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**MEETING OF THE
COMMITTEE ON BENEFICIARY ADVOCACY AND EMPOWERMENT**

DATE: Wednesday, April 10, 2019
TIME: 1:00 p.m.
PLACE: Maui Ola Boardroom
Nā Lama Kukui
560 N. Nimitz Highway
Honolulu, HI 96817

AGENDA

- I. Call to Order
- II. Public Testimony*
- III. Approval of Minutes
 - A. March 13, 2019
- IV. Unfinished Business
 - A. 2019 OHA Legislative Package Updates - Matrix 1**†
- V. New Business
 - A. 2019 OHA Legislative Positioning - Matrix 2**†
 - B. 2019 Federal Legislative Updates - Matrix 3**†
- VI. Community Concerns*
- VII. Announcements
- VIII. Adjournment

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MINUTES**

March 13, 2019 1:00 p.m.

ATTENDANCE:

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Hikina Chock, PP
Jocelyn Doane, PP
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Miles Nishijima, LPM
Monica Morris, PP
Sabrina Gramberg, PP
Sterling Wong, PUBL
Wayne Tanaka, PP

I. CALL TO ORDER

Chair Waihe'e calls the Committee on Beneficiary Advocacy and Empowerment meeting for Wednesday, March 13, 2019 to order at **1:00 p.m.**

Chair Waihe'e notes for the record that **PRESENT** are:

MEMBERS			AT CALL TO ORDER (1:00 p.m.)	TIME ARRIVED
CHAIR	JOHN	WAIHE'E, IV	PRESENT	
VICE-CHAIR	KALEIHIKINA	AKAKA	PRESENT	
TRUSTEE	KELI'I	AKINA	PRESENT	
TRUSTEE	BRENDON KALEI'ĀINA	LEE	PRESENT	
TRUSTEE	ROBERT	LINDSEY	PRESENT	
TRUSTEE	COLETTE	MACHADO	PRESENT	
TRUSTEE	DAN	AHUNA	PRESENT	Arrived at 1:02 p.m.
TRUSTEE	CARMEN HULU	LINDSEY	PRESENT	Arrived at 1:02 p.m.
TRUSTEE	LEINA'ALA	AHU ISA	PRESENT	Arrived at 1:05 p.m.

At the Call to Order, **SIX (6) Trustees are PRESENT**, thereby constituting a quorum.

Chair Waihe'e would like the record to show that some materials were received more recently than 72 hours ago, and that the deadline, per practice, has been duly-waived.

II. PUBLIC TESTIMONY

None

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

None

IV. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

A. 2019 OHA Legislative Package Updates – Matrix 1†**

Chair Waihe'e turns it over to Ka Pou Nui Sylvia Hussey.

Ka Pou Nui Hussey calls on Public Policy Manager Jocelyn Doane to present, as well as Wayne Tanaka, Lead Advocate.

Public Policy Manager Doane: Aloha Trustees. The good news is that every one of our bills still has a vehicle moving. The bad news is that one will probably die at the end of the week. In terms of where we are with the Legislative Calendar, this week is the second triple-referral deadline. What that means is that bills that are still alive that came over from the other house, will have this week to be heard if it has three-or-more referrals. In addition to that, soon the first applicable *reso* referral will kick-in at the end of the month.

Our Budget Bill has a hearing tomorrow, so that bill is more than meeting its deadline.

Resolutions have a couple weeks before they need to be heard; for our Charter School resolutions.

Our PLT Reporting Bill will die probably at the end of the week, because it didn't get a hearing. The Native Hawaiian Caucus bill which is the money bill, has the hearing next week Tuesday in the Senate. So, our Reporting Bill will probably die unless it's re-referred, or captured in HB402. We do have a vehicle moving; it just may not be ours. A couple of things that we can think about depending on how HB402 goes, is to see if there are things in SB191 that we should advocate to put in HB402.

The Mental Health Bill needs to be heard by next week, that's when the double-referral deadline is.

Our Bail Bill thankfully passed this morning, we have one vehicle. Kamaile was getting really, nervous yesterday because the omnibus bail reform bill, which has all the sort of teeth/meaty provisions didn't move out of Public Safety. We're in the middle of having conversations with stakeholders that we worked on and with, because this is a task force recommendation on what if anything to do about that. We also recognize that our bill is still moving and there are chances that they will come strong to try to get Judiciary in the House to not move our bill.

Chair Waihe'e: *Are there any questions on the package members?* Ok hearing none, let's move into **New Business.**

V. NEW BUSINESS

A. 2019 OHA Legislative Positioning – Matrix 2†**

Chair Waihe'e turns it back over to Public Policy Manager Jocelyn Doane.

Public Policy Manager Doane: Thank you Chair, I wanted to bring up two bills that are not listed in your package. I'm recommending that we **ADD HB272 and SB991** which are related to the Public Utilities Commission; we're recommending a position of MONITOR on both measures. We have been asked by at least one legislator directly and one of the companies that is opposing this bill to oppose them; I'm not recommending that and I'll explain why. This is kind of painful because I don't know anything about Public Utilities, but I'll tell you what I figured out in the last two hours. The original versions of both bills, which are companion bills, would have exempted Public Telecommunications Utilities that provide basic exchange service to every county from the regulatory jurisdiction of the PUC. So, the idea is that there's a lot of deregulation happening in telecommunications and our State laws and regulations may not be keeping up with that.

When DCCA testified on the original version, they acknowledged that the new technologies and the new retail competition supports that some regulatory changes are necessary, but they were concerned because the bill would've left barely any regulatory oversight. The reason we are concerned is it includes carriers of last resort kuleana. So, carriers of last resorts are those that provide the basic services like telephone service to rural communities. Right now there are statutes, rules and orders issued by the PUC and DCCA that ensure that these carriers not only provide the service, but offer affordable rates. Both DCCA and the Public Utilities opposed the original versions of this bill because of the potential impacts to vulnerable populations which we would be concerned about as well because these vulnerable populations are probably and are mostly in rural communities where there is a high population of Native Hawaiians.

The reason why we are recommending MONITOR is because the Senate version of this bill was amended in the Commerce, Consumer Protection and Health Committee (CPH) to provide the telecommunication providers a little more flexibility. Now DCCA and the PUC are no longer opposing the bill, they are now supporting the bill. They have sufficient oversight to ensure that the carriers of last resort, or the folks that are serving vulnerable populations will still have oversight to protect those particular consumers. The House bill is still bad, but it's only assigned to the committee that changed the Senate bill, so I believe they will also amend that version to be the same.

There are also some competitive businesses weighing-in on these bills. There are some bigger things going on that we don't have the expertise to weigh-in on, so I'd prefer for us to just MONTIOR.

Trustee Ahuna: *What if the utilities are on Hawaiian Homelands?*

Trustee Akaka: That is the actual concern, that this would affect our beneficiaries, of which many are: on homestead lands, have fixed incomes, who live paycheck to paycheck, and those of our kupuna who rely on a landline; their prices could raise significantly.

