

## FOURTH DAY

## Monday, January 25, 2010

The Senate of the Twenty-Fifth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2010, convened at 9:36 a.m. with the President in the Chair.

The Divine Blessing was invoked by Kahu Curt Kekuna, Kawaiha'o Church, after which the Roll was called showing all Senators present with the exception of Senators English and Takamine who were excused.

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

## MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following message from the Governor (Gov. Msg. No. 158) was read by the Clerk and was placed on file:

Gov. Msg. No. 158, letter dated January 22, 2010, informing the Senate that pursuant to Act 156, SLH 2008, the Department of Human Resources Development reports that the executive branch re-employed two retirants in the 2009 calendar year.

## HOUSE COMMUNICATION

The following communication from the House (Hse. Com. No. 5) was read by the Clerk and was disposed of as follows:

Hse. Com. No. 5, transmitting H.C.R. No. 3, which was adopted by the House of Representatives on January 22, 2010, was placed on file.

On motion by Senator Sakamoto, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, H.C.R. No. 3, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AWARDED THE HAWAII MEDAL OF HONOR TO UNITED STATES MILITARY SERVICE MEMBERS, WITH HAWAII CONNECTIONS, KILLED IN ACTION WHILE SERVING IN DANGEROUS, VOLATILE, AND UNSTABLE AREAS OF THE WORLD, INCLUDING IRAQ AND AFGHANISTAN," was adopted.

## JOINT SPECIAL COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Ihara, for the Joint Legislative Committee on Aging in Place, presented a report (Joint Spec. Com. Rep. No. 1), on its development of a comprehensive public policy to strengthen support for family caregivers who provide unpaid, informal assistance to persons sixty years of age and older with physical or cognitive disabilities and for grandparents raising grandchildren.

The President ordered the Clerk to file Joint Spec. Com. Rep. No. 1.

Senator Chun Oakland, for the Asset Building and Financial Education Task Force, presented a report (Joint Spec. Com. Rep. No. 2), recognizing the importance of asset building and financial education for Hawaii's families and communities.

The President ordered the Clerk to file Joint Spec. Com. Rep. No. 2.

## ORDER OF THE DAY

## FIRST READING

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

Referred:

S.B. No. 2404 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING."

Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Education and Housing and the Committee on Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 2405 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."

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

S.B. No. 2406 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COFFEE."

Referred to: Committee on Water, Land, Agriculture, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection

S.B. No. 2407 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY."

Referred to: Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection

S.B. No. 2408 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING DEVELOPMENT."

Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, Agriculture, and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Education and Housing

S.B. No. 2409 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARINE LIFE CONSERVATION DISTRICTS."

Referred to: Committee on Water, Land, Agriculture, and Hawaiian Affairs

S.B. No. 2410 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS."

Referred to: Committee on Water, Land, Agriculture, and Hawaiian Affairs

S.B. No. 2411 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY FACILITIES."

Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Transportation, International and Intergovernmental Affairs, then to the Committee on Water, Land, Agriculture, and Hawaiian Affairs

S.B. No. 2412 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN MONK SEAL."

Referred to: Committee on Water, Land, Agriculture, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations

S.B. No. 2413 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE ENTERPRISE ZONES."

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

S.B. No. 2414	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE PARKS."		Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations
Referred to:	Committee on Water, Land, Agriculture, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 2425	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS."
S.B. No. 2415	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS BY MAIL."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 2426	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
S.B. No. 2416	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAX DEADLINES."	Referred to:	Committee on Education and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 2427	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATEWIDE TRAFFIC CODE."
S.B. No. 2417	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO ADDRESS THE BUDGET SHORTFALL."	Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, International and Intergovernmental Affairs
Referred to:	Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 2428	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
S.B. No. 2418	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Education and Housing and the Committee on Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations	S.B. No. 2429	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
S.B. No. 2419	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE TWENTIETH SENATORIAL DISTRICT."	Referred to:	Committee on Education and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations
Referred to:	Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 2430	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION."
S.B. No. 2420	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPOSIT BEVERAGE CONTAINER PROGRAM."	Referred to:	Committee on Education and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations
Referred to:	Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 2431	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
S.B. No. 2421	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY."	Referred to:	Committee on Education and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Water, Land, Agriculture, and Hawaiian Affairs	S.B. No. 2432	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII INSTITUTE FOR EDUCATIONAL PARTNERSHIPS."
S.B. No. 2422	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Higher Education and the Committee on Education and Housing
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs and the Committee on Transportation, International and Intergovernmental Affairs	S.B. No. 2433	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COUNTIES."
S.B. No. 2423	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Education and Housing and the Committee on Transportation, International and Intergovernmental Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	S.B. No. 2434	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SALARIES."
S.B. No. 2424	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOMICIDE."		
Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, International and Intergovernmental		

Referred to:	Committee on Education and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 2444	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BIODIESEL PRODUCTION."
S.B. No. 2435	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."	Referred to:	Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Education and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 2445	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AUDIT OF ELECTIONS."
S.B. No. 2436	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Education and Housing and the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 2446	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRONIC VOTING SYSTEMS."
S.B. No. 2437	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE FUNDING OF THE STATE PROGRAMS."	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Education and Housing and the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 2447	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL ESTATE BROKER LICENSING."
S.B. No. 2438	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC HOUSING."	Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
Referred to:	Committee on Education and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 2448	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A STATE SCRATCH CARD GAME."
S.B. No. 2439	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOMELESS."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations and the Committee on Education and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Education and Housing and the Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 2449	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVER LICENSING."
S.B. No. 2440	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOARDS OF WATER SUPPLY."	Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, International and Intergovernmental Affairs
Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, International and Intergovernmental Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 2450	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARIJUANA."
S.B. No. 2441	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENDANGERED SPECIES."	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Water, Land, Agriculture, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations	S.B. No. 2451	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
S.B. No. 2442	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PAROLE HEARINGS."	Referred to:	Committee on Education and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations	S.B. No. 2452	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION OF SCHOOL CHILDREN."
S.B. No. 2443	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXCHANGE ACCOMMODATION."	Referred to:	Committee on Education and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	S.B. No. 2453	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INFORMATION PRACTICES."
		Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations
		S.B. No. 2454	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC AGENCY MEETINGS AND RECORDS."
		Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

S.B. No. 2455	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE SUN SCREENING DEVICES."		
Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, International and Intergovernmental Affairs, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	S.B. No. 2464	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT."
S.B. No. 2456	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HARBORS."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, Agriculture, and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation, International and Intergovernmental Affairs and the Committee on Water, Land, Agriculture, and Hawaiian Affairs	S.B. No. 2465	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMALL CLAIMS COURT."
S.B. No. 2457	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PROCUREMENT CODE."	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations
Referred to:	Committee on Water, Land, Agriculture, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations	S.B. No. 2466	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE WOMEN AND INFANT CHILDREN FARMERS' MARKET NUTRITION PROGRAM."
S.B. No. 2458	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, International and Intergovernmental Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 2467	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTHCARE."
S.B. No. 2459	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR CARRIERS."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, International and Intergovernmental Affairs	S.B. No. 2468	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HANDICAP PARKING."
S.B. No. 2460	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE KAHO'OLAW REHABILITATION TRUST FUND."	Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, International and Intergovernmental Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, Agriculture, and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 2469	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMERGENCY AND BUDGET RESERVE FUND."
S.B. No. 2461	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health and the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, International and Intergovernmental Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 2470	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATION TO EDUCATION."
S.B. No. 2462	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Education and Housing and the Committee on Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation, International and Intergovernmental Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 2471	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
S.B. No. 2463	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRONIC TRAFFIC CITATIONS."	Referred to:	Committee on Education and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation, International and Intergovernmental Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Government	S.B. No. 2472	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MORTGAGE FORECLOSURES."
		Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations
		S.B. No. 2473	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."

	Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Education and Housing	S.B. No. 2485	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOKAUEA ISLAND."
S.B. No. 2474	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR VIOLATIONS INVOLVING MINORS."	Referred to: Committee on Water, Land, Agriculture, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations	
	Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations	S.B. No. 2486	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUBMERGED LANDS LEASING."
S.B. No. 2475	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII PUBLIC PROCUREMENT CODE."	Referred to: Committee on Water, Land, Agriculture, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	
	Referred to: Committee on Labor, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations	S.B. No. 2487	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION."
S.B. No. 2476	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MINIMUM WAGES."	Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Economic Development and Technology and the Committee on Water, Land, Agriculture, and Hawaiian Affairs	
	Referred to: Committee on Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 2488	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY."
S.B. No. 2477	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAX."	Referred to: Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	
	Referred to: Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 2489	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NATUROPATHIC MEDICINE."
S.B. No. 2478	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."	Referred to: Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	
	Referred to: Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 2490	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTERS."
S.B. No. 2479	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNFAIR AND DECEPTIVE PRACTICES."	Referred to: Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	
	Referred to: Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations	S.B. No. 2491	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TELEMEDICINE."
S.B. No. 2480	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ORDER."	Referred to: Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	
	Referred to: Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations	S.B. No. 2492	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRACTICE OF PHARMACY."
S.B. No. 2481	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROSTITUTION."	Referred to: Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	
	Referred to: Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations	S.B. No. 2493	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO USE OF TOBACCO SETTLEMENT FUNDS."
S.B. No. 2482	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROSTITUTION."	Referred to: Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	
	Referred to: Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations	S.B. No. 2494	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."
S.B. No. 2483	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUREAU OF CONVEYANCES."	Referred to: Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	
	Referred to: Committee on Water, Land, Agriculture, and Hawaiian Affairs	S.B. No. 2495	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS."
S.B. No. 2484	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NATIVE HAWAIIANS."	Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	
	Referred to: Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, Agriculture, and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Tourism		



S.B. No. 2496	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION FUNDING.”		Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, International and Intergovernmental Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 2506	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL GIFTS.”
		Referred to:	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
S.B. No. 2497	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE NATIVE HAWAIIAN GOVERNMENT REORGANIZATION ACT.”	S.B. No. 2507	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEGISLATIVE SUNSHINE PROVISIONS.”
Referred to:	Committee on Water, Land, Agriculture, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations
S.B. No. 2498	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL PROPERTY BLIGHT.”	S.B. No. 2508	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT BENEFITS.”
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations	Referred to:	Committee on Labor, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations
S.B. No. 2499	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATEWIDE TRAFFIC CODE.”	S.B. No. 2509	“A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE XVI, SECTION 2, OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION, TO AUTHORIZE THE LEGISLATURE TO REQUIRE THE FORFEITURE OR REDUCTION OF PENSION BENEFITS OF AN EMPLOYEE OF THE STATE OR A POLITICAL SUBDIVISION THEREOF WHO IS CONVICTED OF A FELONY RELATED TO THE EMPLOYEE'S EMPLOYMENT.”
Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, International and Intergovernmental Affairs	Referred to:	Committee on Labor, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations
S.B. No. 2500	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS.”	S.B. No. 2510	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' HEALTH BENEFITS.”
Referred to:	Committee on Water, Land, Agriculture, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Labor, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations
S.B. No. 2501	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ACCOUNTANCY.”	S.B. No. 2511	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING.”
Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations
S.B. No. 2502	“A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE HAWAII CIVIL AIR PATROL FOR OPERATING EXPENSES.”	S.B. No. 2512	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LEGISLATURE.”
Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations
S.B. No. 2503	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION.”	S.B. No. 2513	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ETHICS.”
Referred to:	Committee on Education and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations
S.B. No. 2504	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CARGO INSPECTIONS.”	S.B. No. 2514	“A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE IV, SECTION 3, OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION, TO CONSTITUTIONALLY ESTABLISH THE ELECTIONS COMMISSION TO SUPERVISE THE CHIEF ELECTION OFFICER.”
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Transportation, International and Intergovernmental Affairs and the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means		
S.B. No. 2505	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERSONAL RELATIONSHIPS.”		
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and the Committee on Judiciary and		

Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations	S.B. No. 2525	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LANDS CONTROLLED BY THE STATE."
S.B. No. 2515	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC FUNDS."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, Agriculture, and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Education and Housing, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 2526	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WIND ENERGY FACILITIES."
S.B. No. 2516	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE FUNERAL INDUSTRY."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Water, Land, Agriculture, and Hawaiian Affairs
Referred to:	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	S.B. No. 2527	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE."
S.B. No. 2517	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COMMISSION ON SALARIES."	Referred to:	Committee on Water, Land, Agriculture, and Hawaiian Affairs
Referred to:	Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 2528	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEPARATION INCENTIVES."
S.B. No. 2518	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS."	Referred to:	Committee on Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Education and Housing, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 2529	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTHCARE CLAIMS."
S.B. No. 2519	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, Agriculture, and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 2530	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTHCARE CLAIMS."
S.B. No. 2520	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAIIAN HOMES COMMISSION ACT."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Water, Land, Agriculture, and Hawaiian Affairs	S.B. No. 2531	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ARCHAEOLOGISTS."
S.B. No. 2521	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTY BOARDS OF WATER SUPPLY."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, Agriculture, and Hawaiian Affairs and the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, International and Intergovernmental Affairs	S.B. No. 2532	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUSTAINABILITY."
S.B. No. 2522	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LANDOWNER LIABILITY."	Referred to:	Committee on Water, Land, Agriculture, and Hawaiian Affairs
Referred to:	Committee on Water, Land, Agriculture, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations	S.B. No. 2533	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AN AUDIT OF CONTRACTS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY WITH THE CORRECTIONS CORPORATION OF AMERICA AND THE FEDERAL DETENTION CENTER."
S.B. No. 2523	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL INSPECTIONS."	Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Water, Land, Agriculture, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 2534	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BAIL."
S.B. No. 2524	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ISLAND BURIAL COUNCILS."		
Referred to:	Committee on Water, Land, Agriculture, and Hawaiian Affairs		

Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations		PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST HONOLULU SEAWATER AIR CONDITIONING LLC PROJECTS ON THE ISLAND OF OAHU."
S.B. No. 2535	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADMINISTRATIVE LICENSE REVOCATION."	Referred to:	Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, International and Intergovernmental Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations	S.B. No. 2545	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR."
S.B. No. 2536	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOMELESS."	Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, International and Intergovernmental Affairs, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Water, Land, Agriculture, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 2546	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY RESPONSE VEHICLES."
S.B. No. 2537	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATEWIDE TRAFFIC CODE."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Transportation, International and Intergovernmental Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, International and Intergovernmental Affairs	S.B. No. 2547	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMALL BOAT HARBORS."
S.B. No. 2538	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR."	Referred to:	Committee on Water, Land, Agriculture, and Hawaiian Affairs
Referred to:	Committee on Transportation, International and Intergovernmental Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations	S.B. No. 2548	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY."
S.B. No. 2539	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKPLACE PRACTICES."	Referred to:	Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Labor, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations	S.B. No. 2549	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY."
S.B. No. 2540	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY."	Referred to:	Committee on Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Referred to:	Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 2550	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS."
S.B. No. 2541	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs and the Committee on Transportation, International and Intergovernmental Affairs
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs and the Committee on Transportation, International and Intergovernmental Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations	S.B. No. 2551	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NET ZERO ENERGY BUILDING PERMITTING."
S.B. No. 2542	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERANS."	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Transportation, International and Intergovernmental Affairs
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs and the Committee on Transportation, International and Intergovernmental Affairs	S.B. No. 2552	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COASTAL AREAS."
S.B. No. 2543	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY."	Referred to:	Committee on Water, Land, Agriculture, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations
Referred to:	Committee on Economic Development and Technology, then to the Committee on Ways and Means	S.B. No. 2553	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS."
S.B. No. 2544	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL	Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs and the Committee on Transportation, International and Intergovernmental Affairs, then to the



	Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations		CONSTITUTION, TO CHANGE THE BOARD OF EDUCATION FROM AN ENTIRELY ELECTED BOARD TO A PARTIALLY ELECTED, PARTIALLY APPOINTED BOARD."
S.B. No. 2554	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NET ZERO ENERGY CAPABLE NEW HOMES."		
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Education and Housing	S.B. No. 2569	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOARD OF EDUCATION."
S.B. No. 2555	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTRICITY USAGE."	S.B. No. 2570	"A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE X, SECTION 2, OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION, TO CHANGE THE BOARD OF EDUCATION FROM AN ELECTED BOARD TO AN APPOINTED BOARD."
Referred to:	Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection		
S.B. No. 2556	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE PORTFOLIO STANDARDS."	S.B. No. 2571	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOARD OF EDUCATION."
Referred to:	Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	S.B. No. 2572	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
S.B. No. 2557	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GREEN BUILDINGS."	S.B. No. 2573	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
Referred to:	Jointly to the Committee on Energy and Environment and the Committee on Transportation, International and Intergovernmental Affairs and the Committee on Water, Land, Agriculture, and Hawaiian Affairs	S.B. No. 2574	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS."
S.B. No. 2558	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOSSIL FUELS."	S.B. No. 2575	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."
Referred to:	Committee on Energy and Environment, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection	S.B. No. 2576	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."
<u>Deferred:</u>		S.B. No. 2577	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOW-INCOME HOUSING."
S.B. No. 2559	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION."	S.B. No. 2578	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
S.B. No. 2560	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION."	S.B. No. 2579	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
S.B. No. 2561	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPRAY PAINT."	S.B. No. 2580	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERMITS AND LICENSES."
S.B. No. 2562	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPOSIT BEVERAGE CONTAINER PROGRAM."	S.B. No. 2581	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT."
S.B. No. 2563	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY EFFICIENCY."	S.B. No. 2582	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT."
S.B. No. 2564	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII CIVIL RIGHTS COMMISSION."	S.B. No. 2583	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT."
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S.B. No. 2566	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL AND REHABILITATION BENEFITS."	S.B. No. 2585	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOMELESS ASSISTANCE."
S.B. No. 2567	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."	S.B. No. 2586	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS."
S.B. No. 2568	"A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE X, SECTION 2, OF THE HAWAII	S.B. No. 2587	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS."
		S.B. No. 2588	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CHARTER SCHOOL ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE."
		S.B. No. 2589	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS."
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S.B. No. 2591	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TEACHER STANDARDS BOARD."	S.B. No. 2615	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
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S.B. No. 2594	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."	S.B. No. 2618	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY TECHNOLOGIES."
S.B. No. 2595	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."	S.B. No. 2619	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NET ENERGY METERING."
S.B. No. 2596	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GROUP LIFE INSURANCE."	S.B. No. 2620	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE WIRELESS ENHANCED 911 FUND."
S.B. No. 2597	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII EMPLOYERS' MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY."	S.B. No. 2621	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY."
S.B. No. 2598	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."	S.B. No. 2622	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CIVIL SERVICE."
S.B. No. 2599	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH INSURANCE."	S.B. No. 2623	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY."
S.B. No. 2600	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTHCARE."	S.B. No. 2624	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII TELEVISION AND FILM DEVELOPMENT."
S.B. No. 2601	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ATHLETIC TRAINERS."	S.B. No. 2625	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OUT-OF-STATE OFFICES."
S.B. No. 2602	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL ESTATE LICENSEES."	S.B. No. 2626	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SERVICE."
S.B. No. 2603	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SECURE AND FAIR ENFORCEMENT FOR MORTGAGE LICENSING ACT."	S.B. No. 2627	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FOURTEENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT."
S.B. No. 2604	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TOBACCO SETTLEMENT SPECIAL FUND."	S.B. No. 2628	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REVENUE FOR DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION BUDGETED EXPENSES."
S.B. No. 2605	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."	S.B. No. 2629	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY."
S.B. No. 2606	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION."	S.B. No. 2630	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
S.B. No. 2607	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ACTIVITY DESKS."	S.B. No. 2631	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION."
S.B. No. 2608	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION."	S.B. No. 2632	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERMIT, LICENSE, AND APPROVAL APPLICATION PROCESSING."
S.B. No. 2609	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISTRIBUTIONS BY NONPROFIT CORPORATIONS."	S.B. No. 2633	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING."
S.B. No. 2610	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONVEYANCE TAX."	S.B. No. 2634	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BIOFUEL FACILITIES."
S.B. No. 2611	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VITAL STATISTICS."	S.B. No. 2635	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY."
S.B. No. 2612	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MORTGAGE LOAN ORIGINATORS."	S.B. No. 2636	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT."
S.B. No. 2613	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY."	S.B. No. 2637	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
S.B. No. 2614	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXCESSIVE SPEEDING."		

S.B. No. 2638	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION."
S.B. No. 2639	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT."
S.B. No. 2640	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOW-INCOME HOUSING."
S.B. No. 2641	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT."

At this time, the Chair made the following announcement:

"Referrals and re-referrals of Senate bills are made in accordance with the referrals and re-referrals listed on the Supplemental Order of the Day that may be distributed to your offices later today."

Senator Hemmings rose on a point of personal privilege as follows

"Madam President, colleagues, in the interest of assisting in contributing from the Minority party ways that we can increase in efficiency and the cost-effectiveness of government, I'd like to bring to my colleagues' attention to two Orders of the Day, which I've stapled together from last week, that report back to us a total of 202 reports from the various departments of the executive branch of government. I imagine that some of the reports are very necessary for the function of our government, and certainly some of the reports will become very handy when the Chairman of the Senate Ways and Means Committee has to make the difficult decisions that need to be made on where the money should be spent. But I would like to suggest that these 202 reports, that possibly a great number of them will end up on the shelf or on the ash heap of legislative history, as most do. We have to focus our attention in these times on necessary core services. We keep hearing from departments how important their work is and how they don't have enough time or money to take care of the environment and they don't have enough staff to do the inspections necessary to carry out the protection of our people and the environment in this state. So Madam President, I'd like to suggest even though some of these reports—or most of these reports—are mandated by HRS that we take a second look at them. I'd hate to think of the amount of people-hours that were spent producing these reports that oftentimes are not used. So I think it's just something for us to ruminate on and possible take action on. Thank you, Madam President."

The Chair then made the following announcements:

"First, beginning today, the five bills per day limit is in effect for the remainder of the bill introduction period, and the deadline to submit bills to the Clerk's office is 6:00 p.m. each day.

"Second, immediately following our floor session today, please report to the House chamber for the Joint Session at 10:00 a.m. to receive the Governor's State of the State Address."

At 9:47 a.m., on motion by Senator Sakamoto, seconded by Senator Slom and carried, the Senate stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair to meet in Joint Session with the House of Representatives, in accordance with House Concurrent Resolution No. 2, to receive the Governor's State of the State Address.

#### JOINT SESSION

The Joint Session of the Senate and the House of Representatives of the Twenty-Fifth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2010, was called to order at 10:02 a.m. by the Honorable Calvin Say, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

At this time, the Speaker welcomed and introduced the following distinguished guests to the members of the Twenty-Fifth Legislature:

The Honorable James R. Aiona, Jr., Lieutenant Governor of the State of Hawai'i, and Mrs. Vivian Aiona;

The Honorable Ronald T.Y. Moon, Chief Justice, Hawai'i Supreme Court;

Ms. Haunani Apoliona, Chair, Office of Hawaiian Affairs;

The Honorable George R. Ariyoshi, former Governor of the State of Hawai'i;

Admiral Robert F. Willard, U.S. Pacific Command;

Rear Admiral Manson K. Brown, Fourteenth Coast Guard District;

Rear Admiral Scott Van Buskirk, U.S. Pacific Fleet;

Major General Douglas Owens, U.S. Pacific Air Forces;

Brigadier General John Ma, Deputy Commander, U.S. Army Reserve;

Colonel Raymond L'Heureux, U.S. Marine Corps Forces, Pacific;

The Honorable Simeon R. Acoba, Jr., Associate Justice, Hawai'i State Supreme Court;

The Honorable Paula A. Nakayama, Associate Justice, Hawai'i State Supreme Court;

The Honorable James E. Duffy, Jr., Associate Justice, Hawai'i State Supreme Court;

The Honorable Mark B. Reckentwald, Associate Justice, Hawai'i State Supreme Court;

The Honorable Mufi Hanneman, Mayor of the City and County of Honolulu, and Mrs. Gail Hanneman;

The Honorable Todd Apo, Council Chair, City and County of Honolulu;

The Honorable Danny Mateo, Council Chair, County of Maui;

The Honorable J. Yoshimoto, Council Chair, County of Hawai'i;

The Honorable Derek Kawakami, Councilmember, representing Bill "Kaipo" Asing, County Chair, County of Kaua'i;

Mr. Gary K. Heu, Administrative Assistant to the Mayor, County of Kaua'i;

The Honorable Yoshiko Kamo, Consul General of Japan;

The Honorable David Binns, Consul General of Australia;

The Honorable Leoncio R. Cardenas, Consul General of the Philippines;

The Honorable Bong Joo Kim, Consul General of the Republic of Korea; and

Mr. Philip Wang, Director General, Taipei Economic & Cultural Office.

