### FOURTEENTH DAY

# Thursday, February 11, 2016

The Senate of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2016, convened at 11:40 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Roll was called showing all Senators present.

The President announced that he had read and approved the Journal of the Thirteenth Day.

At this time, Senator Baker introduced the following volunteers from the American Cancer Society Cancer Action Network who were seated in the gallery: Holly Ho Chee DuPont, Jenny Hausler, Kehau Matsumoto, Mona McNamara, Kathy O'Connor, Gay Okada, Bernie Sakoda, Wanda Shibata, Daniel Shockey, Jane Takara, Val Toro, Younna Tamura, Mark Vasconcellos, Bev Wong, and Penny Young. The volunteers were meeting with legislators to promote a campaign to increase colorectal cancer screening rates to 80 percent by 2018 in an effort to reduce the cancer burden in Hawai'i through prevention and early detection.

Senator Baker then welcomed, on behalf of Senate President Kouchi, a group of students from the Occupational Therapy Assistant Program at Kapi'olani Community College, who were seated in the gallery. As part of their Professional Concepts course, the students were visiting the State Capitol with their lecturers, Eva Shing and Dr. Whitney Asao, to learn about legislative advocacy.

Senator Keith-Agaran recognized Alfredo Evangelista, an attorney from Maui and head of the Good Shepherd Episcopal Church folk dance troupe, who was seated in the gallery.

Senator Nishihara introduced Professor Kazuhisa Nishihara and Mari Shiba of Seijo University, who were present in the gallery.

### MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following messages from the Governor (Gov. Msg. Nos. 4 to 7) were read by the Clerk and were placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 4, dated February 1, 2016, transmitting the Office of the Governor's report pursuant to Act 119, SLH 2015.

Gov. Msg. No. 5, letter dated February 8, 2016, requesting expeditious consideration of S.B. 3126 and H.B. 2726, Relating to Public Schools, in order to provide access to the financing offered through the Green Energy Market Securitization program fund.

Gov. Msg. No. 6, letter dated February 8, 2016, requesting expeditious consideration of S.B. 2898 and H.B. 2369, Making Emergency Appropriations for the State to Comply with the Affordable Care Act, in order to provide the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations and Department of Human Services with funding due to the sudden closure of the Hawai'i Health Connector.

Gov. Msg. No. 7, letter dated January 29, 2016, transmitting proposed changes to the FY 17 Supplemental Budget for the Department of Health.

#### HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the House (Hse. Com. Nos. 9 and 10) were read by the Clerk and were disposed of as follows:

Hse. Com. No. 9, transmitting H.B. No. 1170, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on February 9, 2016, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1170, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND RESOURCES," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

Hse. Com. No. 10, transmitting H.B. No. 1507, H.D. 2, which passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives on February 9, 2016, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.B. No. 1507, H.D. 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION," passed First Reading by title and was deferred.

### STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Inouye, for the Committee on Transportation and Energy, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2081) recommending that S.B. No. 2381 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2381, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE KIHEI BOAT HARBOR," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Inouye, for the Committee on Transportation and Energy, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2082) recommending that S.B. No. 2246 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2246, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TESTING FOR INTOXICANTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Inouye, for the Committee on Transportation and Energy, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2083) recommending that S.B. No. 2618 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2618, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Inouye, for the Committee on Transportation and Energy, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2084) recommending that S.B. No. 3048 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 3048, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR W.H. SHIPMAN FOR TRAFFIC MODIFICATIONS IN THE SHIPMAN BUSINESS PARK," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Inouye, for the Committee on Transportation and Energy, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2085) recommending that S.B. No. 2931, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2931, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSPECTIONS," passed Second

Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Tokuda, for the Committee on Ways and Means, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2086) recommending that S.B. No. 2922 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2922, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE TAX REVIEW COMMISSION," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Friday, February 12, 2016.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Water, Land, and Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2087) recommending that S.B. No. 2271, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2271, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Water, Land, and Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2088) recommending that S.B. No. 2800, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2800, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Water, Land, and Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2089) recommending that S.B. No. 2804, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2804, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST BIG ISLAND DAIRY, LLC," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental, and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2090) recommending that S.B. No. 2193, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2193, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental, and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2091) recommending that S.B. No. 2195, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and

