introduced by: Representative Cachola, by request.
792	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EVIDENCE." Introduced by: Representatives Morikawa, Brower, Creagan, Evans, Hashem, Kawakami, Kobayashi, Nakashima, Onishi, Oshiro, Saiki, Takumi, Jordan, San Buenaventura and Tokioka.	806	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MILITARY BENEFITS." Introduced by: Representative Cachola, by request.
793	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMAL CRUELTY." Introduced by: Representatives Creagan, Brower, Ito, Lee, Saiki, Takayama, Thielen, Kong, Matsumoto and Mizuno.	807	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY COURT." Introduced by: Representative Cachola, by request.
794	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL MARIJUANA." Introduced by: Representative Creagan.	808	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION." Introduced by: Representative Fukumoto Chang, by request.
795	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL MARIJUANA." Introduced by: Representatives Creagan and Nakashima.	809	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RATE OF INTEREST APPLICABLE TO UNDERPAYMENTS AND NONPAYMENTS OF TAX." Introduced by: Representative Fukumoto Chang, by request.
796	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE." Introduced by: Representative Creagan.	810	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION." Introduced by: Representatives LoPresti, Lee, Rhoads, Brower, Morikawa and San Buenaventura.
797	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STUDENT INSTRUCTIONAL TIME." Introduced by: Representative Ito.	811	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII." Introduced by: Representatives LoPresti, Brower, Mizuno, Lee and Morikawa.
798	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION." Introduced by: Representative Ito.	812	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIGHTING." Introduced by: Representatives LoPresti, Brower, Lee, Rhoads, Keohokalole and Kong.
799	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM AERONAUTICS ACT." Introduced by: Representative Ito.	813	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CODE OF ETHICS." Introduced by: Representatives LoPresti, Mizuno, Rhoads, Kong and San Buenaventura.
800	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE FOUNDATION ON CULTURE AND THE ARTS." Introduced by: Representative Ito.		

814	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION."	828	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE."
	Introduced by: Representative Ohno.		Introduced by: Representative Yamane.
815	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOPEDS."	829	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING."
	Introduced by: Representative Ohno.		Introduced by: Representatives Yamane, Aquino, Har, Hashem and McKelvey.
816	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AIR QUALITY MEASUREMENT."	830	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY."
	Introduced by: Representative Ohno.		Introduced by: Representatives Yamane, Aquino, Cullen, Har, Ichiyama, Ito, Kobayashi, Lee, LoPresti, Mizuno, Morikawa, Nakashima, Nishimoto, Oshiro, Say, Souki, Takayama, Takumi, Thielen, Tokioka, Tsuji, Yamashita, Rhoads and Saiki.
817	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MICROPLASTIC."	831	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS."
	Introduced by: Representative Ohno, by request.		Introduced by: Representatives Takumi and Ohno.
818	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."	832	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
	Introduced by: Representative Ohno.		Introduced by: Representatives Takumi and Ohno.
819	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BULLYING."	833	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
	Introduced by: Representatives Takumi, Aquino, Choy, Ichiyama, Ing, Lee, LoPresti, McKelvey, Ohno and Tsuji.		Introduced by: Representatives San Buenaventura, Evans, Ichiyama, Ing, McKelvey, Mizuno and Tsuji.
820	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION."	834	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHECK CASHING."
	Introduced by: Representatives Takumi, Aquino, Choy, Ichiyama, Ing, McKelvey, Ohno, Say, Tsuji and LoPresti.		Introduced by: Representatives San Buenaventura, Creagan, Ichiyama, Ing, McKelvey, Mizuno and Woodson.
821	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION."	835	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER QUALITY CERTIFICATION."
	Introduced by: Representatives Takumi, Aquino, Ichiyama, Ing, Ito, Kong, LoPresti, Ohno, Say and Tsuji.		Introduced by: Representatives Keohokalole, Jordan, Morikawa, Onishi, Pouha, Evans, Kong, Lowen and Ohno.
822	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE HAWAII ASSOCIATION OF CONSERVATION DISTRICTS."	836	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ASSERTIVE COMMUNITY TREATMENT."
	Introduced by: Representatives Tsuji, Brower, Cachola, Onishi, Oshiro, Say, Woodson and Yamashita.		Introduced by: Representative Rhoads.
823	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL THEFT."	837	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONSERVATION OF ANIMALS."
	Introduced by: Representatives Tsuji, Brower, Cachola, Onishi, Oshiro, Say, Woodson, Kong and Yamashita.		Introduced by: Representatives Rhoads, Aquino, Belatti, Brower, Kawakami, Lee, Luke, Mizuno, Saiki, Say, Tsuji, Keohokalole, Kong, Matsumoto and Ohno.
824	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."	838	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FLUORIDATION."
	Introduced by: Representatives Tsuji, Brower, Cachola, Onishi, Oshiro, Say, Woodson, Yamashita and Kong.		Introduced by: Representative Rhoads.
825	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS."	839	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAYS."
	Introduced by: Representative Saiki.		Introduced by: Representatives Rhoads, Kobayashi, Mizuno and Ohno.
826	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHICS."	840	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES."
	Introduced by: Representative Saiki.		Introduced by: Representatives Rhoads, Mizuno and Takayama.
827	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A MIXED-USE RESIDENTIAL PROJECT."		
	Introduced by: Representatives Saiki and Hashem.		

841 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARIJUANA."

Introduced by: Representative Creagan, by request.

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

Introduced by: Representative Aquino.

843 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representatives Aquino, Belatti, Cachola, Cullen, Ito, LoPresti, Mizuno and Rhoads.

844 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF LANGUAGE ACCESS."

Introduced by: Representatives Aquino, Belatti, Cachola, Cullen, Ito, LoPresti, Mizuno and Rhoads.

845 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE CERTIFICATION OF HEALTH CARE INTERPRETERS."

Introduced by: Representatives Aquino, Belatti, Cachola, Cullen, Ito, LoPresti, Mizuno and Rhoads.

846 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF LANGUAGE ACCESS."

Introduced by: Representatives Aquino, Belatti, Cachola, Cullen, Ito, LoPresti, Mizuno and Rhoads.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Nakashima, Creagan, Evans, Lowen, Morikawa, Onishi, San Buenaventura and Tsuji.

848 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representatives Ichiyama and Choy.

849 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."

Introduced by: Representatives Onishi, Aquino, Belatti, Choy, Cullen, Har, Hashem, Ichiyama, Ito, Luke, Matsumoto, McDermott, Mizuno, Nakashima, Nishimoto, Oshiro, Pouha, Saiki, Say, Takayama, Thielen, Tsuji, Tupola, Ward, Woodson, Yamane, Yamashita, Brower, Cachola, Evans, Fukumoto Chang, Kong, McKelvey, Morikawa, Ohno and Souki.

850 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION SERVICE."

Introduced by: Representatives Onishi, Brower, Creagan, Evans, Ichiyama, Ito, Kawakami, Lowen, Morikawa, Nakashima, Ohno, Saiki, Souki, Tokioka, Tsuji, Cachola, Choy and San Buenaventura.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Onishi, Creagan, Evans, Nakashima, San Buenaventura, Tsuji and Lowen.

852 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."

Introduced by: Representative Nakashima.

853 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."

Introduced by: Representatives Nakashima, Creagan, Evans, Ichiyama, Johanson, Keohokalole, Lowen, Morikawa, Onishi, San Buenaventura and Tsuji.

854 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SERVICE CHARGES."

Introduced by: Representatives Nakashima, Ichiyama, Johanson and Keohokalole.

855 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION SERVICES."

Introduced by: Representative Nakashima.

856 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SYNTHETIC DRUGS."

Introduced by: Representatives Mizuno, Brower and Morikawa.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Mizuno, Belatti, Brower, Cachola, Creagan, Ito, McKelvey, Saiki, Morikawa and San Buenaventura.

858 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE."

Introduced by: Representatives Mizuno, Creagan, Evans, McKelvey and Rhoads.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Mizuno, Aquino, Brower, Cachola, Creagan, Evans, Johanson, Morikawa, Nishimoto, Belatti and San Buenaventura.

860 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES."