Public Policy Manager Doane: There's a slightly different scheme on Homelands because of Sandwich Isles and federal regulations, so I'm not able to answer that question. However, there are definite beneficiaries in our rural communities, homesteaders or not, that the PUC, DCCA and consumer rights folks are specifically concerned about. The Senate version of this bill addresses that issue. There are lingering issues that Spectrum had raised-on during the last hearing on the bill that addresses our concerns, but I don't think we should be weighing-in on it, nor do we have the expertise to weigh-in on some of the more complicated things. I will see what other information I can gather on this and get back to the committee.

We'll move on to Page 2, Item 7 – HCR66; there's also an HR66.

Senior Public Policy Advocate Tanaka: These are resolutions that would urge that a public hearing be held on every island for rules that have a statewide effect and that public meetings be held for statewide plans and plans that effect rural communities. We're recommending a position of MONITOR on these resolutions. We very much appreciate the intent to provide increased access to our neighbor island communities regarding rules that may affect those communities. The concern is that the scope of the resolution is not clear as to what constitutes rules with statewide effect. So, it could potentially water-down the voices of our neighbor island communities, especially if they are public hearings already being targeted for the areas.

Page 2, Item 5 – HCR48; there's also HR46, SCR28 and SR20 which are all similar versions of the same resolution. We're recommending a position of COMMENT. These would urge DLNR to ensure sufficient-streamflow in Wai'anae to support traditional and customary practices. It would also urge DLNR to continue with its efforts to implement wildfire management plans and native forest restoration efforts. This is a resolution that has been introduced for the last few years. The Wai'anae Neighborhood Board has adopted a similar resolution. We will comment that we appreciate the intent of the resolution in better upholding Public Trust purposes of water and recognizing the importance of Mauka-to-Makai land management practices. There are some questions about the accuracy of the hydrologic characteristics of the Wai'anae watershed as described in the resolution, so we will defer to DLNR about those issues.

Trustee Lee: *Does the bill state where it's going to restore the water from?*

Senior Public Policy Advocate Tanaka: It doesn't specify the mechanism by which DLNR would ensure water flow. When you look at the other provisions with respect to wildfire suppression and native forest restoration, it seems like the resolution is suggesting that these kinds of activities will increase to a groundwater recharge which would then resort in more water for Traditional and Customary practices, but it doesn't clearly say where it's coming from. Our comments would be to: reiterate Public Trust purposes, identify some of the general and long-standing concerns that our islands have been struggling with, and to state appreciation for the Mauka-to-Makai land management initiatives that are highlighted in the resolution; particularly in our current area of climate change.

Public Policy Manager Doane: The next measure is on Page 2, Item 8 – HCR79, there's also HCR77; this is related to a Moloka'i feasibility study. It looks totally different from the idea that beneficiaries have come to talk about this with us, in terms of who would be doing the feasibility study. Basically, the resolution notes that residents have expressed a desire to protect and preserve subsistence lifestyle and establish a diversified resilient and service-based economy. It articulates that because of the size of the population they've been made a part of Maui County, but that the location of meetings on Maui and limited transportation makes it difficult for residents to attend and participate and that the uniqueness of Moloka'i's history, culture and economic needs warrants creation of an independent county. So, what it does is it asks DBEDT to do a feasibility study and report back to the legislature. I'm recommending a position of MONITOR, but would be open to discussion.

Trustee Machado: I think you should read the second-to-the-last *Whereas*. It says that in 1998 the Maui County Council conducted a feasibility study that indicated a substantial increase; that 3,000% in property taxes would occur if Moloka'i was to become its own county, that would impact homesteaders.

Public Policy Manager Doane: I'm recommending that we MONITOR this resolution, *do the trustees have an alternative suggestion?*

There are no responses.

Page 3, Item 12 – SCR46; this is related to the sale of Lot I, apparently the mayor asked some of the senators to introduce this resolution. I don't know when in terms of timeliness we notified them of the Board's specific decision not to approve administration to introduce a resolution, because we met on a Wednesday and then the deadline was Friday. If you see here, it was introduced the day after, so they may have asked before we even met. I've communicated with the Hawaiian Affairs Chair's staff and Senator Kahele; that the trustees are not intending to need this during this session and that we have decided to reopen negotiations. We've asked that this not get a hearing and have made clear to them that the Board will not look at selling this year.

Page 3, Item 13 – SCR70; this is a resolution that requests OHA to conduct an independent fiscal audit of the LLCs controlled by OHA. We're recommending a position of COMMENT and I will let Ka Pou Nui, as our acting CFO, to explain further.

Ka Pou Nui Hussey: Because the LLCs are already audited by independent auditors and the results of those audits are already incorporated into OHA's financials and then reported as well, our understanding is that whatever is being asked for, is already being done.

Public Policy Manager Doane: That's what we're intending our COMMENT to include, unless the trustees have an alternative recommendation.

We have a few **Bill Position Changes** for your consideration.

Page 5, Item 21 – HB821; this is the measure that was brought up last week that I promised we would follow-up on. This bill would exempt a proposed fiber-optic landing station in Kaka’ako from all County permitting requirements, including County land-use and zoning and permitting policies. It would exempt the station from all State permitting and approval requirements including specifically: Chapter 171 which sets up a framework for how the State disposes or sells and leases its lands, environmental review requirements Chapter 343 and Coastal Zone management laws. We are recommending to change our position from Monitor to OPPOSE. I’ll have Miles come to the table to share more.

Land and Property Director Miles Nishijima: Aloha Trustees, I did contact Aedward Los Banos of HCDA, and he confirmed that the landing site that they’re talking about is HCDA’s Lot C, which is located Mauka of our Lot L. Between Lot L, which is the Next Step Shelter and the Kaka’ako Waterfront Park there’s a canal that runs straight up the entire length of Lot L. Basically, the cable will run from the ocean, up the canal and then stub into their Lot C. Their Lot C right now is under development. They’re building what they’re referring to as *the Entrepreneur’s Sandbox*, which is supposed to be like an innovation center. They feel that having this landing could provide some stimulus to development and occupancy of that site. OHA could also benefit from that. Aedward is working on an EIS. The intent is basically to take the cable and run it up to Halekauwila Street where it’ll tie in with the rail and then it will run East-West on the elevated railway.

Public Policy Manager Doane: Page 9, Item 32 – HB295; Related to Emotional abuse, we’re recommending a change in position from Support to MONITOR. This bill amends the definition of Domestic Abuse and attempts to define the term Emotional Abuse. So, after more thought, we don’t think that the current definition is clear enough where we think it’s appropriate enough for us to Support. We’re trying to balance addressing the ills that we see and the data that we see about significant abuse happening in our community with also our Criminal Justice Advocacy. We’re just recommending that we MONITOR this as it moves and learn a little more before we weigh-in on it.

