

## SECOND DAY

**Thursday, January 22, 2015**

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2015, convened at 11:34 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present.

The President announced that she had read and approved the Journal of the First Day.

**MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR**

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 1 to 88) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 1, dated August 31, 2014, transmitting the Pacific International Space Center for Exploration Systems (PISCES) Fiscal Year 2014 Annual Report, prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism pursuant to Section 201-80, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 2, dated September 18, 2014, transmitting the Report on Hawaii Tax Credit for Research Activities for Tax Year 2013, prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism pursuant to Section 235-110.91, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 3, dated September 19, 2014, transmitting the 2013 Annual Report of the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands pursuant to Sections 222 and 228, Hawaiian Homes Commission Act, 1920, as amended.

Gov. Msg. No. 4, dated October 28, 2014, transmitting the 2014 Annual Report of the Hawaii Strategic Development Corporation pursuant to Section 211F-15, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 5, dated October 28, 2014, transmitting the Parental Preferences in Government Contracts, Programs, and Services Report, prepared by the Department of Human Resources Development pursuant to Act 162, SLH 2002.

Gov. Msg. No. 6, dated October 28, 2014, transmitting the Hawai'i Teacher Standards Board Annual Report 2015 pursuant to Section 302A-803, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 7, dated October 28, 2014, transmitting the Dual QUEST and Private Coverage Recipients Report, prepared by the Department of Human Services pursuant to H.C.R. No.199, H.D. 1 (2010).

Gov. Msg. No. 8, dated October 28, 2014, transmitting the Home Property Lien Report, prepared by the Department of Human Services pursuant to Section 346-29.5, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 9, letter dated October 28, 2014, reporting that no retirants were hired to fill a labor shortage or difficult-to-fill position in Fiscal Year 2014, prepared by the Department of Human Resources Development pursuant to Section 88-9(f), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 10, dated October 31, 2014, transmitting the Study of Potential EUTF/ERS Investment Consolidation, prepared by the Department of Budget and Finance pursuant to Act 268, SLH 2013.

Gov. Msg. No. 11, dated November 3, 2014, transmitting the Report on Implementation of Chapter 190D, Hawaii Revised Statutes, Ocean and Submerged Lands Leasing, prepared by the Department of Agriculture and Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Act 176, SLH 1999.

Gov. Msg. No. 12, dated November 3, 2014, transmitting the report Relating to Public Land Liability pursuant to Act 86,

SLH 2014, and the Recommendations of the Task Force on Beach and Water Safety pursuant to Act 190, SLH 1996, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources.

Gov. Msg. No. 13, dated November 3, 2014, transmitting the Findings and Recommendations of the West Maui Ocean Recreation Management Area Advisory Committee Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Act 194, SLH 2012.

Gov. Msg. No. 14, dated November 6, 2014, transmitting the Hawaii State Public Library System's Annual Report for Fiscal Year 2014, pursuant to Sections 312-3.6 and 312-22, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 15, dated November 6, 2014, transmitting the Makaha Valley Flood Study for State Fiscal Year 2014, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Act 283, SLH 2012.

Gov. Msg. No. 16, dated November 6, 2014, transmitting a report on the Status of the Issuance of Incidental Take Licenses for Endangered, Threatened, Proposed, and Candidate Species; and the Condition of the Endangered Species Trust Fund Fiscal Year 2014, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 195D-26, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 17, dated November 6, 2014, transmitting the Relating to the Wildlife Revolving Fund Fiscal Year 2014 Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 183D-10.5, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 18, dated November 6, 2014, transmitting the Budgetary and Other Issues Regarding Invasive Species Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 194-2, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 19, dated November 18, 2014, transmitting the Relating to the Forest Stewardship Program Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant Section 195F-6, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 20, dated November 18, 2014, transmitting the Operations of the Filing Office for Financing Statements Under the Uniform Commercial Code, Secured Transaction (Revised Article 9) Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 490:0-527, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 21, dated November 18, 2014, transmitting the Activities and Plans of the Aha Moku Advisory Committee Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 171-4.5, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 22, dated November 18, 2014, transmitting the Hawaii Historic Preservation Special Fund for Fiscal Year 2013-2014 Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 6E-3, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 23, dated November 18, 2014, transmitting the Administratively Established Accounts and Funds of the Department of Land and Natural Resources for Fiscal Year 2014 Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 37-52.5, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 24, dated November 18, 2014, transmitting the Relating to the Land Conservation Fund and the Legacy Land Conservation Program Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 173A-5, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 25, dated November 18, 2014, transmitting the Geothermal Royalty Dispositions and Status of Geothermal and Cable System Development Fiscal Year 2014 Report,

prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Sections 182-18 and 196D-11, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 26, dated November 18, 2014, transmitting the User Conflicts on Public Lands Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 179D-29, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 27, dated November 18, 2014, transmitting the Revenues Generated from General Administrative Penalties Imposed Under Chapter 183, HRS Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 183-5, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 28, dated November 20, 2014, transmitting the Status of the Kaho'olawe Rehabilitation Trust Fund Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 6K-9.5(e), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 29, dated November 25, 2014, transmitting the Medical Inquiry and Conciliation Panel and the Design Claims Conciliation Panel Report, prepared by the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs pursuant to Sections 671-20 and 672B-17, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 30, dated November 25, 2014, transmitting the Annual Report on the Development and Expansion of Telework Initiatives and Annual Report on the Receipt and Expenditure of Federal Moneys from the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA), prepared by the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs pursuant to Section 440G-11.5(b) and 440G-11.5, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 31, dated November 25, 2014, transmitting the Executive Branch Workforce Profile Report, prepared by the Department of Human Resources Development pursuant to Act 16, SLH 2012.

Gov. Msg. No. 32, dated November 25, 2014, transmitting the Instance of Usage of Electric Guns Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 134-16(d), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 33, dated November 25, 2014, transmitting the Evaluation of Effectiveness of Community Fisheries Enforcement Units on Maui, Oahu, Hawaii and Kauai Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Act 122, SLH 2014.

Gov. Msg. No. 34, dated November 25, 2014, transmitting the Annual Report of the Hawaii State Commission on the Status of Women, prepared by the Department of Human Services pursuant to Section 367-3(8), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 35, dated November 25, 2014, transmitting the Department of Human Services Preschool Open Doors (POD) Report, prepared by the Department of Human Services pursuant to Act 169, SLH 2013.

Gov. Msg. No. 36, dated November 25, 2014, transmitting the Hawaii Statewide Trail and Access System Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 198D-9(7), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 37, dated November 25, 2014, transmitting the Hawaii Dam and Reservoir Safety Program State Fiscal Year 2014 Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 179D-29, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 38, dated November 25, 2014, transmitting the Annual Report of the Office of Youth Services, prepared by the Department of Human Services pursuant to Section 352D-6(11), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 39, dated November 25, 2014, transmitting the State of Hawaii Offices in Taiwan and Beijing Annual

Report, prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism pursuant to Section 201-84, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 40, dated November 25, 2014, transmitting the Hawaii Targeted and Emerging Industries, 2014 Update Report, prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism pursuant to Section 201-19(b), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 41, dated November 25, 2014, transmitting the 2014 Annual Report of the High Technology Development Corporation, prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism pursuant to Chapter 206M, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 42, dated November 25, 2014, transmitting the Energy Resources Coordinator's Report, prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism pursuant to Act 95, SLH 2004.

