

FORTY-FIRST DAY

Monday, April 1, 2013

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Seventh Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2013, convened at 12:10 o'clock p.m., with Speaker Souki presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Speaker Joseph M. Souki, after which the Roll was called showing all Members present with the exception of Representatives Hanohano, McKelvey and Ward, who were excused.

By unanimous consent, reading and approval of the Journal of the House of Representatives of the Fortieth Day was deferred.

INTRODUCTIONS

The following introduction was made to the Members of the House:

Representative Awana introduced Mr. Reese Ebata, nephew of former Sergeant-at-Arms, Mr. Kevin Ebata.

ORDER OF THE DAY

**INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS
(FLOOR PRESENTATIONS)**

The following resolution (H.R. No. 210) was announced by the Clerk and the following action taken:

H.R. No. 210, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION COMMENDING AND CONGRATULATING HALE KULA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ON BEING A RECIPIENT OF A GRANT FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE PROGRAM FOR CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, REPAIR, OR EXPANSION OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS LOCATED ON MILITARY INSTALLATIONS," was jointly offered by Representatives Takai and Cheape.

Representative Takai moved that H.R. No. 210 be adopted, seconded by Representative Cheape.

Representative Takai recognized the impact of deployment on military dependent children and thanked them for their strength and sacrifice, and thanked Hale Kula Elementary School for their work to ensure that the \$26.6 million federal and \$6.6 million state funds were awarded to help the school make critical facility improvements in order to address student overcrowding.

Representative Takai introduced and congratulated honorees seated on the Floor of the House:

Dr. John Brummel, Central District Complex Area Superintendent;
Ms. Brenda Lowrey, Department of Education Facilities Office;
Command Sergeant Major Philip Brunwald representing the United States Army Garrison Hawaii;
Ms. Wendy Nakasone, Director of School Support Services; and
Ms. Cherise Imai, Department of Education Military Liaison.

Representative Cheape shared the vision of Hale Kula, 'working, learning, and succeeding together,' and introduced guests seated in the gallery:

Mr. Jason Kawaguchi, Counselor from Hale Kula Elementary School;
Ms. Cathy Ferreira, School Administrative Service Assistant from Hale Kula Elementary School;
Ms. Tamsin Keone, Army School Liaison; and
Ms. Sonya Bonet, Deputy Director, Directorate of Family and Morale, Welfare and Recreation.

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and H.R. No. 210 was adopted, with Representatives McKelvey and Ward being excused.

The following resolution (H.R. No. 211) was announced by the Clerk and the following action taken:

H.R. No. 211, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING THE KALANI HIGH SCHOOL BOYS SOCCER TEAM ON WINNING THE 2013 DIVISION I STATE CHAMPIONSHIP," was jointly offered by Representatives Hashem and Kobayashi.

Representative Kobayashi moved that H.R. No. 211 be adopted, seconded by Representative Hashem.

Representative Kobayashi, on behalf of Representatives Hashem, Say and himself, congratulated Kalani High School Boys Soccer Team on winning the 2013 Division I State Championship as an unseeded team with a record of 15-1-1, and recognized the skill, dedication and perseverance of the entire team and coaching staff.

Representative Hashem congratulated and introduced honorees seated on the Floor of the House:

Mr. Greg Van Cantfort; Athletic Director;
Mr. Michael Ching; Head Coach;
Mr. Cory Oshiro, Team Captain;
Mr. Kazuto Moribe, Forward;
Mr. Leo Klink, Forward;
Mr. Paul Klink, father of Leo Klink; and
Mr. Mitchell Otani, Kalani High School Principal, who was seated in the gallery.

Representative Hashem recognized the outstanding performance of the boys soccer team and their strength in the face of the tragic passing of Mrs. Hiroyo Klink.

Representative Hashem then introduced guests who were seated in the gallery:

Team Members: Michael Stafford, Shawn Donnelly, Trevor Kakuda, Kevin Costa, Jarrett Hayama, Noa Maxilom, Pouria Taeb, Kent Uyehara, Scott Manago, Steve Teshima, Ryan Bui, Garrison Nakamura, Marcus White, Bradley Balanay, Kyle Ichiyama, Reese Ebata, Toshiro Kosins, Nathaniel Donnelly, Kaita Tsuchiya, Marc Teshima, Gavin Yoshimoto, Kekai Maruyama, Takahiro Kosins, Aidan Venegas, Joshua Baggett, Rudy McClellan and Daiya Fujiki.

Assistant Coaches: Mr. Ed Maruyama, Mr. Ernie Maxilom, Mr. Kent Ogomori, Mr. Marcus Nakama, Mr. Brandon Chun, Mr. Gavin Taketa and Mr. Derrick Inouye.

Athletic Trainers: Mr. Ben Kuenzli-League and Ms. Sienna Handegard.