Page 5, Item 22 – SB997; related to the Stadium Authority and HCDA – we’re recommending a change from Monitor to COMMENT. There are a bunch of these measures moving. The House Bill which is in the Senate now, we’re not that concerned about, but the current Senate Bill would exempt the HCDA’s lands and specifically the Stadium Authority’s lands. It would exempt 171 for lands that the Stadium Authority holds title and then it would transfer lands to the Authority. So, we would minimally be asking for HRS 171-64.7 amendments and raise some concerns about creating more guidelines if these lands are going to be leased, consistent with what we’ve been saying on other bills.

The reason why we’re not recommending a position of Oppose is this is the first time that this bill will be heard with this draft, so we’d like to give the committee an opportunity to make the suggested change that we’re asking for. Also, this bill has a quadruple-referral, so we’re not sure if it’ll move and the information that we have now shows that the amount of Public Trust Lands at the stadium is very small, like 1.5%. We may do a bit more research to see if that’s accurate; but based off the data we have been relying on, that’s the figure.

Moving on to the **Bills that we recommend OPPOSE.**

Page 11, Item 42 – HB439; this is the HHFDC exemption from 171. We recommend OPPOSE because they didn't take our recommendations in the House like they did in the Senate. Hopefully now that this has crossed-over to the Senate, they will take our recommendations to incorporate the §174-64.7 language which requires legislative approval for sales of State lands.

Page 14, Item 55 – HB622; this is the Charter School bill that would require use of the Purchase Order System, mandatory audits and prohibit previous employees and those attached to Charter Schools from serving on the commission and the Board of Education. This bill has a hearing today in the Senate Education Committee and Monica will be attending, so hopefully they'll take the changes that we're recommending.

Page 19, Item 75 – HB1025; there's a Senate version as well SB1251. This bill has a hearing in a couple of days, it would allow for forty-year lease extensions. The Senate version did make some of the amendments that we requested, but we're still concerned that this will result in really, long leases.

Page 25, Item 93 – HB1326; this is the Water Revocable Permit Bill. It's getting a lot of attention. This would extend the sunset from HB2501, from three years ago, that the legislature passed to help A&B, after a Judge said that the Board has no authority to continue to allow to holdover those permits. Late last night, this bill was re-referred to be a single referral. So, there will not be an independent Water and Land (WTL) hearing anymore, there will be a WTL/WAM hearing. Clearly, things are getting interesting at the Capitol.

Page 45, Item 180 – SB976; this is the Public Libraries bill. This is the pilot project for public libraries that would allow them to do three pilot-projects, basically free for all lease terms for 99 years. We had a hearing on this and SB1303 yesterday, which is the Education pilot-project bill. Even though they moved the bills, the Education Chair came up to us after and one of the other committee members reached out today to talk about wanting to work together to figure out some better terms that they would feel more comfortable with in terms of the pilot. So, hopefully we get some traction on that.

Chair Waihe'e: *Ok members, is there any discussion or questions about the Positioning Matrix?*

There are no responses.

Motion #1

Vice-Chair Akaka moves to approve Administration's recommendations on **NEW BILLS** (Items 1-11 and 13-20, excluding Item 12, SCR46) and **BILL POSITIONS FOR RECONSIDERATION** (Items 21 - 23);

ADD:

- HB272; and
- SB991, both as **MONITOR**; and

CHANGE:

- Item 32, HB295 from ~~Support~~ to **MONITOR**

on the OHA Legislative Positioning Matrix dated March 13, 2019, as amended.

Bills that were discussed					
ITEM #	BILL#	REPORT	DESCRIPTION	POSITION	IN BAE MEETING CHANGE
			New Bills		
ADD	HB272	RELATING TO TELECOMMUNICATIONS.	Exempts public telecommunications utilities that provide basic exchange service to every county of the State from the regulatory jurisdiction of the Public Utilities Commission, including provisions governing financial reporting, rate regulation, issuance of securitized assets, disposal of property, and affiliate interests. (HB272 HD1)		MONITOR
ADD	SB991	RELATING TO TELECOMMUNICATIONS.	Caps annual utility rate increases without PUC approval for counties with a population of less than 500,000. Provides telecommunications service providers with flexibility from certain regulatory oversight requirements including issuance of securities and other evidences of indebtedness, and sales or disposition of property or equipment, if the utility is providing fully competitive retail services and specific conditions are met. Specifies other requirements related to flexibility for telecommunications service providers. (SD1)		MONITOR
1	HB921	RELATING TO EDUCATION.	Clearly establishes the Executive Office on Early Learning as the administrative authority for State-funded prekindergarten programs, except for special education and Title I-funded prekindergarten programs. Requires the Department of Education in its implementation of Title I-funded prekindergarten classrooms to adhere to certain quality standards and work with the Executive Office on Early Learning. Defines the roles and responsibilities of the Executive Office on Early Learning and Department of Education as they relate to the Executive Office on Early Learning Public Prekindergarten Program. (HB921 HD2)	MONITOR	

2	HB1305	RELATING TO MUTUAL ASSISTANCE AGREEMENT.	Authorizes the State and electrical and gas utilities to enter into a mutual assistance agreement with an out-of-state utility to assist in the restoration of electrical or natural gas power following a natural disaster or emergency. (HB1305 HD2)	MONITOR	
3	HB1405	RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES BUDGET.	Adjusts the operating budget for the fiscal biennium 2019-2021 operating budget of certain Department of Land and Natural Resources programs under the purview of the House of Representatives Standing Committee on Water, Land, and Hawaiian Affairs. (HB1405 HD2)	MONITOR	
4	HCR30		REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO ACQUIRE BY EMINENT DOMAIN THE SEAWALL AND THE REAL PROPERTY UNDERNEATH THE SEAWALL THAT IS LOCATED ON OR NEAR THE SEAWARD BOUNDARIES OF PROPERTY BETWEEN 2943 KALAKAUA AVENUE AND 3019 KALAKAUA AVENUE, OAHU, HAWAII.	MONITOR	
5	HCR48		URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO MANAGE THE WAI'ANAE KAI FOREST AND RESTORE WATER FLOW IN WAI'ANAE STREAMS FOR NATIVE HAWAIIAN TRADITIONAL AND CUSTOMARY PRACTICES AND IMPLEMENTATION OF THE WAI'ANAE KAI WILDFIRE PREPAREDNESS PLAN.	COMMENT	
6	HCR60		REQUESTING THE HARBORS DIVISION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO CONVENE A TASK FORCE TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING A HAWAII COMMERCIAL HARBORS AUTHORITY.	MONITOR	
7	HCR66		REQUESTING THE STATE AND COUNTIES TO EXPAND EFFORTS FOR COMMUNITY INPUT REGARDING ADOPTION OF ADMINISTRATIVE RULES, STATEWIDE PLANS, AND PLANS THAT AFFECT RURAL COMMUNITIES.	MONITOR	
8	HCR79		REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF CREATING AN INDEPENDENT COUNTY ON THE ISLAND OF MOLOKAI.	MONITOR	
9	SCR28		URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO MANAGE THE WAI'ANAE KAI FOREST AND RESTORE WATER FLOW IN WAI'ANAE STREAMS FOR NATIVE HAWAIIAN TRADITIONAL AND CUSTOMARY PRACTICES AND IMPLEMENTATION OF THE WAI'ANAE KAI WILDFIRE PREPAREDNESS PLAN.	COMMENT	
10	SCR35		URGING THE UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY AND THE HAWAII STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO REJECT THE APPROVAL OF A SINGLE WALL TANK UPGRADE ALTERNATIVE OPTION FOR THE RED HILL BULK FUEL STORAGE FACILITY AND THE CONCLUSIONS PRESENTED IN THE GROUNDWATER PROTECTION AND EVALUATIONS CONSIDERATIONS REPORT FOR THE RED HILL BULK FUEL STORAGE FACILITY DATED JULY 27, 2018.	MONITOR	

