

FORTY-SECOND DAY

Tuesday, April 2, 2013

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Seventh Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2013, convened at 12:11 o'clock p.m., with Vice Speaker Mizuno presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Associate Pastor Max R. Fowler of Kakaako Christian Fellowship, after which the Roll was called showing all Members present with the exception of Representatives Cabanilla and Carroll, who were excused.

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

SENATE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the Senate (Sen. Com. Nos. 414 and 415) were received and announced by the Clerk:

Sen. Com. No. 414, transmitting S.C.R. No. 97, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO UNDERTAKE A SYSTEMWIDE REVIEW OF ITS OVERSIGHT, MONITORING, AND ACCOUNTABILITY OF THE OPERATIONAL AND FISCAL PRACTICES OF THE DEPARTMENT'S SCHOOL FOOD SERVICES BRANCH," which was adopted by the Senate on April 1, 2013.

Sen. Com. No. 415, transmitting S.C.R. No. 108, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO INCLUDE RESIDENT CITIZENS OF THE FREELY ASSOCIATED STATES WHO LAWFULLY RESIDE IN THE UNITED STATES AS "QUALIFIED ALIENS" UNDER THE PERSONAL RESPONSIBILITY AND WORK OPPORTUNITY RECONCILIATION ACT OF 1996 IN RECOGNIZING THEIR UNIQUE HISTORIC AND ONGOING SACRIFICES AND CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA," which was adopted by the Senate on April 1, 2013.

ORDER OF THE DAY

**INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS
(FLOOR PRESENTATIONS)**

The following resolution (H.R. No. 212) was announced by the Clerk and the following action taken:

H.R. No. 212, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING THE ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII ON THE MOMENTOUS OCCASION OF ITS 100TH ANNIVERSARY," was jointly offered by Representatives Ing, Luke and Nishimoto.

Representative Ing moved that H.R. No. 212 be adopted, seconded by Representative Luke.

Representative Ing, as a former President, congratulated and thanked the Associated Students of the University of Hawaii for 100 years of service, advocating fighting for student interests and giving students opportunities to be part of the decision making process at the University of Hawaii at Manoa, allowing students to develop and enhance their leadership, public speaking and management skills.

Representative Ing recognized his former advisor, Ms. Bonnyjean Manini, and thanked her for her guidance.

Representative Luke introduced honorees who were seated on the Floor of the House:

Mr. Richard Mizusawa, current and 100th ASUH President;

Mr. Jon Riki Karamatsu, 85th Vice President from 1997-1998;
Mr. Gordon Ito, 69th President from 1981-1982;
Mr. Gene Awakuni, 61st President from 1973-1974;
Mr. Carl Takamura, 53rd President from 1965-1966;
Associate Justice Simeon Acoba, 52nd Vice President from 1964-1965;
Mr. Lawrence Okinaga, 50th President from 1962-1963;
Mr. Walter Kirimitsu, 49th President from 1961-1962;
Ms. Bonnyjean Manini, Director of Student Leadership Development at UH and Lead Faculty Advisor of ASUH; and
Ms. Jana Doi and Ms. Mari Doi, granddaughters of Mr. Nelson Doi, 32nd President from 1944-1945.

Representative Luke also recognized Members of the House who served as past ASUH Presidents:

K. Mark Takai, 77th President from 1989-1990;
Sylvia Luke, 76th President from 1988-1989;
Scott Y. Nishimoto, 84th President from 1996-1997; and
Kaniela Ing, 97th President from 2009-2010.

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and H.R. No. 212 was adopted, with Representatives Cabanilla and Carroll being excused.

The following resolution (H.R. No. 213) was announced by the Clerk and the following action taken:

H.R. No. 213, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING WAIANAE HIGH SCHOOL'S SEARIDER DIGITAL TEAM FOR RECEIVING THE APPLE DISTINGUISHED PROGRAM DESIGNATION," was offered by Representative Jordan.

Representative Jordan moved that H.R. No. 213 be adopted, seconded by Representative Oshiro.

Representative Jordan congratulated Waianae High School's Searider Digital Team on receiving the Apple Distinguished Program Designation, highlighting their success on enhancing and extending teaching and learning with thoughtfulness and innovation implementation of technology.

Representative Jordan introduced honorees who were seated on the Floor of the House:

Mr. Michael O'Connor, Searider Digital Lead Instructor; and
Ms. Schae-Leigh Nii and Mr. Jacoby Cid, Students.

Representative Jordan then introduced guests in the gallery:

Students of the Searider Digital Team: Angelika Ayau, Joshua Camalig, Catherine Cannon, Gary Domingo, Giddel Domingo, Celroy Fonda, Malie Gonsalves, Camrie Gouveia-Baricar, Sebastian Henline, Emma Jordan, Robert Lagrimas, Marina Leota, Dyana Matthijssen, Jessica Matthijssen, Jessica Nelson, Jenavee Ramos, Brittany Samuels, Shaughn Spencer, Dannen Timbreza-Dano, Tylor Timoteo, Skye Tuinei, Karli Wagatsuma and Jai Lynn Yoshimi;
Ms. Nani Daniels, Apple Representative;
Mr. Nelson Shigeta, Waianae High Principal;
Mr. Kevin Matsuba, Academy Vice Principal;
Ms. Candy Suiso, Searider Productions Executive Director;
Mr. Na'a Makekai, Searider Digital Teacher;
Mr. Curtis Fukumoto, Searider Digital Teacher; and
Mr. Shane Nakamura, Academy Counselor.