Team Managers: Cavina Quach, Kathy Kaw, Korey Ogomori, Kota Nakayama and Ryan Abe.

At this time, the Members of the House of Representatives stood for a moment of silence in honor of the late Mrs. Hiroyo Klink.

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and H.R. No. 211 was adopted, with Representative McKelvey being excused.

At 12:35 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:57 o'clock p.m.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Representative Carroll, for the Committee on Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1229) recommending that S.B.

No. 54, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 54, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGING," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representative McKelvey being excused.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Representatives Evans and Hanohano, for the Committee on Water & Land and the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1271), recommending that H.C.R. No. 104 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.C.R. No. 104, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING A PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS PURSUANT TO SECTION 171-53, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES, RELATING TO THE RECLAMATION AND DISPOSITION OF SUBMERGED OR RECLAIMED PUBLIC LAND," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami and McKelvey being excused.

Representatives Evans and Hanohano, for the Committee on Water & Land and the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1272), recommending that H.C.R. No. 110 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.C.R. No. 110, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING A PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT KAWAILOA, WAIALUA, OAHU, FOR MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR OF EXISTING ROCK AND CONCRETE SEAWALL AND IMPROVEMENTS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami and McKelvey being excused.

Representatives Evans and Hanohano, for the Committee on Water & Land and the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1273), recommending that H.C.R. No. 145 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.C.R. No. 145, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NONEXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING A PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS LOCATED IN KANEHOE, OAHU, FOR THE RENOVATION AND CONSTRUCTION OF A SEAWALL," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami and McKelvey being excused.

Representatives Evans and Hanohano, for the Committee on Water & Land and the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1274), recommending that H.C.R. No. 144 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.C.R. No. 144, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NONEXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING A PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS LOCATED IN HEEIA, KOOLAUPOKO, OAHU, FOR THE USE, MAINTENANCE, REPAIR, AND REMOVAL OF AN EXISTING PIER," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami and McKelvey being excused.

Representatives Evans and Hanohano, for the Committee on Water & Land and the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1275), recommending that H.C.R. No. 61 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.C.R. No. 61, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A FIFTY-FIVE YEAR TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING A PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT PUAMANA, LAHAINA, MAUI, FOR VARIOUS SEAWALL STRUCTURES, A CONCRETE GROIN, AND REVETMENT FOOTINGS OF A HISTORIC SWIMMING POOL," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami and McKelvey being excused.

Representatives Evans and Hanohano, for the Committee on Water & Land and the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1276), recommending that H.C.R. No. 208 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.C.R. No. 208, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE BOARD OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO LEASE CERTAIN SUBMERGED LANDS AT MANELE BAY TO COON BROTHERS INC. FOR RENOVATION OF THE SMALL BOAT HARBOR FACILITIES," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami and McKelvey being excused.

Representatives Evans and Hanohano, for the Committee on Water & Land and the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented two reports:

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1277), recommending that H.R. No. 109 be referred to the Committee on Finance; and

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1278), recommending that H.C.R. No. 139 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Saiki moved that the reports of the Committees be adopted, and that H.R. No. 109; and H.C.R. No. 139 be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Awana.

Representative Coffman rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for him on both measures, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Awana rose to speak in support of both measures, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I rise in support. Thank you. The current situation is that permanent coastal memorials are being constructed, and when constituents approach or make phone calls to various governmental agencies, they're actually pointed in two different directions, whether it be the city, state or the federal government.

"This is also a safety issue and this measure simply asks for all interested parties to gather together to help address this issue because, again, it is a safety issue and it is not necessarily an issue to dismantle these memorials in as so much, it's just so that constituents have a passage or a way in which they can go ahead and voice their concerns and so that they know whether or not these are indeed allowed or not. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Jordan rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for her on both measures, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the reports of the Committees were adopted and H.R. No. 109, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CHAIRPERSON OF THE BOARD OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO ESTABLISH A COASTAL MEMORIALS TASK FORCE," was referred to the

Committee on Finance, with Representative Coffman voting no, and with Representatives Kawakami and McKelvey being excused; and

H.C.R. No. 139, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CHAIRPERSON OF THE BOARD OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO ESTABLISH A COASTAL MEMORIALS TASK FORCE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Coffman voting no, and with Representatives Kawakami and McKelvey being excused.