11	SCR40		REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO ACQUIRE BY EMINENT DOMAIN THE SEAWALL AND THE REAL PROPERTY UNDERNEATH THE SEAWALL THAT IS LOCATED ON OR NEAR THE SEAWARD BOUNDARIES OF PROPERTY BETWEEN 2943 KALAKAUA AVENUE AND 3019 KALAKAUA AVENUE, OAHU, HAWAII.	MONITOR	
13	SCR70		REQUESTING THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS TO CONDUCT AN INDEPENDENT FISCAL AUDIT OF ALL LIMITED LIABILITY CORPORATIONS CREATED OR CONTROLLED BY THE OFFICE.	COMMENT	
15	HR46		URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO MANAGE THE WAI'ANAE KAI FOREST AND RESTORE WATER FLOW IN WAI'ANAE STREAMS FOR NATIVE HAWAIIAN TRADITIONAL AND CUSTOMARY PRACTICES AND IMPLEMENTATION OF THE WAI'ANAE KAI WILDFIRE PREPAREDNESS PLAN.	COMMENT	
16	HR61		REQUESTING THE HARBORS DIVISION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO CONVENE A TASK FORCE TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING A HAWAII COMMERCIAL HARBORS AUTHORITY.	MONITOR	
17	HR77		REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF CREATING AN INDEPENDENT COUNTY ON THE ISLAND OF MOLOKAI.	MONITOR	
18	SR20		URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO MANAGE THE WAI'ANAE KAI FOREST AND RESTORE WATER FLOW IN WAI'ANAE STREAMS FOR NATIVE HAWAIIAN TRADITIONAL AND CUSTOMARY PRACTICES AND IMPLEMENTATION OF THE WAI'ANAE KAI WILDFIRE PREPAREDNESS PLAN.	COMMENT	
19	SR28		REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO ACQUIRE BY EMINENT DOMAIN THE SEAWALL AND THE REAL PROPERTY UNDERNEATH THE SEAWALL THAT IS LOCATED ON OR NEAR THE SEAWARD BOUNDARIES OF PROPERTY BETWEEN 2943 KALAKAUA AVENUE AND 3019 KALAKAUA AVENUE, OAHU, HAWAII.	MONITOR	
20	SR48		REQUESTING THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS TO CONDUCT AN INDEPENDENT FISCAL AUDIT OF ALL LIMITED LIABILITY CORPORATIONS CREATED OR CONTROLLED BY THE OFFICE.	COMMENT	

ITEM #	BILL#	REPORT	DESCRIPTION	POSITION	IN BAE MEETING CHANGE
			Bill Positions for Reconsideration		
21	HB821	RELATING TO TELECOMMUNICATIONS.	Authorizes DBEDT to enter into a public-private partnership to plan, build, and manage key strategic broadband infrastructure that benefits the State, including a cable landing station in Kakaako, on the island of Oahu, and to encourage cloud-based companies to take advantage of this infrastructure. Exempts the station from certain state and county permitting and land use laws. Appropriates funds. (HB821 HD2)	MONITOR > OPPOSE	
22	SB997	RELATING TO THE STADIUM AUTHORITY.	Establishes the stadium development district, which includes all state property under the jurisdiction of the stadium authority. Transfers title of lands under the jurisdiction of the Stadium Authority to the Stadium Authority. Authorizes the issuance of general obligation bonds and reimbursable general obligation bonds and appropriates funds. Exempts the stadium development district from section 206E-5, HRS. Exempts lands owned by the Stadium Authority from the definition of public lands. Authorizes the Department of Land and Natural Resources to give written concurrence, based on a phased review, on any project in the stadium development district for historical preservation purposes. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2)	MONITOR > COMMENT	
23	SB1530	RELATING TO THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY.	Establishes the stadium development district, which includes all state property under the jurisdiction of the stadium authority. Transfers title of lands under the jurisdiction of the Stadium Authority to the Stadium Authority. Authorizes the issuance of general obligation bonds and reimbursable general obligation bonds and appropriates funds. Exempts the stadium development district from section 206E-5, HRS. Exempts lands owned by the Stadium Authority from the definition of public lands. Authorizes the Department of Land and Natural Resources to give written concurrence, based on a phased review, on any project in the stadium development district for historical preservation purposes. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD3)	MONITOR > COMMENT	
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			2019 Legislative Session (All positions previously approved)		
32	HB295	RELATING TO DOMESTIC ABUSE.	Amends the definition of domestic abuse under Hawaii's insurance laws and domestic abuse protective order statutes to include emotional abuse between family or household members. Defines emotional abuse. (HB295 HD1)	SUPPORT	Support > MONITOR

Trustee Ahuna seconds the motion.

Chair Waihe'e asks if there is any discussion. There is none.

Chair Waihe'e calls for a **ROLL CALL VOTE**.

						1:56 p.m.
TRUSTEE	1	2	'AE (YES)	A'OLE (NO)	KANALUA (ABSTAIN)	EXCUSED
LEINA'ALA AHU ISA			X			
DAN AHUNA		2	X			
VICE-CHAIR KALEIHIKINA AKAKA	1		X			
KELI'I AKINA			X			
BRENDON KALEI'ĀINA LEE			X			
CARMEN HULU LINDSEY			X			
ROBERT LINDSEY			X			
COLETTE MACHADO			X			
CHAIR JOHN WAIHE'E			X			
TOTAL VOTE COUNT			9	0	0	0

MOTION: [X] UNANIMOUS [] PASSED [] DEFERRED [] FAILED

MOTION #2

Vice-Chair Akaka moves to approve Administration's recommendations on **NEW BILLS**: Item 12, SCR46 as COMMENT on the OHA Legislative Positioning Matrix dated March 13, 2019, as amended.

Bills that were discussed					
ITEM #	BILL#	REPORT	DESCRIPTION	POSITION	IN BAE MEETING CHANGE
			New Bills		
12	SCR46		APPROVING THE SALE OF CERTAIN LAND OWNED BY THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS TO THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU.	COMMENT	

Trustee Ahuna seconds the motion.