Introduced by: Representatives Mizuno, Brower, Creagan, Evans, Morikawa, Nakashima, Nishimoto, Belatti and San Buenaventura.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Belatti, Brower, Creagan, Evans, Fukumoto Chang, Ing, Kobayashi, McKelvey, Mizuno, Ohno, Onishi and Takumi.

862 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH CORPS LOAN REPAYMENT PROGRAM."

Introduced by: Representatives Belatti, Brower, Creagan, Evans, Fukumoto Chang, Ing, Kobayashi, McKelvey, Mizuno, Ohno, Onishi and Takumi.

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

Introduced by: Representatives Belatti, Brower, Creagan, Fukumoto Chang, Ing, Kobayashi, McKelvey, Mizuno, Ohno, Onishi, Takumi and Evans.

864 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IN VITRO FERTILIZATION INSURANCE COVERAGE."

Introduced by: Representatives Belatti, Mizuno, Takumi, Evans and Onishi.

865 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."
Introduced by: Representatives McKelvey, Hashem and Lee.

866 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SECURE AND FAIR ENFORCEMENT FOR MORTGAGE LICENSING ACT."
Introduced by: Representatives McKelvey and Kawakami.

867 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL SPACE CENTER FOR EXPLORATION SYSTEMS' BASALT REBAR INITIATIVE."
Introduced by: Representatives McKelvey, Brower, Fukumoto Chang, Hashem, Kawakami and Matsumoto.

868 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
Introduced by: Representatives McKelvey, Evans, Fukumoto Chang, Morikawa, Souki, Ito, Ohno, Onishi, Say and Yamane.

869 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPINNER DOLPHINS."
Introduced by: Representatives McKelvey, Creagan, Evans and Lee.

870 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD."
Introduced by: Representatives Tsuji, Brower, Cachola, Choy, Creagan, Hashem, Kobayashi, Mizuno, Nakashima, Ohno, Onishi, Oshiro, Say, Yamane and Yamashita.

871 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BIOSECURITY."
Introduced by: Representatives Tsuji, Brower, Cachola, Choy, Creagan, Hashem, Kobayashi, Mizuno, Nakashima, Ohno, Onishi, Oshiro, Say, Woodson, Yamane, Yamashita and Kong.

872 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NATURAL RESOURCES."
Introduced by: Representative Ing.

873 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AQUATIC LIFE."
Introduced by: Representative Ing, by request.

874 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE IMMERSION PROGRAM."
Introduced by: Representative Ing.

875 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AHA MOKU ADVISORY COMMITTEE."
Introduced by: Representative Ing, by request.

876 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMOKING."
Introduced by: Representative Ing.

877 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VEHICULAR TAXES."
Introduced by: Representatives Har, Aquino, Cullen, Ito, Kawakami, Oshiro, Say, Tokioka, Yamane and Cachola.

878 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MILITARY."
Introduced by: Representatives Har, Aquino, Ito, Jordan, Kawakami, Kong, Onishi, Oshiro, Say, Tokioka, Yamane, Yamashita and Cachola.

879 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERANS."
Introduced by: Representatives Har, Aquino, Ito, Jordan, Kawakami, Oshiro, Say, Tokioka, Yamane, Yamashita, Cachola, Cullen and Onishi.

880 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MILITIA."
Introduced by: Representatives Har, Aquino, Ito, Kawakami, Oshiro, Say, Tokioka, Yamane, Cachola and Yamashita.

881 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE."
Introduced by: Representatives Har, Aquino, Cullen, Ito, Jordan, Kawakami, Oshiro, Say, Tokioka, Yamane, Cachola and Yamashita.

882 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ACCESS TO EXPERIMENTAL MEDICAL TREATMENTS FOR TERMINALLY ILL PATIENTS."
Introduced by: Representatives Ward, Creagan, McKelvey, Cachola, Matsumoto and Tupola.

883 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AQUARIUM FISH."
Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Creagan, Lowen, Luke, Mizuno, Souki, Takumi, Cachola and Rhoads.

884 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN FINANCE."
Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Lowen, Luke, Mizuno, Ohno, Souki, Takumi, Thielen, Cachola, Rhoads and San Buenaventura.

885 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WILDLIFE."
Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Belatti, Cachola, Evans, LoPresti, Lowen, McKelvey, Mizuno, Nishimoto, Ohno, Rhoads and Souki.

886 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Cachola, Creagan, Lowen, Luke, Mizuno, Rhoads, San Buenaventura, Takumi, McKelvey and Onishi.

887 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY."
Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Cachola, Creagan, Luke, Mizuno, Onishi, Aquino, Choy, Lowen, McKelvey, Nakashima, Rhoads, Souki and Tsuji.

888 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

889 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARIJUANA."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

890	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES."	903	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
891	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LOANS."	904	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
892	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENTAL RESPONSE, ENERGY, AND FOOD SECURITY TAX."	905	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE PLANNING."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
893	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BIOSECURITY PROGRAM."	906	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAX EXEMPTIONS FOR CERTIFIED OR APPROVED HOUSING PROJECTS."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
894	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENHANCED 911 BOARD."	907	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
895	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT OF PROFESSIONAL SERVICES."	908	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
896	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE, ITS OFFICERS, OR ITS EMPLOYEES."	909	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
897	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM INTERSTATE FAMILY SUPPORT ACT."	910	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
898	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARITABLE SOLICITATION."	911	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
899	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FORENSIC IDENTIFICATION."	912	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
900	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL ASSISTANCE FRAUD."	913	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
901	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT VEHICLES."	914	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
902	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ACQUISITION OF FIREARMS BY LAWFUL PERMANENT RESIDENT ALIENS."	915	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
		916	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII EMPLOYER-UNION HEALTH BENEFITS TRUST FUND."
			Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

917	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."	931	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING ON HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
918	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."	932	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
919	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RETIREMENT CREDIT FOR UNUSED SICK LEAVE."	933	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOSPITAL SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAM."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
920	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."	934	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE NURSING FACILITY SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAM."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
921	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."	935	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY."
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922	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII EMPLOYER-UNION HEALTH BENEFITS TRUST FUND."	936	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
923	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REPEAL OF NON-GENERAL FUNDS."	937	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MEDICAID MANAGED CARE PROGRAM."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
924	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MORTGAGE SERVICERS."	938	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR GENERAL ASSISTANCE."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
925	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."	939	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AMENDING IDENTITY OF REGISTRANT'S PARENT ON A BIRTH CERTIFICATE."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
926	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH INSURANCE."	940	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REGULATION OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
927	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ON-BILL PROGRAMS."	941	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENTAL RESPONSE, ENERGY, AND FOOD SECURITY TAX."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
928	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONSUMER ADVOCATE."	942	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER INFRASTRUCTURE."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
929	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIBRARIES."	943	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CIVIL MONETARY PENALTY SPECIAL FUND."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
930	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR."	944	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BACKGROUND CHECKS."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.