Gov. Msg. No. 43, dated November 26, 2014, transmitting the 2014 Annual Report of the Insurance Commissioner of Hawaii, prepared by the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs pursuant to Section 431:2-211, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 44, dated November 26, 2014, transmitting the 2014 Annual Compliance Resolution Fund Report, prepared by the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs pursuant to Section 26-9(o), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 45, dated November 26, 2014, transmitting the Hawaii Post-Secondary Education Authorization Program Legislative Report, prepared by the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs pursuant to Act 180, SLH 2013.

Gov. Msg. No. 46, dated November 26, 2014, transmitting the 2014 Annual Report of the Real Estate Commission, prepared by the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs pursuant to Section 514B-73(d), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 47, dated November 26, 2014, transmitting the Renewable Energy Facilitation Activities and the Renewable Energy Facility Siting Process Report, prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism pursuant to Act 208, SLH 2008.

Gov. Msg. No. 48, dated November 26, 2014, transmitting the Facilitation of Permit Processing Report, prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism pursuant to Act 237, SLH 1985.

Gov. Msg. No. 49, dated November 26, 2014, transmitting the State of Hawaii Department of Accounting and General Services Building Code Council Annual Report, prepared by the Department of Accounting and General Services pursuant to Section 107-30, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 50, dated November 26, 2014, transmitting the State of Hawaii Department of Account and General Services Claims and Lawsuits Arbitrated, Compromised, or Settled for \$10,000 or Less Annual Report for Fiscal Year 2013-2014, prepared by the Department of Accounting and General Services pursuant to Section 41D-4(f), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 51, dated November 26, 2014, transmitting the State of Hawaii Department of Accounting and General Services Enhanced 9-1-1 Board Annual Report for the period of July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2014, prepared by the Department of Accounting and General Services pursuant to Section 138-6, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 52, dated November 26, 2014, transmitting the State of Hawaii Department of Accounting and General Services Goals and Objectives Annual Report for Fiscal Year 2013-2014, prepared by the Department of Accounting and General Services pursuant to Act 100, SLH 1999.

Gov. Msg. No. 53, dated December 8, 2014, transmitting the Hawaiian language translation of the Activities and Plans of the Aha Moku Advisory Committee Report that was approved and signed by Governor Abercrombie on November 18, 2014, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 171-4.5, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 54, dated December 9, 2014, transmitting the Stadium Authority's Stadium Special Fund Annual Report for Fiscal Year 2014, prepared by the Department of Accounting and General Services pursuant to Section 109-3, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 55, dated December 10, 2014, transmitting the Positions Exempted from Civil Service Report, prepared by the Department of Human Resources Development pursuant to Act 300, SLH 2006.

Gov. Msg. No. 56, dated December 10, 2014, transmitting the Department of Taxation's 2013-2014 Annual Report, prepared by the Department of Taxation pursuant to Section 231-3(8), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 57, dated December 10, 2014, transmitting the Office of Information Practices' Annual Report, prepared by the Office of Information Practices pursuant to Section 92F-42(7), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 58, dated December 10, 2014, transmitting the Medicaid Compliance with the federal Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act, prepared by the Department of Human Services pursuant to Act 240, SLH 2013.

Gov. Msg. No. 59, dated December 10, 2014, transmitting the Relating to Health Care Administrative Uniformity of the temporary Health Care Transformation Office Report, prepared by the Office of the Governor pursuant to Act 224, SLH 2013.

Gov. Msg. No. 60, dated December 10, 2014, transmitting the Psychotropic Medication Report, prepared by the Department of Human Services pursuant to 346-59.9, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 61, dated December 15, 2014, transmitting the Establishment of the Public Land Trust Inventory Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 3, Act 54, SLH 2011.

Gov. Msg. No. 62, dated December 15, 2014, transmitting the Accounting of All Receipts from Lands Described in Section 5(f) of the Admission Act Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 5, Act 178, SLH 2006.

Gov. Msg. No. 63, dated December 15, 2014, transmitting the Natural Area Reserves System, Natural Area Partnership Program, and the Financial Condition of the Natural Area Reserve Fund Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 195-6.6, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 64, dated December 15, 2014, transmitting the 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 Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Sections 6 and 7, Act 100, SLH 1999.

Gov. Msg. No. 65, dated December 15, 2014, transmitting a report relating to the progress of the State ACA Innovation Waiver Task Force, prepared by the Office of the Governor pursuant to Act 158, SLH 2014.

Gov. Msg. No. 66, dated December 15, 2014, transmitting the State Public Charter School Commission Annual Report, prepared by the State Public Charter School Commission pursuant to Section 302D-7, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 67, dated December 16, 2014, transmitting the Department of the Attorney General's Annual Report on the Tobacco Enforcement Special Fund, prepared by the Department of the Attorney General pursuant to Section 28-15(d), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 68, dated December 16, 2014, transmitting the Department of the Attorney General's 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, prepared by the Department of the Attorney General pursuant to Section 803-47(c), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 69, dated December 16, 2014, transmitting the Department of the Attorney General's Annual Report on Recommendations for Denial of Claims for Legislative Relief, prepared by the Department of the Attorney General pursuant to Section 37-77, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 70, dated December 22, 2014, transmitting the Multi-Year Program and Financial Plan and Executive Budget for the Period 2015-2021, the Variance Report for FYs 2014-2015, and the Budget in Brief for FY 2015-2017, prepared by the Department of Budget and Finance pursuant to Sections 37-69, 37-71, and 37-75, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 71, dated January 2, 2015, transmitting the Operation of the Internet Portal 2014 Annual Report, prepared by the Department of the Attorney General pursuant to Section 27G-5, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 72, dated January 2, 2015, transmitting the Actuarial Analysis of the Projected Costs of Providing Insurance Coverage for the Screening, Diagnosis, and Treatment of Autism Spectrum Disorders, prepared by the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs pursuant to Act 185, SLH 2014.

Gov. Msg. No. 73, dated January 2, 2015, transmitting the Environment Response Law and Hawaii Emergency Planning and Community Right to Know Act Financial and Environmental Site Information Reports, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to Section 128D and Section 128E, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 74, dated January 2, 2015, transmitting the Transfer Responsibility of the Medical Use of Marijuana Program from the Department of Public Safety to the Department of Health, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to Act 177, SLH 2013.

