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In accordance with the provisions of Section 10, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, the House of Representatives of the Legislature of the State of Hawaii, convened in Regular Session of 2016.

The Honorable Joseph M. Souki, Speaker of the House of Representatives, called the House to order at 10:06 o'clock a.m.

At this time, the Chair stated:

"Members, I am going to be calling for a moment of silence, so if we can all rise, please. Before we begin today's session, I would like to take a moment to reflect on last Friday's tragic event involving two Marine helicopters. The accident is an unfortunate reminder of the sacrifices made by our men and women in uniform, and how their steadfast watch of our freedom normally goes unnoticed, unless something like this happens.

"So let's pause to remember those Marines and their families and all who sacrifice so much and put their lives on the line in the service of the country, in times of peace and war, and to think of them often, beyond this moment of silence.

"Members, a moment of silence."

At this time, the Members of the House of Representatives stood for a moment of silence in honor of the Marines involved in the crash of two U.S. Marine Corps helicopters on January 14, 2016.

The invocation was then delivered by the Honorable Mark Takai, United States House of Representatives, after which the Roll was called showing all Members present.

INTRODUCTIONS

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

The Clerk, on behalf of the Speaker, introduced visitors from Fukuoka, Japan, here to celebrate the 35th anniversary of the Hawaii-Fukuoka Sister-State relationship:

Mr. Tadatoshi Inoue, Assembly Chairman; and his wife, Mrs. Hitomi Inoue;
 Mr. Kazuyoshi Iwamoto, Assemblyman;
 Mr. Seiji Ogawa, Assemblyman;
 Mr. Masato Moriya, Assemblyman and USA/Japan Friendship Committee member;
 Mr. Hiroki Abe, Assemblyman and USA/Japan Friendship Committee member;
 Mr. Koichi Kawabata, Assemblyman and USA/Japan Friendship Committee member;
 Mr. Yasuhiro Take, Assemblyman and USA/Japan Friendship Committee member;
 Mr. Hiroshi Furukawa, Vice Director of the Assembly Secretariat;
 Governor George Ariyoshi, former Governor of Hawaii; and his wife, Mrs. Jean Ariyoshi; and
 Mrs. Reiko Sullivan, Coordinator, Hawaii Fukuoka Kenjin Kai.

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

The House of Representatives reconvened at 10:18 o'clock a.m.

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The House of Representatives reconvened at 10:31 o'clock a.m.

Representative Har introduced her friends and former constituents, Mr. Malcolm Shin and Mrs. Rose Shin.

Representative Evans introduced Ms. Sally Way of Hawaii Island; former State Representative Jon Riki Karamatsu; and Maui County Councilmembers.

Representative Luke introduced Mrs. Frances Souki, wife of Speaker Souki; and Finance staff members.

Representative Matsumoto introduced Mililani High School students: Travis Afuso, Natalie Koch, Bryson Miguel and Kiley Johnson; teachers, Ms. Danielle Castro and Ms. Janet Leilani Ward; her husband, Scott Matsumoto; her grandmother, Suzanne Peterson; her mother, Sharon Cheape; and her staff members.

Representative Cachola introduced Filipino community leader, Mr. Toy Arre; and AARP members.

Representative Morikawa introduced visitors from Kauai: Prosecutor Justin Kollar, Department of Health staff, and retired teachers.

Representative San Buenaventura introduced visitors from Hawaii Island: Ms. Judi Steinman, advocate of the University of Hawaii Pharmacy School; Mr. David Tarnas, former Hawaii County Democratic Chair and State Representative; and her staff, Tai Pa.

Representative DeCoite introduced visitors from Molokai and Maui: Uncle Sam Hulu, Mr. John Sabas, Mr. Patrick Ornellas; Maui County Councilmembers: Stacy Crivello, Don Couch, Chairman Mike White, Robert Carroll and his wife, Ricki Hokama and Mike Victorino; and her staff: Rebecca Bernal, Stacey Eli and Soana Tupua.

Representative Keohokalole introduced visitors from Kaneohe: his friends and supporters, Lanette Kumalai and Allen Kumalai; his father, Adrian Keohokalole; Bill Dixon and Pat Dixon; United Public Workers members: Anna, Leon, Gwen, Ben, Pat, Jake, David, Naomi and Cathy; and members of Nancy Wada's pottery class at the Kaneohe Senior Center.

Representative Ward introduced Ms. Deidre Teagarden, Governor Abercrombie's Protocol Officer from Maui; and Chief Justice Mark Recktenwald.

Representative LoPresti introduced Ms. Lynn Robinson-Onderko, member of the Ewa Neighborhood Board.

Representative Lee introduced Ms. Lisa Anderson, wife of Honolulu City Council Councilmember Ikaika Anderson.

Representative Matsumoto introduced Mililani residents, Mr. John Park and Mr. Billy Park.

Representative Kawakami introduced his daughter, Hailee Kawakami; and his wife, Monica Kawakami.

Representative Ing introduced Ms. Janet Mason, League of Women Voters of Hawaii.

Representative McKelvey introduced Mr. Justin Hughey, HSTA Vice President.

Representative Pouha introduced his grandmother, Sarah Mahiai; mother, Lehua Mahiai Pouha; and constituents, Auntie Dawn Wasson and her family.

Representative Fukumoto Chang introduced her friends, Ms. Lorene Godfrey and Ms. Jaci Agustin.

Representative Mizuno introduced caregivers from Hawaii Island: Cora Cariaga, Vicky Baker, Helen Sapla, Ruth Rasa; Ms. Jane Clement, Chief of Staff for Hawaii County Councilmember Dru Kanuha; and his wife, May Mizuno.

Representative Lowen introduced her constituent, Mr. Craig "Bo" Kahui, and Ms. Jane Clement.

Representative Oshiro introduced from the Council of State Governments West: Ms. Kimberly Clark, Logistics & Meeting Coordinator; and Ms. Jennifer Schanze, Director of Operations.

Representative Cullen introduced from the Department of Transportation: Mr. Darrell Young, Deputy Director, Harbors Division; Mr. Ed Sniffen, Deputy Director, Highways Division; and Mr. Ross Higashi, Deputy Director, Airports Division.

Representative Evans introduced Mr. Sherm Warner of Waimea; Mr. Chuck Freedman; and other visitors from Hawaii Island.

Representative San Buenaventura introduced Mr. Dante Carpenter, former Mayor of Hawaii County; and her staff: Valerie Dionne, Committee Clerk; and Jack Koehn, Intern.

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGES

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 1 through 3) were received and announced by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 1, dated December 21, 2015, transmitting the FY 2017 Executive Supplemental Budget, Budget in Brief, prepared by the Department of Budget and Finance pursuant to Article VII, Section 9, Hawaii State Constitution.

Gov. Msg. No. 2, dated December 14, 2015, transmitting a proposed bill to fund an arbitration award issued to the Hawaii Government Employees Association (HGEA) concerning Collective Bargaining Unit 8 (University of Hawaii Administrative, Professional, and Technical Employees) on December 1, 2015.

Gov. Msg. No. 3, dated December 18, 2015, transmitting a report relating to the progress of the State Affordable Care Act Innovation Waiver Task Force, pursuant to Act 158, SLH 2014.

DEPARTMENTAL COMMUNICATIONS

The following departmental communications (Dept. Com. Nos. 1 through 18, 20, 22 through 31, and 33 through 219) were received by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Dept. Com. No. 1, from the Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism, dated August 25, 2015, transmitting the Pacific

International Space Center for Exploration Systems (PISCES) Annual Report FY 2015, pursuant to Section 201-80, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 2, from the Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism, dated August 31, 2015, transmitting the Report on Hawaii Tax Credit for Research Activities for Tax Year 2014, pursuant to Act 270, SLH 2013.

Dept. Com. No. 3, from the Office of the Auditor, dated August 31, 2015, transmitting Report No. 15-10, Audit of the Hawaii Health Connector's Mansha Contracts: Connector Board and Management Wasted and Abused Millions in Public Funds, pursuant to Section 23-9, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 4, from the University of Hawaii System, dated September 1, 2015, transmitting a Report on Filling of Temporary Unbudgeted Positions, pursuant to Act 119, Section 128, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 5, from the Office of the Auditor, dated September 3, 2015, transmitting Report No. 15-11, Credits Continue to Tax the State: Follow-Up on Recommendations Made in Report No. 12-05, Audit of the Department of Taxation's Administrative Oversight of High-Technology Business Investment and Research Activities Tax Credits, pursuant to Section 23-9, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 6, from the University of Hawaii System, dated September 8, 2015, transmitting a Report on Filling of Temporary Unbudgeted Positions, pursuant to Act 119, Section 128, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 7, from the University of Hawaii System, dated September 15, 2015, transmitting a Report on Filling of Temporary Unbudgeted Positions, pursuant to Act 119, Section 128, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 8, from the University of Hawaii System, dated September 22, 2015, transmitting a Report on Filling of Temporary Unbudgeted Positions, pursuant to Act 119, Section 128, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 9, from the University of Hawaii System, dated September 28, 2015, transmitting a Report on Filling of Temporary Unbudgeted Positions, pursuant to Act 119, Section 128, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 10, from the Office of Enterprise Technology Services, dated October 1, 2015, transmitting the quarterly report on periodic information security and penetration audits of the Executive Branch information technology systems, pursuant to Act 119, Section 42-5, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 11, from the University of Hawaii System, dated October 6, 2015, transmitting a Report on Filling of Temporary Unbudgeted Positions, pursuant to Act 119, Section 128, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 12, from the University of Hawaii System, dated October 13, 2015, transmitting a Report on Filling of Temporary Unbudgeted Positions, pursuant to Act 119, Section 128, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 13, from the University of Hawaii System, dated October 20, 2015, transmitting a Report on Filling of Temporary Unbudgeted Positions, pursuant to Act 119, Section 128, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 14, from the University of Hawaii System, dated October 27, 2015, transmitting a Report on Filling of Temporary Unbudgeted Positions, pursuant to Act 119, Section 128, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 15, from the University of Hawaii System, dated November 3, 2015, transmitting a Report on Filling of Temporary Unbudgeted Positions, pursuant to Act 119, Section 128, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 16, from the Office of the Auditor, dated November 3, 2015, transmitting Report No. 15-12, Review of Special Funds, Revolving Funds, Trust Funds, and Trust Accounts of the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs, pursuant to Section 23-9, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 17, from the Office of the Auditor, dated November 12, 2015, transmitting Report No. 15-13, Study of State Departmental