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Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.</p> <p>946 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUILDING DESIGN FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.</p> <p>947 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RECORDS OF FORENSIC EXAMINATIONS."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.</p> <p>948 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION."
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Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.</p> <p>950 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.</p> <p>951 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NOTICE OF HEARING BY THE LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS APPEALS BOARD."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.</p> <p>952 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WAGES AND HOURS ON PUBLIC WORKS LAW."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.</p> <p>953 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WAGE AND HOUR LAW."
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Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.</p> <p>955 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO USE PERMITS FOR SMALL BOAT HARBORS."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.</p> <p>956 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL SHORELINE ENCROACHMENT EASEMENTS."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.</p> <p>957 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOREST STEWARDSHIP."
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Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.</p> <p>959 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFTER-SCHOOL PROGRAMS."
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Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.</p> <p>963 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.</p> <p>964 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONFORMITY OF THE HAWAII INCOME TAX LAW TO THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.</p> <p>965 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ESTATE AND GENERATION-SKIPPING TRANSFER TAXES."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.</p> <p>966 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SECTION 237-23, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.</p> <p>967 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SECTION 235-55.91, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.</p> <p>968 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIABILITY FOR AMOUNTS PASSED ON AS TAX."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.</p> <p>969 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVER LICENSING."
Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.</p> <p>970 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSPECTIONS."
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Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.</p> |
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972	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION."	984	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXEMPTING FOOD FROM THE GENERAL EXCISE TAX."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representatives Matsumoto, Brower, Fukumoto Chang, Johanson, McKelvey, Mizuno, Morikawa and Creagan.
973	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY."	985	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII OPERATING COSTS."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Say.
974	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII RULEMAKING."	986	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TRANSFER OF THE OFFICE OF INFORMATION PRACTICES."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Say.
975	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."	987	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MILITARY."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representatives Say, Har, Ichiyama, Johanson and Oshiro.
976	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII CONFERENCE CENTER."	988	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FUNDS."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representatives Say and Ichiyama.
977	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII ACCOUNTING AND FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT SYSTEM."	989	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Say.
978	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."	990	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE FINANCES."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Kobayashi.
979	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CYBERSECURITY WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT."	991	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Kobayashi.
980	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEXUAL OFFENSES."	992	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST HAWAIIAN ELECTRIC COMPANY, INC., MAUI ELECTRIC COMPANY, LIMITED, AND HAWAII ELECTRIC LIGHT COMPANY, INC."
	Introduced by: Representatives Matsumoto, Brower, Fukumoto Chang, Ichiyama, McKelvey, Mizuno, Creagan, Johanson and Morikawa.		Introduced by: Representative Luke.
981	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLEGE-CREDIT EQUIVALENCY PROGRAMS."	993	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARIJUANA."
	Introduced by: Representatives Matsumoto, Creagan, Fukumoto Chang, Ichiyama, Johanson, Mizuno, Brower, Ing, McKelvey and Morikawa.		Introduced by: Representative Thielen.
982	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII FARM-TO-SCHOOL PROGRAM COORDINATION."	994	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FORTY-THIRD REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
	Introduced by: Representatives Matsumoto, Brower, Creagan, Fukumoto Chang, Ichiyama, Ing, Johanson, McKelvey, Mizuno, Morikawa and San Buenaventura.		Introduced by: Representative Tupola.
983	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERDEPARTMENTAL REPORTING ON DIABETES."	995	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."
	Introduced by: Representatives Matsumoto, Brower, Creagan, Ichiyama, McKelvey, Mizuno, Fukumoto Chang, Ing, Johanson, Morikawa and San Buenaventura.		Introduced by: Representatives Onishi, Choy, Evans, Ichiyama, Ing, Ito, Lowen, Nakashima, Ohno, Saiki, San Buenaventura, Souki, Takumi and Tsuji.
		996	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GEOTHERMAL RESOURCES."
			Introduced by: Representatives Nishimoto, Evans and Lee.

997	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH." Introduced by: Representatives Nishimoto and Mizuno.	1010	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COMMUTER BENEFITS PROGRAM." Introduced by: Representatives Aquino, Yamane, LoPresti, Nakashima and Takayama.
998	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY." Introduced by: Representatives Nishimoto and Mizuno.	1011	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TRAFFIC CODE." Introduced by: Representatives Aquino, Cullen, Har, Ichiyama, Johanson, LoPresti, Takayama, Takumi, Yamane, Yamashita, Nakashima and San Buenaventura.
999	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS TAX." Introduced by: Representative Creagan.	1012	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXHIBITION OF WILD OR EXOTIC ANIMALS." Introduced by: Representatives Creagan, Morikawa, Ohno and Evans.
1000	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FRANCHISES." Introduced by: Representatives Kong, Choy, Evans, LoPresti, Takayama, Brower, Keohokalole and Tsuji.	1013	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXPERIMENTAL TREATMENTS." Introduced by: Representatives Creagan, Kobayashi, Mizuno, Morikawa and Belatti.
1001	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION." Introduced by: Representatives Takumi and Ohno.	1014	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PENAL CODE." Introduced by: Representatives Woodson and San Buenaventura.
1002	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE TWENTY-EIGHTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT." Introduced by: Representative Mizuno.	1015	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRUELTY TO ANIMALS." Introduced by: Representative Woodson, by request.
1003	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES." Introduced by: Representatives Mizuno, Brower, Creagan, Evans, Nishimoto, Aquino and San Buenaventura.	1016	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING VOUCHERS." Introduced by: Representatives Woodson and Takumi.
1004	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERANS." Introduced by: Representatives Mizuno, Brower, Cachola, Creagan, Evans, Ito, Ward, Johanson, LoPresti and San Buenaventura.	1017	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SECURE AND FAIR ENFORCEMENT FOR MORTGAGE LICENSING ACT." Introduced by: Representatives Woodson and Hashem.
1005	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE VETERANS TREATMENT COURT." Introduced by: Representatives Mizuno, Brower, Cachola, Creagan, Ito, Johanson, LoPresti, Nishimoto, San Buenaventura and Ward.	1018	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KALAELOA AIRPORT." Introduced by: Representatives Tupola, McDermott, McKelvey, Brower, Creagan, LoPresti and Takayama.
1006	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS." Introduced by: Representatives Mizuno, Evans, Brower, Creagan, Ing, Lee and Rhoads.	1019	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTION CANDIDATES." Introduced by: Representatives Tupola, Kong, LoPresti, McDermott, Brower and Creagan.
1007	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE DRIVER LICENSING." Introduced by: Representatives Aquino, Ichiyama, Takayama, Takumi and Yamashita.	1020	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY." Introduced by: Representative Saiki, by request.
1008	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BLIND PEDESTRIAN SAFETY." Introduced by: Representatives Aquino, Har, Ichiyama, LoPresti, Takayama, Takumi, Yamashita and Nakashima.	1021	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY." Introduced by: Representative Saiki, by request.
1009	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL INTEREST VEHICLES." Introduced by: Representatives Aquino and Mizuno.	1022	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY." Introduced by: Representative Saiki, by request.

1023 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY."
Introduced by: Representative Saiki, by request.

1024 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE TWENTY-SIXTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
Introduced by: Representative Saiki.

1025 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HOUSING FINANCE AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION."
Introduced by: Representative Hashem.

1026 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENTAL HOUSING."
Introduced by: Representative Hashem.

1027 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DECRIMINALIZATION OF TRAFFIC INFRACTIONS WITHIN STATE RESERVES."
Introduced by: Representatives Yamane, Aquino, Cullen and Rhoads.

1028 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT."
Introduced by: Representatives Yamane, Choy, Cullen, Kawakami, Nishimoto, Say, Tokioka, Yamashita and Rhoads.

1029 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENDANGERED SPECIES RECOVERY COMMITTEE."
Introduced by: Representatives Yamane, Cullen, Lee and Onishi.

1030 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT."
Introduced by: Representative Nakashima.

1031 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM."
Introduced by: Representative Nakashima.

1032 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII EMPLOYER-UNION HEALTH BENEFITS TRUST FUND."
Introduced by: Representative Nakashima.

1033 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYEES."
Introduced by: Representative Nakashima.

1034 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS."
Introduced by: Representative Nakashima.

1035 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."
Introduced by: Representative Fukumoto Chang.

1036 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."
Introduced by: Representative Fukumoto Chang.

1037 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM."
Introduced by: Representative Fukumoto Chang.

1038 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."
Introduced by: Representative Fukumoto Chang.

1039 "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE LOCAL AND IMMIGRANT FARMER EDUCATION PROGRAM."
Introduced by: Representatives Onishi, Brower, Cachola, Creagan, Evans, Ichiyama, Ito, Kawakami, Lowen, Matsumoto, Morikawa, Nakashima, Ohno, Saiki, Say, Souki, Tsuji, Choy, San Buenaventura and Tokioka.

1040 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES."
Introduced by: Representatives Onishi, Choy, Ichiyama, Ing, Kawakami, Matsumoto, Ohno, Say and Tsuji.

1041 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUNTING."
Introduced by: Representatives Onishi, Choy, Evans, Ichiyama, Ito, Kawakami, Lowen, Nakashima, Nishimoto, Saiki, Say, Tokioka, Tsuji, Yamane, Matsumoto and San Buenaventura.

1042 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IMPORTANT AGRICULTURAL LANDS."
Introduced by: Representatives Woodson, Tsuji and Onishi.