Gov. Msg. No. 75, dated January 2, 2015, transmitting the Status of the Program for Environmentally-Themed Products to Support the Environment Report, prepared by the Department of Land and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 195D-5.5, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 76, dated January 2, 2015, transmitting the Office of Planning Annual Report for FY 2013-2014, prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism pursuant to Section 205A-3(10), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 77, dated January 2, 2015, transmitting the Activities Under the Neurotrauma Special Fund Annual Report, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to Section 321H-4, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 78, dated January 2, 2015, transmitting the Status of the Sanitation and Environmental Health Education Fund and the Sanitation Branch Annual Audit Reports, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to Sections 321-27 and 321-27.5, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 79, dated January 2, 2015, transmitting the Persons Waiting for Developmental Disability or Intellectual

Disability Services and Support Annual Report, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to Section 333F-6, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 80, dated January 2, 2015, transmitting the Stroke Task Force Final Report, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to S.C.R. No. 155, S.D. 1 (2013).

Gov. Msg. No. 81, dated January 2, 2015, transmitting the Drinking Water Treatment Revolving Loan Fund Report, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to Section 340E-33, HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 82, dated January 2, 2015, transmitting the Rental Housing Trust Fund Project Awards Report, prepared by the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism pursuant to Section 201H-202(f), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 83, dated January 2, 2015, transmitting the Comprehensive Breast and Cervical Cancer Control Program Report, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to Act 52, Section 4, SLH 2008.

Gov. Msg. No. 84, dated January 2, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report on Implementation for Substance Abuse, pursuant to Section 321-195, HRS; Hawaii Advisory Commission on Drug Abuse and Controlled Substances, pursuant to 329-3, HRS; Coordination of Offender Substance Abuse Treatment Programs, pursuant to Act 161, Section 10, SLH 2002; Substance Abuse Treatment Monitoring Program, pursuant to Act 40, Section 29, SLH 2004; and Operating Clean and Sober Homes, pursuant to Act 193, Section 9, SLH 2014, prepared by the Department of Health.

Gov. Msg. No. 85, dated January 2, 2015, transmitting the Primary Care Incentive Program Report, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to Section 321-1.5(6), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 86, dated January 2, 2015, transmitting the Emergency Medical Service Special Fund Annual Report, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to Section 321-234(d), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 87, dated January 2, 2015, transmitting the Trauma System Special Fund Annual Report, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to Section 321-22.5(g), HRS.

Gov. Msg. No. 88, dated January 2, 2015, transmitting the Disability and Communication Access Board Annual Report, prepared by the Department of Health pursuant to Section 348F-4, HRS.

#### DEPARTMENTAL COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications (Dept. Com. Nos. 1 to 19, 22 to 36, and 50 to 55) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Dept. Com. No. 1, from the Office of the Auditor dated September 16, 2014, transmitting the report, "Study of Proposed Mandatory Health Insurance for Treatment of Orofacial Anomalies" (Report No. 14-08) pursuant to Section 23-9, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 2, from the Department of Health dated August 11, 2014, transmitting the State Fiscal Year 2013 Financial and Compliance Audit and Internal Control and Business Issues Report.

Dept. Com. No. 3, from the Legislative Research Bureau dated September 2, 2014, transmitting the report, "Is the Grass Always Greener? An Updated Look at Other State Medical Marijuana Programs," pursuant to H.C.R. No. 48, H.D. 2, S.D. 1 (2014).

Dept. Com. No. 4, from the Office of the Auditor dated October 13, 2014, transmitting the report, "Study of the Civil

Service Exemption Process" (Report No. 14-09) pursuant to Section 23-9, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 5, from the Office of the Auditor dated December 1, 2014, transmitting the report, "Sunrise Analysis: Regulation of Medical Marijuana Dispensaries" (Report No. 14-12) pursuant to Section 23-9, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 6, from the Office of the Auditor dated December 3, 2014, transmitting the report, "Review of Special Funds, Revolving Funds, Trust Funds and Trust Accounts of the Departments of the Attorney General and Business, Economic Development and Tourism" (Report No. 14-13) pursuant to Section 23-9, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 7, from the Office of the Auditor dated November 25, 2014, transmitting the report, "Audit of the Hawai'i State Foundation Culture on the Arts" (Report No. 14-11) pursuant to Section 23-9, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 8, from the State-County Functions Working Group (TAT) dated December 18, 2014, transmitting the interim report of Working Group activities in 2014 and its plans for 2015.

Dept. Com. No. 9, from the University of Hawai'i dated December 19, 2014, transmitting the Annual Report on Hawai'i P-20 Partnerships for Education and Plans for Education in the 21st Century pursuant to Act 281, SLH 2007.

Dept. Com. No. 10, from the Office of the Auditor dated December 22, 2014, transmitting the report, "Sunrise Analysis: Regulation of Herbal Therapists" (Report No. 14-14) pursuant to Section 23-9, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 11, from the Office of the Auditor dated December 22, 2014, transmitting the report, "Sunrise Analysis: Regulation of Veterinary Technicians" (Report No. 14-15) pursuant to Section 23-9, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 12, from the University of Hawai'i dated December 22, 2014, transmitting the Report on the University of Hawai'i's Guidelines and the Status of its Title IX and VAWA Policies, Procedures, Staffing and Statistics pursuant to H.C.R. No. 12, H.D. 1, S.D. 1 (2014).

Dept. Com. No. 13, from the University of Hawai'i dated December 23, 2014, transmitting the Annual Report on Material Weaknesses and Fraud pursuant to Section 304A-321, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 14, from the University of Hawai'i dated December 23, 2014, transmitting the Annual Report on the Construction Academy Curriculum pursuant to Section 304A-1144, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 15, from the University of Hawai'i dated December 24, 2014, transmitting the Annual Report on Nursing Scholars Program pursuant to Section 304A-3305, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 16, from the University of Hawai'i dated December 24, 2014, transmitting the Annual Report on Operations of the Hawai'i Research Center for Future Studies pursuant to Section 304A-3253, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 17, from the University of Hawai'i dated December 24, 2014, transmitting the Semi-Annual Report on Hawai'i Cancer Research Special Fund for January 1, 2014 to June 30, 2014 pursuant to Section 304A-2168, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 18, from the University of Hawai'i dated December 24, 2014, transmitting the Semi-Annual Report on Hawai'i Cancer Research Special Fund from July 1, 2013 to December 31, 2013 pursuant to Section 304A-2168, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 19, from the University of Hawai'i dated December 24, 2014, transmitting the combined Annual Report

on the Goals, Objectives/Policies, Action Plan and Performance Measures pursuant to Act 100, SLH 1999, and Biennium Report on Benchmarks and Performance Indicators pursuant to Section 304A-2001, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 22, from the Office of the Auditor dated December 29, 2014, transmitting the report, "Audit of the Department of Health's Glass Advance Disposal Fee Program," (Report No. 14-16) pursuant to Section 23-9, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 23, from the Office of the Auditor dated December 29, 2014, transmitting the report, "Review of Special Funds, Revolving Funds, Trust Funds, and Trust Accounts of the University of Hawai'i" (Report No. 14-18) pursuant to Section 23-9, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 24, from the Office of the Auditor dated December 30, 2014, transmitting the report, "A Study to Identify Local Alternatives to Shipping Non-Deposit Glass out of the State of Hawai'i" (Report No. 14-17) pursuant to Section 23-9, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 25, from the University of Hawai'i dated January 2, 2015, transmitting the Annual Report from the Hawai'i Natural Energy Institute pursuant to Section 304A-1891, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 26, from the University of Hawai'i dated January 6, 2015, transmitting the 2014 Annual Report of the Research Corporation of the University of Hawai'i pursuant to Section 304A-3007, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 27, from the Department of Budget and Finance dated November 3, 2014, transmitting the Report on the Non-Facility Per-Pupil Allocation pursuant to Act 130, SLH 2012, and Act 122, SLH 2014.