Chair Waihe'e asks if there is any discussion. There is none.

Chair Waihe'e calls for a **ROLL CALL VOTE**.

							1:57 p.m.
TRUSTEE		1	2	'AE (YES)	A'OLE (NO)	KANALUA (ABSTAIN)	EXCUSED
LEINA'ALA	AHU ISA			X			
DAN	AHUNA		2	X			
VICE-CHAIR KALEIHIKINA	AKAKA	1		X			
KELI'I	AKINA			X			
BRENDON KALEI'ĀINA	LEE			X			
CARMEN HULU	LINDSEY			X			
ROBERT	LINDSEY			X			
COLETTE	MACHADO			X			
CHAIR JOHN	WAIHE'E			X			
TOTAL VOTE COUNT				9	0	0	0

MOTION: [X] UNANIMOUS [] PASSED [] DEFERRED [] FAILED

VI. COMMUNITY CONCERNS*

None

VII. ANNOUNCEMENTS

None

VIII. ADJOURNMENT

Trustee Machado moves to adjourn the BAE meeting.

Trustee Ahuna seconds the motion.

Chair Waihe'e asks if there is any discussion. There is none.

Chair Waihe'e asks if any members vote NO or ABSTAIN. There are no dissenting votes.

							2:00 p.m.
TRUSTEE		1	2	'AE (YES)	A'OLE (NO)	KANALUA (ABSTAIN)	EXCUSED
LEINA'ALA	AHU ISA			X			
DAN	AHUNA		2	X			
VICE-CHAIR KALEIHIKINA	AKAKA			X			
KELI'I	AKINA			X			
BRENDON KALEI'ĀINA	LEE			X			
CARMEN HULU	LINDSEY			X			
ROBERT	LINDSEY			X			
COLETTE	MACHADO	1		X			
CHAIR JOHN	WAIHE'E			X			
TOTAL VOTE COUNT				9	0	0	0

MOTION: [X] UNANIMOUS [] PASSED [] DEFERRED [] FAILED

Chair Waihe'e adjourns the BAE meeting at 2:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Melissa Wennihan
Trustee Aide
Committee on Beneficiary Advocacy and Empowerment

As approved by the Committee on Beneficiary Advocacy and Empowerment on April 10, 2019.

Trustee John Waihe'e, IV
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ATTACHMENT(s):

None

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**MEETING OF THE
COMMITTEE ON BENEFICIARY ADVOCACY AND EMPOWERMENT**

DATE: Wednesday, April 10, 2019
TIME: 1:00 p.m.
PLACE: Maui Ola Boardroom
Nā Lama Kukui
560 N. Nimitz Highway
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AGENDA

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Date

2019 OHA LEGISLATIVE PACKAGE

OHA NO.	BILL NO.	MEASURE TITLE	DESCRIPTION	STATUS	REFERRAL
OHA 1	HB172 HD1 SD2	RELATING TO THE BUDGET OF THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS.	Appropriates funds for Fiscal Biennium 2019-2021 for the Office of the Trustees (OHA150), Office of Hawaiian Affairs Administration (OHA160), and Beneficiary Advocacy (OHA175). Requires an expenditure of general funds to pay for the auditor to conduct or contract for a financial and management audit of limited liability companies created and used by the Office of Hawaiian Affairs. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2)	S 4/4/2019: 48 Hrs. Notice 04-09-19.	HWN, WAM
OHA 1	SB190 SD1	RELATING TO THE BUDGET OF THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS.	Appropriates funds for Fiscal Biennium 2019-2021 for operations of the Office of Hawaiian Affairs divisions. Includes operating budgets for Office of Trustees - OHA150; Administration - OHA160; and Beneficiary Advocacy - OHA175. (SD1)	S 2/21/2019: The committee on WAM deferred the measure.	HWN, WAM
OHA 2	HCR3 HD1		REQUESTING THE STATE PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL COMMISSION TO REPORT ON THE CRITERIA DEVELOPED AND PRIORITIZATION ADVISED FOR CHARTER SCHOOL FACILITIES FUNDING PURSUANT TO SECTION 302D-29.5, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES.	H 3/28/2019: Report adopted. referred to the committee(s) on FIN as amended in HD 1 with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) Cabanilla Arakawa, C. Lee excused (2).	LHE, FIN
OHA 2	SCR2		REQUESTING THE STATE PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL COMMISSION TO REPORT ON THE CRITERIA DEVELOPED AND PRIORITIZATION ADVISED FOR CHARTER SCHOOL FACILITIES FUNDING PURSUANT TO SECTION 302D-29.5, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES.	S 1/24/2019: Referred to EDU, WAM.	EDU, WAM

2019 OHA LEGISLATIVE PACKAGE

OHA NO.	BILL NO.	MEASURE TITLE	DESCRIPTION	STATUS	REFERRAL
OHA 3	HB173	RELATING TO STRENGTHENING THE FOUNDATION FOR ENSURING A FAIR AND JUST PAYMENT AMOUNT FOR THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS' PRO RATA SHARE OF THE PUBLIC LAND TRUST.	Requires the Department of Land and Natural Resources to use certain reporting and accountability procedures in implementing the public land trust reporting requirements of Act 178, Session Laws of Hawaii 2006. Requires the Department of Land and Natural Resources to consult with the Office of Hawaiian Affairs to ensure that the accounting and reporting is accurate and inclusive.	H 1/22/2019: Referred to WLH, JUD, FIN, referral sheet 2	WLH, JUD, FIN
OHA 3	SB191 SD1	RELATING TO STRENGTHENING THE FOUNDATION FOR ENSURING A FAIR AND JUST PAYMENT AMOUNT FOR THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS' PRO RATA SHARE OF THE PUBLIC LAND TRUST.	Requires the Department of Budget and Finance to use certain reporting and accountability procedures in implementing the public land trust reporting requirements of Act 178, Session Laws of Hawaii 2006. Requires the Department of Budget and Finance to consult with the Office of Hawaiian Affairs to ensure that the accounting and reporting is accurate and inclusive. Establishes and requires the Department of Budget and Finance to request funding every fiscal year for a specific budget line item for a public land trust reporting and accountability officer position. Takes effect 12/31/2050. (SD1)	H 3/7/2019: Referred to WLH, JUD, FIN, referral sheet 27	WLH, JUD, FIN
OHA 4	HB174	RELATING TO THE COMPOSITION OF THE STATE COUNCIL ON MENTAL HEALTH.	Requires the State Council on Mental Health to comprise at least 3 members with demonstrated knowledge of or work experience involving Native Hawaiian concepts of well-being, culturally grounded mental health methodologies, or traditional healing or health practices.	H 1/22/2019: Referred to WLH/HLT, CPC, referral sheet 2	WLH/HLT, CPC