Engineering Sections That Manage Capital Improvement Projects, pursuant to Section 23-9, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 18, from the University of Hawaii System, dated November 17, 2015, transmitting a Report on Filling of Temporary Unbudgeted Positions, pursuant to Act 119, Section 128, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 20, from the University of Hawaii System, dated November 20, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on the University of Hawaii's Continued Participation in the Western Interstate Commission for Higher Education, pursuant to Section 304A-3205, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 22, from the University of Hawaii System, dated November 24, 2015, transmitting a Report on Filling of Temporary Unbudgeted Positions, pursuant to Act 119, Section 128, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 23, from the Hawaii Teacher Standards Board, dated November 25, 2015, transmitting the Hawaii Teacher Standards Board 2016 Annual Report, pursuant to Section 302A-803, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 24, from the Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism, dated November 27, 2015, transmitting the State of Hawaii Energy Resources Coordinator's Annual Report 2015, pursuant to Chapters 196-4(11) and 196-41(c)3, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 25, from the Office of the Auditor, dated November 30, 2015, transmitting Report No. 15-14, Study of Public Charter Schools' Governing Boards, pursuant to Section 23-9, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 26, from the Department of Land and Natural Resources, dated November 30, 2015, transmitting the report, Relating to the Land Conservation Fund and the Legacy Land Conservation Program, pursuant to Section 173A-5, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 27, from the Office of the Auditor, dated December 1, 2015, transmitting Report No. 15-15, Review of Special Funds, Revolving Funds, Trust Funds, and Trust Accounts of the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands, pursuant to Section 23-9, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 28, from the Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism, dated December 1, 2015, transmitting the Hawaii Strategic Development Corporation 2015 Annual Report, pursuant to Sections 211F-15 and 211F-15.5, HRS; and Act 170, Section 2(e), SLH 2012.

Dept. Com. No. 29, from the University of Hawaii System, dated December 2, 2015, transmitting a Report on Filling of Temporary Unbudgeted Positions, pursuant to Act 119, Section 128, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 30, from the Hawaii State Public Library System, Office of the Librarian, dated December 2, 2015, transmitting the Hawaii State Public Library System Annual Report on Library Fines and Lost Books Special Fund Fiscal Year 2015, pursuant to Sections 312-3.6 and 312-22, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 31, from the University of Hawaii System, dated December 4, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on University of Hawaii Risk Management Special Fund, pursuant to Section 304A-2151, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 33, from the Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism, dated November 25, 2015, transmitting the Natural Energy Laboratory of Hawaii Authority 2014 Annual Report, pursuant to Section 227D, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 34, from the Office of the Ombudsman, dated December 3, 2015, transmitting Report Number 46, Report of the Ombudsman, Fiscal Year 2014 – 2015, pursuant to Section 96-16, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 35, from the Office of the Auditor, dated December 7, 2015, transmitting Report No. 15-16, Review of Special Funds, Revolving Funds, Trust Funds, and Trust Accounts of the Judiciary, pursuant to Section 23-9, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 36, from the Department of Land and Natural Resources, dated November 30, 2015, transmitting the report, Geothermal Royalties Dispositions and Status of Geothermal and Cable System Development Fiscal Year 2015, pursuant to Sections 182-18 and 196D-11, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 37, from the Department of Land and Natural Resources, dated November 30, 2015, transmitting the report, the Hawaii Dam and Reservoir Safety Program State Fiscal Year 2015, pursuant to Section 179D-29, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 38, from the Department of Land and Natural Resources, dated November 30, 2015, transmitting the report, Identification of Rivers and Streams Worthy of Protection, pursuant to Section 174C-31(c)(4), HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 39, from the Department of Land and Natural Resources, dated November 30, 2015, transmitting the report, Operations of the Filing Office for Financing Statements Under the Uniform Commercial Code, Secured Transaction (Revised Article 9), pursuant to Section 490:9-527, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 40, from the Department of Land and Natural Resources, dated November 30, 2015, transmitting the Department of Land and Natural Resources' report, Accounting of All Receipts from Lands Described in Section 5(f) of the Admission Act for Fiscal Year 2014-2015, pursuant to Act 178, Section 5, SLH 2006.

Dept. Com. No. 41, from the Department of Land and Natural Resources, dated November 30, 2015, transmitting the report, Relating to the Acquisition of Ali'i Place, pursuant to Act 183, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 42, from the Department of Land and Natural Resources, dated November 30, 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, pursuant to Act 100, Sections 6 and 7, SLH 1999.

Dept. Com. No. 43, from the Department of Land and Natural Resources, dated November 30, 2015, transmitting the report, Relating to the Forest Stewardship Program, pursuant to Section 195F-6, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 44, from the Department of Land and Natural Resources, dated November 30, 2015, transmitting the report, Budgetary and Other Issues Regarding Invasive Species, pursuant to Section 194-2, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 45, from the Department of Land and Natural Resources, dated November 30, 2015, transmitting the report, Relating to the Wildlife Revolving Fund Fiscal Year 2015, pursuant to Section 183D-10.5, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 46, from the Department of Land and Natural Resources, dated November 30, 2015, transmitting the report, Hawaii Statewide Trail and Access System "Na Ala Hele", pursuant to Section 198D-9(7), HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 47, from the Department of Land and Natural Resources, dated November 30, 2015, transmitting the report, Relating to the Natural Area Reserves System, Natural Area Partnership Program, and the Financial Condition of the Natural Area Reserve Fund, pursuant to Section 195-6.6, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 48, from the Department of Land and Natural Resources, dated November 30, 2015, transmitting the report, Status of the Issuance of Incidental Take Licenses for Endangered, Threatened, Proposed, and Candidate Species; and the Condition of the Endangered Species Trust Fund for the Period July 1, 2014 - June 30, 2015, pursuant to Section 195D-26, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 49, from the Department of Land and Natural Resources, dated November 30, 2015, transmitting the report, Status of the

Program for Environmentally-Themed Products to Support the Environment, pursuant to Section 195D-5.5, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 50, from the Department of Land and Natural Resources, dated November 30, 2015, transmitting the report, Revenues Generated from General Administrative Penalties Imposed Under Chapter 183, Hawaii Revised Statutes, pursuant to Section 183-5, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 51, from the University of Hawaii System, dated November 10, 2015, transmitting a Report on Filling of Temporary Unbudgeted Positions, pursuant to Act 119, Section 128, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 52, from the Department of Land and Natural Resources, dated November 30, 2015, transmitting the report, Recommendations to Stop the Decline and Replenish the Supply of Limu and Reef Fish in Certain Areas of the Ewa Coast of Oahu, pursuant HCR 119, SD1 (2015).

Dept. Com. No. 53, from the Department of Land and Natural Resources, dated November 30, 2015, transmitting the report, Administratively Established Accounts and Funds of the Department of Land and Natural Resources for Fiscal Year 2015, pursuant to Section 37-52.5, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 54, from the Department of Land and Natural Resources, dated November 30, 2015, transmitting the report, User Conflicts on Public Recreational Lands, pursuant to Act 145, SLH 2014.

Dept. Com. No. 55, from the Department of Land and Natural Resources, dated November 30, 2015, transmitting the Report on the Hawaii Historic Preservation Special Fund for Fiscal Year 2014-2015, pursuant to Section 6E-3, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 56, from the Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism, dated December 8, 2015, transmitting the report, Status and Progress of Clean Energy Initiatives and Analysis of the Environmental Response, Energy, and Food Security Tax, pursuant to Act 73, SLH 2010.