1043 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE TWENTY-NINTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."
Introduced by: Representative Rhoads.

1044 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEXUAL ASSAULT."
Introduced by: Representative Rhoads.

1045 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ASSISTANCE."
Introduced by: Representative Rhoads.

1046 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WRONGFUL IMPRISONMENT."
Introduced by: Representatives Rhoads, Mizuno, Takumi and Woodson.

1047 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MANDATORY SICK LEAVE."
Introduced by: Representatives LoPresti, Mizuno, Creagan, Say and Souki.

1048 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."
Introduced by: Representatives LoPresti, Mizuno, Lee and San Buenaventura.

1049	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT." Introduced by: Representatives LoPresti, Brower, Creagan, Kobayashi, Mizuno and Hashem.	1062	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION." Introduced by: Representatives Johanson, Luke and Nishimoto.
1050	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERISLAND MOVEMENT OF INVASIVE SPECIES." Introduced by: Representatives Tsuji, Brower, Choy, Ito, Kobayashi, Nakashima, Onishi, Oshiro, Say, Tokioka, Woodson and Yamashita.	1063	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MEDICAL CARE." Introduced by: Representatives Johanson and Ichiyama.
1051	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE." Introduced by: Representatives Tsuji, Brower, Choy, Ito, Onishi, Oshiro, Say, Tokioka and Yamashita.	1064	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE TWENTY-THIRD REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT." Introduced by: Representative Choy.
1052	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII EMPLOYER-UNION HEALTH BENEFITS TRUST FUND." Introduced by: Representative Oshiro.	1065	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION." Introduced by: Representatives LoPresti, Mizuno and Lee.
1053	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE." Introduced by: Representatives Lowen, Creagan, Ichiyama, Johanson, Kobayashi, Luke, Mizuno, Morikawa, Nishimoto, Saiki, Woodson, Evans and Nakashima.	1066	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JUNIOR KINDERGARTEN." Introduced by: Representatives LoPresti, Mizuno, Lee and San Buenaventura.
1054	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VIDEOCONFERENCING." Introduced by: Representatives Lowen, Brower, Creagan, Evans, Lee, Luke, McKelvey, Rhoads, Saiki, San Buenaventura and Tsuji.	1067	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMUNITY MEETINGS." Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami, Ichiyama, Kong, McKelvey, Morikawa, Oshiro, Say and Woodson.
1055	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATED TO ELECTIONS." Introduced by: Representatives Lowen, Belatti, Brower, Ing, Lee, LoPresti, Luke, Morikawa, Ohno, Woodson and Rhoads.	1068	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGH TECHNOLOGY." Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami, Cullen, McKelvey, Oshiro, Say, Tokioka, Creagan and Ichiyama.
1056	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE." Introduced by: Representatives Lowen, Brower, Creagan, Luke, Morikawa, Nishimoto, Thielen, Cachola, Evans, Johanson and Keohokalole.	1069	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY." Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami, Ichiyama, McKelvey, Oshiro, Say and Woodson.
1057	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SENTENCING." Introduced by: Representative McDermott.	1070	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEVELOPMENT." Introduced by: Representatives Kawakami, Ichiyama, McKelvey, Oshiro, Say, Tokioka and Woodson.
1058	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AERONAUTICS." Introduced by: Representative McDermott.	1071	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATUTORY REVISION: AMENDING OR REPEALING VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE HAWAII REVISED STATUTES AND THE SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII FOR THE PURPOSES OF CORRECTING ERRORS AND REFERENCES, CLARIFYING LANGUAGE, AND DELETING OBSOLETE OR UNNECESSARY PROVISIONS." Introduced by: Representative Souki.
1059	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOL." Introduced by: Representative McDermott.	1072	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRESCRIPTIVE AUTHORITY FOR CERTAIN PSYCHOLOGISTS." Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Nakashima and McKelvey.
1060	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JURORS." Introduced by: Representatives Johanson, Cachola, Creagan, Ichiyama, Lee, Luke, Matsumoto, Morikawa, Nakashima, Nishimoto, Ohno, Woodson and Brower.	1073	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION." Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
1061	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR LOW-INCOME HOUSEHOLD RENTERS." Introduced by: Representatives Johanson, Brower, Cachola, Hashem, Ichiyama, Lee, Luke, Matsumoto, Morikawa, Nakashima, Nishimoto, Ohno, Takayama and Thielen.		

1074	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVING WITHOUT A LICENSE."	1086	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki.		Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Brower, Evans, Johanson, Kawakami, Keohokalole, LoPresti, Mizuno, Nakashima, Nishimoto, Ohno, Rhoads, Saiki, Souki, Yamane, Yamashita, San Buenaventura, Takumi and Tsuji.
1075	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."	1087	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION."
	Introduced by: Representatives Souki, Belatti, Brower, McKelvey, Mizuno, Creagan, Evans, Hashem and Saiki.		Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Johanson, Nishimoto, Ohno, Rhoads and Saiki.
1076	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TUITION WAIVERS."	1088	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY."
	Introduced by: Representatives Har, Aquino, Cullen, Ito, Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Takayama, Tokioka, Yamane, Cachola, Onishi, Say and Yamashita.		Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Johanson, LoPresti, Mizuno, Nishimoto, Ohno, Rhoads, Saiki, Souki, Takumi and Evans.
1077	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRUTH-IN-ADVERTISING."	1089	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION."
	Introduced by: Representatives Har, Ichiyama, Ito, Oshiro, Say, Tokioka and Yamashita.		Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Brower, Johanson, Kawakami, Keohokalole, LoPresti, Mizuno, Nishimoto, Ohno, Saiki, Souki, Takumi, Tokioka, Yamashita, Nakashima and San Buenaventura.
1078	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOLID WASTE REDUCTION."	1090	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENTS."
	Introduced by: Representatives Har, Aquino, Ichiyama, Ito, Kawakami, Kong, Oshiro, Say, Takayama, Tokioka and Yamashita.		Introduced by: Representatives Lee, Evans, Mizuno, Nishimoto, Ohno, Saiki and Souki.
1079	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ASSET FORFEITURE."	1091	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
	Introduced by: Representatives Har, Ito, Say, Tokioka and Aquino.		Introduced by: Representatives Ichiyama, Aquino, Belatti, Brower, Choy, Creagan, Cullen, Har, Hashem, Ing, Ito, Johanson, Jordan, Kawakami, Kong, LoPresti, McKelvey, Morikawa, Nakashima, Nishimoto, Ohno, Onishi, Oshiro, Saiki, San Buenaventura, Say, Takayama, Takumi, Tokioka, Tsuji, Woodson, Yamane, Yamashita, Keohokalole and Rhoads.
1080	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO URBAN WATER CONSERVATION."	1092	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
	Introduced by: Representatives Har, Aquino, Cullen, Ichiyama, Ito, Kawakami, Onishi, Oshiro, Say, Tokioka and Yamashita.		Introduced by: Representatives Ichiyama, Aquino, Belatti, Brower, Choy, Cullen, Har, Hashem, Ing, Ito, Johanson, Kawakami, Kong, LoPresti, McKelvey, Morikawa, Nakashima, Nishimoto, Ohno, Onishi, Oshiro, Saiki, San Buenaventura, Say, Takayama, Takumi, Tokioka, Tsuji, Yamane, Yamashita, Creagan and Keohokalole.
1081	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE TWENTY-SEVENTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."	1093	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSPECTIONS."
	Introduced by: Representative Ohno.		Introduced by: Representative Ichiyama.
1082	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABSENTEE VOTING."	1094	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOPEDS."
	Introduced by: Representatives Ohno, Evans, Ing, Luke, Morikawa, Brower, Creagan and Say.		Introduced by: Representative Ichiyama.
1083	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CANDIDATE COMMITTEE REPORTING DEADLINES."	1095	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RENTAL HOUSING TRUST FUND."
	Introduced by: Representatives Ohno, Ichiyama, Keohokalole, Luke, Morikawa, Brower, Evans, Rhoads, Say, Takumi and Tsuji.		Introduced by: Representative Hashem.
1084	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOBBYISTS."	1096	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SECURE AND FAIR ENFORCEMENT FOR MORTGAGE LICENSING ACT."
	Introduced by: Representatives Ohno, Cachola and Creagan.		Introduced by: Representative McKelvey, by request.
1085	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POLITICAL SIGNS."		
	Introduced by: Representatives Ohno, Brower, Ichiyama, Johanson, Keohokalole, Luke, Morikawa and Say.		