Representative Awana congratulated the Searider Digital Team and thanked their family, friends and the school community for their support.

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and H.R. No. 213 was adopted, with Representatives Cabanilla and Carroll being excused.

At 12:42 o'clock p.m., the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 1:44 o'clock p.m.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

At this time, the Chair stated:

"Members, please turn to page 25. Stand. Com. Report Number 1400, Senate Bill Number 472. Members, please note that this measure will be deferred one legislative day."

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1400) recommending that S.B. No. 472, SD 1, as amended in HD 1, pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

By unanimous consent, action was deferred one legislative day.

At this time, the Chair stated:

"Members, before we start, with your kind indulgence, we have two hearings at 2:00, I believe Finance and Judiciary have hearings at 2:00. So with your kind indulgence, feel free to submit written comments in support, in opposition or with reservations on these resolutions before us."

Representative Carroll, for the Committee on Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1318), recommending that H.R. No. 153 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. 153, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO STUDY THE RIGHTS AND DUE PROCESS REQUIREMENTS REGARDING COMPLAINTS, GRIEVANCES, AND APPEALS ACROSS CARE SETTINGS FOR MEDICAID NURSING FACILITY LEVEL OF CARE CLIENTS WHO RECEIVE HOME AND COMMUNITY BASED SERVICES," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Carroll, for the Committee on Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1319), recommending that H.C.R. No. 192 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. 192, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO STUDY THE RIGHTS AND DUE PROCESS REQUIREMENTS REGARDING COMPLAINTS, GRIEVANCES, AND APPEALS ACROSS CARE SETTINGS FOR MEDICAID NURSING FACILITY LEVEL OF CARE CLIENTS WHO RECEIVE HOME AND COMMUNITY BASED SERVICES," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representatives Carroll and Belatti, for the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1320), recommending that H.R. No. 115 be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.R. No. 115, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A WORK GROUP TO EXAMINE SOCIAL DETERMINANTS OF HEALTH AND RISK ADJUSTMENT FOR MEDICAID, GAP-GROUP, AND UNINSURED INDIVIDUALS," was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representatives Carroll and Belatti, for the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1321), recommending that H.C.R. No. 146 be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.C.R. No. 146, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A WORK GROUP TO EXAMINE SOCIAL DETERMINANTS OF HEALTH AND RISK ADJUSTMENT FOR MEDICAID, GAP-GROUP, AND UNINSURED INDIVIDUALS," was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representatives Carroll and Belatti, for the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1322), recommending that H.R. No. 89, 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 Committees was adopted and H.R. No. 89, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO PREPARE A PROGRESS REPORT ON DETAILING EFFORTS TO IMPROVE AND RE-ENGINEER PROCESSING FOR ADULT PROTECTIVE SERVICES," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representatives Carroll and Belatti, for the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1323), recommending that H.C.R. No. 118, 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 Committees was adopted and H.C.R. No. 118, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO PREPARE A PROGRESS REPORT ON DETAILING EFFORTS TO IMPROVE AND RE-ENGINEER PROCESSING FOR ADULT PROTECTIVE SERVICES," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Carroll, for the Committee on Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1324), recommending that H.R. No. 152, 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. 152, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO REPORT ON THE STATE MEDICAID PROGRAM'S COMPLIANCE WITH THE PATIENT PROTECTION AND AFFORDABLE CARE ACT," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Carroll, for the Committee on Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1325), recommending that H.C.R. No. 191, 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. 191, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO REPORT ON THE STATE MEDICAID PROGRAM'S COMPLIANCE WITH THE PATIENT PROTECTION AND AFFORDABLE CARE ACT," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Carroll, for the Committee on Human Services, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1326), recommending that H.C.R. No. 184 be referred to the Committee on Legislative Management.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 184, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A COMPREHENSIVE FINANCIAL AUDIT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES MED-QUEST DIVISION, WITH EMPHASIS ON THE MEDICAID PROGRAM," was referred to the Committee on Legislative Management, with Representative Carroll being excused.

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

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1327), recommending that H.R. No. 86, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance; and

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1328), recommending that H.C.R. No. 115, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Saiki moved that the reports of the Committee be adopted, and that H.R. No. 86, HD 1; and H.C.R. No. 115, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance, 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.

"As many of us know, the United States has had a tumultuous history in the Middle East over the past three decades. This history cannot be ignored. The Persian Gulf War, Operation Desert Storm, Operation Iraqi Freedom, Operation New Dawn, and Operation Enduring Freedom were the wars of this generation and its veterans and heroes must be honored.

"Hawaii has already dedicated the Korean-Vietnam War Memorial on the grounds of the State Capitol to remember those in Hawaii who sacrificed their lives for others during these wars. For some of us, these wars directly affected our generation or our parents' generation. This memorial holds special significance for those who can remember what it felt like during those times of hardship. We could relate to our Korean and Vietnam War veterans who gave their lives to serve their country; they were our classmates, our relatives, our peers, and our friends. We remember who they were. We remember their stories in the news, and the memorial serves both as tribute to their sacrifice, tribute to the wars' living veterans, and as a beacon of hope for us.