2019 OHA LEGISLATIVE PACKAGE

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OHA 5	HB175 HD2	RELATING TO BAIL.	Authorizes a defendant in custody to petition a court for unsecured bail. (HB175 HD2)	H 2/15/2019: Report adopted. referred to the committee(s) on FIN as amended in HD 2 with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) Aquino, DeCoite, Nakamura, Quinlan, Thielen excused (5).	PVM, JUD, FIN
OHA 5	SB192 SD1 HD2	RELATING TO BAIL.	Implements recommendations of the Criminal Pretrial Task Force convened pursuant to House Concurrent Resolution No. 134, House Draft 1, Regular Session of 2017. Authorizes a defendant in custody to petition a court for unsecured bail. (SB192 HD2)	S 4/9/2019: Received from House (Hse. Com. No. 643).	PVM, JUD, FIN

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Date

THIRTIETH STATE LEGISLATURE, 2019

ITEM#	BILL#	REPORT	DESCRIPTION	STATUS	REFERRALS	POSITION
			New Bills			
1	SB1223	RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING ON HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS.	Extends the sunset date of Act 141, Session Laws of Hawaii 2009, as amended, which requires each county to issue affordable housing credits to the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands, until July 1, 2024. Extends the sunset date of Act 98, Session Laws of Hawaii 2012, as amended, which requires the counties to issue affordable housing credits for each residential unit, or if allowed under the county's affordable housing program, vacant lot, developed by the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands, until July 1, 2024. (SB1223 HD1)	4/5/2019 H Passed Second Reading as amended in HD 1; placed on the calendar for Third Reading with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) Eli, Mizuno, Nishimoto excused (3).	FIN	MONITOR
2	GM740		Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Education, Gubernatorial Nominee, DAMIEN BARCARSE, for a term to expire 06-30-2022.	4/1/2019 S Referred to EDU.	EDU	SUPPORT
			Bill Positions for Reconsideration			
3	SB1530	RELATING TO THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY.	Makes the conversion of the means of financing for the Hawaii Community Development Authority staff from the Hawaii community development revolving fund to the general fund contingent upon the Hawaii Community Development Authority developing and submitting a plan to transfer its control of the Kakaako Community Development District to the City and County of Honolulu. (SB1530 HD2)	4/5/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 04-09-19.	LAB, FIN	COMMENT > MONITOR

THIRTIETH STATE LEGISLATURE, 2019

ITEM#	BILL#	REPORT	DESCRIPTION	STATUS	REFERRALS	POSITION
			2019 Legislative Session (All positions previously approved)			
4	HB32	RELATING TO FAMILY LEAVE.	Extends the deadline for the Legislative Reference Bureau to submit the sunrise analysis required by Act 109, Session Laws of Hawaii 2018, from 9/1/2019 to 11/13/2019. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2)	4/5/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 04-09-19.	LCA, WAM	MONITOR
5	HB125	RELATING TO NON-GENERAL FUNDS.	Abolishes various non-general funds and accounts of the Department of Land and Natural Resources and transfers the unencumbered balances to the general fund. (HB125 HD1)	4/5/2019 S One Day Notice 04-09-19.	WTL, WAM	MONITOR
6	HB159	RELATING TO CRIME.	Increases criminal penalties for anyone who knowingly keeps or maintains any structure or place for the purpose of using controlled substances or which is used for keeping or selling them in violation of controlled substance laws. Increases certain criminal penalties for those who knowingly profit from or advance gambling. Effective 1/28/2081. (SD1)	4/5/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 04-09-19.	PSM, JDC	MONITOR
7	HB201	RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES.	Clarifies that a state department that is a member of the invasive species council, counties, and its employees and authorized agents, have authority to enter private property to control and eradicate invasive species when there is a reasonable suspicion that invasive species are present on the property. (SD1)	4/5/2019 H Returned from Senate (Sen. Com. No. 665) in amended form (SD 1).	AEN, JDC	MONITOR
8	HB218	RELATING TO MINORS.	Grants a circuit court, when sentencing a minor for a non-violent criminal offense, the discretion to: (1) impose a sentence that includes a period of incarceration that is as much as fifty per cent shorter than any mandatory minimum; and (2) in certain cases, decline to impose a mandatory enhanced sentence. Takes effect 1/1/2059. (SD2)	4/4/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 04-09-19.	HMS, JDC	SUPPORT

THIRTIETH STATE LEGISLATURE, 2019

ITEM#	BILL#	REPORT	DESCRIPTION	STATUS	REFERRALS	POSITION
9	HB250	RELATING TO SCHOOL-BASED HEALTH SERVICES.	Formally establishes the Hawaii Keiki: Healthy and Ready to Learn program and special fund within the Department of Education. Appropriates funds for positions and a vision screening and eye assessment tool, and to implement, expand, and sustain the program. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD1)	4/5/2019 S One Day Notice 04-09-19.	EDU, WAM	MONITOR
10	HB272	RELATING TO TELECOMMUNICATIONS.	Caps annual utility rate increases without PUC approval for counties with a population of less than 500,000. Provides telecommunications service providers with flexibility from certain regulatory oversight requirements, including issuance of securities and other evidences of indebtedness, and sales or disposition of property or equipment, if the utility is providing fully competitive retail services and specific conditions are met. Specifies other requirements related to flexibility for telecommunications service providers. (SD1)	4/5/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 04-09-19.	CPH	MONITOR
11	HB295	RELATING TO DOMESTIC ABUSE.	Amends the definition of domestic abuse under Hawaii's insurance laws and domestic abuse protective order statutes to include emotional abuse between family or household members. Defines emotional abuse. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD1)	4/9/2019 S Received notice of disagreement (Hse. Com. No. 638).	JDC	MONITOR
12	HB329	RELATING TO DISASTER RELIEF.	Amends the Kauai flooding disaster relief appropriation made in Act 12, Session Laws of Hawaii 2018, to include flood mitigation measures. Extends the lapse date of the appropriation to June 30, 2020. Exempts the appropriation from certain restrictions on transfers of or changes to appropriations. (SD2)	4/5/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 04-09-19.	PSM, WAM	MONITOR
13	HB330	RELATING TO SUICIDE PREVENTION.	Appropriates moneys for youth suicide early intervention, prevention, and education initiatives in Kauai, Hawaii, and Maui counties. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD1)	4/5/2019 S Received notice of disagreement (Hse. Com. No. 572).	CPH, WAM	COMMENT

THIRTIETH STATE LEGISLATURE, 2019

ITEM#	BILL#	REPORT	DESCRIPTION	STATUS	REFERRALS	POSITION
14	HB336	RELATING TO HAWAII STATE AND CONTRACTED CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES.	Requires the Director of Public Safety, in the event of the death of an inmate who is in a state or contracted correctional facility, or death of a correctional facility or community correctional center employee, to report to the Governor, who shall then report to the Legislature, certain information regarding the death, subject to state and federal laws. Requires the Department of Public Safety to preserve any forensic evidence consisting of human biological specimens if there is any indication of sexual assault leading to the death. (SD2)	4/4/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 04-09-19.	PSM, JDC	SUPPORT
15	HB398	RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.	Requires the University of Hawaii system to create additional distance-learning classes in teaching for students who are pursuing undergraduate or graduate degrees in education. Effective 7/1/2035. (SD1)	4/5/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 04-09-19.	HRE, WAM	MONITOR