Representatives Evans and Hanohano, for the Committee on Water & Land and the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1279), recommending that H.C.R. No. 80 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.C.R. No. 80, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO SUBMIT A REPORT TO THE LEGISLATURE ON ACTIONS TAKEN IN RESPONSE TO THE FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS CONTAINED IN THE AUDITOR'S REPORT NOS. 01-09 AND 06-04, RELATING TO THE DIVISION OF BOATING AND OCEAN RECREATION," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Hanohano, for the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1280), recommending that H.R. No. 130 be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 130, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS TO PROVIDE A REPORT TO THE LEGISLATURE REGARDING THE STATUS OF THE KA MAKANA ALII PROJECT AND ACT 187, SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII 2010," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Kawakami and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Hanohano, for the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1281), recommending that H.C.R. No. 162 be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 162, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS TO PROVIDE A REPORT TO THE LEGISLATURE REGARDING THE STATUS OF THE KA MAKANA ALII PROJECT AND ACT 187, SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII 2010," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Kawakami and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Hanohano, for the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1282), recommending that H.R. No. 102 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 102, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 6 THROUGH 13, 2013, AS "HAWAII FISHING AND SEAFOOD WEEK"," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Hanohano, for the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1283), recommending that H.C.R. No. 132 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 132,

entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 6 THROUGH 13, 2013, AS "HAWAII FISHING AND SEAFOOD WEEK"," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Hanohano, for the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1284), recommending that H.R. No. 156 be referred to the Committee on Transportation.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 156, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING AND SUPPORTING THE NATIVE HAWAIIAN HOSPITALITY ASSOCIATION FOR THEIR EFFORTS IN PREPARING FOR THE DESIGNATION OF WAIKĪKĪ - KAUAHALE O HO'OKIPA AS A HAWAII STATE AND NATIONAL SCENIC BYWAY," was referred to the Committee on Transportation, with Representatives Kawakami and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Hanohano, for the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1285), recommending that H.C.R. No. 195 be referred to the Committee on Transportation.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 195, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING AND SUPPORTING THE NATIVE HAWAIIAN HOSPITALITY ASSOCIATION FOR THEIR EFFORTS IN PREPARING FOR THE DESIGNATION OF WAIKĪKĪ - KAUAHALE O HO'OKIPA AS A HAWAII STATE AND NATIONAL SCENIC BYWAY," was referred to the Committee on Transportation, with Representatives Kawakami and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Hanohano, for the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1286), recommending that H.R. No. 103 be referred jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Higher Education.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 103, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS, HAWAIIAN HOMES COMMISSION, BOARD OF EDUCATION, AND THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII BOARD OF REGENTS TO TELEVISIONIZE THEIR RESPECTIVE GENERAL MEETINGS," was referred jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Higher Education, with Representatives Kawakami and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Hanohano, for the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1287), recommending that H.C.R. No. 133 be referred jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Higher Education.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 133, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS, HAWAIIAN HOMES COMMISSION, BOARD OF EDUCATION, AND THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII BOARD OF REGENTS TO TELEVISIONIZE THEIR RESPECTIVE GENERAL MEETINGS," was referred jointly to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Higher Education, with Representatives Kawakami and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Yamane, for the Committee on Transportation, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1288), recommending that H.C.R. No. 22, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Health.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 22, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO ESTABLISH A TASK FORCE TO DEVELOP LEGISLATIVE RECOMMENDATIONS THAT INCLUDE HEALTH AS A PRIORITY IN LAND USE PLANNING AND TRANSPORTATION DECISIONS," was referred to the Committee on Health, with Representatives Kawakami and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Wooley, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1289), recommending that H.R. No. 110, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 110, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO ESTABLISH A PROGRAM TO AWARD GRANTS TO FARMERS WHO IMPLEMENT NATURAL FARMING," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Wooley, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1290), recommending that H.C.R. No. 140, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 140, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO ESTABLISH A PROGRAM TO AWARD GRANTS TO FARMERS WHO IMPLEMENT NATURAL FARMING," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1291), recommending that H.C.R. No. 13 be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.C.R. No. 13 be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, seconded by Representative Awana.

Representative McDermott rose and asked that the Clerk record a no vote for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Cabanilla rose to speak in support of the measure, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker, with regards to Stand. Comm. 1291, HCR Number 13, I'm in favor, Mr. Speaker. As a Desert Storm, Desert Shield Veteran and one who spent 26 years both in the active Army and Army Reserves, it gives me great honor to participate in this discussion in our Chambers. Discussions such as this in our Chambers, Mr. Speaker, exalt this membership to a much higher level of sensitivity and equity promotion to our women in arms and to our daughters.

"Let me just be clear, Mr. Speaker. This resolution does not ask to mandate every woman in the military to serve in combat arms. This resolution, amongst other things, simply asks that the bar against women to fully serve within their capabilities be repealed. In my 26 years of service, Mr. Speaker, I personally know that there are women in uniform that can perform in combat arms equally or even better than their male counterparts. These army policies are centuries old, Mr. Speaker. Women as we know have gone a long ways. I ask you and the Members the passage of this resolution. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 13, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE SUPPORT OF THE REPEAL OF COMBAT EXCLUSIONARY RULES," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative McDermott voting no, and with Representatives Kawakami and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand.