"The veterans and families of these Middle East wars also deserve to have the same tribute because they too sacrificed everything for our nation. After 9/11, our security was shattered, our country broken, and we mourned for those lost. Though we in Hawaii are separated from the continental US, distance did not separate our collective grief and resolve to prevent another 9/11 attack from occurring. Local men and women did not merely endure, but instead joined the armed services intent on rebuilding what our nation lost, and left home to enter lands of uncertainty and conflict. Service members from Hawaii gave and lost their lives. Though memorializing their sacrifice cannot possibly express the extent of gratitude of our state, it serves to remind veterans and family members that we do not forget those who have sacrificed everything.

"This memorial established for the veterans of the Persian Gulf War, Operation Desert Storm, Operation Iraqi Freedom, Operation New Dawn, and Operation Enduring Freedom would honor this generation's heroes, veterans, and military families, and would remind them that there is hope in loss, that there can be honor in death, and that freedom does not come without a price.

"For these reasons, I support these measures 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. 86, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE OFFICE OF VETERANS

SERVICES, WITH THE ASSISTANCE OF OTHER DEPARTMENTS, TO PLAN AND ESTABLISH A MEMORIAL HONORING THE VETERANS OF THE PERSIAN GULF WAR, OPERATION DESERT STORM, OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM, OPERATION NEW DAWN, AND OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused; and

H.C.R. No. 115, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE OFFICE OF VETERANS SERVICES, WITH THE ASSISTANCE OF OTHER DEPARTMENTS, TO PLAN AND ESTABLISH A MEMORIAL HONORING THE VETERANS OF THE PERSIAN GULF WAR, OPERATION DESERT STORM, OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM, OPERATION NEW DAWN, AND OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Aquino, for the Committee on Public Safety, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1329), recommending that H.R. No. 71 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. 71, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII STATE CIVIL DEFENSE TO CONDUCT A STUDY REGARDING WHAT ACTIONS SHOULD BE TAKEN WHEN PEOPLE REFUSE TO LEAVE THEIR HOMES OR CLOSE THEIR BUSINESSES LOCATED IN EVACUATION ZONES DURING NATURAL DISASTERS," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Aquino, for the Committee on Public Safety, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1330), recommending that H.C.R. No. 89 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. 89, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII STATE CIVIL DEFENSE TO CONDUCT A STUDY REGARDING WHAT ACTIONS SHOULD BE TAKEN WHEN PEOPLE REFUSE TO LEAVE THEIR HOMES OR CLOSE THEIR BUSINESSES LOCATED IN EVACUATION ZONES DURING NATURAL DISASTERS," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Aquino, for the Committee on Public Safety, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1331), recommending that H.R. No. 104, 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. 104, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING ALL AGENCIES IN THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM TO CONDUCT ANNUAL, MANDATORY, IMPLICIT, UNCONSCIOUS BIAS TRAINING FOR SPECIFIC EMPLOYEES," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Aquino, for the Committee on Public Safety, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1332), recommending that H.C.R. No. 134, 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. 134, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING ALL AGENCIES IN THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM TO CONDUCT ANNUAL, MANDATORY, IMPLICIT, UNCONSCIOUS BIAS TRAINING FOR SPECIFIC EMPLOYEES," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Aquino, for the Committee on Public Safety, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1333), recommending that H.R. No. 140, as amended in HD 1, 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. 140, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE STATE TO DEVELOP A PLAN TO IMPLEMENT A THREE-YEAR EARNED-TIME PILOT PROGRAM TO ALLOW INMATES UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY TO EARN CREDIT TOWARD REDUCING THEIR MINIMUM TERM OF IMPRISONMENT," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Aquino, for the Committee on Public Safety, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1334), recommending that H.C.R. No. 172, as amended in HD 1, 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. 172, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE STATE TO DEVELOP A PLAN TO IMPLEMENT A THREE-YEAR EARNED-TIME PILOT PROGRAM TO ALLOW INMATES UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY TO EARN CREDIT TOWARD REDUCING THEIR MINIMUM TERM OF IMPRISONMENT," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Aquino, for the Committee on Public Safety, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1335), recommending that H.C.R. No. 173 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. 173, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY TO EXPAND COMMUNITY DRUG TREATMENT AND MENTAL HEALTH PROGRAMS FOR NONVIOLENT OFFENDERS AND MOVE LOW-RISK OFFENDERS INTO COMMUNITY PROGRAMS THAT DIRECTLY ADDRESS THEIR PATHWAYS TO INCARCERATION," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Lee, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1336), recommending that H.R. No. 167, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 167, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION TO EVALUATE IN THE RENEWABLE PORTFOLIO STANDARDS STUDY PREFERENCES FOR CERTAIN RENEWABLE ENERGY RESOURCES AND THE DEVELOPMENT AND IMPLEMENTATION OF A CLEAN ENERGY STANDARD," was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Lee, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1337), recommending that H.C.R. No. 211, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 211, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION TO EVALUATE IN THE RENEWABLE PORTFOLIO STANDARDS STUDY PREFERENCES FOR CERTAIN RENEWABLE ENERGY RESOURCES AND THE DEVELOPMENT AND IMPLEMENTATION OF A CLEAN ENERGY STANDARD," was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1338), recommending that H.R. No. 105 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. 105, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO ESTABLISH AN EMERGENCY SERVICES PATIENT ADVOCATE PROGRAM TO PROVIDE ASSISTANCE TO AND ADVOCATE ON BEHALF OF PATIENTS RECEIVING EMERGENCY MEDICAL CARE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1339), recommending that H.C.R. No. 135 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. 135, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO ESTABLISH AN EMERGENCY SERVICES PATIENT ADVOCATE PROGRAM TO PROVIDE ASSISTANCE TO AND ADVOCATE ON BEHALF OF PATIENTS RECEIVING EMERGENCY MEDICAL CARE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representatives Belatti and Lee, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1340), recommending that H.C.R. No. 205, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Legislative Management.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.C.R. No. 205, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A MANAGEMENT AUDIT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SANITATION BRANCH," was referred to the Committee on Legislative Management, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representatives Belatti and Hanohano, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1341), recommending that H.R. No. 175 be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.R. No. 175, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO ISSUE CERTIFICATES OF BIRTH, MARRIAGE, DIVORCE, OR DEATH CONTAINING NAMES IN THE HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE AS ACCURATELY AND TIMELY AS CERTIFICATES CONTAINING NAMES THAT ARE NOT IN THE HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representatives Belatti and Hanohano, for the Committee on Health and the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1342), recommending that H.C.R. No. 221 be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.C.R. No. 221, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO ISSUE CERTIFICATES OF BIRTH, MARRIAGE, DIVORCE, OR DEATH CONTAINING NAMES IN THE HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE AS ACCURATELY AND TIMELY AS CERTIFICATES CONTAINING NAMES THAT ARE NOT IN THE HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1343), recommending that H.R. No. 172, 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. 172, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE CONVENING OF A TASK FORCE TO ESTABLISH A STROKE SYSTEM OF CARE