1097	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SECURE AND FAIR ENFORCEMENT FOR MORTGAGE LICENSING ACT."	1109	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A BEHAVIOR SUPPORT REVIEW COMMITTEE FOR PERSONS WITH DEVELOPMENTAL OR INTELLECTUAL DISABILITIES."
	Introduced by: Representative McKelvey, by request.		Introduced by: Representatives Belatti, Lee, Hashem, Ing and Johanson.
1098	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SECURE AND FAIR ENFORCEMENT FOR MORTGAGE LICENSING ACT."	1110	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH."
	Introduced by: Representative McKelvey, by request.		Introduced by: Representatives Belatti and Johanson.
1099	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OUTDOOR ADVERTISING."	1111	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RECORDS OF THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION."
	Introduced by: Representative McKelvey, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Belatti.
1100	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS."	1112	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION."
	Introduced by: Representatives McKelvey, Ing, Woodson, Yamashita and Souki.		Introduced by: Representative Belatti.
1101	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES."	1113	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WILDLIFE EMERGENCY RESPONSE."
	Introduced by: Representatives Keohokalole, Belatti, Evans, Ing, Johanson, Jordan, Kobayashi, Lee, Lowen, Morikawa, Onishi, Pouha, Kong and Ohno.		Introduced by: Representatives Evans, Lee and Lowen.
1102	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."	1114	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION."
	Introduced by: Representative Keohokalole.		Introduced by: Representatives Evans, Cachola, Keohokalole, Nakashima, Nishimoto and Takumi.
1103	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A MARINE REGULATION AND POLICY SPECIALIST."	1115	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH CARE."
	Introduced by: Representatives Keohokalole, Ichiyama, Ing, Lee and Nishimoto.		Introduced by: Representatives Cachola, Mizuno, Tsuji, Lee, Nakashima, Saiki and San Buenaventura.
1104	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY."	1116	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CARE HOMES."
	Introduced by: Representatives Keohokalole, Ichiyama, Ing, Lee, Nishimoto, Say and Evans.		Introduced by: Representatives Cachola, Evans, Mizuno, Say, Tsuji, Lee, Saiki and Woodson.
1105	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."	1117	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."
	Introduced by: Representatives Keohokalole, Ichiyama, Ito, Say, Ing, Takumi and Tsuji.		Introduced by: Representatives Cachola, Mizuno, Tsuji, Lee, Nakashima and San Buenaventura.
1106	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FOURTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT."	1118	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A MEMORIAL."
	Introduced by: Representative San Buenaventura.		Introduced by: Representatives Cachola, Mizuno, Lee, Nakashima, Onishi, Saiki, San Buenaventura, Takayama and Tsuji.
1107	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."	1119	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FILIPINO VETERANS."
	Introduced by: Representatives San Buenaventura, Creagan, Evans, Lee, LoPresti and McKelvey.		Introduced by: Representatives Cachola, Evans, Kobayashi, Lee, Mizuno, Say, Tokioka, Tsuji, Woodson, Nakashima, Saiki and San Buenaventura.
1108	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."	1120	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT."
	Introduced by: Representatives Belatti, Brower, Creagan, Hashem, Ing, Johanson, Lee, McKelvey, Mizuno, Morikawa, Saiki, Woodson and Evans.		Introduced by: Representatives Ward, Cachola, Fukumoto Chang, McDermott, Oshiro, Pouha, Say and Ichiyama.
		1121	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TUITION INCENTIVES."
			Introduced by: Representatives Ward, Fukumoto Chang, McDermott, Oshiro, Say, Cachola, Ichiyama and Pouha.

1122 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVICS EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representative Ward, by request.

1123 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY RESOURCES."

Introduced by: Representatives Ward, McDermott, Say, Cachola and Pouha.

1124 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PSYCHOLOGISTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Matsumoto, Brower, Cachola, Evans, Fukumoto Chang, Ichiyama, Ito, Kobayashi, Kong, Lee, McKelvey, Mizuno, Morikawa and Say.

1125 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PSYCHOLOGISTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Matsumoto, Brower, Ito, Mizuno, Cachola, Fukumoto Chang, Ichiyama, Kobayashi, Kong, Lee, Morikawa and Say.

1126 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Matsumoto, Fukumoto Chang, Mizuno, Brower, Cachola, Creagan, Evans, Ichiyama, Ing, Ito, Johanson, Kobayashi, Kong, Lee, McKelvey, Morikawa, Onishi, San Buenaventura, Say, Takayama, Tokioka and Woodson.

1127 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Matsumoto, Brower, Fukumoto Chang, Johanson, McKelvey, Mizuno, Onishi, Cachola, Creagan, Ichiyama, Ing, Ito, Kong, Lee, Morikawa, San Buenaventura, Say and Woodson.

1128 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING ON AGRICULTURAL LAND."

Introduced by: Representatives Matsumoto, McKelvey, Mizuno, Brower, Cachola, Creagan, Evans, Fukumoto Chang, Ichiyama, Ing, Ito, Kobayashi, Kong, Lee, Morikawa, Say and Takayama.

1129 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Ing, Brower, Lee, Saiki, LoPresti and Rhoads.

1130 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ONLINE VOTING."

Introduced by: Representatives Ing, Mizuno, Saiki, Brower, Lee, Rhoads and San Buenaventura.

1131 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN FINANCE."

Introduced by: Representatives Ing, Lee, Saiki, Brower and Rhoads.

1132 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MINIMUM WAGE."

Introduced by: Representatives Ing, Lee, LoPresti, Mizuno, Rhoads, Saiki and Brower.

1133 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT."

Introduced by: Representatives Ing, Brower, McDermott, Saiki, Cachola, Lee, Mizuno and San Buenaventura.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

By unanimous consent, the following concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 17 through 26) were referred to Printing and further action was deferred:

H.C.R. No. 17, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SALE OF THE LEASED FEE INTEREST IN 41-655 INOAOLE STREET, WAIMANALO, HAWAII," was offered by Representative Souki, by request.

H.C.R. No. 18, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SALE OF THE LEASED FEE INTEREST IN 41-575 INOAOLE STREET, WAIMANALO, HAWAII," was offered by Representative Souki, by request.

H.C.R. No. 19, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SALE OF THE LEASED FEE INTEREST IN 41-543 INOA STREET, WAIMANALO, HAWAII," was offered by Representative Souki, by request.

H.C.R. No. 20, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SALE OF THE LEASED FEE INTEREST IN 95-944 MEHEULA PARKWAY, NO. 153, MILILANI, HAWAII," was offered by Representative Souki, by request.

H.C.R. No. 21, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SALE OF THE LEASED FEE INTEREST IN 95-015 KUAHELANI AVENUE, NO. 319, MILILANI, HAWAII," was offered by Representative Souki, by request.

H.C.R. No. 22, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE INTERAGENCY COUNCIL ON HOMELESSNESS TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO DETERMINE THE BEST PRACTICES FOR COLLECTING, STORING, AND SHARING DATA ON HOMELESS YOUTH," was offered by Representative Souki, by request.

H.C.R. No. 23, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT KAHALUU, KOOLAPOKO, OAHU, FOR THE USE, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR OF THE EXISTING SEAWALL CONSTRUCTED THEREON," was offered by Representative Souki, by request.

H.C.R. No. 24, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT KAHUKU, KOOLAULOA, OAHU, FOR THE USE, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR OF THE EXISTING DRAINAGE STRUCTURE CONSTRUCTED THEREON," was offered by Representative Souki, by request.

H.C.R. No. 25, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT HAUULA, KOOLAULOA, OAHU, FOR THE USE, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR OF PORTION OF THE EXISTING RESIDENCE, FOUNDATION, AND LANAI CONSTRUCTED THEREON," was offered by Representative Souki, by request.

