

THE SENATE OF THE THIRTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE
Ka ‘Aha Kenekoa, Ka ‘Aha‘ōlelo Kau Kānāwai Kanakolu Kūmālua
STATE OF HAWAII
Moku‘āina ‘O Hawai‘i
REGULAR SESSION OF 2024 | ‘Ākoakoa Kūmau MH 2024

FIFTY-SEVENTH DAY
APRIL 25, 2024, THURSDAY
6:30 P.M.

Lā Kanalimakumamāhiku
25 ‘Apelila 2024 - Po‘Ahā
Hola 6:30 P.M.

A live stream of the Senate floor session will be available on the [Senate YouTube channel](#).

ORDER OF BUSINESS | Papahana O Ka Lā

ROLL CALL | Kāhea Papa Inoa

APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL | ‘Āpono Mo‘olelo O Ka Puke Hālāwai

INTRODUCTIONS | Ho‘olauna Mea Kipa

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR | Ho‘oka‘a‘ike Mai Ke Kia‘āina

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G.M. 8

Letter dated April 24, 2025, transmitting a proposed conference draft amending H.B. 2374, H.D. 1, S.D. 1 to fund the agreement concerning Collective Bargaining Units 2, 3, 4, 8, 9, 13, and 14; and an arbitration award concerning HGEA's class action grievances for Units 2, 3, 4, 9, and 13 relating to Temporary Hazard Pay during the COVID-19 pandemic.

File

DEPARTMENTAL COMMUNICATIONS | Ho‘oka‘a‘ike Mai Nā ‘Oihana

None

[S.B. 2837, S.D. 2, H.D. 1](#)

RELATING TO THE OAHU REGIONAL HEALTH CARE SYSTEM, HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION.

Oahu Regional Health Care System; Maui Regional Health Care System; HHSC; DOH; Maui State Veterans Home; Transition

H.C. 813

[H.B. 2339, H.D. 1, S.D. 2](#)

File

RELATING TO 911 SERVICES.

911 Services; 911 Board; Staff; Public Utilities Commission

Informing the Senate that on April 23, 2024, the House made changes to conferee assignments to the following bill:

H.C. 814

[S.B. 2735, S.D. 1, H.D. 2](#)

File

RELATING TO DRIVER LICENSING.

Driver's License; License Examination; Excessive Speeding; DUI; Penalties

Informing the Senate that on April 24, 2024, the House appointed Conferees to the following bills:

H.C. 815

[H.B. 27, H.D. 1, S.D. 1](#)

File

RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET.

State Budget

[H.B. 40, S.D. 1](#)

RELATING TO THE GENERAL FUND.

Mandatory Tax Credit; Emergency and Budget Reserve Fund; Other Post-Employment Benefits Trust Fund; Constitution; Appropriations

H.C. 816 [S.B. 3344, S.D. 2, H.D. 2](#) File
RELATING TO WILDFIRES.
*DCCA; Hawaii Wildfire Relief Fund; Hawaii Wildfire
Relief Fund Corporation; Public Utilities Commission;
Catastrophic Wildfire; Working Group; Report;
Appropriation; Expenditure Ceiling*

H.C. 817 [S.B. 2841, H.D. 1](#) File
RELATING TO WATER SAFETY DAY.
Water Safety Day; Day of Observance

[S.B. 3087, S.D. 1, H.D. 1](#)
RELATING TO EARLY LEARNING.
*DOE; Executive Office on Early Learning; Early Learning
Facilities*

Informing the Senate that on April 24, 2024, the House made changes to conferee assignments to the following bills:

H.C. 818 [S.B. 2841, H.D. 1](#) File
RELATING TO WATER SAFETY DAY.
Water Safety Day; Day of Observance

H.C. 819 [S.B. 2461, S.D. 2, H.D. 1](#) File
RELATING TO MEDICAL CANNABIS.
DOH; Medical Cannabis; Dispensaries; Rules

Informing the Senate that on April 25, 2024, the House made changes to conferee assignments to the following bill:

H.C. 820 [H.B. 1836, H.D. 2, S.D. 2](#) File
RELATING TO HEALTH.
Pharmacists; Prescription Refills; State of Emergency