Dept. Com. No. 57, from the University of Hawaii System, dated December 8, 2015, transmitting a Report on Filling of Temporary Unbudgeted Positions, pursuant to Act 119, Section 128, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 58, from the Department of Human Services, dated December 7, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report for programs funded under Act 281, SLH 2006, Non-school Hour Programs; the Annual Report of the Office of Youth Services, Act 151, SLH 1991, HRS, Hawaii Youth Correctional Facility, pursuant to Section 352D-6(11), HRS; and Gender-responsive programs for community-status female offenders and for female adjudicated youth, pursuant to Section 367D-8, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 59, from the Board of Education, dated December 8, 2015, transmitting a report on the findings and recommendations of the evaluation and actions taken on the A+ program fee amounts, pursuant to Act 119, Section 129, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 60, from the Board of Education, dated December 8, 2015, transmitting the report on a program to equitably distribute directly to schools the portion of the Department of Education's utility budget intended for electricity payment, pursuant to Act 119, Section 22, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 61, from the Board of Education, dated December 8, 2015, transmitting the annual report on the State's public charter schools, pursuant to Section 302D-21, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 62, from the Department of Human Resources Development, dated December 9, 2015, transmitting the Report on Parental Preferences in Government Contracts, Programs, and Services, pursuant to Act 162, SLH 2002.

Dept. Com. No. 63, from the University of Hawaii System, dated December 9, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on Hawaii P-20

Partnerships for Education and Plans for Education in the 21st Century, pursuant to Act 281, SLH 2007.

Dept. Com. No. 64, from the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs, dated December 10, 2015, transmitting the Medical Inquiry and Conciliation Panel and the Design Claim Conciliation Panel Report, pursuant to Sections 671-20 and 672B-17, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 65, from the University of Hawaii System, dated December 10, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report of the University Revenue Bonds Issued FY2015, pursuant to Section 304A-2689, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 66, from the University of Hawaii System, dated December 10, 2015, transmitting the Report on Efforts to Explore Administrative Measures to Provided Guidance to Students within the University of Hawaii System to Increase the Rate of On-Time Graduation, pursuant to Act 104, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 67, from the University of Hawaii System, dated December 10, 2015, transmitting the Report on Appointment of University of Hawaii Graduates to Executive/Managerial and Faculty Positions within the University of Hawaii, pursuant to Act 134, Section 131, SLH 2013.

Dept. Com. No. 68, from the University of Hawaii System, dated December 10, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on Salary, pursuant to Section 304A-1004, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 69, from the University of Hawaii System, dated December 10, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on Goals, Objectives/Policies, Action Plan and Performance Measures, pursuant to Act 100, SLH 1999.

Dept. Com. No. 70, from the University of Hawaii System, dated December 10, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on University of Hawaii Uncollectible Accounts FY2015, pursuant to Section 40-82, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 71, from the University of Hawaii System, dated December 11, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on the Student Scholarship and Assistance Special Fund, pursuant to Section 304A-2159, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 72, from the University of Hawaii System, dated December 11, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on Research and Training Revolving Fund 2014-2015, pursuant to Section 304A-2253, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 73, from the State Public Charter School Commission, dated December 11, 2015, transmitting the State Public Charter School Commission 2014-2015 Annual Report, pursuant to Section 302D-7, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 74, from the Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism, dated December 14, 2015, transmitting Hawaii's Targeted & Emerging Industries 2015 Update Report, pursuant to Section 201-19(b), HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 75, from the Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism, dated December 14, 2015, transmitting the report Relating to Rental Housing Revolving Fund Project Awards, pursuant to Section 201H-202(f), HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 76, from the Department of Human Services, dated December 14, 2015, transmitting the Report of the State Commission on Fatherhood, pursuant to Act 156, SLH 2003.

Dept. Com. No. 77, from the Department of Human Services, dated December 14, 2015, transmitting the report pursuant to HCR 199, HD1 (2010).

Dept. Com. No. 78, from the Department of Human Services, dated December 14, 2015, transmitting the 2015 Annual Report on Psychotropic Medication, pursuant to Section 346-59.9, HRS; and the 2015 Annual Update Report on Home Property Liens, pursuant to Section 346-29.5, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 79, from the University of Hawaii System, dated December 15, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on the Construction Academy Curriculum, pursuant to Section 304A-1144, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 80, from the University of Hawaii System, dated December 15, 2015, transmitting a Report on Filling of Temporary Unbudgeted Positions, pursuant to Act 119, Section 128, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 81, from the Department of Human Resources Development, dated December 16, 2015, transmitting the Report on Positions Exempted from the Civil Service, pursuant to Act 300, SLH 2006.

Dept. Com. No. 82, from the Department of Human Resources Development, dated December 16, 2015, transmitting the State of Hawaii Executive Branch Workforce Profile, pursuant to Section 76-1.5, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 83, from the Department of the Attorney General, dated December 16, 2015, transmitting the Report on Recommendations for Denial of Claims for Legislative Relief, Calendar Year 2015, pursuant to Section 37-77, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 84, from the Department of the Attorney General, dated December 16, 2015, transmitting the Report on Litigation Deposits Trust Fund Transactions and Collections Made on Behalf of Other Departments and Agencies for Fiscal Year 2014-2015, pursuant to Section 28-16(e)(2), HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 85, from the Department of the Attorney General, dated December 16, 2015, transmitting the Report on the Antitrust Trust Fund, Fiscal Year 2014-2015, pursuant to Section 28-13(d), HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 86, from the Department of the Attorney General, dated December 16, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on the Number of Pen Register Orders and Orders for Trap and Trace Devices Applied for by Law Enforcement Agencies of the State, July 1, 2014 – December 31, 2015, pursuant to Section 803-47(c), HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 87, from the Office of the Auditor, dated December 14, 2015, transmitting Report No. 15-17, Review of Special Funds, Revolving Funds, Trust Funds, and Trust Accounts of the Department of Health, pursuant to Section 23-9, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 88, from the University of Hawaii System, dated December 11, 2015, transmitting the Report by Hawaii EPSCoR on Hawaii State Science and Technology Plan, pursuant to Act 137, SLH 2009.

Dept. Com. No. 89, from the Office of the Auditor, dated December 16, 2015, transmitting Report No. 15-18, Audit of the Department of Transportation's Energy Performance Contracts: Improved Oversight Is Needed to Ensure Savings, pursuant to Section 23-9, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 90, from the Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism, dated December 11, 2015, transmitting the Office of Planning Annual Report, pursuant to Section 205A-3(10), HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 91, from the Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism, dated December 11, 2015, transmitting the Status Report on the State Transit-Oriented Development Force.

Dept. Com. No. 92, from the Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism, dated December 15, 2015, transmitting the Hawaii Community-Based Economic Development Technical and Financial Assistance Program FY 2015 Annual & Financial Reports, pursuant to Section 201-10, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 93, from the Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism, dated December 18, 2015, transmitting the Status of the Hawaii Green Infrastructure Authority's Activities Report, pursuant to Act 211, SLH 2013.

Dept. Com. No. 94, from the University of Hawaii System, dated December 18, 2015, transmitting the Report on Uses of the University of Hawaii Project Adjustment Fund, pursuant to Act 119, Sections 88 and 89, SLH 2015

Dept. Com. No. 95, from the University of Hawaii System, dated December 21, 2015, transmitting the report, Certification of Compliance by the University of Hawaii Board of Regents, pursuant to Act 134, Section 130, SLH 2013.

Dept. Com. No. 96, from the University of Hawaii System, dated December 21, 2015, transmitting the Semi-Annual Report on Hawaii Cancer Research Special Fund, from January 1, 2015 to June 30, 2015, pursuant to Section 304A-2168, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 97, from the University of Hawaii System, dated December 21, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on the Mauna Kea Lands, pursuant to Section 304A-1905, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 98, from the University of Hawaii System, dated December 21, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report from the Hawaii Natural Energy Institute, pursuant to Section 304A-1891, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 99, from the University of Hawaii System, dated December 21, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on University of Hawaii Non-General Funds for FYE2015, pursuant to Sections 304A-106, 304A-2007, and 304A-2273, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 100, from the University of Hawaii System, dated December 21, 2015, transmitting the Report by the Dean of College of Tropical Agriculture and Human Resources on a Two-Year Industrial Hemp Remediation and Biofuel Crop Research, pursuant to Act 56, SLH 2014.

Dept. Com. No. 101, from the University of Hawaii System, dated December 21, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on Findings from the Hawaii Physician Workforce Assessment Project, pursuant to Act 18, Section 5, Special SLH 2009, as amended by Act 186, SLH 2012.

Dept. Com. No. 102, from the University of Hawaii System, dated December 21, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on Transfer of Appropriated Funds and Positions, pursuant to Section 37-74, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 103, from the University of Hawaii System, dated December 21, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on Teacher Education Coordinating Committee, pursuant to Section 304A-1202, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 104, from the University of Hawaii System, dated December 21, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on Operations of the Hawaii Research Center for Future Studies, pursuant to Section 304A-3253, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 105, from the University of Hawaii System, dated December 21, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on Nursing Scholars Program, pursuant to Section 304A-3305, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 106, from the Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism, dated December 21, 2015, transmitting the Hawaii Small Business Regulatory Review Board Annual Report Summary Results for Calendar Year 2015, Review of Administrative Rules, Legislation and Rules Requested by Small Business, pursuant to Section 201M-5(f), HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 107, from the Department of Health, dated December 21, 2015, transmitting the Disability and Communications Access Board Annual Report FY 2014-2015, pursuant to Section 348F-4, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 108, from the Department of Health, dated December 21, 2015, transmitting the report on the numbers of persons waiting for development disability or intellectual disabilities services and supports, and the reasons for the lack of services or supports, pursuant to Section 333F-6, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 109, from the Department of Health, dated December 21, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on the Activities Under the Neurotrauma Special Fund, pursuant to Section 321H-4, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 110, from the Department of Health, dated December 21, 2015, transmitting the Report on Implementation of the State Plan for Substance Abuse, pursuant to Section 321-195, HRS; the Report by the Hawaii Advisory Commission on Drug Abuse and Controlled Substances, pursuant to Section 329-3, HRS; the Status Report on the Coordination of Offender Substance Abuse Treatment Programs, pursuant to Act 161, Section 10, SLH 2002; and the Progress Report on the Substance Abuse Treatment Monitoring Program, pursuant to Act 40, Section 29, SLH 2004.