Dept. Com. No. 28, from the Department of Budget and Finance dated November 14, 2014, transmitting a report on temporary positions and funds to provide backfill support for departments where permanent staffing have been assigned to work on the implementation of the Enterprise Resource Planning project pursuant to Act 134, SLH 2014.

Dept. Com. No. 29, from the City Clerk, City and County of Honolulu, dated December 10, 2014, transmitting Resolution 14-268, which was adopted by the Council of the City and County of Honolulu on December 10, 2014.

Dept. Com. No. 30, from the County Clerk, County of Kaua'i, dated December 19, 2014, transmitting Resolution No. 2015-09, which was adopted by the Kaua'i County Council on December 17, 2014.

Dept. Com. No. 31, from the Hawai'i Invasive Species Council dated December 22, 2014, transmitting Resolution 14-2, which was adopted by the Council on October 28, 2014.

Dept. Com. No. 32, from the Hawai'i State Center for Nursing dated December 22, 2014, transmitting its 2014 Annual Report.

Dept. Com. No. 33, from the Office of Hawaiian Affairs dated December 24, 2014, transmitting its 2014 Annual Report, including the 2014 Grants and Scholarships Annual Report, pursuant to Section 10-15, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 34, from the Department of Land and Natural Resources dated December 29, 2014, transmitting the report on the 2014 Activities and Status of the Aha Moku Advisory Committee pursuant to Act 288, SLH 2012.

Dept. Com. No. 35, from the County of Hawai'i Police Department dated January 2, 2015, transmitting the Report Concerning Electric Guns and Their Use pursuant to Section 134-16(d), HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 36, from the County of Maui Police Department dated January 5, 2015, transmitting Report Concerning Electric Guns and Their Use pursuant to Section 134-16(d), HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 50, from the University of Hawai'i dated January 5, 2015, transmitting the Report on Certification of Compliance by the University of Hawai'i Board of Regents, pursuant to Act 134, SLH 2013.

Dept. Com. No. 51, from the State Procurement Office dated January 8, 2015, transmitting the report, "Legislative Report – Study on Past Performance Consideration in Hawaii Contracting," pursuant to H.C.R. No. 176 (2014).

Dept. Com. No. 52, from the House and Senate Committees on Human Services dated September 25, 2014, transmitting reports produced by the Home and Community-Based Services Working Group pursuant to Act 215, SLH 2013.

Dept. Com. No. 53, from the City Clerk, City and County of Honolulu, dated December 10, 2014, transmitting Resolution 14-267, which was adopted by the Council of the City and County of Honolulu on December 10, 2014.

Dept. Com. No. 54, from the Department of Budget and Finance dated December 8, 2014, transmitting the FY14 Transfers from Non-General Funds to General Funds Report pursuant to Section 37-46, HRS.

Dept. Com. No. 55, from the Department of Budget and Finance dated December 8, 2014, transmitting the FY14 Special Fund Assessments for Central Services Report pursuant to Section 36-27, HRS, and the FY14 Departmental Administrative Expenses Report pursuant to Section 36-30, HRS.

## HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the House (Hse. Com. Nos. 1 to 3) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Hse. Com. No. 1, transmitting H.C.R. No. 1, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on January 21, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.C.R. No. 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RELATING TO RECESS DAYS FOR THE REGULAR SESSION OF 2015," was adopted.

Hse. Com. No. 2, transmitting H.C.R. No. 2, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on January 21, 2015, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.C.R. No. 2, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO ADDRESS THE LEGISLATURE ASSEMBLED IN JOINT SESSION," was adopted.

Hse. Com. No. 3, transmitting H.R. No. 5, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on January 21, 2015, was placed on file.

## JUDICIARY COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the Judiciary (Jud. Com. Nos. 1 to 3) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Jud. Com. No. 1, dated December 11, 2014, transmitting the 2013 Annual Report of the Hawaii Access to Justice Commission pursuant to Rule 21(j)(1) of the Rules of the Supreme Court of the State of Hawai'i.

Jud. Com. No. 2, dated December 19, 2014, transmitting the Report of the Judiciary Working Group Relating to Environmental Court pursuant to Act 218, Section 7, SLH 2014.

Jud. Com. No. 3, dated December 22, 2014, transmitting the following reports from the Judiciary and Administrative Director of the Courts: Multi-Year Program and Financial Plan (2015-2021), Biennium Budget (2015-2017), and Variance Report (2013-2015), pursuant to Act 159, SLH 1974, and Chapter 37, HRS; Center for Alternative Dispute Resolution Annual Report, pursuant to Section 613-4, HRS; King Kamehameha V – Judiciary History Center 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 607-3.6, HRS; and Report on the Number of Complaints Against Court-Appointed Child Custody Evaluators, pursuant to Section 571-46.4, HRS.

#### INTRODUCTION OF SENATE BILLS

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the following bills passed First Reading by title and were referred to committee or deferred:

S.B. No. 1 “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RESEARCH CORPORATION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.”

Introduced by: Senator Kim.

Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 2 “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PILOTAGE.”

Introduced by: Senator Kim.

Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 3 “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC BOARDS.”

Introduced by: Senator Kim.

Referred to: Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 4 “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR CHAMINADE UNIVERSITY OF HONOLULU.”

Introduced by: Senator Kim, by request.

Referred to: Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 5 “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROFESSIONAL AND VOCATIONAL LICENSING.”

Introduced by: Senator Ruderman, by request.

Referred to: Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection

S.B. No. 6 “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC PROCUREMENT CODE.”

Introduced by: Senator Ruderman, by request.

Referred to: Committee on Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 7 “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCESS SERVERS.”

Introduced by: Senator Ruderman, by request.

Referred to: Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 8 “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STANDARDS OF CONDUCT.”

Introduced by: Senator Ihara.

Referred to: Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 9 “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC AGENCIES.”

Introduced by: Senator Ihara.

Referred to: Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 10 “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DIAMOND HEAD SEAWALL.”