C.C.R. 5 - 24	H.B. 1916, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 RELATING TO THE DISCLOSURE OF PERSONAL INFORMATION ASSOCIATED WITH CERTAIN PUBLIC SERVANTS.	(48 Hrs. Notice of Final Reading)
C.C.R. 6 - 24	H.B. 1944, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION.	(48 Hrs. Notice of Final Reading)
C.C.R. 7 - 24	H.B. 2070, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 RELATING TO PROCUREMENT.	(48 Hrs. Notice of Final Reading)
C.C.R. 8 - 24	H.B. 2365, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 RELATING TO TRANSIT-ORIENTED DEVELOPMENT PLANNING.	(48 Hrs. Notice of Final Reading)
C.C.R. 9 - 24	H.B. 2315, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1 RELATING TO CONDOMINIUMS.	(48 Hrs. Notice of Final Reading)
C.C.R. 10 - 24	S.B. 2693, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 RELATING TO STATES OF EMERGENCY.	(48 Hrs. Notice of Final Reading)
C.C.R. 11 - 24	S.B. 3037, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 RELATING TO PROMOTING PORNOGRAPHY FOR MINORS.	(48 Hrs. Notice of Final Reading)
C.C.R. 12 - 24	S.B. 2845, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 RELATING TO FIREARMS.	(48 Hrs. Notice of Final Reading)
C.C.R. 13 - 24	S.B. 2927, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE VI, SECTION 3 OF THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION TO MAKE THE SENATE CONFIRMATION PROCESS FOR JUDICIAL APPOINTMENTS MORE UNIFORM.	(48 Hrs. Notice of Final Reading)
C.C.R. 14 - 24	S.B. 3034, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 RELATING TO PENAL LIABILITY.	(48 Hrs. Notice of Final Reading)

C.C.R. 15 - 24	S.B. 3033, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 RELATING TO PHYSICAL EVIDENCE.	(48 Hrs. Notice of Final Reading)
C.C.R. 16 - 24	S.B. 2347, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 RELATING TO CRIME.	(48 Hrs. Notice of Final Reading)
C.C.R. 17 - 24	S.B. 2333, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 RELATING TO ELECTION AUDITS.	(48 Hrs. Notice of Final Reading)
C.C.R. 18 - 24	S.B. 2217, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 RELATING TO REPORTING PERIODS.	(48 Hrs. Notice of Final Reading)
C.C.R. 19 - 24	S.B. 2197, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 RELATING TO GAMBLING OFFENSES.	(48 Hrs. Notice of Final Reading)
C.C.R. 20 - 24	S.B. 2193, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 RELATING TO COMPUTER CRIME.	(48 Hrs. Notice of Final Reading)
C.C.R. 21 - 24	S.B. 2216, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 RELATING TO THE STATE ETHICS COMMISSION.	(48 Hrs. Notice of Final Reading)
C.C.R. 22 - 24	S.B. 3123, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1 RELATING TO ACCESS TO VITAL RECORDS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS.	(48 Hrs. Notice of Final Reading)
C.C.R. 23 - 24	H.B. 2478, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 RELATING TO THE PACIFIC MARINE FISHERIES COMPACT.	(48 Hrs. Notice of Final Reading)

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS | Palapala Hō'ike Na Nā Kōmike Kūmau

[3927-3941](#)

S.S.C.R. 3927 (CPN)	G.M. 631 Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Motor Vehicle Repair Industry Board, Gubernatorial Nominee, DESTINY IRVINE-HALAMA, for a term to expire 06-30-2028.	(One Day Notice of Advise & Consent)
S.S.C.R. 3928 (CPN)	G.M. 705 Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Public Utilities Commission, Gubernatorial Nominee, COLIN YOST, for a term to expire 06-30-2028. (Term to expire amended to 06-30-2030 by GM733).	(One Day Notice of Advise & Consent)
S.S.C.R. 3929 (CPN)	G.M. 707 Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Professional Engineers, Architects, Surveyors and Landscape Architects, Gubernatorial Nominee, JANET PRIMIANO, for a term to expire 06-30-2027.	(One Day Notice of Advise & Consent)
S.S.C.R. 3930 (CPN)	G.M. 739 Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawaii Medical Board, Gubernatorial Nominee, DANNY TAKANISHI, for a term to expire 06-30-2027.	(One Day Notice of Advise & Consent)
S.S.C.R. 3931 (CPN)	G.M. 740 Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Elevator Mechanics Licensing Board, Gubernatorial Nominee, ROBERT GREIG, for a term to expire 06-30-2027.	(One Day Notice of Advise & Consent)