Dept. Com. No. 111, from the Department of Accounting and General Services, dated December 22, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on Goals and Objectives for the Period July 1, 2014, through June 30, 2015, pursuant to Act 100, Part II, SLH 1999.

Dept. Com. No. 112, from the Department of Accounting and General Services, dated December 22, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on the Building Code Council, December 2015, pursuant to Section 107-30, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 113, from the Department of Accounting and General Services, dated December 22, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on the Enhanced 9-1-1 Board for the Period of July 1, 2014, through June 30, 2015, pursuant to Section 138-6, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 114, from the Department of Accounting and General Services, dated December 22, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report of Claims and Lawsuits Arbitrated, Compromised, or Settled for \$10,000 or Less for Fiscal Year 2014 - 2015, pursuant to Section 41D-4(f), HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 115, from the University of Hawaii System, dated December 22, 2015, transmitting a Report on Filling of Temporary Unbudgeted Positions, pursuant to Act 119, Section 128, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 116, from the Department of Health, dated December 2015, transmitting the Annual Report for the Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault Special Fund, pursuant to Section 321-1.3, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 117, from the Office of the Auditor, dated December 21, 2015, transmitting Report No. 15-19, Review of Special Funds, Revolving Funds, Trust Funds, and Trust Accounts of the Department of Human Services, pursuant to Section 23-9, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 118, from the Department of Education, dated December 3, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report Relating to Mandatory Expulsion Policy for Possession of a Firearm, School Year 2014-15, pursuant to Section 302A-1134, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 119, from the Department of Education, dated November 23, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on Transfers of Appropriated Funds and Positions for the Department of Education for the period July 1, 2014 to June 30, 2015, pursuant to Section 37-74(d), HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 120, from the Department of Education, dated December 3, 2015, transmitting the report, Federal Impact Aid, United States Department of Defense Funds, and Federal Indirect Overhead Reimbursements, pursuant to Section 29-25(d), HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 121, from the Department of Education, dated December 3, 2015, transmitting the report, Relating to the Trust Funds of the Department of Education, pursuant to Section 302A-1311, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 122, from the Department of Education, dated December 3, 2015, transmitting the General Fund Carryover Report by Program ID BFY 2015 to BFY 2016; and the General Fund Report by Org ID BFY 2015 to BFY 2016, pursuant to Section 37-41.5, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 123, from the Department of Education, dated December 4, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on the Implementation of the School Impact Fee Law, pursuant to Act 245, Section 6, SLH 2007.

Dept. Com. No. 124, from the Department of Education, dated December 8, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report Relating to the Federal Grants Revolving Fund, pursuant to Section 302A-1405, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 125, from the Department of Education, dated December 8, 2015, transmitting the report, Comprehensive Accountability System, pursuant to Section 302A-1004, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 126, from the Department of Education, dated December 22, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report Relating to the Administrative Hearing Based on the Education of Children with a Disability, pursuant to Section 302A-443(e), HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 127, from the Department of Education, dated December 22, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report Relating to SECTION 25, Payment of recruitment and retention incentives to teachers in hard-to-fill teaching positions, pursuant to Act 119, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 128, from the Department of Education, dated December 22, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report Relating to the School-level Minor Repairs and Maintenance Special Fund, pursuant to Section 302A-1504.5, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 129, from the Department of Education, dated December 28, 2015, transmitting the report, Relating to Education; Diabetes, pursuant to Section 302A-1164, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 130, from the Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism, dated December 23, 2015, transmitting the report, Recommendation to the Legislature Regarding Initiation of a Sister-State Relationship Between Hokkaido and Hawaii, pursuant SCR 201, SD 1 (2015).

Dept. Com. No. 131, from the Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism, dated December 23, 2015, transmitting the report, Recommendation to the Legislature Regarding Initiation of a Sister-State Relationship Between Dakhla and Hawaii, pursuant to HCR 158, HD 1, SD 1 (2015).

Dept. Com. No. 132, from the Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism, dated December 23, 2015, transmitting the 2015 Hawaii's Sister-State Report, pursuant to Act 150, SLH 2006.

Dept. Com. No. 133, from the Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism, dated December 23, 2015, transmitting the 2015 State of Hawaii Overseas Offices' Annual Report, pursuant to Section 201-84, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 134, from the University of Hawaii System, dated December 28, 2015, transmitting a Report on Filling of Temporary Unbudgeted Positions, pursuant to Act 119, Section 128, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 135, from the University of Hawaii System, dated December 28, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on University of Hawaii Tuition & Fees Special Fund Expenditures for the Purpose of Generating Private Donations, pursuant to Section 304A-2153, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 136, from the University of Hawaii System, dated December 28, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on Material Weakness and Fraud, pursuant to Section 304A-321, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 137, from the Department of Health, dated December 23, 2015, transmitting the Hawaii State Developmental Disabilities Council's 2015 Annual Report, pursuant to Section 333E-3(5), HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 138, from the Department of Transportation, dated December 23, 2015, transmitting the report on the circumstances of establishing rates and charges, pursuant to Section 261-7(e), HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 139, from the Department of Accounting and General Services, dated December 22, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report of Stadium Authority Stadium Special Fund, Statement of Receipts,

Expenditures, and Transfers for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015, pursuant to Section 109-3, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 140, from the Hawaii Tourism Authority, dated December 24, 2015, transmitting a listing of Hawaiian cultural programs and funds which were expended during FY 2014-2015, including program names, execution entities and invested amounts, pursuant to Act 119, Section 135, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 141, from the Department of Transportation, dated December 24, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report: Bikeway Projects and Expenditures, pursuant to Section 264-18, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 142, from the Department of Transportation, dated December 24, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report: Transportation Improvement Special Fund, pursuant to Section 264-19(e), HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 143, from the Department of Transportation, dated December 24, 2015, transmitting the report relating to Government Operations, pursuant to Act 100, Section 7, SLH 1999.

Dept. Com. No. 144, from the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs, dated December 29, 2015, transmitting the legislative report concerning specific broadband services in the State, pursuant to HCR 189, HD 1, SD 1 (2015).

Dept. Com. No. 145, from the Hawaii State Center for Nursing, transmitting the 2015 Annual Report.

Dept. Com. No. 146, from the University of Hawaii System, dated November 21, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report from the Hawaii Medical Education Council, pursuant to Section 304A-1704, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 147, from the Department of Health, dated December 23, 2015, transmitting the report of the Primary Care Incentive Program, pursuant to Section 321-1.5(6), HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 148, from the Department of Health, dated December 23, 2015, transmitting the Annual Financial Report for the Newborn Metabolic Screening Special Fund, pursuant to Section 321-291, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 149, from the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs, dated December 24, 2015, transmitting Report of the Formulary Accessibility Working Group, pursuant to Act 197, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 150, from the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs, dated December 24, 2015, transmitting the Real Estate Commission's 2015 Annual Report, containing the Condominium Education Trust Fund Report, pursuant to Sections 467-4(5) and 514B-73(d), HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 151, from the Office of the Auditor, dated December 28, 2015, transmitting the State-County Functions Working Group Report, pursuant to Act 174, SLH 2014.

Dept. Com. No. 152, from the Office of the Auditor, dated December 29, 2015, transmitting Report No. 15-20, Audit of the Department of Human Services' KOLEA System: \$155 Million KOLEA Project Does Not Achieve All ACA Goals, pursuant to Section 23-9, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 153, from the Executive Office on Early Learning, dated December 15, 2015, transmitting the Executive Office on Early Learning Report, pursuant to Act 109, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 154, from the Department of Transportation, dated December 28, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report: Safe Routes to School, pursuant to Act 317, SLH 2012.

Dept. Com. No. 155, from the Department of Defense, Office of the Adjutant General, dated December 29, 2015, transmitting the Disabled Veterans' Motor Vehicle Registration Fee Exemption report, pursuant to Act 128, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 156, from the Department of Health, dated December 29, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on Initiatives and Improvements in Kalaupapa Settlement and to Track Patient and Non-Patient Costs Separately, Whenever Appropriate and Possible, pursuant to Section 326-25.5, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 157, from the Department of Accounting and General Services, dated December 29, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on the Operation of the Internet Portal for the period January 1, 2015, through December 31, 2015, pursuant to Act 172, SLH 2007.

Dept. Com. No. 158, from the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs, dated December 30, 2015, transmitting the Report of the Insurance Commissioner of Hawaii 2015, pursuant to Section 431:2-211, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 159, from the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs, dated December 30, 2015, transmitting the Annual External Review Report, prepared by the Insurance Division pursuant to Section 432E-13, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 160, from the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs, dated December 30, 2015, transmitting the Report Relating to Telecommunications, pursuant to Act 151, Section 4, SLH 2011.