H.C.R. No. 26, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT KANEOHE, KOOLAPOKO, OAHU, FOR THE USE, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR OF THE EXISTING CRM WALL, LANDSCAPING AREA, FLOATING DOCK, AND CONCRETE PIER PURPOSES CONSTRUCTED THEREON," was offered by Representative Souki, by request.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Lowen: "Mr. Speaker, I have an announcement. Thank you. I just wanted to take this chance to point out we have a birthday today. It's Representative Lee's birthday, so if everyone can wish him happy birthday when you see him."

Representative Lee: "With reservations, Mr. Speaker."

Speaker Souki: "Alright, is there some cake waiting for us? Thank you very much and happy birthday."

COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

The following measures were referred to committee by the Speaker:

H.B. Nos.

Referred to:

501 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce

502 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Water & Land, then to the Committee on Finance

503 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance

504 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance

505 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance

506 Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Economic Development & Business, then to the Committee on Finance

507 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance

508 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance

509 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Water & Land, then to the Committee on Finance

510 Committee on Public Safety, then to the Committee on Judiciary

511 Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary

512 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce

513 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary

514 Committee on Water & Land, then to the Committee on Finance

515 Committee on Water & Land, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

516 Committee on Water & Land, then to the Committee on Finance

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

518 Committee on Water & Land, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

519 Committee on Water & Land, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

520 Committee on Labor & Public Employment

521 Committee on Labor & Public Employment

522 Committee on Labor & Public Employment

523 Committee on Labor & Public Employment

524 Committee on Labor & Public Employment

525 Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Water & Land, then to the Committee on Judiciary

526 Committee on Health, then jointly to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce and the Committee on Judiciary

527 Committee on Water & Land, then to the Committee on Finance

528 Committee on Water & Land, then to the Committee on Finance

529 Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary

530 Committee on Water & Land, then to the Committee on Finance

531 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance

532 Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary

533 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance

534 Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance

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

536 Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance

537 Committee on Finance

538 Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary

539 Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance

540 Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance

541	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	564	Committee on Veterans, Military, International Affairs & Culture and the Arts, then to the Committee on Finance
542	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	565	Committee on Transportation, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
543	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	566	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
544	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	567	Committee on Judiciary, then to the Committee on Finance
545	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	568	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
546	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	569	Committee on Judiciary
547	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	570	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary
548	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	571	Committee on Tourism, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
549	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	572	Committee on Tourism, then to the Committee on Finance
550	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance	573	Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Finance
551	Committee on Water & Land, then to the Committee on Finance	574	Committee on Judiciary
552	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	575	Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
553	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	576	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
554	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	577	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
555	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	578	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
556	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	579	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Finance
557	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	580	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
558	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Finance	581	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
559	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance	582	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
560	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary	583	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
561	Committee on Labor & Public Employment, then to the Committee on Judiciary	584	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary
562	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance	585	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Judiciary
563	Committee on Legislative Management, then to the Committee on Finance	586	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary
		587	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary
		588	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
		589	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
		590	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance
		591	Jointly to the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection and the Committee on Water & Land, then to the Committee on Health

592	Committee on Public Safety, then to the Committee on Judiciary	619	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
593	Committee on Water & Land, then to the Committee on Judiciary	620	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
594	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary	621	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
595	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Education		
596	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Housing, then to the Committee on Finance	622	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Finance
597	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary	623	Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, then to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, then to the Committee on Finance
598	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	624	Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Judiciary
599	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Finance	625	Committee on Judiciary
600	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance	626	Committee on Judiciary
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At this time, the Chair stated:

"Members, we will stand in recess for the purpose of convening a Joint Session with the Senate in the Senate Chambers, and the Judiciary Address will be at 10:00 a.m. Will the Members please wait and assemble in the Caucus Room so we can all proceed at the same time. Probably around, in fact you can begin to stand there now, don't go back to your rooms, and we can just assemble and be leaving very shortly for the Senate. Any questions? If not, we'll stand in recess."

At 9:43 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 Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1, met in Joint Session with the Senate, to receive the Chief Justice's State of the Judiciary Address in the Senate Chambers.

JOINT SESSION

The Joint Session of the Senate and the House of Representatives of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2015, was called to order at 10:04 o'clock a.m. by the Honorable Donna Mercado Kim, President of the Senate.

The President then welcomed and recognized the following honored and distinguished guests:

Governor David Ige and Mrs. Dawn Amano-Ige, who were presented with lei by Senator Suzanne Chun Oakland and Senator Will Espero;

Lieutenant Governor Shan Tsutsui, who was presented with lei by Representative Cindy Evans;

Mr. Robert K. Lindsey, Jr., Chair of the Office of Hawaiian Affairs, who was presented with lei by Representative Nicole Lowen;

Mrs. Gailynn Williamson and Mr. Andrew Recktenwald, who were presented with lei by Vice Speaker John Mizuno and Senator Lorraine Inouye;

Former Governor George R. Ariyoshi;

Former Governor John D. Waihee, III and Mrs. Lynne Waihee;

Former Governor Ben Cayetano and Mrs. Vicki Cayetano;

Former Chief Justice of the Hawaii Supreme Court, Ronald T.Y. Moon;

Associate Justice Paula A. Nakayama;

Associate Justice Sabrina S. McKenna;

Associate Justice Richard W. Pollack;

Associate Justice Michael D. Wilson;

Former Associate Justice Steven Levinson and Mrs. Cathy Levinson;

Former Associate Justice Simeon Acoba and Mrs. Carolyn Acoba;

Former Chief Judge James Burns and Mrs. Emme Tomimbang;

U.S. Magistrate Richard L. Puglisi;

U.S. Bankruptcy Judge Lloyd King;

U.S. Attorney Florence Nakakuni and members of the law enforcement community, including the county Chiefs of Police and Prosecuting Attorneys;

Mr. Jeffrey Daniel Lau, Dean of the Consular Corps of Hawaii, and distinguished members of the Consular Corps;

Representing United States Senator Brian Schatz: Ms. Malia Paul;

Representing United States Senator Maize Hirono: Mr. Alan Yamamoto;

Representing United States Representative Tulsi Gabbard: Mr. Walter Kaneakua; and

Representing United States Representative Mark Takai: Mr. Rod Tanonaka.

The President then called upon Senators Gilbert Keith-Agaran, Kalani English and Sam Slom, and Representatives Karl Rhoads, Scott Saiki and Beth Fukumoto Chang, to escort Chief Justice Mark E. Recktenwald to the rostrum where he was presented with lei by Senator Maile Shimabukuro and Representative Sylvia Luke.

The President then presented to the Members of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature and the audience, the Chief Justice of the Hawaii Supreme Court, the Honorable Mark E. Recktenwald.

The Chief Justice then addressed the Joint Session as follows:

"President Kim, Speaker Souki, Governor and Mrs. Ige, Lieutenant Governor Tsutsui, Members of the House and Senate, Governor Ariyoshi, Governor and Mrs. Waihee, Governor and Mrs. Cayetano, Chief Justice Moon, fellow justices, judges and judiciary staff, members of the Consular Corps, members of the Royal Order of Kamehameha, distinguished guests and friends, good morning and *aloha*.

"On behalf of the Hawaii State Judiciary, I thank the Legislature for giving me this opportunity to report to you and to the people of Hawaii. We enjoy a strong working relationship with the Senate and House, and we appreciate your support for the administration of justice. I would like to send a special *aloha* to Representative Mele Carroll, who is unable to join us today, and we all wish her the best.

"I also want to extend our appreciation to our many partners in the executive branch. Governor Ige knows our operations well from his decades of service at the Legislature, and we share his commitment to making government more efficient. We are excited to work with him, Lieutenant Governor Tsutsui, and their outstanding new team in the years ahead.

"The mission of the Judiciary is to deliver justice for all. We do that in many different ways, both in the courtroom and in the community. We ensure that people are treated fairly, whatever their background. We uphold the rights and protections of the Constitution, even when doing so may be unpopular. We provide a place where people can peacefully resolve their disputes, as well as opportunities for them to move forward from the circumstances that brought them before the courts. And we are often called upon to help address deep-rooted social problems, from substance abuse to domestic violence.