S.S.C.R. 3932 (CPN)	G.M. 741 Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Pharmacy, Gubernatorial Nominee, SHERI TOKUMARU, for a term to expire 06-30-2028.	(One Day Notice of Advise & Consent)
S.S.C.R. 3933 (CPN)	G.M. 745 Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Acupuncture, Gubernatorial Nominee, SHERRY MIZUMOTO, for a term to expire 06-30-2028.	(One Day Notice of Advise & Consent)
S.S.C.R. 3934 (CPN)	G.M. 709 Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Private Detectives and Guards, Gubernatorial Nominee, EDWARD CHU, JR., for a term to expire 06-30-2028.	(One Day Notice of Advise & Consent)
S.S.C.R. 3935 (CPN)	G.M. 706 Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Electricians and Plumbers, Gubernatorial Nominee, JAMES TAM, for a term to expire 06-30-2028.	(One Day Notice of Advise & Consent)
S.S.C.R. 3935 (CPN)	G.M. 737 Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Electricians and Plumbers, Gubernatorial Nominee, MILES KAMIMURA, for a term to expire 06-30-2028.	(One Day Notice of Advise & Consent)
S.S.C.R. 3936 (CPN)	G.M. 708 Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Motor Vehicle Industry Licensing Board, Gubernatorial Nominee, NICHOLAS CHING, for a term to expire 06-30-2028.	(One Day Notice of Advise & Consent)

S.S.C.R. 3936 (CPN)	G.M. 742 Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Motor Vehicle Industry Licensing Board, Gubernatorial Nominee, WAYNE DE LUZ, for a term to expire 06-30-2028.	(One Day Notice of Advise & Consent)
S.S.C.R. 3936 (CPN)	G.M. 743 Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Motor Vehicle Industry Licensing Board, Gubernatorial Nominee, KENNETH OBENSKI, for a term to expire 06-30-2028.	(One Day Notice of Advise & Consent)
S.S.C.R. 3936 (CPN)	G.M. 744 Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Motor Vehicle Industry Licensing Board, Gubernatorial Nominee, CARLETON WILLIAMS, for a term to expire 06-30-2028.	(One Day Notice of Advise & Consent)
S.S.C.R. 3937 (HHS)	G.M. 547 Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Emergency Medical Services Advisory Board, Gubernatorial Nominee, MICHAEL LAM, for a term to expire 06-30-2027. (Emergency Medical Services Advisory Board amended to the Emergency Medical Services Advisory Committee by GM 764).	(One Day Notice of Advise & Consent)
S.S.C.R. 3938 (HHS)	G.M. 747 Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Emergency Medical Service Advisory Committee, Gubernatorial Nominee, MARILYN MATSUNAGA, for a term to expire 06-30-2028.	(One Day Notice of Advise & Consent)

S.S.C.R. 3939 (HOU)	G.M. 722 Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Public Housing Authority, Gubernatorial Nominee, GEORGE DEMELLO, for a term to expire 06-30-2028.	(One Day Notice of Advise & Consent)
S.S.C.R. 3939 (HOU)	G.M. 723 Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Public Housing Authority, Gubernatorial Nominee, SUSAN KUNZ, for a term to expire 06-30-2027.	(One Day Notice of Advise & Consent)
S.S.C.R. 3940 (JDC)	G.M. 724 Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Civil Rights Commission, Gubernatorial Nominee, JON MATSUOKA, for a term to expire 06-30-2027.	(One Day Notice of Advise & Consent)
S.S.C.R. 3940 (JDC)	G.M. 725 Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Civil Rights Commission, Gubernatorial Nominee, ARSIMA MULLER, for a term to expire 06-30-2027.	(One Day Notice of Advise & Consent)
S.S.C.R. 3941 (HOU)	G.M. 700 Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Housing Finance and Development Corporation, Gubernatorial Nominee, CAROL REIMANN, for a term to expire 06-30-2028.	(One Day Notice of Advise & Consent)
S.S.C.R. 3941 (HOU)	G.M. 701 Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Directors of the Hawai'i Housing Finance and Development Corporation, Gubernatorial Nominee, SEAN SASAKI, for a term to expire 06-30-2028.	(One Day Notice of Advise & Consent)

ORDER OF THE DAY | Papahana O Ka Lā

DEFERRED MATTERS | Nā Mea I Ho‘opane‘e ‘ia

None

ADVISE AND CONSENT | A‘Oa‘O A ‘Ae

[S.S.C.R. 3922](#)

[G.M. 732](#)

Advise and Consent

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Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Regents of the University of Hawai‘i, Gubernatorial Nominee, MICHAEL MIYAHIRA, for a term to expire 06-30-2028. (HRE)

FINAL ADOPTION | ‘Ōlelo Ho‘oholo E Koho Pāloka ‘Ia

[S.C.R. 45, S.D. 1, H.D. 1](#)

Adopt

[Status Page](#)

URGING THE DIRECTOR OF FINANCE TO ADOPT ADMINISTRATIVE RULES TO DEFINE "BENEFICIAL EFFECTS TO THE STATE" IN SECTION 38-2, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES, TO INCLUDE THE FINANCING OF HOUSING.