Dept. Com. No. 161, from the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs, dated December 30, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on the (1) Development and Expansion of Telework Initiatives; and (2) Receipt and Expenditure of Federal Moneys Related to Broadband; and the 2015 Report on Unserved and Underserved Areas, prepared by the Cable Television Division pursuant to Sections 440G-11.5(b) and 440G-11.5(c), HRS; and HR 6 (2015).

Dept. Com. No. 162, from the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs and the Department of Education, dated December 30, 2015, transmitting the report of the working group to evaluate and review the State's current licensing program for private trade, vocational, and technical schools, pursuant to SCR 46, SD 2 (2015).

Dept. Com. No. 163, from the Department of Education, dated December 30, 2015, transmitting the Financial Literacy Task Force Final Report, pursuant to SCR 97, SD 1 (2015).

Dept. Com. No. 164, from the Legislative Reference Bureau, dated December 30, 2015, transmitting the Tour Operators Under State Seller of Travel and Related Statutes publication, pursuant to HCR 162 (2015).

Dept. Com. No. 165, from the Department of Taxation, dated December 30, 2015, transmitting the following reports:

- 2016 Goals and Objectives, pursuant to Act 100, SLH 1999;
- Annual Report 2014-2015;
- 2015 Cash Economy Enforcement Act, pursuant to Act 134, Section 9, SLH 2009;
- 2015 Electronic Funds Transfer Report, pursuant to Section 231-9.9, HRS;
- Hawaii Individual Income Tax Statistics, Tax Year 2013, pursuant to Section 231-3.4(a), HRS;
- Tax Credits Claimed by Hawaii Taxpayers, Tax Year 2013, pursuant to Section 231-3.4(a), HRS; and
- Tax System Modernization, Act 94 Reporting Status Update, pursuant to Act 94, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 166, from the Department of Public Safety, dated December 30, 2015, transmitting the following reports:

- Annual Report of Hawaii Correctional Industries, pursuant to Section 354D-3.5, HRS;
- Report on Return of Out-of-State Inmates, pursuant to Act 8, Section 7(c), Special SLH 2007;
- 2016 Goals and Objectives, pursuant to Act 100, Sections 6 and 7, SLH 1999;

- Report on Mental Health Services for Committed Persons, pursuant to Act 144, SLH 2007;
- Report on Reentry Pilot Project for Nonviolent, Low Risk Drug Offenders, pursuant to Act 149, SLH 2014;
- Report on Cognitive Restructuring, pursuant to Act 193, SLH 2010;
- Annual Report on the Status of the Federal Reimbursement Maximization Special Fund, pursuant to Section 353C-7, HRS;
- Report on Criminal Offender Treatment Act, pursuant to Section 353G-13(c), HRS;
- Report on Gender Responsive Community Based Programs for Women, pursuant to Section 367D-008, HRS;
- Narcotics Enforcement Division FY2015 Annual Report, pursuant to Section 329-11, HRS;
- Corrections Population Management Commission Report, pursuant to Section 353-F2, HRS;
- Report on Sexual Assaults in Correctional Facilities, pursuant to Act 194, SLH 2010; and
- Progress Report on the OCCC Replacement, pursuant to Act 119, Section 52, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 167, from the Department of Accounting and General Services, dated December 31, 2015, transmitting the report, Relating to State Facilities, pursuant to Act 177, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 168, from the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs, dated December 31, 2015, transmitting the report, Administratively Established Accounts and Funds of the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs for Fiscal Year 2015, pursuant to Section 37-52.5, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 169, from the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs, dated December 31, 2015, transmitting the 2015 Annual Compliance Resolution Fund Report, pursuant to Section 26-9(o), HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 170, from the Department of Land and Natural Resources, dated December 31, 2015, transmitting the report, Requesting the Department of Land and Natural Resources to Work With Royal Hawaiian Golf Club to Develop a Plan for the Management and Maintenance of Old Government Road, pursuant to HCR 130 (2015).

Dept. Com. No. 171, from the Department of Land and Natural Resources, dated December 31, 2015, transmitting the report, Land Dispositions Made of Public Lands for Calendar Year 2015, pursuant to Section 171-29, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 172, from the Department of Transportation, dated December 31, 2015, transmitting the report, Relating to Government Operations, pursuant to Act 100, Section 7, SLH 1999.

Dept. Com. No. 173, from the Department of Agriculture, dated December 31, 2015, transmitting the Department of Agriculture Annual Report, pursuant to Act 100, SLH 1999.

Dept. Com. No. 174, from the Department of Agriculture, dated December 31, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on Administratively Established Appropriations, pursuant to Act 178, SLH 2002.

Dept. Com. No. 175, from the Department of Agriculture, dated December 31, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on the Biosecurity Program, pursuant to Act 236, SLH 2008.

Dept. Com. No. 176, from the Department of Agriculture, dated December 31, 2015, transmitting the Progress Report and Plan for Implementation of the U.S. Department of Agriculture Recommendations for the Department of Agriculture Animal Quarantine Station, pursuant to HR 35 (2015).

Dept. Com. No. 177, from the Department of Agriculture, dated December 31, 2015, transmitting the Report on the State's Progress

Toward Meeting the Milestones and Objectives of Important Agricultural Land Tax Credit Program, pursuant to Act 233, SLH 2008.

Dept. Com. No. 178, from the Department Budget and Finance, dated December 31, 2015, transmitting the report, Innovation Economy 2015, pursuant to Act 260, SLH 2007.

Dept. Com. No. 179, from the Department Budget and Finance, dated December 31, 2015, transmitting the report, Direct Holdings in Sudan Scrutinized Companies, pursuant to Act 192, SLH 2007.

Dept. Com. No. 180, from the Department Budget and Finance, dated December 31, 2015, transmitting the report, Status of Employer Reporting of Information 2015, pursuant to Act 87, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 181, from the Office of Enterprise Technology Services, dated December 31, 2015, transmitting the Information Privacy and Security Council Report on Procedures of Notification following the Breach of Personal Information, pursuant to SCR 88, SD 1 (2015); and the Annual Summary Report (2015), pursuant to Act 10, SLH 2008.

Dept. Com. No. 182, from the Office of Enterprise Technology Services, dated December 31, 2015, transmitting the Report on the Status and Implementation of the State Information Technology Strategic Plan, pursuant to Act 84, SLH 2011.

Dept. Com. No. 183, from the Office of Enterprise Technology Services, dated December 31, 2015, transmitting the Report on Expenditures and the Operational and Financial Feasibility of Sustaining IT Governance, pursuant Act 119, Section 41, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 184, from the Office of Enterprise Technology Services, dated December 31, 2015, transmitting the Quarterly Report on Periodic Information Security and Penetration Audits of the Executive Branch Information Technology Systems, January 1, 2015, pursuant to Act 119, Section 42-5, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 185, from the Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism, dated December 31, 2015, transmitting the report of the working group regarding requests to the board of directors of an association of apartment owners, condominium association, cooperative housing corporation, or planned community association regarding the installation of electric vehicle charging systems, pursuant to Act 164, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 186, from the Public Utilities Commission, dated December 31, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report for Fiscal Year 2015, pursuant to Sections 269-5 and 269-33(c), HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 187, from the Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism, dated December 31, 2015, transmitting the report Regarding Motion Picture, Digital Media and Film Production Income Tax Credit for Calendar Year 2015, pursuant to Section 235-17, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 188, from the Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism, dated December 23, 2015, transmitting the Economic Issues, Self-Sufficiency Standard: Estimates for Hawaii 2014, pursuant to Section 201-3(b), HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 189, from the Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism, dated December 28, 2015, transmitting Real Estate Investment Trusts in Hawaii: Preliminary Data and Analysis Interim Report, pursuant to Act 239, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 190, from the Oahu Metropolitan Planning Organization, dated December 29, 2015, transmitting the 2015 Annual Report, pursuant to Act 132, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 191, from the Department of the Attorney General, dated December 31, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report of Proceedings Under the Hawaii Omnibus Criminal Forfeiture Act, pursuant to Section 712A-16(b), HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 192, from the Department of the Attorney General, dated December 31, 2015, transmitting the Report on Administratively Established Funds and Accounts, pursuant to Section 37-52.5, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 193, from the Department of the Attorney General, dated December 31, 2015, transmitting the Report on the Tobacco Enforcement Special Fund, pursuant to Section 28-15(d), HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 194, from the Department of Human Services, dated January 4, 2016, transmitting the report on the Young Adult Voluntary Foster Care Program, pursuant to Section 346-407, HRS; and the Annual Report of the State Commission on the Status of Women, pursuant to Section 367-3(8), HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 195, from the Hawaii Public Housing Authority, dated January 6, 2015, transmitting the Hawaii Public Housing Authority Annual Report, Fiscal Year 2014 - 2015, pursuant to Section 356D-20(3), HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 196, from the Department of Health, dated January 5, 2016, transmitting the State Council on Mental Health Annual Report on Implementation of the State Plan, pursuant to Section 334-10(e), HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 197, from the Department of Health, dated January 5, 2016, transmitting the Annual Evaluation Report on Elder Programs, pursuant to Section 349-5(b)(2), HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 198, from the Department of Health, dated January 5, 2016, transmitting the Annual Report Relating to MH-1s and Hospitalizations of Persons who are Under an Order to Treat, pursuant to Section 334-123, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 199, from the Department of Health, dated January 6, 2016, transmitting the 2015 Preliminary Report and Recommendations from the Hawaii Climate Change & Health Working Group, pursuant to HCR 108, SD 1 (2015).