Introduced by: Senator Ihara.

Referred to: Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 11 “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS.”

Introduced by: Senator Ihara, by request.

Referred to: Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 12 “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SMALL BUSINESS REGULATORY FLEXIBILITY ACT.”

Introduced by: Senators Baker, Chun Oakland, Kidani, Gabbard, Green, Inouye, Nishihara, Riviere, Wakai.

Referred to: Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 13 “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PSYCHOLOGY.”

Introduced by: Senators Baker, Chun Oakland, Green, Kidani, Nishihara, Inouye, Riviere.

Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection

S.B. No. 14	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RESIDENTIAL LANDLORD-TENANT CODE.”	S.B. No. 21	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING.”
Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Chun Oakland, English, Harimoto, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Nishihara, Riviere, Wakai, Gabbard, Green.	Introduced by:	Senator English.
Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 15	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDIATION AFFECTING JUDICIAL FORECLOSURE.”	S.B. No. 22	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COURTS.”
Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Green, Kidani, English, Inouye, Kahele, Nishihara, Taniguchi.	Introduced by:	Senator English.
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 16	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOWING.”	S.B. No. 23	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIME.”
Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Kahele, Kidani, Harimoto, Nishihara, Wakai.	Introduced by:	Senator English.
Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 17	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL ESTATE SELLER DISCLOSURE.”	S.B. No. 24	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS.”
Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Green, Inouye, Kahele, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Nishihara, Riviere, Wakai.	Introduced by:	Senator English.
Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 18	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMOKING.”	S.B. No. 25	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM.”
Introduced by:	Senators Harimoto, Green.	Introduced by:	Senator English.
Referred to:	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 19	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION.”	S.B. No. 26	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT.”
Introduced by:	Senators Nishihara, Harimoto, Espero.	Introduced by:	Senator English.
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 20	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE DRIVER LICENSING.”	S.B. No. 27	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INFORMATION PRACTICES.”
Introduced by:	Senator Nishihara, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator English.
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
		S.B. No. 28	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY.”
		Introduced by:	Senator English.
		Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
		S.B. No. 29	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR.”
		Introduced by:	Senator English.
		Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
		S.B. No. 30	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE.”
		Introduced by:	Senator English.
		Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
		S.B. No. 31	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SUNSHINE LAW.”
		Introduced by:	Senator English.
		Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
		S.B. No. 32	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE.”
		Introduced by:	Senator English.
		Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 33	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Introduced by:	Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
	Referred to:		
S.B. No. 34	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESS REGULATION."	S.B. No. 44	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS."
	Introduced by:	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Referred to:	Referred to:	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs
	Referred to:	S.B. No. 45	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS."
S.B. No. 35	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCE."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Introduced by:	Referred to:	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs
	Referred to:	S.B. No. 46	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS."
S.B. No. 36	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Introduced by:	Referred to:	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs
	Referred to:	S.B. No. 47	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
S.B. No. 37	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Introduced by:	Referred to:	Committee on Education
	Referred to:	S.B. No. 48	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIBRARIES."
S.B. No. 38	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Introduced by:	Referred to:	Committee on Education
	Referred to:	S.B. No. 49	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHERS."
S.B. No. 39	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Introduced by:	Referred to:	Committee on Education
	Referred to:	S.B. No. 50	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."
S.B. No. 40	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LICENSING."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Introduced by:	Referred to:	Committee on Health
	Referred to:	S.B. No. 51	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."
S.B. No. 41	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROFESSIONS AND VOCATIONS."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Introduced by:	Referred to:	Committee on Health
	Referred to:	S.B. No. 52	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."
S.B. No. 42	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Introduced by:	Referred to:	Committee on Health
	Referred to:	S.B. No. 53	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ECONOMY."
S.B. No. 43	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TELECOMMUNICATIONS."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Introduced by:	Referred to:	Committee on Economic Development and Technology
	Referred to:	S.B. No. 54	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ECONOMY."
		Introduced by:	Senator English.
		Referred to:	Committee on Economic Development and Technology



S.B. No. 55	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Introduced by:	Referred to:	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts
	Referred to:		Committee on Economic Development and Technology
S.B. No. 56	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Introduced by:	Referred to:	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts
	Referred to:		Committee on Water and Land
S.B. No. 57	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OCEAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Introduced by:	Referred to:	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts
	Referred to:		Committee on Water and Land
S.B. No. 58	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER USE."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Introduced by:	Referred to:	Committee on Government Operations
	Referred to:		Committee on Water and Land
S.B. No. 59	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Introduced by:	Referred to:	Committee on Government Operations
	Referred to:		Committee on Tourism and International Affairs
S.B. No. 60	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Introduced by:	Referred to:	Committee on Government Operations
	Referred to:		Committee on Tourism and International Affairs
S.B. No. 61	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOURISM."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Introduced by:	Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs
	Referred to:		Committee on Tourism and International Affairs
S.B. No. 62	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOMELESSNESS."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Introduced by:	Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs
	Referred to:		Committee on Human Services and Housing
S.B. No. 63	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Introduced by:	Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs
	Referred to:		Committee on Human Services and Housing
S.B. No. 64	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Introduced by:	Referred to:	Committee on Energy and Environment
	Referred to:		Committee on Human Services and Housing
S.B. No. 65	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ARTS."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Introduced by:	Referred to:	Committee on Energy and Environment
	Referred to:		Committee on Higher Education and the Arts
S.B. No. 66	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHER EDUCATION."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Introduced by:	Referred to:	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts
	Referred to:		Committee on Higher Education and the Arts
S.B. No. 67	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAI'I."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Introduced by:	Referred to:	Committee on Higher Education and the Arts
	Referred to:		Committee on Higher Education and the Arts
S.B. No. 68	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Introduced by:	Referred to:	Committee on Government Operations
	Referred to:		Committee on Government Operations
S.B. No. 69	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE FACILITIES."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Introduced by:	Referred to:	Committee on Government Operations
	Referred to:		Committee on Government Operations
S.B. No. 70	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AND GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS AND POLICY."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Introduced by:	Referred to:	Committee on Government Operations
	Referred to:		Committee on Government Operations
S.B. No. 71	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AEROSPACE DEVELOPMENT."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Introduced by:	Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs
	Referred to:		Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs
S.B. No. 72	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Introduced by:	Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs
	Referred to:		Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs
S.B. No. 73	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Introduced by:	Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs
	Referred to:		Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs
S.B. No. 74	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Introduced by:	Referred to:	Committee on Energy and Environment
	Referred to:		Committee on Energy and Environment
S.B. No. 75	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT."	Introduced by:	Senator English.
	Introduced by:	Referred to:	Committee on Energy and Environment
	Referred to:		Committee on Energy and Environment