Com. Rep. No. 1292), recommending that H.R. No. 133 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 133, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE STATE FOUNDATION ON CULTURE AND THE ARTS TO DISPLAY ALL WORKS OF ART IN ITS COLLECTION AND TO MAKE PUBLICLY AVAILABLE ON THE INTERNET PHOTOGRAPHS AND INFORMATION OF EVERY WORK OF ART IN THE FOUNDATION'S COLLECTION," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1293), recommending that H.C.R. No. 165 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 165, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE STATE FOUNDATION ON CULTURE AND THE ARTS TO DISPLAY ALL WORKS OF ART IN ITS COLLECTION AND TO MAKE PUBLICLY AVAILABLE ON THE INTERNET PHOTOGRAPHS AND INFORMATION OF EVERY WORK OF ART IN THE FOUNDATION'S COLLECTION," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representatives Kawakami and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1294), recommending that H.R. No. 121 be referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Business.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 121, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING AND COMMENDING THE UNITED STATES-INDONESIA COMPREHENSIVE PARTNERSHIP AND THE GLOBAL SIGNIFICANCE OF ENHANCED COOPERATION BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND INDONESIA," was referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Business, with Representatives Kawakami and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1295), recommending that H.C.R. No. 152 be referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Business.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 152, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING AND COMMENDING THE UNITED STATES-INDONESIA COMPREHENSIVE PARTNERSHIP AND THE GLOBAL SIGNIFICANCE OF ENHANCED COOPERATION BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND INDONESIA," was referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Business, with Representatives Kawakami and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1296), recommending that H.R. No. 88 be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 88, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO INCLUDE RESIDENT CITIZENS OF THE FREELY ASSOCIATED STATES AS "QUALIFIED ALIENS" UNDER THE PERSONAL RESPONSIBILITY AND WORK OPPORTUNITY RECONCILIATION ACT IN RECOGNITION OF THEIR UNIQUE HISTORIC AND ONGOING SACRIFICES AND CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA," was referred to the

Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Kawakami and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1297), recommending that H.C.R. No. 117 be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 117, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO INCLUDE RESIDENT CITIZENS OF THE FREELY ASSOCIATED STATES AS "QUALIFIED ALIENS" UNDER THE PERSONAL RESPONSIBILITY AND WORK OPPORTUNITY RECONCILIATION ACT IN RECOGNITION OF THEIR UNIQUE HISTORIC AND ONGOING SACRIFICES AND CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representatives Kawakami and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1298), recommending that H.R. No. 55, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Education.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 55, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO SUPPORT A STUDENT EXCHANGE PROGRAM FOR STUDENTS IN HAWAII PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND STUDENTS IN PROVINCES IN THE REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES WITH WHICH THE STATE HAS STATE-PROVINCE RELATIONSHIPS," was referred to the Committee on Education, with Representatives Kawakami and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1299), recommending that H.C.R. No. 71, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Education.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 71, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO SUPPORT A STUDENT EXCHANGE PROGRAM FOR STUDENTS IN HAWAII PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND STUDENTS IN PROVINCES IN THE REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES WITH WHICH THE STATE HAS STATE-PROVINCE RELATIONSHIPS," was referred to the Committee on Education, with Representatives Kawakami and McKelvey being excused.

Representative Nishimoto, for the Committee on Legislative Management, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1300) recommending that H.R. No. 18 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 18, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATURE TO PARTICIPATE IN "LIGHT THE STATE CAPITOL BLUE" DURING A PORTION OF THE 2013 REGULAR SESSION," was adopted, with Representative McKelvey being excused.

Representative Nishimoto, for the Committee on Legislative Management, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1301) recommending that H.C.R. No. 33 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 33, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATURE TO PARTICIPATE IN "LIGHT THE STATE CAPITOL BLUE" DURING A PORTION OF THE 2013 REGULAR SESSION," was adopted, with Representative McKelvey being excused.

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, presented two reports:

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1302) recommending that H.R. No. 174 be adopted; and

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1303) recommending that H.C.R. No. 218 be adopted.

Representative Saiki moved that the reports of the Committee be adopted, and that H.R. No. 174; and H.C.R. No. 218 be adopted, seconded by Representative Awana.

Representative Takai rose in support of both measures and asked that his written remarks be inserted in the Journal, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Takai's written remarks are as follows:

"Mr. Speaker, I rise in support of these resolutions.

"The Vietnam War was a trying test of character for a divided America. It defined—not only our country—but each service member who bravely answered the call to arms. From the start of conflict to the search for peace, service members found their morals and values tested by war.

"While many speak of the brutality of the Vietnam War, I'm asking that we instead acknowledge the extraordinary heroism and humanity that arose from it; let us choose to recognize the unfathomable bravery and unwavering commitment to country and people, and let us be clear—there is nothing natural nor easy about standing down fear with courage and noble action. It is a rare, chosen sacrifice, made in the darkest moments of battle. As a grateful nation, we recognize this decision to sacrifice through medals and commendations, including the highest medal for valor in combat, the Congressional Medal of Honor.