Dept. Com. No. 200, from the University of Hawaii System, dated January 6, 2016, transmitting a Report on Filling of Temporary Unbudgeted Positions, pursuant to Act 119, Section 128, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 201, from the University of Hawaii System, transmitting the Report by the Dean of the College of Tropical Agriculture and Human Resources on a Two-Year Industrial Hemp Remediation and Biofuel Crop Research, pursuant to Act 56, SLH 2014.

Dept. Com. No. 202, from the Department of Transportation, dated December 23, 2015, transmitting the Customer Facility Charge Report, pursuant to Act 226, SLH 2008.

Dept. Com. No. 203, from the Department of Transportation, dated December 23, 2015, transmitting the Port Authority Status Report, pursuant to SR 129, SD 1 (2015).

Dept. Com. No. 204, from the Department of Human Services, dated January 8, 2016, transmitting the Report on the Housing First Program, pursuant to Section 346-378, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 205, from the Judiciary, dated December 18, 2015, transmitting the following reports:

- Supplemental Budget (2015-2017), and Variance Report (2014-2016), pursuant to Act 159, SLH 1974, and Chapter 37, HRS;
- 2015 Annual Report Statistical Supplement, pursuant to Section 601-3, HRS;
- Center for Alternative Dispute Resolution Annual Report, Report No. 27, pursuant to Section 613-4, HRS;
- King Kamehameha V Judiciary History Center 2014-2015 Annual Report, pursuant to Section 6F-6, HRS;
- Report on Statewide Substance Abuse Treatment Monitoring Program, pursuant to Section 601-21, HRS;
- Report on Parental Preferences in Government Contracts, pursuant to Section 577-7.5, HRS;

- Report on the Parent Education Special Fund, pursuant to Section 607-5.6, HRS;
- Report on the Spouse and Child Abuse Special Account, pursuant to Section 601-3.6, HRS;
- Report on the Number of Complaints Against Court-Appointed Child Custody Evaluators, pursuant to Section 571-46.4, HRS;
- Report on the Indigent Legal Assistance Fund (IALF), pursuant to Section 607-5.7, HRS; and
- Report on Fiscal Year 2015 Purchase of Service Contracts, pursuant to Act 138, SLH 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 206, from the Judiciary, dated December 30, 2015, transmitting the following reports:

- Requesting the Judiciary to Conduct a Study to Identify Traffic Offenses and Crimes, Petty Misdemeanor Offenses, and Misdemeanor Offenses that Cause a Disproportionate Workload for the Judiciary and That May Be Appropriate for Decriminalization as Infractions, pursuant to SCR 98, SD 1 (2015);
- Report of the Committee to Review and Recommend Revisions to the Hawaii Penal Code, pursuant to HCR 155, SD 1 (2015); and
- Report on Requesting the Judiciary to Convene a Task Force to Examine Establishing Hawaiian Language Resources for the State of Hawaii Judiciary, pursuant to HCR 217, HD 1, SD 1 (2015).

Dept. Com. No. 207, from the Judiciary, Family Court of the First Circuit, dated December 24, 2015, transmitting the Hawaii Juvenile Justice Oversight Advisory Council Act 201 Implementation 2015 Report, pursuant to Act 201, SLH 2014.

Dept. Com. No. 208, from the Department of Budget and Finance, dated December 11, 2015, transmitting the reports, Special Fund Assessments for Departmental Reimbursement of Administrative Expenses (1390) Updated 08/18/2015, pursuant to Section 36-30, HRS; and Special Fund Assessments for Central Services (1373) Updated 08/18/2015, pursuant to Section 36-27, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 209, from the Department of Budget and Finance, dated December 11, 2015, transmitting the Fiscal Year 2015 Transfers from Non-General Funds to General Fund report, pursuant to Section 37-46, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 210, from the Honolulu Authority for Rapid Transportation, dated December 23, 2015, transmitting the Honolulu Rail Transit Project 2015 Annual Report, pursuant to Honolulu City Council Resolution 15-79, CD1.

Dept. Com. No. 211, from the Office of Hawaiian Affairs, dated December 30, 2015, transmitting the 2015 Office of Hawaiian Affairs Annual Report, including the 2015 Office of Hawaiian Affairs Grants & Sponsorships Annual Report, pursuant to Section 10-15, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 212, from the County of Maui Police Department, dated January 1, 2016, transmitting the misconduct report for 2015, pursuant to Act 242, SLH 1995.

Dept. Com. No. 213, from the County of Maui Police Department, dated January 1, 2016, transmitting the report concerning electric guns and their use, pursuant to Section 134-16(d), HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 214, from the Hawaii Tourism Authority, dated January 6, 2016, transmitting the Hawaii Tourism Authority 2015 Annual Report.

Dept. Com. No. 215, from the Department of the Attorney General, dated January 7, 2016, transmitting the Goals and Objectives of the Department of the Attorney General, Fiscal Year 2015-2016, pursuant to Act 100, SLH 1999, as amended by Act 154, SLH 2005.

Dept. Com. No. 216, from the Department of Agriculture, dated January 8, 2016, transmitting the Report on the State's Progress Toward Meeting the Milestones and Objectives of the Energy Feedstock Program, pursuant to Act 159, SLH 2007

Dept. Com. No. 217, from the Department of Agriculture, dated January 8, 2016, transmitting the Transfer of Revolving Fund Monies Annual Report, pursuant to Sections 155-14 and 219-4, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 218, from the Department of Budget and Finance, dated January 8, 2016, transmitting the Hawaii Employer-Union Health Benefits Trust Fund's Annual Report, for the Period July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2015, pursuant to Section 87A-25, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 219, from the State Public Charter School Commission, dated January 11, 2016, transmitting the Report on the Admissions and Enrollment Policy and Practices of the University Laboratory School, pursuant to Act 111, SLH 2015.

MISCELLANEOUS COMMUNICATIONS

The following miscellaneous communications (Misc. Com. Nos. 1 through 3) were received by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Misc. Com. No. 1, from OptumRx, dated October 22, 2015, transmitting a letter pursuant to Act 226, SLH 2013.

Misc. Com. No. 2, from the Hawaii Access to Justice Commission, dated November 30, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report for 2015.

Misc. Com. No. 3, from the Hawaii Center for Advanced Transportation Technologies, dated November 30, 2015, transmitting the Hawaii Hydrogen Implementation Working Group 2015 Report, pursuant to Act 98, SLH 2015.

ORDER OF THE DAY

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

On motion by Representative Evans, seconded by Representative Pouha and carried, the following bills (H.B. Nos. 1516 through 1623) passed First Reading by title and were referred to Printing:

1516 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ASSESSMENT OF THE INTERNET CRIMES AGAINST CHILDREN FEE AGAINST CRIMINAL DEFENDANTS."

Introduced by: Representatives Rhoads and Aquino.

1517 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SENTENCING."

Introduced by: Representative Rhoads.

1518 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE."

Introduced by: Representative Rhoads.

1519 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE."

Introduced by: Representative Rhoads.

1520 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIME."

Introduced by: Representative Rhoads.

1521 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIME."

Introduced by: Representative Rhoads.

1522 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNMANNED AERIAL SYSTEMS."

Introduced by: Representative Thielen.

1523 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION."

Introduced by: Representative Thielen.

1524 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CLEAN ENERGY."

Introduced by: Representative Thielen.

1525 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ORDER."

Introduced by: Representative Choy.

1526 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION."

Introduced by: Representative Choy.

1527 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."

Introduced by: Representative Choy.

1528 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STUDENT PRIVACY."

Introduced by: Representative Choy.

1529 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING."

Introduced by: Representative Choy.

1530 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATIONAL BENEFITS."

Introduced by: Representative Choy.

1531 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SERVICE LEGAL LOAN REPAYMENT ASSISTANCE."

Introduced by: Representative Choy.

1532 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."

Introduced by: Representative Choy.

1533 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY."

Introduced by: Representative Takayama.

1534 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY."

Introduced by: Representative Takayama.

1535 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY."

Introduced by: Representative Takayama.

1536 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY."

Introduced by: Representative Takayama.

1537 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY."

Introduced by: Representative Takayama.

1538 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ORDER."

Introduced by: Representative Choy.