The Speaker then appointed Representatives Blake K. Oshiro and Lynn Finnegan, on behalf of the House of Representatives, and Senators Gary L. Hooser and Fred Hemmings, on behalf of the Senate, to escort the Honorable Linda Lingle, Governor of the State of Hawai'i, to the rostrum.

Senator Russell S. Kokubun and Vice Speaker Michael Magaoy presented Governor Lingle with lei.

The Speaker then presented to the members of the Twenty-Fifth Legislature and guests the Honorable Linda Lingle, Governor of the State of Hawai'i.

Governor Lingle presented the State of the State Address as follows:

"Senate President Hanabusa, Speaker Say, Lt. Governor and Mrs. Aiona, former Governor Ariyoshi, members of the Legislature, cabinet members, Chief Justice Moon, Chair Apoliona, Mayor Hannemann, military leaders, members of the Consular Corps, distinguished guests, and to all the people of Hawai'i... good morning and aloha!

"It is my great privilege this morning to deliver the time-honored State of the State Address to the people of Hawai'i as I have done for the past seven years.

"This address will differ from those I have delivered in the past, because it will be my last.

"And while that fact might be considered an applause line by some in the Legislature, I will miss you all when my time in office ends later this year.

"I have invited a dozen current and retired Hawai'i National Guard Generals to join me this morning to bring attention to the role they have played during my years as Governor.

"Every governor's most basic responsibility and highest priority is the physical safety of the citizens they serve.

"Whether fires, floods, tsunami threats, or earthquakes, in times of emergency they have always been there for us, and never once fallen short of my expectations.

"Please join me in thanking them and the men and women they lead for helping us to stay safe throughout the years of my Administration.

"Before sharing my vision for the coming year, I first want to express my gratitude to the people of Hawai'i for the privilege you have given me to serve two full terms as your Governor.

"Beyond the honor of public office, you have made me part of your 'ohana, and for that I will be forever grateful.

"You have put your trust in me and I have always held that trust in the highest regard as I worked to make decisions large and small.

"My Administration began seven years ago during challenging economic times and enters its final year in an even tougher economic climate.

"The difference between then and now is that the challenges we face today are so much greater, revenue loss so much larger, and the statewide impact so far-reaching that the decisions we have to make are much tougher.

"I have already had to make some very difficult decisions – cutting popular programs and services, furloughing State employees, and with great reluctance, laying off hundreds of people.

"These decisions were not easy, nor were they the decisions I wanted to make.

"They were the decisions that I had to make given the situation before us.

"Simply put, our state government is spending at a rate that substantially exceeds our revenues and at a level that cannot be sustained.

"The mid-term economic outlook requires that we further downsize government, prioritize the services we desire and can afford, and together devise innovative ways to meet the needs of Hawai'i's people.

"We must face the situation as it is – not as we wish it to be; and we must make difficult decisions now about the size and nature of government that will keep us on a positive course for the future.

"More importantly, we must do what it takes to create a future that does not financially burden our children and grandchildren simply because we weren't willing to make those difficult, sometimes gut-wrenching decisions, when destiny called on us to do so.

"Clinging to the programs, practices and government structure of the past will not work and cannot be sustained.

"We have to create a government that is more efficient and able to provide essential services in a way that is affordable today and sustainable over time.

"The global recession hit Hawai'i hard and has affected us deeply.

"Visitor spending plunged, construction stalled, unemployment doubled over 18 months, and businesses and consumers uncertain about the future retrenched.

"It will take many months before our economy begins to rebound, and likely years before it returns to its pre-recession strength.

"Because of the tough lessons we have learned about sudden and severe economic downturns, I will be proposing a Constitutional Amendment to rename and revise the State's Rainy Day Fund to create a Fiscal Stabilization Fund.

"This fund will shield us in future years from the need to raise taxes during periods when the economy is contracting and citizens can least afford to pay more.

"The Fiscal Stabilization Fund will ensure that in years when tax revenues are growing, 5 percent of the general fund's end-of-year balance will be placed in the Stabilization Fund prior to granting the currently mandated refund to taxpayers.

"This prudent and important revision to the State's Rainy Day Fund will augment the fund's current source of revenue from Tobacco Settlement moneys.

"On a positive note, the prudent fiscal management that we have exercised during both good and bad times has resulted in Hawai'i maintaining a strong, double-A bond rating.

"During my remaining 10 months as Hawai'i's chief executive, my Administration's resolve to move us forward in a fiscally responsible way will remain steadfast.

"We are at a very unique point in our state's history – it is a time when both our current challenges and our future opportunities have never been greater.

"It is with that thought in mind that I want to use my final State of the State Address to speak with you about reaffirmation and rededication.

"Reaffirmation of who we are and what we are for, and rededication to the kind of future we want for the next generation – a future we will all share.

"The budget I presented to you last month, along with our legislative proposals, are aimed at creating new jobs and maintaining current jobs, encouraging investment, and laying the foundation for educational improvement and energy security.

“Together they comprise a plan for our economic recovery and a roadmap for a brighter, more prosperous future.

“Government cannot create a strong economy, but it can help provide a positive economic climate that makes it attractive to invest and create jobs in Hawai‘i.

“It can also work hand-in-hand with the business community to build the foundation upon which private enterprise will flourish.

“A good example of government creating a framework for success is the way public and private organizations have been working together to strengthen tourism – our number one industry.

“According to the latest count, nearly 580,000 additional airline seats will be added this year, creating the potential for another half a million visitors which would require businesses to call more than 5,000 people back to work.

“We will continue supporting our visitor industry while at the same time searching for other economic development opportunities both at home and abroad.

“Among all the world’s nations today, nowhere is the pace of economic activity more breathtaking than in China.

“On my most recent visit, I was personally involved in kick-starting direct flights between Beijing and Honolulu, had substantive discussions on clean energy partnerships, and signed an agreement to establish the first showroom for Hawai‘i products in Shanghai.

“I will return to China in a few months to further strengthen our relationships and continue efforts to promote business opportunities for local companies.

“We will join with business and cultural groups to celebrate Hawai‘i Week at the American Pavilion this June at the Shanghai World Expo and celebrate the 25th anniversary of our sister-state relationship with Guangdong Province, China’s manufacturing center and homeland to most of Hawai‘i’s residents of Chinese ancestry.

“Being a state located in the middle of the Pacific Ocean, Hawai‘i faces greater challenges than most states with similar size populations.

“Because of our geographic isolation, we must do more than merely wait for opportunities to come to us.

“Hawaiian monarchs realized the importance of connecting our isolated islands to the rest of the world as far back as the time of Kamehameha II when he and his Queen Kamamalu departed for England to strengthen diplomatic ties.

“Princes Alexander Liholiho and Lot Kamehameha traveled to the United States and on to Europe in the company of Dr. G.P. Judd to negotiate treaties with Great Britain in the mid-1800s.

“Queen Emma, Queen Kapi‘olani, then-Princess Liliu‘okalani, and King Kalākaua also traveled abroad.

“Previous governors have also traveled widely, and each international trip builds upon the relationships that have been developed and cultivated during prior visits.

“With a sense of our history and a focus on the future, my Administration is forging closer ties with the People’s Republic of China as well as reinforcing and strengthening ties with Japan, Taiwan, the Republic of Korea and the Philippines.

“In China, as it has been in Japan and Korea, and is in most of Asia, relationships matter – particularly relationships between governments.

“We will be hosting government officials and others from 28 different countries this fall at the Pacific Asian Energy Expo and Summit, the Asia-Pacific Homeland Security Summit and the International Women’s Leadership Conference.

“And while the Internet makes it easier for today’s leaders to learn about the world around them, I would encourage the next Governor to continue the tradition of our Hawaiian monarchs and governors and keep Hawai‘i in consistent contact with countries that present economic and cultural opportunities.

“It is vital for Hawai‘i to have a cohesive and ongoing international outreach strategy that is advanced by state and county governments, business leaders, public and private universities, and various NGOs, including our ethnic chambers of commerce.

“It is this kind of comprehensive and integrated approach that enabled our state to be chosen as the site of the prestigious 2011 APEC Leaders Conference.

“It was the team of Federal, State and local government officials, visitor industry and business leaders along with the expertise of the East-West Center and support from almost every business organization in the state that produced the winning bid for APEC.