S.B. No. 2195, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental, and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2092) recommending that S.B. No. 2321, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2321, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental, and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2093) recommending that S.B. No. 2912, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2912, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATEWIDE INTEGRATED SEX OFFENDER TREATMENT PROGRAM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental, and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2094) recommending that S.B. No. 3016, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 3016, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM INFORMATION PRACTICES ACT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Nishihara, for the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental, and Military Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2095) recommending that S.B. No. 2366 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2366, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEXUAL ASSAULT EVIDENCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2096) recommending that S.B. No. 2864 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2864, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PHYSICIAN DISCIPLINE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2097) recommending that S.B. No. 2670 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2670, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BEHAVIOR ANALYSTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2098) recommending that S.B. No. 2240 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2240, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO REESTABLISH A VECTOR CONTROL BRANCH," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2099) recommending that S.B. No. 2285 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2285, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LANGUAGE ACCESS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2100) recommending that S.B. No. 2775 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2775, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AFFORDABLE CARE ACT SECTION 1332 STATE INNOVATION WAIVER," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2101) recommending that S.B. No. 2858 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2858, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2102) recommending that S.B. No. 2856 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2856, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2103) recommending that S.B. No. 2859 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2859, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2104) recommending that S.B. No. 2334, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2334, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH SCREENINGS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2105) recommending that S.B. No. 2471, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2471, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A STATE HOSPITAL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2106) recommending that S.B. No. 2181, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2181, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ACCESS TO TREATMENT FOR TERMINALLY ILL PATIENTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2107) recommending that S.B. No. 2928, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2928, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAX REPORTING FOR SPECIAL EVENTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2108) recommending that S.B. No. 2861, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2861, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JOINT FORMULARY ADVISORY COMMITTEE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Baker, for the majority of the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2109) recommending that S.B. No. 2910, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2910, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN

ACT RELATING TO TIME SHARE COMMISSIONERS OF DEEDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2110) recommending that S.B. No. 2677, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2677, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NURSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2111) recommending that S.B. No. 2539, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2539, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SPECIAL ACTION TEAM FOR THE HAWAII STATE HOSPITAL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2112) recommending that S.B. No. 2323, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2323, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE COVERAGE OF HEALTH SCREENINGS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Inouye, for the Committee on Transportation and Energy, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2113) recommending that S.B. No. 2933, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2933, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A FEDERAL INSPECTION STATION AT KONA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Inouye, for the Committee on Transportation and Energy, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2114) recommending that S.B. No. 2996, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2996, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Inouye, for the Committee on Transportation and Energy, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2115) recommending that S.B. No. 2934, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2934, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVER LICENSING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2116) recommending that S.B. No. 2428, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2428, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYEES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2117) recommending that S.B. No. 2839, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2839, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII EMPLOYER-UNION HEALTH BENEFITS TRUST FUND," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2118) recommending that S.B. No. 2346, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2346, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2119) recommending that S.B. No. 2838 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2838, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVESTMENTS OF THE HAWAII EMPLOYER-UNION HEALTH BENEFITS TRUST FUND," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Wakai, for the Committee on Economic Development, Environment, and Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2120) recommending that S.B. No. 2657 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2657, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE INTEGRATED SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Wakai, for the Committee on Economic Development, Environment, and Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2121) recommending that S.B. No. 2791 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2791, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2122) recommending that S.B. No. 2855, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2855, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MORTGAGE RESCUE FRAUD," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2123) recommending that S.B. No. 3033, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 3033, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SELF-STORAGE FACILITIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2124) recommending that S.B. No. 2298, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2298, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM FIDUCIARY ACCESS TO DIGITAL ASSETS ACT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2125) recommending that S.B. No. 2674, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2674, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL INVESTIGATIONS BY THE REGULATED INDUSTRIES COMPLAINTS OFFICE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2126) recommending that S.B. No. 2840, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2840, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REPORTING DEATHS TO STATE AGENCIES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2127) recommending that S.B. No. 2863, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2863, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CITATIONS FOR MASSAGE THERAPY VIOLATIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Wavs and Means.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2128) recommending that S.B. No. 3105, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 3105, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH CARE REFERRALS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2129) recommending that S.B. No. 2687 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2687, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CANCER," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2130) recommending that S.B. No. 2692 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2692, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX RATE FOR TOBACCO PRODUCTS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2131) recommending that S.B. No. 2883 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2883, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AMENDING IDENTITY OF REGISTRANT'S PARENT ON A BIRTH CERTIFICATE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senators Gabbard and Baker, for the Committee on Water, Land, and Agriculture and the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2132) recommending that S.B. No. 2516 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2516, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RAT LUNGWORM DISEASE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Gabbard and Baker, for the Committee on Water, Land, and Agriculture and the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2133) recommending that S.B. No. 2787, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2787, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INDUSTRIAL HEMP," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Water, Land, and Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2134) recommending that S.B. No. 2903, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2903, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSFERABILITY OF MOORING PERMITS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Water, Land, and Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2135) recommending that S.B. No. 3067, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 3067, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL PROPERTY TRANSACTIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Gabbard, for the Committee on Water, Land, and Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2136) recommending that S.B. No. 3065, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 3065, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KAENA POINT," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Inouye, for the majority of the Committee on Transportation and Energy, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2137) recommending that S.B. No. 2013, as amended in S.D. 1, be recommitted to the Committee on Transportation and Energy.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2013, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY," was recommitted to the Committee on Transportation and Energy.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2138) recommending that S.B. No. 2232, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2232, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2139) recommending that S.B. No. 2613, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2613, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2140) recommending that S.B. No. 2867 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2867, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2141) recommending that S.B. No. 2975 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2975, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BLOOD GLUCOSE MONITORING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2142) recommending that S.B. No. 2603 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2603, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR EARLY LEARNING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2143) recommending that S.B. No. 2608 pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2608, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOARD OF EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Friday, February 12, 2016.