1539	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL WATER SUPPLY."	1554	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS TAX."
	Introduced by: Representative Evans.		Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.
1540	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRUG ABUSE."	1555	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."
	Introduced by: Representative Evans.		Introduced by: Representative Mizuno.
1541	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PLANNED COMMUNITY ASSOCIATIONS."	1556	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."
	Introduced by: Representative Evans.		Introduced by: Representative Choy.
1542	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HARBORS."	1557	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX RELIEF."
	Introduced by: Representatives Rhoads and Saiki.		Introduced by: Representative Choy.
1543	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE BONDS."	1558	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
	Introduced by: Representative Luke.		Introduced by: Representative Choy, by request.
1544	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR ASSISTING AN INDUSTRIAL ENTERPRISE."	1559	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY FORFEITURE."
	Introduced by: Representative Saiki.		Introduced by: Representatives San Buenaventura, Belatti, Brower, Creagan, Keohokalole, LoPresti, Nakashima, Say and Takayama.
1545	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."	1560	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY."
	Introduced by: Representative Saiki.		Introduced by: Representative San Buenaventura, by request.
1546	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRIC VEHICLE PARKING."	1561	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NUISANCE ABATEMENT."
	Introduced by: Representatives Saiki, Aquino, Luke and Souki.		Introduced by: Representatives San Buenaventura, Choy, Keohokalole, LoPresti, Say and Takayama.
1547	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."	1562	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki.		Introduced by: Representatives San Buenaventura, Choy, Creagan, Keohokalole, LoPresti, Lowen, Nakashima, Say and Brower.
1548	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."	1563	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPEEDING."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki.		Introduced by: Representatives San Buenaventura, Brower, LoPresti, Say and McDermott.
1549	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EARLY SETTLERS OF AFRICAN ANCESTRY, THEIR HAWAIIAN AFRICAN DESCENDANTS, AND PEOPLE OF AFRICAN DESCENT IN HAWAII."	1564	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTAL SERVICES."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki.		Introduced by: Representative Choy.
1550	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING."	1565	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INFORMATION PRACTICES."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Choy.
1551	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING."	1566	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Takayama, by request.
1552	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING."	1567	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Takayama.
1553	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING."	1568	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Takayama, by request.

1569	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATEWIDE TRAFFIC CODE."	1582	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNMANNED AIRCRAFT SYSTEMS."
	Introduced by: Representatives Rhoads and Tokioka.		Introduced by: Representative Takayama, by request.
1570	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RADIATION LEVELS IN SEAFOOD."	1583	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PAWNSHOPS."
	Introduced by: Representative Choy, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Takayama, by request.
1571	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENTAL STANDARDS OF CONDUCT."	1584	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
	Introduced by: Representative Choy.		Introduced by: Representative Choy, by request.
1572	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY."	1585	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GUARDIANSHIP."
	Introduced by: Representatives Saiki and Luke.		Introduced by: Representative Mizuno.
1573	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ZONING."	1586	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Mizuno, by request.
1574	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TORT LIABILITY."	1587	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOMELESSNESS."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Mizuno.
1575	"A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE PURCHASE OF EAST KAUAI WORKFORCE AFFORDABLE HOUSING."	1588	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Mizuno.
1576	"A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR ADOLESCENT TREATMENT AND HEALING CENTER, CENTRALIZED AUTO MAINTENANCE FACILITY, HANGAR FOR THE KAUAI FIRE DEPARTMENT HELICOPTER, SALT POND MASTER PLAN, AND VETERANS CEMETERY FACILITY CONSTRUCTION AND IMPROVEMENTS."	1589	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIRE PROTECTION."
	Introduced by: Representative Souki, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Takayama, by request.
1577	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOLF COURSE LIABILITY."	1590	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."
	Introduced by: Representative LoPresti, by request.		Introduced by: Representative Rhoads.
1578	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THEFT."	1591	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."
	Introduced by: Representatives Takumi, Kong and Takayama.		Introduced by: Representatives Mizuno and Rhoads.
1579	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS."	1592	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMALS."
	Introduced by: Representatives Rhoads, Lowen and Ohno.		Introduced by: Representatives Lowen and Creagan.
1580	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WEED AND SEED STRATEGY."	1593	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOTING."
	Introduced by: Representatives Rhoads and Aquino.		Introduced by: Representatives Lowen, Fukumoto Chang, Ing, Johanson, Kobayashi, Lee, Luke, Nakashima, Nishimoto, Ohno, Rhoads and Woodson.
1581	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JUDICIAL PROCEEDINGS."	1594	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION."
	Introduced by: Representative Rhoads.		Introduced by: Representatives Lowen, Creagan, Ing, Johanson, Kobayashi, Lee, Luke, Nakashima, Ohno, Rhoads and Saiki.
		1595	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEGISLATIVE TESTIMONY."
			Introduced by: Representatives Lowen, Belatti, Creagan, Cullen, DeCoite, Evans, Fukumoto Chang, Ing, Johanson, Kawakami, Kobayashi, Lee, LoPresti, Luke, Matsumoto, Nakashima, Nishimoto, Ohno, Rhoads, Saiki, San Buenaventura, Thielen, Woodson, Onishi and Tsuji.

1596	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES."	1609	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."
	Introduced by: Representatives Lowen, Ing, Johanson, Lee, Nakashima, Nishimoto, Ohno, Woodson, Yamane, Kobayashi, Luke and Onishi.		Introduced by: Representative Choy.
1597	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION."	1610	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAILERS."
	Introduced by: Representatives Lowen, Creagan, Cullen, Evans, Ing, Johanson, Kobayashi, Lee, Luke, Nakashima, Nishimoto, Ohno, Onishi, Pouha, San Buenaventura, Say, Thielen, Tsuji, Woodson and Yamane.		Introduced by: Representative Thielen.
1598	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT IMPOUNDMENT OR DISPOSAL OF PERSONAL PROPERTY."	1611	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOLAR ENERGY SUSTAINABILITY."
	Introduced by: Representative Choy.		Introduced by: Representative Thielen.
1599	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."	1612	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII-WEST OAHU."
	Introduced by: Representative Nishimoto.		Introduced by: Representative Choy.
1600	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."	1613	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION."
	Introduced by: Representative Nishimoto.		Introduced by: Representatives Choy, Kawakami, Morikawa and Tokioka.
1601	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT."	1614	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PREMIUM CIGARS."
	Introduced by: Representative Nishimoto.		Introduced by: Representative Souki.
1602	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT."	1615	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSERVATION AND RESOURCES."
	Introduced by: Representative Nishimoto.		Introduced by: Representative Souki.
1603	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT."	1616	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY SERVICES."
	Introduced by: Representative Nishimoto.		Introduced by: Representatives Lowen, Johanson, Kobayashi, Lee, Luke, Morikawa, Nakashima, Nishimoto, Onishi, Saiki, Takayama, LoPresti and Yamashita.
1604	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT."	1617	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY SERVICES."
	Introduced by: Representative Nishimoto.		Introduced by: Representatives Lowen, Luke, Saiki, DeCoite and LoPresti.
1605	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT."	1618	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JURY DUTY."
	Introduced by: Representative Nishimoto.		Introduced by: Representatives Say and Takayama.
1606	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL IDENTIFICATION CARDS."	1619	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING."
	Introduced by: Representatives Mizuno, Belatti, Morikawa and Thielen.		Introduced by: Representative Say, by request.
1607	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES."	1620	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX CREDIT."
	Introduced by: Representatives Onishi, Brower, Choy, Creagan, DeCoite, Evans, Kawakami, Kong, Lowen, Morikawa, Nakashima, Ohno, San Buenaventura, Tokioka and Tsuji.		Introduced by: Representative Say.
1608	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII."	1621	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR AFTER-SCHOOL PROGRAMS FOR PUBLIC MIDDLE AND INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL STUDENTS."
	Introduced by: Representative Choy.		Introduced by: Representatives Takumi and Ohno.
		1622	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
			Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

1623 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."

Introduced by: Representative Takumi.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

The following resolution (H.R. No. 1) and concurrent resolutions (H.C.R. Nos. 1 and 2) were announced by the Clerk and the following action taken:

H.R. No. 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION RELATING TO CAUCUS LEADERS AND COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE TWENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE," was jointly offered by Representatives Saiki and Fukumoto Chang.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Fukumoto Chang and carried, H.R. No. 1 was adopted.

H.C.R. No. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RELATING TO RECESS DAYS FOR THE REGULAR SESSION OF 2016," was jointly offered by Representatives Souki and Mizuno.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Fukumoto Chang and carried, H.C.R. No. 1 was adopted.

H.C.R. No. 2, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO ADDRESS THE LEGISLATURE ASSEMBLED IN JOINT SESSION," was jointly offered by Representatives Souki and Mizuno.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Fukumoto Chang and carried, H.C.R. No. 2 was adopted.

At this time, the Speaker delivered his address, stating:

"Fellow House Members, welcome to the 2016 Regular Session of the Hawaii State Legislature. To say that I have seen my share of opening days at the Legislature at my age would be an understatement.

"Twenty-five or even ten years ago, who would have thought that we would be looking at medical marijuana in the way that we regard it today? Who would have imagined the number of houses powered by solar panels that are on our roofs today? Who would have foreseen the Internet or the impact of social media?

"Times have changed. So has Hawaii.

"What has not changed are the fundamental issues that we grapple with every day here in the building. The economy and jobs, affordable housing and homelessness, the education of our children, the stewardship of our environment, and the protection of our basic rights. These needs have never changed. What does change is our approach to them.

"It wasn't so long ago that we were all wondering whether we would ever see single digit interest rates again. But we have, and then some.

"It wasn't long ago that we were wondering whether we would ever see the end to the Great Recession. But we have, with a record number of visitors coming to the State in the last few years.