IN THE STATE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1344), recommending that H.C.R. No. 216, 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. 216, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE CONVENING OF A TASK FORCE TO ESTABLISH A STROKE SYSTEM OF CARE IN THE STATE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1345), recommending that H.R. No. 35, 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. 35, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING COLLABORATION AMONG VARIOUS STATE AGENCIES TO IDENTIFY BARRIERS RELATING TO THE PRACTICE OF ADVANCED PRACTICE REGISTERED NURSING TO THE FULL EXTENT OF THE NURSES' EDUCATION AND TRAINING IN THE STATE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1346), recommending that H.C.R. No. 53, 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. 53, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING COLLABORATION AMONG VARIOUS STATE AGENCIES TO IDENTIFY BARRIERS RELATING TO THE PRACTICE OF ADVANCED PRACTICE REGISTERED NURSING TO THE FULL EXTENT OF THE NURSES' EDUCATION AND TRAINING IN THE STATE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1347), recommending that H.R. No. 39 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. 39, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO DEVELOP AN ACTION PLAN TO ELIMINATE DIESEL CREMATORS IN THE STATE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1348), recommending that H.C.R. No. 54 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. 54, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO DEVELOP AN ACTION PLAN TO ELIMINATE DIESEL CREMATORS IN THE STATE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1349), recommending that H.R. No. 60 be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 60, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE EXECUTIVE OFFICE ON AGING TO CONTINUE ITS RESEARCH OF THE TIMEBANKING CONCEPT FOR HAWAII'S RESPITE SYSTEM," was

referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1350), recommending that H.C.R. No. 76 be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 76, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE EXECUTIVE OFFICE ON AGING TO CONTINUE ITS RESEARCH OF THE TIMEBANKING CONCEPT FOR HAWAII'S RESPITE SYSTEM," was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1351), recommending that H.R. No. 161, 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. 161, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DIRECTOR OF HEALTH TO RECONVENE THE CLEAN AND SOBER HOMES AND HALFWAY HOUSES TASK FORCE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1352), recommending that H.C.R. No. 200, 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. 200, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DIRECTOR OF HEALTH TO RECONVENE THE CLEAN AND SOBER HOMES AND HALFWAY HOUSES TASK FORCE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1353), recommending that H.R. No. 117, 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. 117, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION DESIGNATING MARCH AS BRAIN INJURY AWARENESS MONTH," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1354), recommending that H.C.R. No. 148, 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. 148, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION DESIGNATING MARCH AS BRAIN INJURY AWARENESS MONTH," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1355), recommending that H.R. No. 162 be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 162, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND THE HAWAII PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION TO DEVELOP DRAFT LEGISLATION ESTABLISHING, IMPLEMENTING, AND MONITORING CONTINUING EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL LICENSED PSYCHOLOGISTS IN HAWAII," was referred to the

Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1356), recommending that H.C.R. No. 201 be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 201, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND THE HAWAII PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION TO DEVELOP DRAFT LEGISLATION ESTABLISHING, IMPLEMENTING, AND MONITORING CONTINUING EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL LICENSED PSYCHOLOGISTS IN HAWAII," was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1357), recommending that H.R. No. 160 be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 160, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPY: HAWAII DIVISION, TO DEVELOP DRAFT LEGISLATION ESTABLISHING, IMPLEMENTING, AND MONITORING CONTINUING EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL LICENSED MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPISTS IN HAWAII," was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1358), recommending that H.C.R. No. 199 be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 199, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPY: HAWAII DIVISION, TO DEVELOP DRAFT LEGISLATION ESTABLISHING, IMPLEMENTING, AND MONITORING CONTINUING EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL LICENSED MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPISTS IN HAWAII," was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1359), recommending that H.R. No. 79 be referred to 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. 79, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII ADMINISTRATION TO ESTABLISH AND IMPLEMENT A TOBACCO-FREE UNIVERSITY POLICY FOR ALL UNIVERSITY CAMPUSES AND FACILITIES," was referred to the Committee on Higher Education, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1360), recommending that H.C.R. No. 103 be referred to 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. 103, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII ADMINISTRATION TO ESTABLISH AND IMPLEMENT A TOBACCO-FREE UNIVERSITY POLICY FOR ALL UNIVERSITY CAMPUSES AND FACILITIES," was referred to the Committee on Higher Education, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1361), recommending that H.R. No. 93, 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. 93, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO EVALUATE THE FEASIBILITY OF IMPOSING A SALES TAX ON NON-ESSENTIAL FOOD ITEMS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1362), recommending that H.C.R. No. 122, 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. 122, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO EVALUATE THE FEASIBILITY OF IMPOSING A SALES TAX ON NON-ESSENTIAL FOOD ITEMS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Belatti, for the Committee on Health, presented two reports:

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1363), recommending that H.R. No. 62 be referred to the Committee on Finance; and

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1364), recommending that H.C.R. No. 81 be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Saiki moved that the reports of the Committee be adopted, and that H.R. No. 62; and H.C.R. No. 81 be referred to the Committee on Finance, 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 Tri-Care beneficiary. Thank you," and the Chair ruled, "no conflict."

Representative Takai continued 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.

"State and county workers who are in the National Guard and Reserves are eligible for both the federal's Tricare Reserve Select (TRS), a premium-based health plan available for purchase by eligible members of the National Guard and Reserves, and health coverage under the state's Hawaii Employer-Union Health benefits Trust Fund (EUTF).

"Currently, state and county workers in the Guard and Reserves can choose TRS. By choosing TRS, state and county workers are forced to forfeit their allotted health plan employer-payouts from the state. If they do choose TRS, there is tremendous savings that EUTF and state and county employed Guardsmen and Reservists will realize. EUTF should consider covering the employee part of the TRS co-payment rather than the employer part of the EUTF co-payment.

"Opting for TRS is cheaper for qualified Guardsmen and Reservists than opting for EUTF. For example, the current monthly premium cost for TRS for a family of four is only \$195.81. This premium includes medical and prescription drugs. This family will save \$432.61 monthly or \$5,191.32 yearly (assuming current premiums rates for EUTF and Tricare RS). Other state and county workers also in the Guard and Reserves would see savings.

"Covering the TRS costs would not only save Guardsmen and Reservists money, but would also save EUTF a large amount of money. Based on the current premium rates, EUTF will save \$533.34 monthly and \$6,400.08 yearly if it will no longer need to pay the employer portion of the premium for a family of four. If EUTF decides to pay the employee part of the TRS premium for each employee, EUTF will save \$340.45 monthly or \$4,085.40 yearly for each employee. Furthermore, if only 245 TRS-eligible employees choose this option, EUTF will save more than \$1 million each year.

"These figures reflect large amounts of savings on both sides; this proposal would decrease EUTF's payouts for these employees and would also ease the financial burden on qualified Guardsmen and Reservists. Again, it makes sense to consider covering the employee part of TRS payments. However, I appealed to EUTF with these figures for three years through four letters requesting consideration of TRS coverage. My requests were denied on all accounts.

"These resolutions urge the Board of Trustees of EUTF to further consider covering TRS and encourage further discussion of the feasibility of this proposal.

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

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

"Mr. Speaker, same request," and the Chair ruled, "no conflict."

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

"Mr. Speaker. Ruling on a potential conflict. I own a business that accepts Tri-Care. Thank you," and the Chair ruled, "no conflict."

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

"Same request, I'm a beneficiary of Tri-Care," and the Chair ruled, "no conflict."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the reports of the Committee were adopted and H.R. No. 62, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE HAWAII EMPLOYER-UNION HEALTH BENEFITS TRUST FUND TO PAY THE TRICARE RESERVE SELECT PREMIUM FOR ELIGIBLE STATE AND COUNTY EMPLOYEES WHO ARE MEMBERS OF THE NATIONAL GUARD AND RESERVES WHO DECLINE HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE THROUGH THE HAWAII EMPLOYER-UNION HEALTH BENEFITS TRUST FUND AND INSTEAD OPT FOR HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE THROUGH TRICARE RESERVE SELECT," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused; and

H.C.R. No. 81, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE HAWAII EMPLOYER-UNION HEALTH BENEFITS TRUST FUND TO PAY THE TRICARE RESERVE SELECT PREMIUM FOR ELIGIBLE STATE AND COUNTY EMPLOYEES WHO ARE MEMBERS OF THE NATIONAL GUARD AND RESERVES WHO DECLINE HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE THROUGH THE HAWAII EMPLOYER-UNION HEALTH BENEFITS TRUST FUND AND INSTEAD OPT FOR HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE THROUGH TRICARE RESERVE SELECT," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Wooley, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1365), recommending that H.C.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.C.R. No. 102,

entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO IMPLEMENT DIFFERENTIATED WATER TOLL RATES AND CHARGES FOR THE HAMAKUA DISTRICT IRRIGATION SYSTEM," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representatives Carroll and Belatti, for the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health, presented two reports:

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1366), recommending that H.R. No. 116, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce; and

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1367), recommending that H.C.R. No. 147, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Representative Saiki moved that the reports of the Committees be adopted, and that H.R. No. 116, HD 1; and H.C.R. No. 147, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, seconded by Representative Awana.