Senators Chun Oakland and Kidani, for the majority of the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Education, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2144) recommending that S.B. No. 2231 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the majority of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2231, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFTER-SCHOOL PROGRAMS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Baker and Chun Oakland, for the majority of the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health and the Committee on Human Services, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2145) recommending that

S.B. No. 2894, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the majority of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2894, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH INSURANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Baker, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2146) recommending that S.B. No. 2690, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2690, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHAPTER 245, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Baker and Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health and the Committee on Human Services, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2147) recommending that S.B. No. 2330, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2330, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOSPITAL SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAM," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senators Baker and Chun Oakland, for the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health and the Committee on Human Services, presented a joint report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2148) recommending that S.B. No. 2085, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the joint report of the Committees was adopted and S.B. No. 2085, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Wakai, for the Committee on Economic Development, Environment, and Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2149) recommending that S.B. No. 2277 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2277, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR GOODWILL INDUSTRIES OF HAWAII, INC," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Wakai, for the Committee on Economic Development, Environment, and Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2150) recommending that S.B. No. 2301 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2301, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE

BONDS TO ASSIST KEAHOLE MANAGEMENT GROUP LLC," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Wakai, for the Committee on Economic Development, Environment, and Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2151) recommending that S.B. No. 2302 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2302, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DARK SKIES PROTECTION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Wakai, for the Committee on Economic Development, Environment, and Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2152) recommending that S.B. No. 2506 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2506, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST TRUTAG TECHNOLOGIES, INC," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Wakai, for the Committee on Economic Development, Environment, and Technology, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2153) recommending that S.B. No. 2511 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2511, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TELECOMMUNICATIONS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2154) recommending that S.B. No. 2433 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2433, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILDREN," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2155) recommending that S.B. No. 2731 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2731, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOLS," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the majority of the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2156) recommending that S.B. No. 3099 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the majority of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 3099, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO EDUCATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2157) recommending that S.B. No. 2624, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2624, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Kidani, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2158) recommending that S.B. No. 3103, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 3103, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STUDENT TRAVEL," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2159) recommending that S.B. No. 2438, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2438, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN FINANCE," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2160) recommending that S.B. No. 2437 pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2437, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING," passed Second Reading and was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2161) recommending that S.B. No. 2409, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2409, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD VISITATION," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, February 16, 2016.

Senator Keith-Agaran, for the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2162) recommending that S.B. No. 2242, as amended in S.D. 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 2242, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading on Tuesday, February 16, 2016.

# **ORDER OF THE DAY**

## THIRD READING

S.B. No. 2312, S.D. 1:

On motion by Senator Keith-Agaran, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro and carried, S.B. No. 2312, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, none.

S.B. No. 2314, S.D. 1:

Senator Keith-Agaran moved that S.B. No. 2314, S.D. 1, having been read throughout, pass Third Reading, seconded by Senator Shimabukuro.

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

"Mr. President, I'm a member of the Women's Legislative Caucus, and when this bill came in front of me, what it says is it would prohibit the pleading down, or a deferred acceptance of a guilty plea, when the charge is 'abuse of a family or household member.' And as a former practicing attorney, I didn't sign the bill because I thought, in order for the judicial process to work, I felt that there needed to be the flexibility to do guilty pleas.