"The economic cycle is pointing up and our local economy is on a roll. We have momentum on our side. Not just economic momentum, but a legislative one as well.

"Last year, this body took major steps to move us towards energy self-sufficiency. We gave patients throughout the State access to medical marijuana, and the creation of state-supervised dispensaries. We moved to resolve the longstanding financial crisis of Maui's public hospitals. We

shored up our long-term financial stability by strengthening the Rainy Day Fund and Hurricane Relief Fund, as well as by addressing our unfunded liabilities.

"These are not only very difficult and complex issues, but longstanding ones as well. Thank you for having the courage to tackle these and other tough issues over the last several sessions.

"I believe we are on a roll, with momentum on our side. And that is not a small thing.

"A few weeks ago I watched the Alamo Bowl, where TCU found itself trailing at the end of the second half by 31 points. I don't know what the coach told them at halftime, but clearly, they came out in the second half, intent on fighting back. Momentum dramatically shifted, and after three hard fought overtime periods, they finally secured victory.

"Ask any athlete, momentum can be such a powerful force in competition. I believe it can also be a powerful force in life as well. But what are we going to do with it? Moving forward still takes hard work, boldness and determination. But imagine the good we can do if we leverage our momentum.

"Homelessness seems as entrenched as any issue we've faced in recent times. However, the State has been working with many agencies and nonprofit organizations to shape a multipronged approach to assist these individuals.

"We need to support those efforts, not timidly but emphatically, with sufficient funds to meet those needs. At the same time, we should go for the creation of more affordable homes and rentals.

"We should focus all of the state agencies which have a hand in developing affordable housing to leverage what is currently being done. We should start looking at how we can build affordable housing on state-owned parcels along the Oahu rail system.

"And we should partner with the private sector so that more can be developed, and developed sooner than later. Providing an adequate supply of affordable housing is the correct long-term solution so that families don't fall into homelessness and despair.

"In 2000, we were the first state to legalize medical marijuana. Last year, we provided safe and reliable access for those who require it for health reasons. As we move closer to implementation, let's make sure they're done right and serve our people in the way they were intended.

"The action we took last year to shore up Maui's public hospitals was groundbreaking. That formula may provide us with an answer to broader issues with other facilities in our statewide public hospital system. That's something we should explore.

"In looking to our long-term future, we need to continue to scrutinize ways to keep us on a sound fiscal footing. Ways that include making sure that we can sustain ongoing state initiatives, whether it's the Cancer Center, the Enterprise Technology Services, or any other recent endeavor.

"We must continue paying down our unfunded liabilities, specifically our obligations to the public employees' retirement fund. Building our budgetary reserves now puts us in a better position to weather any future economic slowdown, which is sure to come our way.

"We need to help our *kūpuna* by passing the bill introduced last session that will help family members care for their seniors after they come home from the hospital. Testimony on this measure who supported the bill was three to one, Members. More importantly, it will provide the kind of medical training for caregivers that is so essential in keeping our *kūpuna* healthy.

"In addition, I will be introducing a bill that will require all doctors practicing in Hawaii to treat Medicare and Medicaid patients before they can get their license. That too will help our *kūpuna*, as well as those who must seek medical care but cannot afford it.

"And we need to help our counties, who help us support the number of tourists and the tourism boom. We can do this by raising the counties' share of the tourism tax and building on earlier increases to the counties. That's taking advantage of momentum.

"In addition, we need to help the workers on Maui affected by the closure of sugar operations at Hawaii Commercial and Sugar Company. And our actions have to be more than just creating another Hamakua Task Force.

"The closure of those sugar lands on our last large-scale plantation marks the end of a remarkable and historic era in Hawaii. Our grandparents, parents and all of us have been shaped in life around the plantations and the lessons learned of them. It reminds us of our history and where we came from, so that we can better plot the direction in which we want to go.

"We will be working closely with A&B and the administration and the counties to ensure that real help will be available. The end of an era cannot be an end to those workers' dreams for a better life.

"Finally, you cannot talk about a long-term scenario without talking about the investment we make in our children. We need to repair and modernize our education infrastructure so that we can give our *keiki* the best chance to learn and to prepare themselves for the future.

"And we need to give them the best opportunity to secure good paying jobs so that they can support their families and create a better life for themselves. We can do that by ensuring that small businesses, the backbone of our economy, remain vibrant and strong.

"Right now, small businesses are having a tough time because of one primary reason, their lease rent have gone through the roof, increasing in some places by more than 1,000% in a very short span of time.

"Consequently, we have seen a string of locally owned shops and stores shut down in recent years, and it will not stop any time soon, driving more and more of them out of business. Unless we do something about it. And we can, if we have the determination and the will.

"We can level the playing field and change for the better the business landscape across the State, if we are willing to reinvent the rules that govern commercial leasehold lands.

"Hawaii has done it before with lands supporting single-family and multi-family homes. Those historic actions have given the ordinary working person new opportunities for true homeownership, rejuvenated the local housing market, and leveled the playing field for local home buyers. It's time for us to think about converting commercial leasehold lands in Hawaii to be fee simple.

"Momentum, as powerful as it is, has no value if we don't use it or leverage it. Political pundits have noted that this is an election year. In other words, a year in which politicians seeking reelection do nothing to upset voters.

"I am not asking you to upset voters, but to be bold in this election year and do what needs to be done for the greater good. We cannot lose the momentum we have built up, we must use it to keep us moving forward. I look forward to joining you in these endeavors and to working with you on behalf of the people of the State of Hawaii.

"Thank you and *aloha*."

The Chair then recognized Representative Saiki, the Majority Leader, to deliver remarks on behalf of the Majority Caucus:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. We often open our legislative session with bold proposals for new mandates and initiatives. This year there is also room to do the opposite.

"It is important that we focus on recurring challenges and that we find uncustomary ways to restructure existing resources to address them.

"One example is homelessness and affordable housing. We already have existing agencies that can help us tackle this issue. The Hawaii Public Housing Authority and the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands have critical roles to play. We need to know how we can decrease their waiting list and best spend their federal funds.

"We are not saying that any agency is wrong. We will work very closely with them this year to implement corrections that can lead to more results.

"There are examples in other critical areas, such as modernizing transportation and education infrastructure, and reinforcing private and public fiscal stability by reforming state spending and taxing practices.

"We all know that these challenges cannot be resolved overnight, and we look forward to working with our colleagues across the aisle to fix them.

"Thank you, and best wishes to everyone for a productive session."

The Chair then recognized Representative Fukumoto Chang, the Minority Leader, to deliver remarks on behalf of the Minority Caucus:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. The Majority Leader told me he'd speak for three minutes, but that wasn't three minutes, so mine is going to be a little bit longer. I apologize, but I will keep it as short as I can.

"One of the things that I did with this speech is I want to just focus on where I think we need to go as a legislature, because I have every confidence that between the two of you, you guys would identify the many problems that are facing our state and outline the policies that I think the minority can agree we need to fix.

"So rather than talk about minority policies, I just want to talk a little bit about how I think we can move forward and work together. But before I get into that, I just wanted to begin by congratulating one of our staff members, Candy Kelsey, who is starting her 25th year at the Legislature this year. Candy has been a constant part of my life at the Legislature, ever since I started my first job here, working as her file clerk in 2009. She's one of the most genuinely good people I've ever met. She is very mad at me right now for bringing up her name on the floor, but I wanted to say to her that I am very blessed to have her in my life and in the life of the caucus. And to Candy, congratulations and thank you for everything that you've done.

"One of the things that I like about Candy and having her around is that she has seen tons of different legislators come and go. Tons. And she is a good reminder and she helps me remember that I am nothing but a small temporary part of a great institution with a very important responsibility. And that's what I wanted to remind everyone of today.

"It's not about us, it's not about our titles, it's not about our names on bills. We are fortunate at this moment to be a part of a body that existed long before us and will exist long after us. And we need to make the most of that responsibility while we have it.

"Hawaii's problems are big enough that we need everyone's solutions. I've been very appreciative that this House leadership has been willing to listen to our solutions, and that we can bring our diverse perspectives to the table to come up with practical, actionable and effective solutions to Hawaii's problems.

"People don't need lofty ideals and dogmatic statements that have no basis in substantive policy. Even as an elected official, I am tired of hearing politicians focus on flashy topics and grandiose declarations, instead of actual actionable commitments.

"Politics at its heart is simply the art of organizing our shared lives together. And as this minority leadership, we are committed to play an active, constructive role in that process.

"Mr. Speaker, in my time here I've come to truly understand how easy it is to give in to just being destructive, and how difficult it is to be constructive. But it is a good difficult, and being able to contribute to positive change in this state makes that struggle very worth it.

"In that spirit, Mr. Speaker, I am making a commitment to you and the rest of the body for the rest of this session as the Minority Leader that I will not criticize any measure on this floor without articulating an alternative solution that is trying to address the problem that the introducer is trying to address.

"Our minority leadership is committed to staying focused on finding practical solutions to the right now problems that are facing our state. They are real, they are urgent, and as a legislative body, it is our duty to the people of Hawaii to act right now. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:14 o'clock a.m., on motion by Representative Evans, seconded by Representative Pouha and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Thursday, January 21, 2016.