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. 116, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING CONSIDERATION IN SEEKING A VIABLE SOLUTION TO PROVIDE INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR HAWAII RESIDENTS WITH INCOME BETWEEN ONE HUNDRED THIRTY-THREE PERCENT AND TWO HUNDRED PERCENT OF THE FEDERAL POVERTY LEVEL," was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representative Carroll being excused; and

H.C.R. No. 147, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING CONSIDERATION IN SEEKING A VIABLE SOLUTION TO PROVIDE INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR HAWAII RESIDENTS WITH INCOME BETWEEN ONE HUNDRED THIRTY-THREE PERCENT AND TWO HUNDRED PERCENT OF THE FEDERAL POVERTY LEVEL," was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representatives Wooley and Lee, for the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1368), recommending that H.R. No. 84, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.R. No. 84, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION TO ESTABLISH ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND CONSERVATION PROGRAMS AND APPROPRIATE RATE DESIGN INCENTIVES FOR ELECTRICITY USED OR CONSUMED FOR AGRICULTURAL ACTIVITIES," was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representatives Wooley and Lee, for the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1369), recommending that H.C.R. No. 113, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committees was adopted and H.C.R. No. 113, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION TO ESTABLISH ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND CONSERVATION PROGRAMS AND APPROPRIATE RATE DESIGN INCENTIVES FOR ELECTRICITY USED OR CONSUMED FOR AGRICULTURAL ACTIVITIES," was

referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1370), recommending that H.R. No. 74, 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. 74, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO UNDERTAKE A SYSTEMWIDE REVIEW OF ITS OVERSIGHT, MONITORING, AND ACCOUNTABILITY OF THE OPERATIONAL AND FISCAL PRACTICES OF THE DEPARTMENT'S SCHOOL FOOD SERVICES BRANCH," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1371), recommending that H.C.R. No. 97, 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. 97, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO UNDERTAKE A SYSTEMWIDE REVIEW OF ITS OVERSIGHT, MONITORING, AND ACCOUNTABILITY OF THE OPERATIONAL AND FISCAL PRACTICES OF THE DEPARTMENT'S SCHOOL FOOD SERVICES BRANCH," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1372), recommending that H.C.R. No. 92, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.C.R. No. 92, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Awana.

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

"Mr. Speaker, I rise in support. [*Speaking in a foreign language.*] This is to say, excuse me for the interruption. This is not to show, hey I speak fluent Indonesian, but to say that we are Hawaii, we need to be more bilingual, multilingual, the way the rest of the world is coming. This is linked directly with China. China is the future of our tourism. Mr. Speaker, I will finish by requesting remarks into the Journal. Thank you."

Representative Ward's written remarks are as follows:

"Mr. Speaker, I rise in support for Stand. Comm. Report No. 1372, House Concurrent Resolution 92, HD 1. China has the second largest economy and is likely to be the largest within the next couple of decades.

"Businesses are looking to China to extend their wealth and their influence. Most believe that the next global language will certainly be Mandarin Chinese. This is especially important to Hawaii, since it is the halfway point from the 'East' to the 'West.' Hawaii has a culture of its own, having a very large Asian influence and population. Hawaii is incredibly important to the Asia Pacific region. It is the home of the U.S. Pacific Fleet and is a tourist hub for Asian visitors. Chinese visitors on average spend over \$400 a day, making them crucial to Hawaii's economy.

"China, having traded socialism for capitalism, is emerging as an economic power, perhaps the only one that could rival U.S. dominance in the 21st century. For a new generation of students, business people and even artists, the land of opportunity now lies in the East, not the West.

"As of 2008, at universities in the U.S., the number of students studying Mandarin jumped to 51,600 in 2006, a 51 percent increase from 2002, according to a Modern Language Association survey. The increase is significant, although Spanish is still the most popular foreign language in the U.S., with 800,000 students.

"In 2007, more than 3,000 U.S. high school students took the Advanced Placement exam for Chinese language offered for the first time. About 500 U.S. high schools, junior high schools and elementary schools offer Mandarin, nearly twice as many as in 2004. Worldwide, about 40 million people are learning Mandarin, China's official spoken language and its most common dialect.