S.B. No. 76	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT.”	S.B. No. 88	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FINANCES.”
Introduced by:	Senator English.	Introduced by:	Senator English.
Referred to:	Committee on Energy and Environment	Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 77	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE.”	S.B. No. 89	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FUNDS.”
Introduced by:	Senator English.	Introduced by:	Senator English.
Referred to:	Committee on Agriculture	Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 78	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE.”	S.B. No. 90	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FUNDS.”
Introduced by:	Senator English.	Introduced by:	Senator English.
Referred to:	Committee on Agriculture	Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 79	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE.”	S.B. No. 91	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REVENUE.”
Introduced by:	Senator English.	Introduced by:	Senator English.
Referred to:	Committee on Agriculture	Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 80	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION.”	S.B. No. 92	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION.”
Introduced by:	Senator English.	Introduced by:	Senator English.
Referred to:	Committee on Transportation	Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 81	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION.”	S.B. No. 93	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION.”
Introduced by:	Senator English.	Introduced by:	Senator English.
Referred to:	Committee on Transportation	Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 82	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION.”	S.B. No. 94	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION.”
Introduced by:	Senator English.	Introduced by:	Senator English.
Referred to:	Committee on Transportation	Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 83	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO APPROPRIATIONS.”	S.B. No. 95	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SELF DEFENSE.”
Introduced by:	Senator English.	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Slom.
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Ways and Means, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 84	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO APPROPRIATIONS.”	S.B. No. 96	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE TWENTIETH SENATORIAL DISTRICT.”
Introduced by:	Senator English.	Introduced by:	Senator Gabbard.
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 85	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO APPROPRIATIONS.”	S.B. No. 97	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NATURAL RESOURCES.”
Introduced by:	Senator English.	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Galuteria, Green, Ihara, Inouye, Slom.
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Water and Land, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 86	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BONDS.”		
Introduced by:	Senator English.		
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means		
S.B. No. 87	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET.”		
Introduced by:	Senator English.		
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means		

S.B. No. 98	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION.”	S.B. No. 108	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NUISANCE ABATEMENT.”
Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Espero, Harimoto, Ihara, Kidani, Nishihara.	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Baker, Keith-Agaran.
Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 99	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARKING.”	S.B. No. 109	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POLICE.”
Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Kidani, Espero, Harimoto, Ihara, Nishihara.	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Baker, Galuteria, Slom.
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 100	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO APPROPRIATIONS.”	S.B. No. 110	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTIES.”
Introduced by:	Senator Tokuda.	Introduced by:	Senator Ruderman, by request.
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 101	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET.”	S.B. No. 111	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE.”
Introduced by:	Senator Tokuda.	Introduced by:	Senator Ruderman, by request.
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 102	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUDGETING.”	S.B. No. 112	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE THIRD SENATORIAL DISTRICT.”
Introduced by:	Senator Tokuda.	Introduced by:	Senator Green.
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 103	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET.”	S.B. No. 113	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII STATE LOAN REPAYMENT PROGRAM.”
Introduced by:	Senator Tokuda.	Introduced by:	Senators Green, Baker, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Harimoto, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, English, Gabbard, Ihara, Nishihara, Riviere, Ruderman.
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Higher Education and the Arts, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 104	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BUDGETING.”	S.B. No. 114	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DENTISTRY.”
Introduced by:	Senator Tokuda.	Introduced by:	Senators Green, Baker, English, Espero, Gabbard, Galuteria, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Nishihara, Riviere, Thielen.
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
S.B. No. 105	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET.”	S.B. No. 115	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH.”
Introduced by:	Senator Tokuda.	Introduced by:	Senators Green, Baker, Chun Oakland, Harimoto, Riviere, English, Espero,
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means		
S.B. No. 106	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURE CEILING.”		
Introduced by:	Senator Tokuda.		
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor		
S.B. No. 107	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COURT FEES.”		
Introduced by:	Senator Espero.		
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means		

	Galuteria, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Nishihara, Taniguchi, Thielen.	S.B. No. 123	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY."
Referred to:	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Education	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Green, Harimoto, Kahele, Riviere, Dela Cruz, Espero, Galuteria, Keith-Agaran, Nishihara, Ruderman.
S.B. No. 116	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII RULES OF EVIDENCE."	Referred to:	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Introduced by:	Senators Green, Baker, Chun Oakland, English, Espero, Galuteria, Harimoto, Ihara, Riviere, Ruderman, Thielen.	S.B. No. 124	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY."
Referred to:	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Espero, Harimoto, Kahele, Galuteria, Ihara, Nishihara, Riviere, Ruderman.
S.B. No. 117	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senators Green, Baker, Chun Oakland, English, Espero, Harimoto, Kidani, Ruderman, Galuteria, Ihara, Keith-Agaran, Riviere.	S.B. No. 125	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENTAL HOUSING."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Green, Ruderman, Dela Cruz, Thielen.
S.B. No. 118	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT TRUSTS."	Referred to:	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senator Kim.	S.B. No. 126	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senators Harimoto, Chun Oakland, Dela Cruz, Kidani.
S.B. No. 119	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT COST ITEMS."	Referred to:	Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Introduced by:	Senator Kim.	S.B. No. 127	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CROSSWALK SAFETY."
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senators Harimoto, Espero, Inouye, Kidani.
S.B. No. 120	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING."	Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Espero, Galuteria, Dela Cruz, English, Green, Harimoto, Riviere.	S.B. No. 128	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES."
Referred to:	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senators Harimoto, Dela Cruz, Espero.
S.B. No. 121	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY."	Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Espero, Green, Dela Cruz, English, Harimoto, Keith-Agaran, Kim, Riviere.	S.B. No. 129	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR."
Referred to:	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro, Tokuda, Baker.
S.B. No. 122	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senators Chun Oakland, Green, Harimoto, Riviere.	S.B. No. 130	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATEWIDE TRAFFIC CODE."
Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran, by request.
		Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor

S.B. No. 131	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD LABELING.”	Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro, Tokuda, Wakai.
Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, English, Ruderman, Shimabukuro, Riviere.	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Agriculture, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	S.B. No. 140	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT RECORDS.”
S.B. No. 132	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION.”	Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, English, Shimabukuro, Wakai.
Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Baker, Dela Cruz, English, Inouye, Riviere, Shimabukuro, Kahele, Ruderman.	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 141	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMALS.”
S.B. No. 133	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES’ RETIREMENT SYSTEM.”	Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran, by request.
Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Tokuda, Wakai, Baker, Shimabukuro.	Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 142	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WAILUKU STATE OFFICE MASTER PLAN.”
S.B. No. 134	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARTITION OF HEIRS PROPERTY.”	Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Baker, English.
Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, English, Shimabukuro.	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 143	“A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION TO CHANGE THE THRESHOLD VALUE IN CONTROVERSY REQUIREMENT FOR JURY TRIALS IN CIVIL CASES AT COMMON LAW FROM \$5,000 TO \$10,000.”
S.B. No. 135	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUNSHINE LAW.”	Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro.
Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran, by request.	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 144	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JURY TRIAL.”
S.B. No. 136	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD WITNESS TESTIMONY.”	Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro.
Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Baker, Shimabukuro, Tokuda, Wakai.	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 145	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WRONGFUL IMPRISONMENT.”
S.B. No. 137	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE.”	Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro, Baker, English, Wakai.
Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Dela Cruz, English, Shimabukuro.	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 146	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TORT LIABILITY.”
S.B. No. 138	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEGISLATIVE JURISDICTION.”	Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran, by request.
Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Espero, Shimabukuro.	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Water and Land and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 147	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE.”
S.B. No. 139	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL SERVICE EXEMPTIONS.”	Introduced by:	Senators Keith-Agaran, Shimabukuro.
		Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor
		S.B. No. 148	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NUISANCE ABATEMENT.”
		Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran, by request.

Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 149	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OPEN GOVERNMENT."	S.B. No. 158	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET DOCUMENTS."
Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran, by request.	Introduced by:	Senators Tokuda, English, Keith-Agaran, Kouchi.
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 159	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REPEAL OF NON-GENERAL FUNDS."
S.B. No. 150	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOTING."	Introduced by:	Senators Tokuda, English, Keith-Agaran, Kouchi, Wakai.
Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran, by request.	S.B. No. 160	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII NON-GENERAL FUNDS."
Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Introduced by:	Senators Tokuda, English, Inouye, Keith-Agaran, Kouchi, Taniguchi.
S.B. No. 151	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."	S.B. No. 161	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE."
Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran.
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Human Services and Housing and the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 162	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING IN PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT."
S.B. No. 152	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE RETENTION OF BIOLOGICAL EVIDENCE."	Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran.
Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran, by request.	S.B. No. 163	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING."
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran.
S.B. No. 153	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ATTORNEYS."	S.B. No. 164	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTRACTORS."
Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran.
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	S.B. No. 165	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE FACILITIES."
S.B. No. 154	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ATTORNEYS."	Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran.
Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran, by request.	S.B. No. 166	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT."
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Labor	Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran.
S.B. No. 155	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."	S.B. No. 167	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS."
Introduced by:	Senators Chun, Oakland, Espero, Harimoto, Ihara, Nishihara, Dela Cruz, Gabbard, Galuteria, Green, Keith-Agaran, Riviere.	Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran.
Referred to:	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 168	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTRACTORS."
S.B. No. 156	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."	Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran.
Introduced by:	Senators Chun, Oakland, Ihara, Dela Cruz, English, Gabbard, Galuteria, Green, Harimoto, Keith-Agaran, Riviere.	S.B. No. 169	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."
Referred to:	Committee on Human Services and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran.
S.B. No. 157	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE TWENTY-FIFTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT."	S.B. No. 170	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."
Introduced by:	Senator Thielen.	Introduced by:	Senator Keith-Agaran.

#### SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions (S.C.R. Nos. 2 and 3) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

S.C.R. No. 2 "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT TO KAHALUU POND, INC., FOR THE USE, REPAIR, AND

MAINTENANCE OF THE SEAWALL LOCATED AT KAHALUU, KOOLAPOKO, OAHU, TMK: (1) 4-7-011: SEAWARD OF 001.”

Offered by: Senator Kim.

By unanimous consent, action on S.C.R. No. 2 was deferred.

S.C.R. No. 3 “SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION STRONGLY OPPOSING THE UNITED STATES ARMY’S PROPOSED FORCE REDUCTION OF SCHOFIELD BARRACKS AND FORT SHAFTER BASES.”

Offered by: Senators Dela Cruz, Espero, Kidani, Nishihara, Wakai.

Senator Green moved that S.C.R. No. 3 be adopted, seconded by Senator Slom.

Senator Dela Cruz rose to speak in support of the measure as follows:

“As the Army is holding its listening sessions next Tuesday and Wednesday, it was proposed that each chamber respectively introduce concurrent resolutions showing our support for our military personnel and bases.

“The Army is proposing to make significant cuts at Schofield Barracks and Fort Shafter. This obviously impacts our economy by \$1.35 billion in payroll and \$92 million in sales tax revenues. We must also consider the threats from neighboring countries in the Asia-Pacific and the threat to our national security. Our communities would see a loss of volunteers for events and programs, and schools could possibly be closed.

“All 30 Army installations across the nation are being reviewed. Fort Campbell, Kentucky held their listening session earlier this week and had to stage three locations to over 1,500 people attending. So, we really need to show Hawai‘i’s support for our military. This is a ‘leave nothing unsaid’ effort by communities across the nation who don’t want to see their bases downsize or risk closure. If sequester cuts return in 2016, we stand to lose almost 20,000 Army personnel at both of our bases.

“I also request to enter today’s *Civil Beat* opinion and this factsheet into the Journal. Thank you, Madam President.” (The Chair so ordered.)

The Chair having so ordered, the *Civil Beat* opinion and factsheet are identified as “ATTACHMENT A” to the Journal of this day.

The motion to adopt S.C.R. No. 3 was then put by the Chair and carried.

## ORDER OF THE DAY

### MISCELLANEOUS COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications (Misc. Com. Nos. 1 to 4) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Misc. Com. No. 1, from OptumRx, Inc. dated October 29, 2014, transmitting a report relating to prescription drugs pursuant to Act 226, SLH 2013.

Misc. Com. No. 2, from the Hawaii Medical Service Association (HMSA) dated December 18, 2014, transmitting a report relating to prescription drugs pursuant to Act 226, SLH 2013.

Misc. Com. No. 3, from CVS Health dated December 19, 2014, transmitting a report relating to prescription drugs pursuant to Act 226, SLH 2013.

Misc. Com. No. 4, letter from the Louisiana Secretary of State dated December 4, 2014, transmitting H.C.R. No. 70 of the 2014 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature.

At this time, Senator Slom rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

“Yesterday, colleagues, I created an incident here, and it was simply to get your attention and your love and compassion, which I did get. I wanted to publicly thank everyone who was concerned about me yesterday, particularly Dr. Green – it’s always important to have a doctor in the body – and our Majority Leader. I think there were many people who were involved, and I guess if this were Obamacare, I should be grateful.

“I got a complete medical makeover thanks to Dr. Green, but the EMT people who were there did assure me they were all Republicans, so I did feel safe. The only thing I was a little disappointed in was when I asked if there was a possibility that I would need mouth-to-mouth resuscitation, all my colleagues withdrew from the office. I wanted to express my thanks to you, and you know, we operate as a family here. We are together on many things. Anyway, I just wanted to say I appreciate our camaraderie; we’re all thinking of one another, and it was nice gestures and it was fully appreciated. So thank you, Madam President.”

The Chair responded in jest, noting that the members seated nearest to Senator Slom should administer mouth-to-mouth resuscitation, should the need arise.

Senator Thielen rose to speak on a point of personal privilege as follows:

“May I request a seat change, please?”