“We can leverage our state’s limited resources by following this same model of collaboration in others areas.

“One of our most successful collaborations is the Hawai‘i Clean Energy Initiative.

“The concerted actions of many both in and out of government, have turned our over reliance on foreign oil into the impetus for a clean energy future and made us a global leader in our pursuit of energy independence.

“Clean energy is critical for our overall economic well-being, our environment and our security.

“And it is becoming an important and growing economic sector that will lead to high-quality, good-paying jobs for our residents.

“This legislative session I am proposing a package of initiatives that builds upon the foundation of the Hawai‘i Clean Energy Initiative, including a ban on the construction of new power plants that burn fossil fuels.

“It is time now to show the public by our actions that we will no longer allow our economic well-being to be dependent on burning oil and coal that must be shipped here over thousands of miles of open ocean.

“Another proposal will grant a general excise tax exemption to renewable energy projects of at least two megawatts that are placed in service between January 1st of 2011 and January 1st of 2015.

“In the transportation sector we propose a rebate of general excise taxes paid on electric and plug-in hybrid vehicles as well as the charging stations that will make it practical and convenient to drive electric vehicles in our islands in the coming years.

“These proposals and others will serve as effective incentives for investment in clean energy, create new jobs and make a clear public statement that clean, renewable energy is a state priority.

“Finally, I am proposing that property owners across the state be empowered to help create a green jobs sector through



the establishment of a new program called Hawai'i Clean Energy Investment Bonds.

"Similar programs, which already exist in 15 states, assist residential and commercial property owners with the upfront costs of installing clean energy systems or energy efficiency upgrades by allowing them to borrow the money from the State and then repay the loans over a period of years via an annual assessment on their real property tax bill.

"This program spurs both immediate job creation and economic activity, and moves us closer to our goal of 70 percent clean energy by 2030.

"The HCEI Bonds program to encourage a green jobs sector is just one of the economic recovery proposals my Administration will be implementing in the months ahead.

"Recognizing the economic and social imperative of getting people back to work, I am proposing a package of incentives, including help covering the costs of health insurance, and income tax credits for the creation of new jobs.

"The income tax credit proposal grants credits equal to the wages withheld by the employer for each new, full-time permanent position filled by a resident who is currently receiving unemployment benefits.

"Because we need jobs now, the tax credits will begin as soon as the law is passed and remain in effect through December 31, 2012.

"Businesses will be required to be operational for two years after their final tax credits are received.

"Also, we will actively work to expand our SEE Hawai'i Work program that currently reimburses an employee's wages and benefits for up to one year for companies that hire people off of the welfare rolls.

"The expanded program will use Federal Stimulus funds to cover for six months parents who are collecting unemployment and whose household income does not exceed a certain level.

"This program expansion does not require legislation and we will move now to get employers and employees the help they need to get back to work.

"In addition, we will begin a program next month to allow workers on unemployment to volunteer their time at a business or non-profit organization while still drawing unemployment benefits.

"This program will give workers an opportunity to demonstrate their skills to prospective employers and also help businesses evaluate an individual before they incur the cost of hiring them permanently.

"Because the construction and visitor industries have been hit especially hard during the downturn, and have the capacity to significantly stimulate the economy, we are proposing a 10 percent construction and renovation tax credit for hotels and resorts.

"This credit will be granted for the first \$500 million in construction work undertaken in each of the next three years, and has the potential to create more than 23,000 new jobs.

"The cost of the credit will be more than offset by the economic activity generated.

"We will also continue expediting our airports, harbors and highways modernization programs as well as other government construction projects.

"And we will again propose legislation that places reasonable time limits on issuing construction permits for high-

priority projects such as affordable housing, renewable energy and housing-related infrastructure.

"At the same time we are moving forward with these job creation initiatives, nearly every business in the state is worried about scheduled increases in unemployment insurance taxes if the Legislature does not take quick action this session.

"My Administration has been working with legislators as well as business and labor organizations to develop legislation that will moderate any increases while returning solvency to the unemployment insurance trust fund.

"Under our proposal, employers will pay only 60 percent of anticipated tax hikes, saving businesses \$497 million over the next four years.

"We believe strongly that anything beyond this 60 percent threshold will cause large job losses.

"I urge the Legislature to enact this bill prior to mid-March when the Labor Department will need to send out the unemployment insurance bills to businesses across the state.

"While I am spending most of my time this morning talking about important proposals to get our economy growing again, I also want to take a couple of minutes to thank members of my team for their important contributions to Hawai'i during the past seven years.

"We have been making progress in STEM education, renewable energy, film and television production and international partnerships thanks to the creativity and hard work of Director Ted Liu and the entire DBEDT team, including their recent success in convincing Disney to film the next Pirates of the Caribbean film in Hawai'i.

"I'd like to recognize a few other cabinet members, including one who has been with me from my first day as Governor as well as during my eight years as Mayor of Maui County, Budget Director Georgina Kawamura.

"Georgina and her team at B&F have found ways to keep the State's books balanced, accommodate our innovative policy initiatives and infrastructure modernization plans, while maintaining our strong bond rating during the largest global economic crisis of the last 70 years.

"I am very grateful to have her at my side.

"I also want to thank two of my go-to guys, Comptroller Russ Saito, for the many hats he wears with such ease, including keeping our infrastructure plans on track, honchoing our various homeless initiatives, getting a new energy code adopted, and constructing clean energy retrofits on state buildings. I also want to recognize our Director of Transportation, Brennon Morioka, for overseeing the state's largest-ever, simultaneous modernization of our highways, harbors and airports.

"And I want to thank Dr. Chiyome Fukino and Lillian Koller for the difficult yet creative adjustments they have made in order to assure the highest quality services for the greatest number of residents in need during a time of severe budget restrictions.

"Finally, I want to thank Lt. Governor Duke Aiona, a trusted friend who has provided me with wise counsel when I was facing some of the most difficult decisions of my governorship. Mahalo, Duke.

"To the Lt. Governor, all of my cabinet directors, deputies and senior staff, you have truly brought about the New Beginning we envisioned for our state.

"I ask that all members of the cabinet and deputies, as well as previous directors and deputies who are in the audience today stand so we can give you a well-deserved round of applause.

"I am proud of many of the services we deliver to the public, but one very expensive part of state government that I believe has failed to meet the community's expectations over many years now is our public school system.

"I came into office seven years ago believing we needed an entirely new governance structure in order to realize meaningful improvements in student achievement, and I enter this final year more convinced than ever that continuing the status quo structure of our public school system will never produce more than mediocre results.

"Despite consistently spending more than \$2 billion a year on education, we have not achieved the kind of meaningful results any of us can be proud of, and we continue lagging far behind other states.

"The recent public concern over furloughs is understandable and I have made a generous and fair offer in an attempt to achieve a permanent solution to this situation.

"But I ask everyone to be as concerned about the quality of education, as they have become about the mere quantity of education.

"The time has come to focus not only on the number of days children are in class, but on what they are learning during those days.

"The time has come for high school diplomas to mean that a student has the skills to be career or college ready rather than being a piece of paper signifying they sat in class a set number of years.

"And the time has come for us to focus more on long-lasting systemic reform of public education than on temporary furloughs caused by the severest fiscal crisis in Hawaii's history.

"Regardless of how quickly furloughs end, our school system needs structural reform.

"The current school system lacks clear lines of authority, responsibility and accountability.

"Because the Governor, the Legislature, the Board of Education, the Department of Education, and the Superintendent of Education all have roles to play, the public does not know who to hold accountable for consistently mediocre performance.

"If President Truman had analyzed our public school system, he might have said, 'The buck doesn't stop here, or there, or there – it just gets passed around and eventually lost.'

"I propose we offer our citizens the opportunity to vote on a constitutional amendment that makes the Department of Education a cabinet department with a superintendent hired by the next Governor so all of us will know clearly 'where the buck stops.'

"It is time for Hawai'i to make the Governor accountable for public education.

"If you want to see what can happen when the Governor's office gets involved with just a single aspect of education, look closely at the success of our robotics programs, which are among the finest in the country.

"When our Administration began a concerted focus on promoting science, technology, engineering and math programs through robotics in our schools in January of 2007, there were 95 robotics teams statewide.

"Today we have 400 robotics teams, primarily because of federal and private funding and enthusiastic and dedicated volunteers, including many teachers and some principals.