ADOPT RESOLUTIONS | ‘Ōlelo Ho‘Oholo E Koho Pāloka ‘La

[S.S.C.R. 3923](#)

[H.C.R. 53](#)

Adopt

[Status Page](#)

REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO ASSESS THE SOCIAL AND FINANCIAL EFFECTS OF MANDATORY HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR BIOMARKER TESTING. (CPN/HHS)

[S.S.C.R. 3924](#)

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[H.C.R. 225](#)

REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO
CONDUCT A SOCIAL AND FINANCIAL
ASSESSMENT OF PROPOSED
MANDATORY HEALTH INSURANCE
COVERAGE FOR STEP THERAPY
REQUIREMENTS FOR STAGE TWO
THROUGH STAGE FIVE CANCER.
(CPN/HHS)

Adopt

[S.S.C.R. 3925](#)

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[H.C.R. 87](#)

REQUESTING THE HAWAII EMERGENCY
MANAGEMENT AGENCY TO INSTALL A
NEW EMERGENCY SIREN NEAR THE
INTERSECTION OF AUMAKUA STREET
AND AUHUHU STREET IN UPPER PACIFIC
PALISADES. (PSM)

Adopt

[S.S.C.R. 3926](#)

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[H.C.R. 124](#)

REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAW
ENFORCEMENT TO CONVENE A SEARCH
AND RESCUE WORKING GROUP TO
DEVELOP AND MAKE
RECOMMENDATIONS TO DETER HIKERS
FROM ENTERING ILLEGAL HIKING
TRAILS AND TO ADDRESS RISING
SEARCH AND RESCUE COSTS FACING
THE STATE AND COUNTIES DUE TO
INCREASED ILLEGAL HIKING TRAFFIC.
(PSM)

Adopt

FINAL READING | Heluhelu Hope Loa

Status Page	<p>S.B. 3125, S.D. 2, H.D. 2 RELATING TO MEDICAL CARE FOR MINORS. <i>Minor Consent; Medical Care and Services; Sexually Transmitted Infections; Covered Entity; Confidentiality</i></p>	Final Reading
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THIRD READING | Heluhelu ‘Ekolu None

REFERRALS AND RE-REFERRALS | Ho‘ouna Kōmike Ho‘olohe A Ho‘ouna Hou Paha None

MISCELLANEOUS COMMUNICATIONS | Ho‘oka‘a‘ike ‘Ē A‘e None

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS | Hana ‘Ē A‘e

RECONSIDERATION OF DISAGREEMENT TO HOUSE AMENDMENTS; MOTION TO AGREE

Status Page	<p>S.C.R. 13, S.D. 1, H.D. 1 URGING THE MEMBERS OF HAWAII'S CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION AND THE BIDEN ADMINISTRATION TO CALL FOR AN IMMEDIATE, PERMANENT BILATERAL CEASEFIRE IN GAZA AND THE RETURN OF ALL HOSTAGES, AND TO CONTINUE NEGOTIATIONS FOR LASTING PEACE IN THE REGION. (PSM) *Amended Title</p>	(One Day Notice of Final Adoption)
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S.C.R. 81, S.D. 1, H.D. 1

(One Day Notice of
Final Adoption)

URGING THE GOVERNOR TO ENSURE THAT RELEVANT STATE AGENCIES, INCLUDING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES, COLLABORATE TO EXPLORE AVENUES TO ENSURE CONTINUED ACCESS TO AFFORDABLE MEDICATIONS FOR THE STATE'S UNDERSERVED POPULATIONS UNDER THE 340B DRUG PRICING PROGRAM AND URGING HAWAII'S CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION AND RELEVANT FEDERAL AGENCIES TO MONITOR PHARMACEUTICAL COMPANIES AND TAKE APPROPRIATE ACTIONS TO PROTECT THE INTEGRITY OF THE 340B DRUG PRICING PROGRAM. (HHS)

*Amended Title

ANNOUNCEMENTS | Ho‘olaha

COMMITTEE HEARING SCHEDULE | Papamanawa Ho‘oloha Palapala

<u>COMMITTEE</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>ROOM</u>
CONF	4/26/2024	9:02 AM	CR 016
CONF	4/26/2024	9:15 AM	CR 325
CONF	4/26/2024	9:15 AM	CR 309
CONF	4/26/2024	9:30 AM	CR 329
CONF	4/26/2024	9:30 AM	CR 016
CONF	4/26/2024	9:35 AM	CR 325
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HHS	4/26/2024	12:30 PM	CR 225 & Videoconference
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Senate Session will convene at 6:30 p.m. on Friday, April 26, 2024.

ADJOURNMENT | Ke Pani ‘Ana