Senator Espero invited the members to an informational briefing on key initiatives in Hawai‘i’s growing aerospace industry to be held by the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs that afternoon in Conference Room 229

Senator Kahele introduced Arthur Cunningham, a United States veteran and aeronautical science consultant at the University of Hawai‘i at Hilo.

Senator Green informed the members of an informational briefing on the cost of autism spectrum disorders to be held by the Committee on Health that afternoon in Conference Room 414.

## ADJOURNMENT

At 11:45 a.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Friday, January 23, 2015.

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## The Army in Hawaii: Fight to Save It, Prepare to Lose It

Business leaders are right to pull out all the stops to preserve the Army's Hawaii presence at its current level, but we also need to start thinking about what comes next if major cuts are made.

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The U.S. Army stands to lose 20,000 soldiers currently stationed here in Hawaii because of budget cuts resulting from sequestration.

Schofield Barracks and Fort Shafter are among 30 possible installations the Army is evaluating for potential cuts. Before October, when a decision is expected about which bases will be affected, Hawaii could lose roughly 50,000 soldiers and civilians, or about 5 percent of Oahu's population.

The Chamber of Commerce is currently circulating a petition to "Keep Hawaii's Heroes," and the Army has scheduled two listening sessions (Jan. 27 and 28) to hear concerns from the community.

U.S. Army



*It's in Hawaii's best interest economically for the Army to maintain its presence here.*

Hawaii should fight to keep the Army for two main reasons: First, the chance to positively impact America's relations in the Pacific; and second, The cuts would deal a serious blow to the state's economy. But we also need to prepare to lose it.

### At the Center of America's Involvement in the Pacific

Despite its challenges, Hawaii gives the Army a unique and culturally diverse perspective on the Pacific region — a region where seven of the world's 10 largest armies operate.

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From February to July, more than 1,000 Hawaii-based soldiers are deploying to Thailand, South Korea, the Philippines, Australia, Indonesia and Malaysia. The deployments are part of an initiative called Pacific Pathways, and the goal is threefold: allow U.S. soldiers to train in different environments, be forward-deployed in case of conflicts or humanitarian disasters, and engage in diplomatic, military-to-military relations.

While the exercises are definitely idiosyncratic — in its expeditionary mission, the Army resembles the Marines — they are also innovative.

Pacific Pathways allows the Army to broaden its capabilities and leverage its many resources while complementing the work Marines have long done in the region.

The Pacific theater encompasses more than half the globe. It is home to pressing security challenges such as China's increased militarization and the "ring of fire," the most disaster-prone region in the world. As U.S. Army Pacific Commander Gen. Vincent Brooks said to the Washington Post, "There's plenty of work to be done in the Pacific."

As the gateway to the Pacific, Hawaii should continue to be a key player in that work.

### A Serious Blow To Hawaii's Economy

When you're sitting in traffic, the immediate loss of 5 percent of Oahu's population might seem like a great idea. Some people are even heralding the potential cuts as a sort of magic bullet — a way to alleviate overcrowding on the island and solve many of Hawaii's most intransigent problems like a lack of housing.

But this utopian vision overlooks the very drastic short-term consequences.

According to Gov. David Ige, whose first job out of college, coincidentally, was as a military consultant on Ford Island, the military generates more than \$14.7 billion in economic activity here. The Army estimates that it alone had a \$3 billion economic impact in the state last year and without it, the state's unemployment rate would double.

It is not hyperbolic to say that losing that activity so swiftly would, for the next 10 to 20 years at least, be devastating to the local economy. Without the jobs provided by Schofield Barracks, the communities of Wahiawa, Mililani, Haleiwa and Waialua would be in a freefall. What industry or employer would rush in to take its place?

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**Hawaii Should be Prepared**

While politicians everywhere fight tooth and nail to avoid base closures, that doesn't mean they don't still happen. As it petitions to avoid this loss, Hawaii also needs to prepare itself and look for ways to mitigate the blow.

Base closures are almost always wrenching in the short term, but some communities are more successful than others at converting military facilities to civilian uses. Fort Ord in Monterey, California, is sometimes cited as an example of this.

Fort Ord saw the loss of 35,000 people when it closed in 1994. In the 20 years since, it has established an attractive national monument, built a joint Department of Defense/Veterans Administration health care clinic, and opened California State University Monterey Bay, which now has close to 7,000 students and has repurposed crumbling barracks as dorms.

While these revitalization efforts are impressive, the fact remains that the area is still bereft of any meaningful economic activity. According to Michael Houlemard, the executive officer of the Fort Ord Reuse Authority (FORA), the negative economic impact is over a billion dollars a year. FORA says delays in everything from planning to regulatory requirements are some of the biggest barriers, even now, to reuse of the area.

If Hawaii wants to avoid Fort Ord's fate, it must fight to keep the Army here and seriously plan to lose it.

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**KEEP HAWAII'S HEROES**

SAVE OUR BASES, OUR COMMUNITIES DEPEND ON IT

**FORT SHAFTER ★ SCHOFIELD BARRACKS****FACT SHEET**

As part of its 2020 force structure realignment, the Army is considering a proposal that would eliminate 19,800 soldiers and approximately 30,000 civilians. The total is roughly 5% of Honolulu's total population.

**-16,606**  
**SCHOFIELD**  
**BARRACKS**

**-3,786**  
**FORT**  
**SHAFTER**

**-30,000**  
**FAMILY**  
**MEMBERS**

**HONOLULU'S**  
**POPULATION** **-5%**

**ARMY FINDINGS**

The Army conducted a Supplemental Programmatic Environmental Assessment. It looked at 14 factors.

Results were "minor to beneficial" in all categories except one: **Socioeconomic**.

Air quality  
Airspace  
Cultural resources  
Noise  
Soils  
Biological resources  
Wetlands

Water resources  
Facilities  
**Socioeconomic**  
Energy demand and generation  
Land use conflict and compatibility  
Hazardous materials and hazardous waste  
Traffic and transportation

**WHAT WOULD BE IMPACTED?**

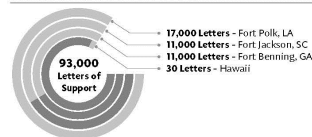
**-20,000 Jobs**  
Impacted Industries include construction, retail, restaurants, real estate and professional/scientific/technical services

**ECONOMIC IMPACT**

**-\$1.35 Billion**  
\$9.2 Million in sales tax receipts

**GOALS**

- CREATE AWARENESS**
  - Invite us to make a presentation at a company meeting or a community organization
  - Invite us to a community event
  - Follow our social media pages
  - Subscribe to & share our email list
- SIGN THE PETITION**
  - Sign online at [KeepHawaiiHeroes.org](http://KeepHawaiiHeroes.org)
- ATTEND THE LISTENING SESSION**
  - Sign up online to attend the Listening Session on January 27, 2015

**WHAT HAS BEEN DONE?**

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