"But more importantly, robotics has proven that our children can excel in the very skills that will be in great demand by our state, national and world economies in the years ahead.

"I would like you to meet three championship teams who will represent Hawai'i on the global stage – our elementary school FIRST LEGO League Champions from Punahou and Hanalei Schools and their coach Robert Piper; our VEX robotics middle school champions from Highlands Intermediate along with their teacher Joan Okai, and our high school VEX Champions from McKinley High School and their veteran robotics teacher Osa Tui.

"Please stand and be recognized.

"Every public school student in Hawai'i deserves the opportunity to participate in this kind of project-based learning program that can enhance their STEM skills.

"That is why I have allocated \$10 million in discretionary federal stimulus funds to place these types of programs in every public and charter school in the state by the start of the 2011 school year.

"Besides education programs, we are intently focused on making progress during our remaining 315 days in many other areas including job creation, energy independence, and direct flights between Honolulu and Beijing.

"Regardless of the number of days remaining in my term, time will not alter our intentions or diminish our commitment to an even better future for Hawai'i.

"It is my intention and that of my cabinet to make each and every day a day devoted to improving the well-being of our citizens.

"And before I conclude my final State of the State Address, I would like to recognize one special citizen who I have held in high esteem for many years.

"On his way to being named this year's American Volleyball Coaches Association Coach of the Year, UH Women's Volleyball Coach, Dave Shoji, became only the second coach in NCAA history to win 1,000 matches.

"There are now 330 women's volleyball teams in Division I and the Wahine have been ranked in the top 10 in the final polls all but 5 of his 35 years of coaching.

"I appreciate Coach Shoji and his wife Mary for attending today so that I could have this chance to recognize him for the great person that he is and thank him for the message he has given to the youth of Hawai'i, especially the girls, that with hard work and determination they can compete with the best in the country.

"Thank you Coach for the pride you bring to the people of Hawai'i every time you walk onto the court, and for bringing us such joy this year by again taking the Wahine to the Final Four.

"Please join me in expressing our appreciation to Coach Dave Shoji for his decades of teaching and inspiring the young women of Hawai'i.

"Whether you participate in sports or simply enjoy them as a spectator, it is easy to appreciate the many lessons that they teach.

"One of the best known lessons from the world of sports is that in order to assure a successful outcome, you have to play hard for the entire game – all four quarters of football, the last

out in baseball, the final hole in golf or match point in volleyball.

“And while government is no game, the sports lesson applies – everyone in my Administration is committed to work hard until the last minute of our last day.

“I pledge to the people of Hawai‘i all my effort in moving our state into the best possible position before the next Governor is sworn in later this year.

“I cherish the fact that I have been allowed to serve as the Governor of the Great State of Hawai‘i, a place that is so deeply traditional and yet thrillingly young.

“I know you agree that our Aloha State’s greatest days are yet to come.

“I stand before you rededicated to the job ahead!

“Mahalo nui loa, and God bless Hawai‘i and the United States of America.”

Senate President Colleen Hanabusa then rose and stated:

“Thank you, Governor Lingle. On behalf of Speaker Say, the Legislature, and more importantly, the people of the State of Hawai‘i, we thank you for your term of service. My colleagues and I have always commented on the fact that this will be the most difficult legislative session that we will all face, many of us for probably our whole legislative career. This is a time when we must work collaboratively, and for the people of the State of Hawai‘i, collaboratively doesn’t mean that we are always going to agree. Debate is good, discussion is good, and we know, Governor, we’ve had many of those over these years. (You don’t hear her laughing behind me.) But what that means for everyone is the fact that we will then leave no stone unturned, and that is what we must do to meet this challenge. And I know that the Legislature, the Governor and her cabinet are all up to it, because we must be, for you, the people of the State of Hawai‘i.

“I do want to say something that has never been emphasized. The honoring of Coach Shoji and the Governor did mention. But I think it is also very important that in Governor Lingle we saw the first woman governor of the State of Hawai‘i. And as we heard the stories of Coach Shoji’s amazing career, and we all grew up thinking, as a girl, ‘God, we’re better than the boys!’ And as I look up at the robotics team and see so many young girls—remember, remember in the future that you saw the first woman governor of the State of Hawai‘i, and we all owe you a debt of gratitude for that because that propels girls and women ahead.

“So on that note, Governor, again, on behalf of all of us, we thank you, we look forward to working collaboratively with you in this last year, and now I declare this Joint Session adjourned.”

At 10:49 a.m., President Hanabusa declared the Joint Session adjourned.

#### INTRODUCTION OF SENATE BILLS

On motion by Senator Sakamoto, seconded by Senator Slom and carried unanimously, the Clerk was authorized to receive bills for introduction prior to 6:00 p.m. In consequence thereof and subsequent to its recessing at 9:47 a.m., the following bills were introduced and placed on the calendar for further action on Wednesday, January 27, 2010:

S.B. No. 2642 “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE EIGHTEENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT.”

Introduced by: Senator Nishihara.

S.B. No. 2643 “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAX.”

Introduced by: Senator Nishihara.

S.B. No. 2644 “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.”

Introduced by: Senator Nishihara.

S.B. No. 2645 “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTHCARE.”

Introduced by: Senators Green, Chun Oakland, Baker, Ige.

S.B. No. 2646 “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HAWAII SURFING RESERVES.”

Introduced by: Senators Hemmings, Bunda, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Green, Slom, Espero, Tokuda.

S.B. No. 2647 “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT.”

Introduced by: Senators Tsutsui, Sakamoto, Baker, English, Kim.

S.B. No. 2648 “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION.”

Introduced by: Senator Tsutsui.

S.B. No. 2649 “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII PROJECTS.”

Introduced by: Senators Tokuda, Tsutsui, Baker, English, Fukunaga, Hee, Hooser, Kokubun, Sakamoto, Takamine, Taniguchi.

S.B. No. 2650 “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES.”

Introduced by: Senator Bunda.

S.B. No. 2651 “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BIOFUEL FACILITIES.”

Introduced by: Senators Hooser, Baker, English, Espero, Tsutsui, Kidani, Nishihara, Takamine.

S.B. No. 2652 “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION.”

Introduced by: Senator Hooser.

S.B. No. 2653 “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION.”

Introduced by: Senators Tsutsui, English.

S.B. No. 2654 “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSERVATION.”

Introduced by: Senator Hee, by request.

S.B. No. 2655 “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SHARK TOURS.”

Introduced by: Senators Bunda, Hee.

S.B. No. 2656 “A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT.”

Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	S.B. No. 2671	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY."
S.B. No. 2657	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES."	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	S.B. No. 2672	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BIOFUELS."
S.B. No. 2658	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ACCESS HAWAII COMMITTEE."	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	S.B. No. 2673	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PHOTOVOLTAIC READY NEW RESIDENTIAL HOMES."
S.B. No. 2659	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC PROCUREMENT CODE."	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	S.B. No. 2674	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NET ZERO ENERGY CAPABLE CONSTRUCTION."
S.B. No. 2660	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PAYROLL."	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	S.B. No. 2675	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY."
S.B. No. 2661	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE, ITS OFFICERS, OR ITS EMPLOYEES."	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	S.B. No. 2676	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ALOHA TOWER DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION."
S.B. No. 2662	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PORNOGRAPHY OFFENSES AGAINST CHILDREN."	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	S.B. No. 2677	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING DEVELOPMENT."
S.B. No. 2663	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEFENSES TO THEFT PROSECUTION."	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	S.B. No. 2678	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOW-INCOME HOUSING TAX CREDITS."
S.B. No. 2664	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IDENTITY THEFT."	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	S.B. No. 2679	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING."
S.B. No. 2665	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VIOLATION OF PRIVACY."	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	S.B. No. 2680	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE."
S.B. No. 2666	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEFERRED ACCEPTANCE OF PLEA."	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	S.B. No. 2681	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING."
S.B. No. 2667	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEX OFFENDER REGISTRATION."	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	S.B. No. 2682	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CREATIVE MEDIA."
S.B. No. 2668	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AWARDS OF ATTORNEY'S FEES OR INTEREST AGAINST THE STATE."	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	S.B. No. 2683	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY PRODUCERS."
S.B. No. 2669	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE SOLICITATION OF FUNDS FROM THE PUBLIC."	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	S.B. No. 2684	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CLEAN ENERGY BONDS."
S.B. No. 2670	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FOSSIL FUELS."	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	S.B. No. 2685	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNCLAIMED PROPERTY."
		Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
		S.B. No. 2686	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYMENT OF

	EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM RETIRANTS."	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	S.B. No. 2699	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RESTORATION OF CERTAIN FORFEITED PROFESSIONAL AND VOCATIONAL LICENSES."
S.B. No. 2687	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII EMPLOYER-UNION HEALTH BENEFITS TRUST FUND."	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	S.B. No. 2700	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DENTAL LICENSURE EXAMINATION."
S.B. No. 2688	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII EMPLOYER-UNION HEALTH BENEFITS TRUST FUND."	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	S.B. No. 2701	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSUMER PROTECTION."
S.B. No. 2689	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII EMPLOYER-UNION HEALTH BENEFITS TRUST FUND."	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	S.B. No. 2702	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A MAJOR DISASTER TRUST ACCOUNT."
S.B. No. 2690	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII EMPLOYER-UNION HEALTH BENEFITS TRUST FUND."	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	S.B. No. 2703	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE INTERDEPARTMENTAL COUNCIL ON EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION."
S.B. No. 2691	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PAYMENT OF EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM BENEFITS."	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	S.B. No. 2704	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS."
S.B. No. 2692	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE FISCAL STABILIZATION FUND."	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	S.B. No. 2705	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION GOVERNANCE."
S.B. No. 2693	"A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII RELATING TO THE STATE FISCAL STABILIZATION FUND."	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	S.B. No. 2706	"A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII TO MAKE THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION A PRINCIPAL DEPARTMENT OF STATE GOVERNMENT."
S.B. No. 2694	"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS."	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	S.B. No. 2707	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTRACTORS."
S.B. No. 2695	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NON-GENERAL FUNDS."	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	S.B. No. 2708	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII LABOR RELATIONS BOARD."
S.B. No. 2696	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISTINGUISHING PUBLICITY RIGHTS TRADE NAMES FROM OTHER TYPES OF TRADE NAMES BY RENAMING THEM AS PUBLICITY RIGHTS NAMES AND SPECIFYING THE REGISTRATION PROCEDURES APPLICABLE TO PUBLICITY RIGHTS NAMES."	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	S.B. No. 2709	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTALLY SENSITIVE PRODUCTS."
S.B. No. 2697	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	S.B. No. 2710	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BOARD MEETINGS."
S.B. No. 2698	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE."	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
		S.B. No. 2711	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JOB CREATION."
		Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.



S.B. No. 2712	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REMODELING TAX CREDITS."	S.B. No. 2726	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TIME FRAMES TO REGAIN FITNESS TO PROCEED."
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
S.B. No. 2713	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STANDARD TIMEFRAMES FOR APPLICATION REVIEWS."	S.B. No. 2727	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PARKING FOR DISABLED PERSONS."
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
S.B. No. 2714	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LANDS CONTROLLED BY THE STATE."	S.B. No. 2728	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAUMA."
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
S.B. No. 2715	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PETROLEUM INDUSTRY REPORTING."	S.B. No. 2729	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IMMUNIZATION."
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
S.B. No. 2716	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD PROTECTIVE ACT."	S.B. No. 2730	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION."
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
S.B. No. 2717	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSISTANCE."	S.B. No. 2731	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION LAW."
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
S.B. No. 2718	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEATH BENEFITS."	S.B. No. 2732	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY LAW."
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
S.B. No. 2719	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PSYCHOTROPIC MEDICATION."	S.B. No. 2733	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RECREATIONAL RENAISSANCE. "
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
S.B. No. 2720	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WARRANTS ISSUED BY THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE OFFICE OF YOUTH SERVICES."	S.B. No. 2734	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INDUSTRIAL PARKS ON PUBLIC LANDS."
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
S.B. No. 2721	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY."	S.B. No. 2735	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VESSELS AT ALA WAI AND KEEHI BOAT HARBORS. "
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
S.B. No. 2722	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT."	S.B. No. 2736	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IMPOUNDED VESSELS. "
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
S.B. No. 2723	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTEREST ARBITRATION."	S.B. No. 2737	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CONSERVATION AND RESOURCES ENFORCEMENT SPECIAL FUND."
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
S.B. No. 2724	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SECTOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING."	S.B. No. 2738	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LEGACY LAND CONSERVATION COMMISSION"
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
S.B. No. 2725	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONFIDENTIALITY OF FORENSIC MENTAL HEALTH EXAMINATION REPORTS."	S.B. No. 2739	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LICENSING OF ARCHAEOLOGISTS. "
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
		S.B. No. 2740	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SAINT DAMIEN DE VEUSTER DAY."
		Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.

S.B. No. 2741	“A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII TO CREATE THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE.”	S.B. No. 2755	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY.”
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
S.B. No. 2742	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE GOVERNANCE OF ELECTIONS.”	S.B. No. 2756	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COST SHARING IN THE RELOCATION AND UNDERGROUNDING OF UTILITY FACILITIES.”
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
S.B. No. 2743	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII SPORTS COMMISSION.”	S.B. No. 2757	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL DRIVER LICENSING.”
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
S.B. No. 2744	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TIP CREDIT.”	S.B. No. 2758	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SAFETY INSPECTION OF MOTOR CARRIER VEHICLES.”
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
S.B. No. 2745	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES.”	S.B. No. 2759	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVER LICENSING.”
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
S.B. No. 2746	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONS.”	S.B. No. 2760	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVER LICENSING.”
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
S.B. No. 2747	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONFORMITY OF THE HAWAII INCOME TAX LAW TO THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE.”	S.B. No. 2761	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.”
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
S.B. No. 2748	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAX.”	S.B. No. 2762	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.”
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
S.B. No. 2749	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX CREDITS.”	S.B. No. 2763	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.”
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
S.B. No. 2750	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAX ON INSURANCE PRODUCERS.”	S.B. No. 2764	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.”
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
S.B. No. 2751	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS TAX.”	S.B. No. 2765	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET”
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.
S.B. No. 2752	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX ADMINISTRATION.”	S.B. No. 2766	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATEWIDE TRAFFIC CODE.”
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Bunda.
S.B. No. 2753	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAX ADMINISTRATION.”	S.B. No. 2767	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.”
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	Introduced by:	Senator Bunda.
S.B. No. 2754	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL DRIVER LICENSING.”	S.B. No. 2768	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PAROLE.”
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Bunda, Gabbard, Galuteria, Hemmings, Kidani.
		S.B. No. 2769	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENHANCED 911 SERVICES.”
		Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Bunda, Galuteria, Kidani.