"Today, I'm asking that we urge Congress to award this honor to First Lieutenant John Kuulei Kauhahiao. Lieutenant Kauhahiao chose to sacrifice everything to protect the lives of his fellow brothers in battle.

"Before listening to his story, Members, please allow me to briefly explain the criteria of the medal:

The Congressional Medal of Honor distinguishes extraordinary gallantry and courageousness while risking life and going beyond the call of duty:

While engaged in an action against an enemy of the US;
While engaged in military operations involving conflict with an opposing foreign force; or
While serving with friendly foreign forces engaged in an armed conflict against an opposing armed force in which the US is not a belligerent party.

"First Lieutenant Kauhahiao excelled as a Hawaii National Guardsman. He received his commission and lieutenant bars after completing the Hawaii Army National Guard's Officer Candidate School. Lieutenant Kauhahiao was presented with his certificate of completion of the school on May 10, 1968.

"He and 3,200 other officers and soldiers of the 29th Infantry Brigade were soon called to active duty three days later, on May 13, 1968. Lieutenant Kauhahiao became a platoon leader and served with Company B, 2nd Battalion, 8th Cavalry Division (Airmobile) in a reconnaissance operation in the hostile Tay Ninh province. His company's mission was to locate enemy North Vietnamese bunkers in the area.

"During this operation, Lieutenant Kauhahiao's company was outnumbered. Despite this disadvantage, he avoided reckless engagement with the enemy and instead worked to preserve the lives of his men. While leading his platoon through thick jungle terrain, his company was fired upon. Lieutenant Kauhahiao took preventative measures, directing some of his men to seek cover behind bamboo-covered dirt mounds.

"When engagement was necessary, Lieutenant Kauhahao took it upon himself to tactically and self-sacrificially protect his men. While the rest of his company was caught in a crossfire with the enemy, Lieutenant Kauhahao hacked through the bamboo and used it as cover, hurling more than 30 hand grenades through his makeshift opening. He drew enemy fire upon himself so that his men could locate and fire on the enemies. He then crawled over a hundred meters of gunfire-swept terrain to drag vital equipment to the rear and help wounded soldiers get to safety.

"On September 5, 1969, after rejoining his company, Lieutenant Kauhahao saw another enemy squad closing in. He acted in a moment's notice and advanced to engage the enemy to protect his men. This resulted in being mortally wounded by grenade shrapnel and small arms fire. Lieutenant Kauhahao was immediately evacuated due to the severity of his wounds. However, the medivac helicopter could not safely land under heavy fire and crashed. By the time help arrived, Lieutenant Kauhahao had already died from his wounds.

"Colleagues, I think you'll agree that the story of Lieutenant John Kauhahao is not defined by a single act, but rather multiple, extraordinary acts of bravery that reveal a soldier dedicated to his country and comrades, a leader unshaken in his values and honor, who went above and beyond to exemplify the ideals of our military today. Furthermore, his readiness and willingness to activate at the call of duty reminds each of us of the responsibilities of Guardsmen across the nation. He lived with dignity, courage and honor, and his immeasurable sacrifice will not be forgotten.

"For these reasons, I support this measure and urge my colleagues to do the same. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the reports of the Committee were adopted and H.R. No. 174, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO AWARD THE CONGRESSIONAL MEDAL OF HONOR TO JOHN KUULEI KAUHAIHAO, OF HONAUNAU, HAWAII," was adopted, with Representative McKelvey being excused; and

H.C.R. No. 218, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO AWARD THE CONGRESSIONAL MEDAL OF HONOR TO JOHN KUULEI KAUHAIHAO, OF HONAUNAU, HAWAII," was adopted, with Representative McKelvey being excused.

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1304) recommending that H.R. No. 47 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 47, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE GOVERNOR, DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM, BOARD OF REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII, BOARD OF EDUCATION, AND HAWAII'S CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION TO STRENGTHEN THE SISTER-STATE RELATIONSHIP WITH TAIWAN IN COMMEMORATION OF THE TWENTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF THE SISTER-STATE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN HAWAII AND TAIWAN," was adopted, with Representative McKelvey being excused.

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1305) recommending that S.C.R. No. 61, SD 1 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.C.R. No. 61, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE GOVERNOR, DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM, BOARD OF REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII, BOARD OF EDUCATION, AND HAWAII'S CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION TO STRENGTHEN THE SISTER-STATE RELATIONSHIP WITH TAIWAN IN COMMEMORATION OF THE TWENTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF THE

SISTER-STATE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN HAWAII AND TAIWAN," was adopted, with Representative McKelvey being excused.

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, presented two reports:

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1306) recommending that H.R. No. 148 be adopted; and

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1307) recommending that H.C.R. No. 183 be adopted.