"There is nothing more fundamental to our democratic system of government than our citizens' trust in our courts. As Chief Justice, I see the power of that trust every day, and I'll share two examples with you. Just over two years ago, thousands of people gathered in the courtyard just outside this Chamber to bid *aloha* to the late Senator Daniel K. Inouye. Several months later, Mrs. Irene Inouye visited my office, and presented the Judiciary with a very precious gift. The Senator's original 1953 law license, which is now on display at the Judiciary History Center.

"Like many of his fellow soldiers in the 442nd Regimental Combat Team, the 100th Infantry Battalion and the Military Intelligence Service, the Senator returned from war with a passionate commitment to building a more equal and just society. Many of those soldiers chose a career in the law as a path to that end. Of course, the great irony is that the very legal system that they chose to join as officers of the court had just failed them, by sanctioning the internment of Japanese-Americans. But rather than despair or disengage, they chose to commit themselves to making the legal system live up to its promise of fair treatment and equal justice.

"Now Senator Inouye received his Hawaii law license on July 24, 1953. There was another person admitted to the Hawaii Bar that same day who used her law license to fight unequal and unfair treatment in our society. Representative Patsy Takemoto Mink. She recently received our nation's highest civilian honor, the Presidential Medal of Freedom. She too had been subjected to discrimination, both because of her race and because of her gender. And she, too, chose to put her faith in the system rather than turn her back to it.

"The passion for equality and justice that inspired Senator Inouye and Representative Mink is shared by everyone at the Judiciary, and I'd like to thank them for their dedication and service. This passion is also shared by the many people throughout our community who help us achieve our mission every day. In 2014, more than 1,300 people volunteered their time at the Judiciary. That's an extraordinary outpouring of support. Many others assist us by serving on our commissions, or through organizations

such as the American Judicature Society. Quite simply, we cannot do what we do without them.

"Today, I will highlight four of our most significant efforts to provide justice for all in our community. I will discuss our initiatives to ensure that people's voices are heard in our courtrooms even if they cannot afford a lawyer, how we are working to find more cost-effective ways to keep our community safe, how we are protecting our children and families when they are in crisis, and our plans to meet the challenges of the future.

"I will begin with access to justice. Our judicial system exists to provide equal justice for all, but that ideal is compromised if people can't meaningfully participate. When that happens, some of the most serious legal problems that a person can face – whether they can stay in their homes or face eviction, whether they can see their children after a divorce, or whether they can be protected from domestic violence – are decided without their voices being fully heard. That's an outcome that we simply cannot accept.

"In Hawaii, there are thousands of people who must represent themselves in civil cases in our courts each year because they cannot afford an attorney. Here on Oahu, we had almost 4,000 divorce cases filed in 2014. In nearly 65% of them, neither party had an attorney. Of the landlord-tenant claims filed in 2014 throughout the State, at least one of the parties did not have an attorney in 96% of the cases.

"A key milestone in our efforts to address these challenges has been the establishment of the Access to Justice Commission. The Commission has achieved amazing results with extremely limited resources. The Commission's web of support and stakeholders continues to grow and build momentum as more people have come to understand the need, and how they can help meet it.

"One great example of the Commission's work is the opening of self-help centers in our courthouses. Volunteer attorneys provide information at the centers to individuals who are representing themselves in civil legal cases. For a lay person, civil litigation can be daunting, with requirements that are not always intuitive. The information that people receive at the centers enables them to more effectively tell their side of the story. We opened the first such center on Kauai in 2011, and now have six centers operating, in every circuit of the State. More than 7,600 people have been assisted, at almost no cost to the public.

"We're also using technology to reach people who might not be able to visit these brick and mortar centers. The Judiciary partnered with the Legal Aid Society to develop interactive software that asks the user plain-language questions about their case, and then utilizes the responses to prepare the most commonly-used legal forms. The software is now available at workstations in six courthouses, and on our website.

"We are also extending our outreach into the community. In particular, to the public libraries where so many of our citizens go when they need information. The software is now available in 50 libraries statewide, on almost 1,000 computers. We are very excited about this new partnership, and we are already seeing a significant spike in the usage of the software. In just a few months, more than 2,500 people have used it.

"With the help of the Legislature, we have also made great strides in addressing other challenges, from increasing support for our legal services providers whose attorneys and volunteers help thousands of people each year, to meeting the needs of court users who do not speak English as their first language. We now offer interpretation services to all court users, at no cost, in every type of case.

"What we're doing is important, and it's being noticed across the country. The National Center for Access to Justice recently completed an independent study of each state justice system across the country. Hawaii was ranked among the top five for expanding access to justice. We were ranked number one for providing services to litigants who represent themselves, and tied for first in providing support for people with disabilities. These are results that we can all be proud of.

"I extend my heartfelt appreciation to everyone who has worked towards the mission of providing justice for all in Hawaii. We have with us here today many people and organizations who have been instrumental in that effort, including members of the Access to Justice Commission, led by Chair Judge Daniel Foley and his predecessor Justice Simeon Acoba, the Hawaii State Bar Association and the county bar associations, the William S. Richardson School of Law, the Legal Aid Society of Hawaii and other legal services providers, and the Hawaii State Public Library. We also have many individual attorneys who generously volunteer their time at our self-help centers and elsewhere in our community. There is much work left to be done, but we've come a long way thanks to all of these individuals and organizations. Can you please join me in acknowledging them?

"The second issue that I'd like to discuss is enhancing public safety by making our criminal justice system work more effectively. This is another area where Hawaii has been leading nationally, through programs such as HOPE probation, which was founded by Judge Steven Alm. HOPE is based on a simple premise. When defendants who are on probation violate the rules that the court sets for them, they must face swift and certain consequences. The results have been dramatic. After 10 years of experience with HOPE, research has shown that individuals who participated are 20% less likely to be arrested for new crimes. This is a huge impact, in terms of life rebuilt for the participants, suffering avoided by the potential victims of crime, and money saved by the taxpayers.

"We are looking for new ways to apply the principles developed in HOPE. A pilot project is underway to apply the same HOPE strategies to defendants who have been charged with crimes and released on conditions prior to their trials. By having defendants confront their drug use or other challenges earlier in the process, we can increase their chances of success and protect the community.

"As important as it is to have the structure that a program like HOPE provides, we cannot lose sight of the fact that each defendant is an individual. To help them move in a new direction, we have to be able to reach out to them as individuals. Nowhere is this more evident than in our Veterans Treatment Court. The court is designed to meet the challenges faced by those who have defended our freedoms, but have had difficulty readjusting to civilian life and then find themselves in the criminal justice system. The court was started on Oahu two years ago by Judge Edward Kubo, and has recently expanded to the Big Island, thanks to the leadership of Judges Ronald Ibarra and Greg Nakamura. A key element of the court is mentoring by fellow veterans, who can help lead them through this one additional battle.

"With us today is retired U.S. Navy Petty Officer Dastin Hernandez and his wife Lauren. He has volunteered with the program since it started, and is currently mentoring two veterans. The team of volunteer mentors work with the veterans on a daily basis to listen, provide guidance and support them, from driving them to their next appointment to getting them housing or the VA benefits that they've earned. Petty Officer Hernandez says he volunteers because he was taught in the military to never leave anyone behind. Petty Officer Hernandez, would you please stand, so that we can thank you for your service to this country and your continued service to your fellow veterans.

"Programs such as Veterans Treatment Court and HOPE are important initiatives. But we also need to take a step back and take a critical look at the system as a whole. We must ask one fundamental question. Are we as safe as we can be, given the limited resources at our disposal, or can we do better?

"Here in Hawaii, the executive, legislative and judicial branches came together to form the Justice Reinvestment Initiative to consider this important question. Governor Abercrombie's Administration strongly supported that effort, and the Legislature passed a comprehensive package of reforms in 2012. Those reforms put more resources into drug treatment and other rehabilitation programs, gave judges more discretion in sentencing, and required prisoners to pay increased restitution to their victims. We are working with the executive branch to implement these reforms, and will continue to look for other ways to make our community as safe as possible.

"We also recently partnered with the legislative and executive branches to take a hard look at the results we have achieved in the juvenile justice system. This is another area where Hawaii has been innovating, by developing alternatives to detention for our young people who violate the law. Reform legislation was passed last session that enables us to continue those efforts by investing more resources in rehabilitation and prevention.