S.B. No. 2770	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REMOTE DISPENSING PHARMACY."	STATE WITHOUT THE PRIOR APPROVAL OF TWO-THIRDS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE SENATE."
Introduced by:	Senators Espero, English, Bunda, Galuteria, Kidani, Nishihara.	Introduced by: Senators Hooser, Galuteria, Nishihara.
S.B. No. 2771	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KALAUPAPA."	S.B. No. 2783 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY EFFICIENCY."
Introduced by:	Senators English, Hanabusa.	Introduced by: Senators Hooser, Gabbard, Nishihara.
S.B. No. 2772	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERINARY MEDICINE."	S.B. No. 2784 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY EFFICIENCY."
Introduced by:	Senator Hee.	Introduced by: Senators Hooser, Gabbard, Nishihara.
S.B. No. 2773	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOMELESS PARK."	S.B. No. 2785 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS FOR PROJECTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE SIXTEENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT."
Introduced by:	Senators Espero, Bunda, English, Hemmings.	
S.B. No. 2774	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ANATOMICAL GIFTS."	Introduced by: Senator Ige.
Introduced by:	Senator Espero.	S.B. No. 2786 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION."
S.B. No. 2775	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLICITY RIGHTS NAMES AS DISTINGUISHED FROM TRADE NAMES AND SPECIFYING REGISTRATION PROCEDURES FOR PUBLICITY RIGHTS NAMES BY AMENDING CHAPTER 482P."	Introduced by: Senators Ihara, Chun Oakland, Hemmings, Slom, Bunda, English, Hooser, Ige, Kim, Nishihara, Sakamoto, Tokuda, Tsutsui.
Introduced by:	Senator Fukunaga.	S.B. No. 2787 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS."
S.B. No. 2776	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ANATOMICAL GIFTS."	Introduced by: Senators Kidani, Chun Oakland, Espero, Baker, Gabbard, Galuteria, Hooser, Nishihara, Tsutsui.
Introduced by:	Senators Fukunaga, Baker, Ige, Takamine.	S.B. No. 2788 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CABLE TELEVISION SYSTEMS."
S.B. No. 2777	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS."	Introduced by: Senators Nishihara, Fukunaga, Bunda, Hee, Ige, Kidani, Sakamoto, Takamine.
Introduced by:	Senators Fukunaga, Chun Oakland, Baker, Ige, Takamine.	S.B. No. 2789 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
S.B. No. 2778	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS."	Introduced by: Senator Sakamoto.
Introduced by:	Senators Fukunaga, Chun Oakland, Baker, Ige, Sakamoto, Takamine.	S.B. No. 2790 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
S.B. No. 2779	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAL PROCEDURES."	Introduced by: Senators Sakamoto, Kidani, Tsutsui.
Introduced by:	Senator Fukunaga.	S.B. No. 2791 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
S.B. No. 2780	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LANDS."	Introduced by: Senator Sakamoto.
Introduced by:	Senators Hee, Bunda, Fukunaga, Takamine, Tokuda.	S.B. No. 2792 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION."
S.B. No. 2781	"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LANDS."	Introduced by: Senator Sakamoto.
Introduced by:	Senators Hee, Bunda, Fukunaga, Hemmings, Takamine, Tokuda.	S.B. No. 2793 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTRACTORS."
S.B. No. 2782	"A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE XI, SECTION 8 OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION, TO PROHIBIT THE CONSTRUCTION OF NEW PETROLEUM, COAL, AND NUCLEAR POWER PLANTS IN THE	Introduced by: Senator Sakamoto.
		S.B. No. 2794 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMOKING."
		Introduced by: Senators Slom, Bunda, Espero, Gabbard, Galuteria.
		S.B. No. 2795 "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY."

Introduced by:	Senators Slom, Baker, Bunda, Chun Oakland, Espero, Gabbard, Galuteria, Hemmings, Ige, Kidani, Nishihara, Sakamoto, Tokuda, Tsutsui.	S.B. No. 2807	“A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE VII, SECTION 6, OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION, RELATING TO THE TAX REBATE REQUIREMENT.”
S.B. No. 2796	“A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE I OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII.”	Introduced by:	Senators Tsutsui, Chun Oakland, Hooser, Kidani, Kim, Nishihara, Sakamoto, Tokuda, Baker, Bunda, English, Galuteria, Hee, Ihara, Takamine.
Introduced by:	Senators Slom, Bunda, Espero, Gabbard, Hemmings, Sakamoto.	S.B. No. 2808	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICTS.”
S.B. No. 2797	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOLUNTARY EMPLOYEES’ BENEFICIARY ASSOCIATION TRUSTS.”	Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Fukunaga, Takamine, Tsutsui.
Introduced by:	Senators Takamine, Chun Oakland, Fukunaga, Hooser, Kidani, Tsutsui.	S.B. No. 2809	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UTILITIES REGULATION.”
S.B. No. 2798	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTRACTORS LICENSES.”	Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Espero, Ige, Sakamoto.
Introduced by:	Senators Takamine, Galuteria, Kidani.	S.B. No. 2810	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRESCRIPTION DRUGS.”
S.B. No. 2799	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNIFORM REAL PROPERTY TRANSFER ON DEATH.”	Introduced by:	Senators Baker, Espero, Ige, Nishihara.
Introduced by:	Senators Takamine, Bunda, Gabbard, Slom, Taniguchi.	S.B. No. 2811	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PHARMACIES.”
S.B. No. 2800	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO OFFENSES AGAINST PUBLIC ORDER.”	Introduced by:	Senators Baker, English, Espero, Kidani, Fukunaga, Ige, Ihara, Nishihara, Sakamoto.
Introduced by:	Senator Taniguchi.	S.B. No. 2812	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPTIVE INSURANCE COMPANIES.”
S.B. No. 2801	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMOKING.”	Introduced by:	Senators Baker, English, Espero, Fukunaga, Tsutsui, Ige, Sakamoto, Takamine, Taniguchi.
Introduced by:	Senator Taniguchi, by request.	S.B. No. 2813	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TARO.”
S.B. No. 2802	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HYBRID BICYCLES.”	Introduced by:	Senator English.
Introduced by:	Senators Tokuda, Espero, Baker, English, Gabbard, Hooser, Sakamoto.	S.B. No. 2814	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOLS.”
S.B. No. 2803	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REGENTS CANDIDATE ADVISORY COUNCIL.”	Introduced by:	Senator English.
Introduced by:	Senators Tokuda, Baker, Kokubun, Sakamoto, Takamine.	S.B. No. 2815	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CLEAN ENERGY BONDS.”
S.B. No. 2804	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREWORKS.”	Introduced by:	Senators English, Espero, Kidani, Bunda, Nishihara, Takamine, Tsutsui.
Introduced by:	Senators Tokuda, Espero, Hee, Kokubun, Taniguchi, Tsutsui.	S.B. No. 2816	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT.”
S.B. No. 2805	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CLEAN AND SOBER AND HALFWAY HOME REGULATION.”	Introduced by:	Senators English, Kidani, Bunda, Espero, Galuteria, Nishihara, Takamine, Tsutsui.
Introduced by:	Senators Tokuda, Chun Oakland, Green, Espero, Ige, Kokubun, Sakamoto, Takamine.	S.B. No. 2817	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOLAR ENERGY DEVICES.”
S.B. No. 2806	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMERGENCY AND BUDGET RESERVE FUND.”	Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Espero, Bunda, Hee, Kidani, Nishihara, Sakamoto, Takamine.
Introduced by:	Senators Tsutsui, Chun Oakland, Galuteria, Hooser, Kidani, Nishihara, Sakamoto, Tokuda, Baker, Bunda, English, Hee, Ihara, Kim, Takamine.	S.B. No. 2818	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION.”
		Introduced by:	Senators Gabbard, Kidani, Kokubun, Espero, Hee, Nishihara, Sakamoto, Takamine.

S.B. No. 2819	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS.”	S.B. No. 2387	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	S.B. No. 2388	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations
S.B. No. 2820	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AWARDS OF ATTORNEY’S FEES OR INTEREST AGAINST THE STATE.”	S.B. No. 2389	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	S.B. No. 2390	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
S.B. No. 2821	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LANDS CONTROLLED BY THE STATE.”	S.B. No. 2391	Committee on Water, Land, Agriculture, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	S.B. No. 2392	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 2822	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ATTORNEYS FEES.”	S.B. No. 2393	Committee on Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	S.B. No. 2394	Committee on Labor
S.B. No. 2823	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LANDS CONTROLLED BY THE STATE.”	S.B. No. 2395	Jointly to the Committee on Ways and Means and the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	S.B. No. 2396	Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations
S.B. No. 2824	“A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING A SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATION TO THE JUDICIAL SELECTION COMMISSION.”	S.B. No. 2397	Committee on Labor, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	S.B. No. 2398	Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 2825	“A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO STATE FUNDS.”	S.B. No. 2399	Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
Introduced by:	Senator Hanabusa, by request.	S.B. No. 2400	Committee on Ways and Means
		S.B. No. 2401	Committee on Ways and Means
		S.B. No. 2402	Committee on Ways and Means
		S.B. No. 2403	Committee on Economic Development and Technology

**REFERRAL OF SENATE BILLS**

The President made the following committee assignments of bills introduced on Friday, January 22, 2010.

S.B. No.:	Referred to:
S.B. No. 2378	Committee on Water, Land, Agriculture, and Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations
S.B. No. 2379	Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 2380	Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
S.B. No. 2381	Committee on Health
S.B. No. 2382	Jointly to the Committee on Health and the Committee on Human Services, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 2383	Committee on Labor, then to the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations
S.B. No. 2384	Jointly to the Committee on Labor and the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 2385	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 2386	Committee on Higher Education, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

**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. 2053	Jointly to the Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs and the Committee on Transportation, International and Intergovernmental Affairs, then jointly to the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations and the Committee on Ways and Means
S.B. No. 2139	Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs, then to the Committee on Ways and Means

**ADJOURNMENT**

At 6:00 p.m., the Senate adjourned until 11:00 a.m., Wednesday, January 27, 2010.