Representative Saiki moved that the reports of the Committee be adopted, and that H.R. No. 148; and H.C.R. No. 183 be adopted, seconded by Representative Awana.

Representative Cachola rose to speak in support of both measures, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I rise in strong support of these two resolutions. I was a boy when the Philippines was invaded by the Japanese Imperial Army and my dad fought side by side with American soldiers. At that time we were promised citizenship. It's just like pulling teeth after the war, that a lot of those who served with the American troops were not given citizenship. Their children are also applying for citizenship here in the United States.

"That's why I want to thank Senator Hirono and Congresswoman Colleen Hanabusa for introducing the Filipino Veteran's Family Reunification Act of 2013. There were moves way back for this. Some of the children have been waiting 15, 20 years, and still are waiting to join their parents. Sometimes they cannot even join their parents because they died before they were allowed to come in. I have other written testimony that I want to be inserted into the Journal and hopefully all the Members will vote in support of this measure. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Cachola's written remarks are as follows:

"During World War II, Filipino soldiers fought side by side with the American forces in defense of Bataan. We recognize the value of their sacrifices. They volunteered as spies, serving as guerrillas in the jungles, and fighting in American units. They exhibited great courage.

"The wars have ended. In their footsteps, the world had witnessed the epic struggle that the Filipino soldiers put up in the jungles and the rugged coast of Bataan. Despite the trials of defeat, the captured soldiers stood strong and heroes emerged from the event. American and Filipino liberation forces eventually retook the peninsula on February 8, 1945 and the rest became an inspiring history of valor.

"Because of the circumstances as reflected in the measure's text, veterans were given options to pursue United States Citizenship. Since these changes in immigration laws, thousands of Filipino veterans immigrated to the United States; and many of them have been separated from their children and families in the Philippines who are awaiting the day when their visas are granted and their families can be reunited in the United States.

"The family is the crux of Filipino existence. Allowing it to disintegrate because of the limitations and restrictions of immigration laws is a travesty of what American justice is all about.

"We urge you honorable ladies and gentlemen, to support these measures so that families will be reunited and the promise of fairness will finally be attained for Filipino veterans and their families. Thank you."

Representative Cabanilla rose to speak in support of both measures, stating:

"In support, Mr. Speaker, with a few comments. I just wanted to say that by the time US Congress passed the recognition of the Filipino veterans who served in the Second World War under the US flag, 90% of them had passed. There's only probably 2% that are still alive.

"However, Mr. Speaker, nevertheless having them recognized, I think they should be given the rights of their families as if they were living and be recognized as a US citizen with the right to petition for their family. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the reports of the Committee were adopted and H.R. No. 148, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES AND CONGRESS TO SUPPORT AND PASS THE FILIPINO VETERANS FAMILY REUNIFICATION ACT OF 2013," was adopted, with Representative McKelvey being excused; and

H.C.R. No. 183, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES AND CONGRESS TO SUPPORT AND PASS THE FILIPINO VETERANS FAMILY REUNIFICATION ACT OF 2013," was adopted, with Representative McKelvey being excused.

Representative Yamane, for the Committee on Transportation, presented two reports:

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1308) recommending that H.R. No. 113 be adopted; and

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1309) recommending that H.C.R. No. 142 be adopted.

Representative Saiki moved that the reports of the Committee be adopted, and that H.R. No. 113; and H.C.R. No. 142 be adopted, seconded by Representative Awana.

Representative Awana rose in support of both measures and asked that her written remarks be inserted in the Journal, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Awana's written remarks are as follows:

"Mr. Speaker, I rise in support. As our population in both central Oahu and west Oahu continues to increase, so will traffic. Many families need to commute into Honolulu, whether it be for the purposes business, work or school. The quality of life for residents would in part be enhanced by addressing the area where both the H-1 and H-2 merge. In particular, I would like to see instead of a merge, an additional lane designed. Relief is needed. There resolutions and my suggestion is an answer and for these reasons, I am in support. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Cabanilla rose to speak in support of both measures, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, please note my strong support."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the reports of the Committee were adopted and H.R. No. 113, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO EXAMINE ALTERNATIVE WAYS TO REDESIGN THE H-1/H-2 FREEWAY MERGE TO ALLEVIATE TRAFFIC CONGESTION," was adopted, with Representative McKelvey being excused; and

H.C.R. No. 142, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO EXAMINE ALTERNATIVE WAYS TO REDESIGN THE H-1/H-2 FREEWAY MERGE TO ALLEVIATE TRAFFIC CONGESTION," was adopted, with Representative McKelvey being excused.

Representative Yamane, for the Committee on Transportation, presented two reports:

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1310) recommending that H.R. No. 111 be adopted; and

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1311) recommending that H.C.R. No. 141 be adopted.