THIRTIETH STATE LEGISLATURE, 2019

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16	HB402	RELATING TO INCREASING THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS' PRO RATA SHARE OF PUBLIC LAND TRUST FUNDS.	<p>Requires that all grants and contracts awarded by the Office of Hawaiian Affairs shall be subject to be individually approved by the board of trustees. Reduces the University of Hawaii's portion of receipts from the use, sale, lease, or other disposition of lands within the public land trust to be collected during each fiscal year to the amount equal to the University of Hawaii's receipts derived from tuition and special funds utilized for Native Hawaiian programs. Establishes a public land trust revenues negotiating committee to determine the increase to the annual amount of the income and proceeds from the public land trust that the Office of Hawaiian Affairs shall receive annually under the state constitution and other state law. Requires the Department of Budget and Finance to conduct a financial review of the amounts of revenue generated from the public land trust. Requires the Auditor to report to the Legislature on a comprehensive review of programs administered by the State that serve Hawaiians. Appropriates funds. Prohibits any increases proposed by the public land trust revenues negotiating committee that are not already approved for use by or appropriated to the Office of Hawaiian Affairs until the fiscal and comprehensive reviews required by this measure are completed and submitted to the Legislature. Effective 7/1/2050.</p> <p>(SD2)</p>	4/5/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 04-09-19.	HWN/HRE, WAM	SUPPORT WITH AMENDMENTS

THIRTIETH STATE LEGISLATURE, 2019

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17	HB419	RELATING TO TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS	Authorizes transient accommodations in the State, subject to certain conditions. Requires all operators and plan managers and their respective properties to be listed on a registry created, published, and updated by each county, except in any county that does not regulate the number or location of transient accommodations within that county. Requires hosting platforms to collect and remit to the State all applicable TAT and GET, as agents of operators and plan managers, and to regularly disclose to the State information on transient accommodations listings in the State. Prohibits hosting platforms from collecting fees or completing any booking transactions for properties not listed on the registry, if applicable in that county. Authorizes DOTAX to establish fees, charges, and other requirements by rule. Establishes civil and administrative penalties for violations. Authorizes the State to issue administrative subpoenas to obtain certain information regarding transient accommodations listings in the State. (SD2)	4/5/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 04-09-19.	EET/PSM, WAM	SUPPORT
18	HB420	RELATING TO HAWAIIAN CULTURE.	Changes the designation of the location for operation of a Hawaiian Center and the Museum of Hawaiian Music and Dance from the Hawaii Convention Center to the State of Hawaii Museum of Natural and Cultural History. Authorizes the State of Hawaii Museum of Natural and Cultural History to enter into contracts and partnerships for services related to the Hawaiian Center and the Museum of Hawaiian Music and Dance. Effective 7/1/2030. (SD1)	4/5/2019 S One Day Notice 04-09-19.	HWN/EET, WAM	MONITOR

THIRTIETH STATE LEGISLATURE, 2019

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19	HB439	RELATING TO LAND USE.	Exempts lands set aside by the governor to the Hawaii housing finance and development corporation for the primary purpose of developing affordable housing from classification as public land subject to DLNR management. Requires lands set aside by the governor to the Hawaii housing finance development corporation for the primary purpose of developing affordable housing to be subject to legislative approval prior to the sale or gift of those lands. Takes effect 7/1/2050. (SD1)	4/5/2019 S One Day Notice 04-09-19.	WTL/HOU, WAM	COMMENT
20	HB529	RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES.	Prohibits any vehicle, except a low-range, four-wheel drive vehicle, from being driven through or in Waipio Valley, except under certain circumstances. (SD1)	4/5/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 04-09-19.	TRS, WAM	MONITOR
21	HB551	RELATING TO CESSPOOLS.	Extends lapse date for funds appropriated to the University of Hawaii to conduct a comprehensive statewide study of sewage contamination in nearshore marine areas. Extends lapse date for funds appropriated to the Department of Health to conduct research or gather technical assistance relating to the cesspool conversion working group's comprehensive cesspool conversion plan. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD1)	4/5/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 04-09-19.	AEN/HRE, WAM	MONITOR

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22	HB622	RELATING TO PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS.	Transfers control of public funds disbursed to a charter school to the State Public Charter School Commission upon filing of criminal charges against an employee of the charter school for actions taken in the course of employment at the charter school. Requires establishment of a banking account system to pay charter school expenses. Requires authorizers to select the independent auditors. Prohibits individuals from serving as Board of Education or Charter School Commission members if the individual was affiliated with a charter school within four years preceding appointment. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD1)	4/5/2019 S One Day Notice 04-09-19.	EDU, WAM	COMMENT
23	HB629	RELATING TO MEDICAL RELEASE.	Creates a medical release program within the Department of Public Safety for certain ill, disabled, or impaired inmates who pose a low risk to public safety. Takes effect on 3/1/2020. (SD2)	4/5/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 04-09-19.	PSM, JDC/WAM	SUPPORT
24	HB655	RELATING TO HEALTH.	Designates the month of September of each year as Suicide Prevention and Awareness Month. (HB655 HD1)	4/4/2019 H Transmitted to Governor.	LCA	SUPPORT
25	HB664	RELATING TO GENDER IDENTITY.	Clarifies that the ban on sexual orientation change efforts applies to conversion therapy practices or treatments that seek to change an individual's sexual orientation or gender identity. (SD1)	4/5/2019 H Returned from Senate (Sen. Com. No. 675) in amended form (SD 1).	CPH/JDC	MONITOR
26	HB807	RELATING TO OFFENSES AGAINST PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION.	Amends the misdemeanor offense of unsworn falsification to authorities to include knowingly making a false statement to a state investigator or county inspector in certain circumstances. (SD1)	4/9/2019 S Received notice of disagreement (Hse. Com. No. 638).	JDC	COMMENT

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27	HB808	RELATING TO SHARK AND RAY PROTECTION.	Establishes an offense of knowingly capturing, taking, possessing, abusing, entangling, or killing a shark in state marine waters, along with penalties and fines. Expands the existing prohibition on knowingly capturing or killing a manta ray in state marine waters to apply to all rays and to also include knowingly taking, possessing, abusing, or entangling a ray. Provides certain exemptions. Effective 9/1/2019. (SD2)	4/5/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 04-09-19.	WTL, JDC/WAM	SUPPORT
28	HB820	RELATING TO HOUSING.	Part I: Prohibits any law, ordinance, or rule from imposing an inclusionary zoning requirement on housing offered exclusively for sale in perpetuity to buyers who are residents of the State, are owner-occupants, and do not own any other real property. Part II: Establishes the ALOHA homes program to develop low-cost homes on state-owned and county-owned land in urban redevelopment sites to be sold in leasehold by HHFDC to qualified residents. Exempts certain land from the definition of public lands. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD1)	4/5/2019 S One Day Notice 04-09-19.	HOU, WAM	COMMENT
29	HB903	RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY.	Requires the Judiciary to establish a financial hardship task force. Effective 1/28/2081. (SD1)	4/5/2019 S One Day Notice 04-09-19.	JDC, WAM	MONITOR