"Another example of innovation is the Girls Court program. Girls Court was started here on Oahu by Judge Karen Radius, and will be expanding to Kauai next month, thanks to the leadership of Judges Trudy Senda and Randal Valenciano. The purpose of Girls Court is to reach young women who are at a crossroads in their lives, to help them break the cycle of destructive behavior. I attended a Girls Court graduation ceremony and learned of one young woman's remarkable turnaround. She was bright and full of potential, but had run away from home repeatedly and gotten involved with drugs. After months of intensive rehabilitation, mentoring from strong female role models and family counseling, she got her GED, a full-time job, and stopped violating the law. Her mother wept that day in Girls Court. She said she thought her daughter was going to die on the streets, and thanked the court for bringing her back.

"Juvenile justice is part of our Family Court, which is the third area I'd like to focus on today. Family Court has a profound impact on our community. In the last year, our family courts handled more than 10,000 divorce cases, more than 2,000 cases involving alleged abuse or neglect of children, more than 7,500 cases involving juvenile offenders, and almost 6,000 cases involving domestic violence.

"Those are staggering numbers, but they only tell part of the story. For example, we literally have children who come to the court's attention at birth, because their mothers were abusing drugs or alcohol while they were pregnant. Our Zero to Three Court, as the name suggests, is designed to meet the unique needs of infants and toddlers whose parents are suspected of abuse or neglect. Research has shown that time is of the essence in these cases because the children are developing so quickly. Our Zero to Three Court was established several years ago with funding from grants, but those funds are coming to an end, and we will be respectfully asking the Legislature to consider funding it on a permanent basis.

"At the other end of the spectrum, we are also focusing on the needs of kids who are 'aging-out' of foster care at age 18 without ever having received a permanent placement with a new family. We have established a permanency court in the First Circuit to provide special assistance to these children, and are also participating in the Imua Kakou program, which was developed in collaboration with the Department of Human Services, with the support of the Legislature. The program makes extended foster care services available to many former foster youth beyond their 18th birthday.

"Another area where Family Court can make a huge difference is when families go through the trauma of divorce. Our family courts seek to minimize the impact in many ways. Our Kids First program provides group support and counseling to kids who are going through divorce, and in 2014 alone, reached more than 6,000 people.

"In sum, we are continuing to find meaningful ways to take care of Hawaii's children and families when they are at their most vulnerable. We have many partners who help us in that effort. We thank those agencies who we work with on issues such as preventing domestic violence and child abuse, as well as the Legislature, which has provided additional funding for those vital programs.

"Finally, I'd like to focus on the challenges of the future and how we can evolve to meet them, while remaining true to the values that make Hawaii unique.

"In partnership with the Hawaii State Bar Association, we have been working to find ways to make litigation more efficient. Over the past three years, the HSBA has sponsored bench-bar conferences that brought hundreds of lawyers from across the State to meet with our chief judges and court administrators. These conferences have led to some significant innovations, such as making it easier for attorneys to appear by telephone or videoconference in lieu of traveling to court.

"We're also encouraging litigants to use mediation, so they can resolve their conflicts on their own terms, at less cost. In the past year, over 7,500 individuals utilized our mediation services, and in one survey, more than 90% said they would recommend mediation to others. One great benefit of mediation is speed. From the time the parties agreed to mediate, it was an average of only 10 days before they were sitting down to resolve their dispute. We have new mediation programs underway, including a divorce mediation program on Kauai and a paternity mediation pilot project on Oahu. We are also seeking to augment our appellate mediation program.

"In addition, we are implementing our strategic plan, which provides us with a roadmap for the next five years. The plan's objectives range from improving our services through the use of technology, to increasing staff training and improving our infrastructure.

"And we are establishing the new Environmental Court. This will be only the second statewide environmental court in the United States. It's a complex undertaking since it involves both civil and criminal cases, in both our circuit and district courts. My colleague Justice Michael Wilson has been working with the community and other government agencies to ensure that this undertaking is truly collaborative, and we will have the court up and running as scheduled on July 1st.

"Improving infrastructure is a key component to building for the future. Currently in West Hawaii, court proceedings are being held in three different locations, in buildings that were not designed as courthouses, which in turn has led to severe security, logistical and operational problems.

"To address these concerns, we have proposed building a centralized courthouse in Kona. We thank the Legislature for committing \$35 million thus far for construction. This session, we will be respectfully seeking the remaining \$55 million needed to build that courthouse. We believe the time has come to provide the residents of West Hawaii with a safe and secure courthouse that can meet the needs of this growing community.

"Lastly, we have been investing in our future generations through civics education. We launched the Courts in the Community outreach program in 2012, which gives high school students the opportunity to go beyond textbooks, and experience an actual Supreme Court oral argument in person. Volunteer attorneys help to teach the students about the judicial system and the case, and conduct a practice oral argument with the students acting as justices and counsel. By the time the Supreme Court arrives on campus, the students know the facts and the law, and they are engaged listeners. And after the argument, they have the opportunity to participate in question and answer sessions, first with the attorneys, and then with members of the court.

"These exchanges are exciting, both for the court and for the students. When we visited Baldwin High School on Maui, my colleague Justice Sabrina McKenna passionately spoke to the students about how Representative Mink, who was born and raised on Maui, had opened doors for her and countless other women through the passage of Title IX, and the students broke into cheers.

"We have many partners who assist us with this program. The attorneys from the Hawaii State Bar Association and county bar associations who visit the classrooms, the Hawaii State Bar Foundation, which provides lunch and buses for the students, and law students at the William S. Richardson School of Law, who work with our Judiciary History Center to develop the curriculum.

"In total, nearly 1,500 students from 28 schools have participated in this unique opportunity to see the Hawaii Supreme Court in action, and we are looking forward to holding two oral arguments each school year going forward. To date, we have convened the court at Farrington and Mililani high schools on Oahu, at Baldwin on Maui, and at UH-Hilo and Kealahou on the Big Island, and we are headed to Kauai this year. We have with us today from Waiakea High School, which hosted us in Hilo, Ms. Donna Tanabe and Student Body President Katelyn Shirai. And from Mililani High School, our most recent host, Principal Fred Murphy, Lt. Col. Timothy Schiller, Dr. Amy Perruso, and students from two of Dr. Perruso's classes. If these outstanding students, teachers and administrators would

please stand, I'd like us all to thank them for their commitment to real life education. They're down here and up in the audience as well.

"We have received enthusiastic comments from the students who attend these arguments, many of whom have suggested that they would consider careers as attorneys as a result. Some have noted that the same questions that they raised during their practice oral arguments were asked by the justices during the actual argument. Others have observed how rigorous and fair the process is, and one expressed surprise to me that the justices asked tough questions to the government attorney in a criminal case.

"To me, that last comment sums up the rule of law better than any textbook could. It doesn't matter who you are, or whom you represent. When you come before the courts of this state, you will get a fair shake. And that is the foundation of everything we do at the Judiciary.

"I'd like to thank the more than 1,800 justices, judges and judiciary staff who put their hearts and souls into making equal justice for all a reality each and every day, as well as to all of our volunteers and partners in the community and the other branches of government who assist us in that undertaking. And once again, I extend my deep appreciation to the Senate and the House for giving me this opportunity today. *Aloha* and *mahalo*."

Speaker Souki then rose and stated:

"First, I want to thank you all. Thank you all for being here, and I want to thank Chief Justice Recktenwald for making this very fine speech. Thank you for sharing your thoughts and your vision with us today. The Judiciary along with the Executive and the Legislature serves all of the people of the State of Hawaii. The Judiciary under your leadership has upheld justice and protected the rights of individuals while still showing compassion and providing opportunity for people to repay their debt to society and turn their lives around. I thank you and I thank the justices and women of the Judiciary for all the good work that you do. And I'm sure that you will all give us a fair shake, a good shake. Thank you very much, and this concludes the end. Thank you, *aloha*."

At 10:38 o'clock a.m., Speaker Souki declared the Joint Session of the Senate and the House of Representatives of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature, Regular Session of 2015, adjourned.

ADJOURNMENT

At 12:00 o'clock midnight, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Thursday, January 29, 2015.