Representative Saiki moved that the reports of the Committee be adopted, and that H.R. No. 111; and H.C.R. No. 141 be adopted, seconded by Representative Awana.

Representative Awana rose to speak in support of both measures, stating:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Requesting the same, in strong support with written comments."

Representative Awana's written remarks are as follows:

"Mr. Speaker, I rise in support. These measures, although resolutions, are a sign of support from our Legislature that we realize that the needs of residents on the west side of Oahu is just as important as other areas throughout the state. Currently, drivers run the risk of traffic citations when travelling on the shoulder lane to get to work or arrive to their classes on time. Mr. Speaker, other areas in the island allow for contra flow lanes, shoulder lane usage and the like during peak rush hour traffic times. However, in the areas such as the one listed in these resolutions, between the Makakilo on-ramp until the Kunia off-ramp heading east, there is no relief for those coming as far back as Makaha.

"Quality of life is strained in both the high cost of gasoline and the time in traffic instead of being with their families. It is my hope that the State Department of Transportation will take these resolutions seriously. I will continue to work with the administration during the interim to see what action can be done to further assist and/or address these challenges for the people on the west side of Oahu. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Representative Cabanilla rose to speak in support of both measures, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, please note my strong support. Thank you."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the reports of the Committee were adopted and H.R. No. 111, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO MAKE THE NECESSARY ACCOMMODATIONS TO ALLOW THE EASTBOUND SHOULDER LANES FROM THE MAKAKILO DRIVE ON-RAMP TO THE KUNIA OFF-RAMP ON THE H-1 FREEWAY DURING PEAK MORNING TRAFFIC HOURS TO ASSIST IN ALLEVIATING TRAFFIC CONGESTION," was adopted, with Representative McKelvey being excused; and

H.C.R. No. 141, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO MAKE THE NECESSARY ACCOMMODATIONS TO ALLOW THE EASTBOUND SHOULDER LANES FROM THE MAKAKILO DRIVE ON-RAMP TO THE KUNIA OFF-RAMP ON THE H-1 FREEWAY DURING PEAK MORNING TRAFFIC HOURS TO ASSIST IN ALLEVIATING TRAFFIC CONGESTION," was adopted, with Representative McKelvey being excused.

Representative Evans, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1312) recommending that H.R. No. 98 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 98, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE MAYOR OF THE COUNTY OF KAUAI, THE KAUAI COUNTY COUNCIL, KAUAI PLANNING AND ACTION ALLIANCE, WEST SIDE KAUAI COMMUNITIES, AND THE WAIMEA SPORTS COMPLEX STEERING COMMITTEE TO COLLABORATE TO EXPEDITE THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE WAIMEA SPORTS COMPLEX," was adopted, with Representative McKelvey being excused.

Representative Evans, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1313) recommending that H.C.R. No. 127 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 127, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE MAYOR OF THE COUNTY OF KAUAI, THE KAUAI COUNTY COUNCIL, KAUAI PLANNING AND ACTION ALLIANCE, WEST SIDE KAUAI COMMUNITIES, AND THE WAIMEA SPORTS COMPLEX STEERING COMMITTEE TO COLLABORATE TO EXPEDITE THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE WAIMEA SPORTS COMPLEX," was adopted, with Representative McKelvey being excused.

Representatives Evans and Hanohano, for the Committee on Water & Land and the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1314) recommending that H.R. No. 91 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.R. No. 91, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO CONDUCT A STUDY OF THE COMMERCIAL VESSEL PERMITS IN STATE SMALL BOAT HARBORS INVOLVING OCEAN-RELATED ACTIVITIES FOR OCEAN WATERS BETWEEN KALAELOA POINT AND KAENA POINT," was adopted, with Representative McKelvey being excused.

Representatives Evans and Hanohano, for the Committee on Water & Land and the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1315) recommending that H.C.R. No. 120 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.C.R. No. 120, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO CONDUCT A STUDY OF THE COMMERCIAL VESSEL PERMITS IN STATE SMALL BOAT HARBORS INVOLVING OCEAN-RELATED ACTIVITIES FOR OCEAN WATERS BETWEEN KALAELOA POINT AND KAENA POINT," was adopted, with Representative McKelvey being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1316) recommending that S.B. No. 286, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that S.B. No. 286, SD 1, HD 1 pass Second Reading and placed on the calendar for Third Reading, seconded by Representative Awana.

Representative Takai rose to disclose a potential conflict of interest, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, thank you. Ruling on a potential conflict. I'm a plaintiff in a federal lawsuit. Thank you," and the Chair ruled, "no conflict."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 286, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAPPORTIONMENT," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representative McKelvey being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1317) recommending that S.B. No. 6, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and S.B. No. 6, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMAL CRUELTY," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representative McKelvey being excused.

SUSPENSION OF RULES

On motion by Representative Awana, seconded by Representative Fukumoto and carried, the rules were suspended for the purpose of considering certain Senate Bills for Third Reading by consent calendar. (Representative McKelvey was excused.)