"But when the prosecutor came up and testified in front of us, what she said is that they don't do a deferred acceptance of a guilty plea when somebody has a prior offense of an abuse of family or household member or a violent crime, because they want to reduce the risk of pleading somebody down and then releasing them back into the community. And I asked her, 'If that's your policy, how do you make sure that you're following it, given the volume of cases that come through your office?' Because in the year 2014, there were 1,453 charges of abuse of a family or household member referred by HPD to the prosecutor's office, and that's an annual average that was true for the prior five years. And what the prosecutor told me is, 'We don't have the data or mechanism to ensure that we're not giving a deferred acceptance of guilty plea to somebody who has a prior record; it's just our policy.'

"So, my office went back and we took a look at the case where - people may have seen this in the news - a young man, Bobby Young-Townsend, was accused in January of setting his 24-year-old girlfriend on fire. Witnesses saw her running from the car with her back, arms, and legs on fire; had to chase her down, help put the flames out. She ended up in intensive care. And in the news, I saw that this 'gentleman' had been previously jailed for several days for violating his orders of probation and had just been released prior to this incident. So, we went back and took a look at the record for Mr. Townsend my staff are not practicing criminal attorneys, so we're still trying to make sense of the record - but what we saw is in September of 2008, there was a temporary restraining order granted against Mr. Townsend. That was when he was 18 years old; we don't have access to any prior records when he was a juvenile. In September of 2011, there was a second restraining order granted against Mr. Townsend. In February of 2012, Mr. Townsend entered into a plea agreement dismissing two out of three counts for violation of that second restraining order so that was a deferred acceptance, or a plea down. In April of 2015, Mr. Young-Townsend entered a guilty plea and a partial plea agreement to assault in the third degree, which may have been a plea down of a violation of an abuse of a family or household member, despite the prior two temporary restraining orders and the violation of a restraining order and a violation of probation. In April of 2015, there was also a charge where there was a deferred acceptance of a guilty plea for unauthorized

control, and now this latest on January 25th of 2016: Mr. Young-Townsend has been charged with attempted murder and arson.

"I'm standing here today to say I am really embarrassed and ashamed that I did not sign this bill when it first came across my desk. For those of you who want to give deference to the prosecutor's office, I'm asking you to please support this bill; we need to move this measure forward and force this conversation. This incident could have been avoided. There are many, many, many other incidents that could have been avoided, and we need to start taking these cases more seriously. So I ask that you join in support of this measure. Thank you."

The motion was put by the Chair and carried, S.B. No. 2314, S.D. 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFENSE OF ABUSE OF FAMILY OR HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS," having been read throughout, passed Third Reading on the following showing of Ayes and Noes:

Ayes, 24. Noes, none. Excused, none.

### REFERRAL OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The President made the following committee assignments of Senate concurrent resolutions offered on Friday, February 5, 2016:

- S.C.R. No.: Referred to:
- S.C.R. No. 23 Jointly to the Committee on Transportation and Energy and the Committee on Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
- S.C.R. No. 24 Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health

## **REFERRAL OF A SENATE RESOLUTION**

The President made the following committee assignment of a Senate resolution offered on Friday, February 5, 2016:

- S.R. No.: Referred to:
- S.R. No. 7 Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health

### **RE-REFERRAL OF SENATE BILLS**

The Chair re-referred the following Senate bills that were introduced:

- S.B. No.: Re-referred to:
- S.B. No. 2237 Committee on Judiciary and Labor
- S.B. No. 2389 Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health
- S.B. No. 2582 Jointly to the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Water, Land, and Agriculture, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

At 11:51 a.m., the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened at 11:53 a.m.

At this time, Senator Baker invited the members to visit Conference Room 329 that afternoon for Dealer Day.

Senator English introduced Steve Lakis of the State Legislative Leaders Foundation, who was accompanied in the gallery by State Representative Scott K. Saiki, Majority Leader of the House of Representatives. Mr. Lakis was visiting Hawai'i to plan the Conference of State Majority Leaders, which will take place in Honolulu in June 2016. Senator Galuteria announced that the Office of Hawaiian Affairs would be holding an informational briefing for all members in the Majority Caucus room to discuss S.B. No. 2124, relating to increasing the payment amount for the Office of Hawaiian Affairs' pro rata share of the Public Land Trust.

### ADJOURNMENT

At 11:55 a.m., on motion by Senator Green, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Friday, February 12, 2016.