"For these reasons Mr. Speaker, I encourage the Department of Education to expand its Mandarin Chinese programs offered in our high schools and stand in strong support for this resolution."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 92, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO EXPAND THE MANDARIN CHINESE LANGUAGE CURRICULUM IN PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1373), recommending that H.R. No. 14, 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. 14, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO MEET WITH INTERESTED PARTIES TO EXAMINE THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING A BOXING PILOT PROGRAM IN AT LEAST ONE OF HAWAII'S PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1374), recommending that H.C.R. No. 30, 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. 30, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO MEET WITH INTERESTED PARTIES TO EXAMINE THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING A BOXING PILOT PROGRAM IN AT LEAST ONE OF HAWAII'S PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1375), recommending that H.R. No. 97 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. 97, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII BOARD OF EDUCATION TO REVIEW POLICY NO. 6701 IN LIGHT OF THE STATE'S EFFORT TO RENOVATE AND BUILD TWENTY-FIRST CENTURY SCHOOLS AND TO REPORT ITS RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE LEGISLATURE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1376), recommending that H.C.R. No. 126 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. 126, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII BOARD OF EDUCATION TO REVIEW POLICY NO. 6701 IN LIGHT OF THE STATE'S EFFORT TO RENOVATE AND BUILD TWENTY-FIRST CENTURY SCHOOLS AND TO REPORT ITS RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE LEGISLATURE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1377), recommending that H.R. No. 69 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. 69, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION AND THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO DETERMINE AN EFFECTIVE AND EFFICIENT PROCEDURE TO ENSURE THAT OUT-OF-STATE DESIGN PROFESSIONALS PRACTICING IN HAWAII ARE PAYING APPROPRIATE STATE TAXES," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1378), recommending that H.C.R. No. 87 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. 87, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION AND THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO DETERMINE AN EFFECTIVE AND EFFICIENT PROCEDURE TO ENSURE THAT OUT-OF-STATE DESIGN PROFESSIONALS PRACTICING IN HAWAII ARE PAYING APPROPRIATE STATE TAXES," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1379), recommending that H.R. No. 83 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. 83, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO EXPLORE THE USE OF ELECTRONIC NOTICES AND DOCUMENTS FOR INSURANCE NOTICES AND DOCUMENTS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1380), recommending that H.C.R. No. 112 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. 112, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO EXPLORE THE USE OF ELECTRONIC NOTICES AND DOCUMENTS FOR INSURANCE NOTICES AND DOCUMENTS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1381), recommending that H.R. No. 29, as amended in HD 1, 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. 29, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL TO IDENTIFY AND ANALYZE PERMISSIBLE AND UNLAWFUL METHODS OF FUNDRAISING FOR CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS," was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1382), recommending that H.R. No. 108 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. 108, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO TAKE ACTION REGARDING THE SEPARATION OF COMMERCIAL AND INVESTMENT BANKING FUNCTIONS THROUGH THE REINSTATEMENT OF THE GLASS-STEAGALL ACT OF 1933 OR SIMILAR LEGISLATION," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative McKelvey, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1383), recommending that H.C.R. No. 138 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. 138, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO TAKE ACTION REGARDING THE SEPARATION OF COMMERCIAL AND INVESTMENT BANKING FUNCTIONS THROUGH THE REINSTATEMENT OF THE GLASS-STEAGALL ACT OF 1933 OR SIMILAR LEGISLATION," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Wooley, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1384), recommending that H.R. No. 149 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. 149, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO SUPPORT LEGISLATION REQUIRING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION TO COME UP WITH A NATION-WIDE SYSTEM FOR MONITORING, LABELING, AND ENFORCING THE LABELING OF ALL WHOLE AND PROCESSED GENETICALLY ENGINEERED FOODS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Wooley, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1385), recommending that H.C.R. No. 206, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Tourism.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 206, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE TO CONVENE AN AGRICULTURAL TOURISM TASK FORCE," was referred to the Committee on Tourism, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Wooley, for the Committee on Agriculture, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1386), recommending that H.R. No. 181, 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. 181, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES AND THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO REVIEW FEDERAL LAWS PERTAINING TO THE STATE INSPECTION OF AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES ARRIVING INTO THE STATE OF HAWAII FROM INTERNATIONAL DESTINATIONS AND THE USE OF AIRPORT REVENUES FOR AGRICULTURAL INSPECTIONS," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representatives Lee and Belatti, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection and the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1387), recommending that H.R. No. 100, 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 Committees was adopted and H.R. No. 100, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DIRECTOR OF HEALTH TO DEVELOP PARTNERSHIPS TO ADDRESS THE DATA GAP ON AIR, SURFACE WATER, AND NEAR SHORE EFFECTS OF ATRAZINE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representatives Lee and Belatti, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection and the Committee on Health, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1388), recommending that H.C.R. No. 129, 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 Committees was adopted and H.C.R. No. 129, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DIRECTOR OF HEALTH TO DEVELOP PARTNERSHIPS TO ADDRESS THE DATA GAP ON AIR, SURFACE WATER, AND NEAR SHORE EFFECTS OF ATRAZINE," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Lee, for the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1389), recommending that H.C.R. No. 99, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 99, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CONVENING OF A LEGISLATIVE TASK FORCE ON ENERGY SECURITY," was referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Evans, for the Committee on Water & Land, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1390), recommending that H.C.R. No. 181, 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. 181, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO SUBMIT A REPORT TO THE LEGISLATURE ON CURRENT AND POTENTIAL REVENUE GENERATING ACTIVITIES ON STATE-OWNED LAND AT SAND ISLAND," was referred to the Committee on Finance, with Representative Carroll being excused.

Representative Hanohano, for the Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1391), recommending that H.C.R. No. 91, as amended in HD 1, be referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Business.

Representative Saiki moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.C.R. No. 91, HD 1 be referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Business, seconded by Representative Awana.

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

Representative McKelvey rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Kawakami rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Cullen rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

Representative Tokioka rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

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

Representative Ward rose and asked that the Clerk record an aye vote with reservations for him, and the Chair "so ordered."

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 91, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO CONVENE A MARINE GAME FISHING TASK FORCE TO DEVELOP A PROPOSED REGULATORY SCHEME FOR REQUIRING LICENSURE FOR MARINE GAME FISHING," was referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Business, with Representative Carroll being excused.