THIRD READING

S.B. No. 442, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, S.B. No. 442, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR," passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative McKelvey being excused.

S.B. No. 2, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, S.B. No. 2, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SIMULATED FIREARMS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 47 ayes to 3 noes, with Representatives Fale, Hanohano and McDermott voting no, and with Representative McKelvey being excused.

S.B. No. 30, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, S.B. No. 30, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING," passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative McKelvey being excused.

S.B. No. 192, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, S.B. No. 192, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROSTITUTION," passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative McKelvey being excused.

S.B. No. 853, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, S.B. No. 853, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ELECTIONS COMMISSION," passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative McKelvey being excused.

S.B. No. 32:

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, S.B. No. 32, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM ELECTRONIC LEGAL MATERIAL ACT," passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative McKelvey being excused.

S.B. No. 31, HD 1:

Representative Saiki moved that S.B. No. 31, HD 1 pass Third Reading, seconded by Representative Awana.

Representative Rhoads rose to disclose a potential conflict of interest, stating:

"Mr. Speaker, I just have a request for a ruling on a potential conflict. My wife works for an organization that sometimes makes independent expenditures. Thank you," and the Chair ruled, "no conflict."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and S.B. No. 31, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAMPAIGN SPENDING," passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative McKelvey being excused.

S.B. No. 194, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, S.B. No. 194, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE," passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative McKelvey being excused.

S.B. No. 966, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, S.B. No. 966, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM MEDIATION ACT," passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative McKelvey being excused.

S.B. No. 502, SD 1, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, S.B. No. 502, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REAL ESTATE SELLER DISCLOSURE," passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative McKelvey being excused.

S.B. No. 341, SD 2:

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, S.B. No. 341, SD 2, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISPOSITION OF REMAINS," passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative McKelvey being excused.

S.B. No. 995, HD 1:

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, S.B. No. 995, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO IRRIGATION WATER DEVELOPMENT," passed Third Reading by a vote of 50 ayes, with Representative McKelvey being excused.

At 1:18 o'clock p.m., the Chair noted that the following bills passed Third Reading:

- S.B. No. 442, SD 1, HD 1
- S.B. No. 2, HD 1
- S.B. No. 30, SD 1, HD 1
- S.B. No. 192, HD 1
- S.B. No. 853, SD 1, HD 1
- S.B. No. 32
- S.B. No. 31, HD 1
- S.B. No. 194, SD 1, HD 1
- S.B. No. 966, HD 1
- S.B. No. 502, SD 1, HD 1
- S.B. No. 341, SD 2
- S.B. No. 995, HD 1

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Thielen: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I wanted to remind the Members that this Friday is the 14th annual Hemp Aloha Friday and in honor of Earth Week I would ask that Members would wear natural fibers to the Aloha Friday day. Thank you."

Representative Johanson: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker and Members, I just wanted to announce that we have a belated birthday, our own Minority Floor Leader celebrated her 40th birthday this weekend. Let's give her a round of applause."

Representative Belatti: "Mr. Speaker, just very briefly, I wanted to thank all the Members on behalf of the Women's Legislative Caucus for the donations of the very generous Easters baskets. This past Friday we collected over a hundred baskets and I also wanted to especially thank our Representative and colleague from Kahului who did such a wonderful job as our elected very special Easter Bunny. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Speaker Souki: "The Chair would like to make an announcement. The Chair would like to remind the Committee Chairs that today is the lateral filing deadline for resolutions that need to move to their final committees. Please file your Committee Reports and drafts with the Chief Clerk's office by 6:00 p.m. this evening."

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

The following measures were re-referred to committee by the Speaker:

| <u>H.R.</u> <u>Nos.</u> | <u>Re-referred to:</u> |
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| 38 | Committee on Judiciary |
| 53 | Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts |
| 72 | Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts |
| 90 | Committee on Finance |
| 137 | Committee on Finance |
| 146 | Committee on Water & Land, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 173 | Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection |
| 178 | Committee on Judiciary |

| <u>H.C.R.</u> <u>Nos.</u> | <u>Re-referred to:</u> |
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| 69 | Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts |
| 90 | Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts |
| 119 | Committee on Finance |
| 130 | Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts |
| 169 | Committee on Finance |
| 181 | Committee on Water & Land, then to the Committee on Finance |
| 217 | Committee on Judiciary |
| 224 | Committee on Judiciary |
| 239 | Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection |

ADJOURNMENT

At 1:20 o'clock p.m., on motion by Representative Awana, seconded by Representative Fukumoto and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 12:00 o'clock noon tomorrow, Tuesday, April 2, 2013. (Representatives Hashem, Ito, Kobayashi and McKelvey were excused.)