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

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1392) recommending that H.R. No. 132, as amended in HD 1, be adopted; and

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1393) recommending that H.C.R. No. 164, as amended in HD 1, be adopted.

Representative Saiki moved that the reports of the Committee be adopted, and that H.R. No. 132, HD 1; and H.C.R. No. 164, HD 1 be adopted, seconded by Representative Awana.

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Just in strong support and I would like to enter comments into the Journal."

Representative McKelvey's written remarks are as follows:

"North Korea has recently said it put all its missile and artillery units on 'the highest alert' ordering them to be ready to hit South Korea, as well as the United States and military installations in Hawaii and Guam.

"The escalation of these threats on the Korean peninsula has garnered worldwide attention via our own local news stations due to our proximity to the conflict.

"Japanese experts have increasingly voiced concerns that North Korea may already be able to hit – or at least target – U.S. bases and major population centers with nuclear warheads following their third nuclear test last month.

"Every effort must be made to defuse the situation, without conceding any diplomatic ground to an isolationist regime that in recent weeks has demonstrated itself more determined than ever to sneer at international sanctions and threaten war. Unlike other instances of North Korean bellicosity, this continues to boil with explicit threat of nuclear attack, and reports missiles have been moved to more strategic firing points prompting the US to respond.

"When people watch the destroyer USS John S. McCain along with the sea-based X-band radar leave our ports to monitor North Korea with serious concern asking me if Hawaii is safe from harm it is my *kuleana* to ensure them with the knowledge that we fully support the Aegis Ballistic Missile Defense system and the Ground-Based Midcourse Defense System."

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

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker. In strong support. I'd like to thank the Chair of Veterans & Military Affairs for hearing the resos, given what the leader of North Korea said recently about targeting Hawaii and Guam. When this goes over to the Senate I think maybe some stronger language needs to be added to the resolution. 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. 132, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE AEGIS BALLISTIC MISSILE DEFENSE SYSTEM AND THE GROUND-BASED MIDCOURSE DEFENSE SYSTEM," was adopted, with Representatives Cachola and Carroll being excused; and

H.C.R. No. 164, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE AEGIS BALLISTIC MISSILE DEFENSE SYSTEM AND THE GROUND-BASED MIDCOURSE DEFENSE SYSTEM," was adopted, with Representatives Cachola and Carroll being excused.

Representative Takai, for the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1394) recommending that H.C.R. No. 60, as amended in HD 1, 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. 60, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE TO ESTABLISH A VETERAN WOMEN SERVICES COORDINATOR POSITION WITHIN THE OFFICE OF VETERANS SERVICES," was adopted, with Representatives Cachola and Carroll being excused.

Representatives Takumi and Choy, for the Committee on Education and the Committee on Higher Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1395) recommending that H.C.R. No. 95, as amended in HD 1, 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. 95, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION AND DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO INCORPORATE THE COMPREHENSIVE PLAN FOR TEACHING READING IN HAWAII SCHOOLS," was adopted, with Representatives Cachola and Carroll being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1396) recommending that H.R. No. 43 be adopted.

On motion by Representative Saiki, seconded by Representative Awana and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 43, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION AND DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO CONTINUE TO COLLABORATE WITH FAMILY AND COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS TO ESTABLISH, IMPLEMENT, AND MONITOR STATEWIDE POLICIES FOR FAMILY-SCHOOL PARTNERSHIPS IN HAWAII'S PUBLIC SCHOOLS," was adopted, with Representatives Cachola and Carroll being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1397) recommending that H.C.R. No. 57 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. 57, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION AND DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO CONTINUE TO COLLABORATE WITH FAMILY AND COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS TO ESTABLISH, IMPLEMENT, AND MONITOR STATEWIDE POLICIES FOR FAMILY-SCHOOL PARTNERSHIPS IN HAWAII'S PUBLIC SCHOOLS," was adopted, with Representatives Cachola and Carroll being excused.

Representative Takumi, for the Committee on Education, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1398) recommending that H.C.R. No. 178, as amended in HD 1, 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. 178,

HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO INCORPORATE SUSTAINABILITY EDUCATION INTO THE SCIENCE CURRICULUM OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS," was adopted, with Representatives Cachola and Carroll being excused.

Representative Rhoads, for the Committee on Judiciary, presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1399) recommending that S.B. No. 827, 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. 827, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTION OFFENSES," passed Second Reading and was placed on the calendar for Third Reading, with Representatives Cachola and Carroll being excused.

At this time, the Chair stated:

"As noted earlier, Stand. Com. Report Number 1400 is deferred one legislative day."

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Hashem, for the Committee on Labor, requested a waiver of the 48-hour advanced notice requirement for the purpose of hearing the following measure on Wednesday, April 3, 2013, at 11:30 a.m. in Conference Room 309, and the Chair "so ordered."

SB 890, SD 1, Relating to the Hawaii Labor Relations Board.

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

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

<u>H.R.</u> <u>No.</u>	<u>Re-referred to:</u>
116, HD1	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance

<u>H.C.R.</u> <u>No.</u>	<u>Re-referred to:</u>
147, HD1	Jointly to the Committee on Human Services and the Committee on Health, then to the Committee on Finance

ADJOURNMENT

At 2:01 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, Wednesday, April 3, 2013. (Representative Carroll was excused.)