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30	HB921	RELATING TO EDUCATION.	<p>Defines the roles and responsibilities of the executive office on early learning and the department of education as they relate to the implementation of the public prekindergarten program.</p> <p>Establishes the executive office on early learning as the administrative authority for state funded prekindergarten programs and a support for and with the department of education special education, Title I, and private partnership funded prekindergarten programs to ensure high quality early education programs in department of education school classrooms. Ensures that agreements and services are clearly articulated in a memorandum of understanding between the executive office on early learning and the department of education, including a resolution protocol to settle disputes should either party not be able to come to an agreement. Establishes reporting requirements. Authorizes the state public charter school commission to establish and fund charter school prekindergarten classrooms. Appropriates funds. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2)</p>	4/5/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 04-09-19.	EDU, WAM	MONITOR
31	HB990	RELATING TO DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE FACILITIES.	Allows the Department of Defense to recoup operating costs when the Adjutant General permits temporary facility use of department facilities to the public and requires remaining net proceeds to be deposited into the general fund. (SD1)	4/5/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 04-09-19.	PSM, WAM	MONITOR
32	HB1013	RELATING TO INVOLUNTARY HOSPITALIZATION.	Establishes an involuntary hospitalization task force to examine existing law and make recommendations to the legislature to reduce unnecessary emergency department admissions and improve access for MH-1 patients to the most appropriate level of care. (SD2)	4/5/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 04-09-19.	CPH, JDC	MONITOR

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33	HB1025	RELATING TO LEASE EXTENSIONS ON PUBLIC LAND.	Authorizes the Board of Land and Natural Resources to extend certain leases of public lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use upon approval of a proposed development agreement to make substantial improvements to the existing improvements. Sunsets on 6/30/2024. (SD2)	4/5/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 04-09-19.	WTL, WAM	OPPOSE
34	HB1028	RELATING TO THE ENDANGERED SPECIES TRUST FUND.	Expands the type of revenue that can be deposited into the endangered species trust fund. (SD1)	4/5/2019 S One Day Notice 04-09-19.	AEN/WTL, WAM	MONITOR
35	HB1032	RELATING TO STATE BOATING FACILITIES.	Allows the Board of Land and Natural Resources (Board) to lease any existing state boating facility in its entirety, and fast lands and submerged lands within any existing state boating facility, by public auction, request for proposals, or direct negotiation for private development, management, and operation; provided that the Board first finds that the lessee has met certain community involvement requirements. Clarifies that legislative approval is not required to award a lease. Repeals fast lands and submerged lands lease requirements specific to Ala Wai Boat Harbor. (SD2)	4/5/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 04-09-19.	WTL, WAM	MONITOR
36	HB1042	RELATING TO TAX REPORTING.	Revises the manner in which persons authorized to collect rent provide information to the Department of Taxation and requires (as opposed to permits) them to report the total amount of rent collected under sections 237-30.5 and 237D-8.5, Hawaii Revised Statutes. (SD1)	4/5/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 04-09-19.	WAM	MONITOR

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37	HB1116	RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS.	Amends ballot requirements to display candidates for the Board of Trustees of the Office of Hawaiian Affairs by residency and non-residency requirements. Requires the names of the candidates in each group to be randomized on individual ballots and on ballots across precincts by the feasible method that provides the greatest degree of randomization. Effective 1/28/2081. (SD1)	4/5/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 04-09-19.	HWN, JDC/WAM	MONITOR
38	HB1133	RELATING TO MARINE LIFE CONSERVATION DISTRICTS.	Prohibits the issuance of more than forty marine life conservation district commercial use permits for any marine life conservation district not accessible by land. Limits access by commercial use permittees to any marine life conservation district not accessible by land to no more than fifty per cent of permit holders. Requires the department of land and natural resources to immediately initiate rulemaking. (SD2)	4/5/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 04-09-19.	WTL, CPH/WAM	MONITOR
39	HB1165	RELATING TO GENDER IDENTIFICATION.	Requires a license or state identification card to include a person's full legal name, date of birth, gender designation, residence address, and license number. Specifies gender designation options of F, M, or X. Effective 7/1/2020. (SD2)	4/5/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 04-09-19.	TRS, JDC	SUPPORT

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ITEM#	BILL#	REPORT	DESCRIPTION	STATUS	REFERRALS	POSITION
40	HB1219	RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS.	<p>Authorizes the designation of areas or regions of public lands classified as commercial, industrial, resort and hotel, and the establishment and implementation of guidelines for the redevelopment of the areas or regions that will: (1) modernize the policies for the management of public lands in the designated area; (2) establish a plan for the designated area, including district-wide improvements, that is coordinated with state and county land use and planning policies; and (3) implement asset and property management concepts that can optimize income from the properties and evolve in response to changing principles of property administration. Designates the public lands on the Waiakea peninsula on the island of Hawaii as the Waiakea Peninsula Redevelopment District. Allows DLNR to issue a rent reduction or waiver for certain lessee's expenses for demolition or provision of basic infrastructure. Authorizes a local redevelopment agency to contract with a developer for construction of non-residential projects on public land within a redevelopment area. Exempts the costs of construction of work or improvements of a redevelopment project from general excise and use taxes. Takes effect provided that the County of Hawaii repeals the Banyan Drive Hawaii redevelopment agency. Makes an appropriation. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2)</p>	4/5/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 04-09-19.	WTL, WAM	COMMENT
41	HB1261	RELATED TO JUDICIAL PROCEEDINGS.	<p>Makes permanent the requirement that decisions in contested case hearings of the Commission on Water Resource Management, Land Use Commission, Public Utilities Commission, Hawaii Community Development Authority, and those involving conservation districts be appealed directly to the Supreme Court, with certain exceptions. Takes effect on June 30, 2019. (SD1)</p>	4/5/2019 S One Day Notice 04-09-19.	JDC, WAM	MONITOR

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42	HB1305	RELATING TO MUTUAL ASSISTANCE AGREEMENT.	Authorizes the State and electrical and gas utilities to enter into a mutual assistance agreement with an out-of-state utility to assist in the restoration of electrical or natural gas power following a natural disaster or emergency. (SD1)	4/4/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 04-09-19.	PSM, CPH	MONITOR
43	HB1307	RELATING TO AN OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS.	Requires the legislative reference bureau to submit a report to the legislature regarding the existing administrative hearings process in the State and the potential for a centralized office of administrative hearings. Requires state departments and agencies to provide statistical, non-confidential information on contested case hearings to the legislative reference bureau. Requires the legislative reference bureau to research centralized administrative hearings offices in other jurisdictions. Effective 3/15/2094. (SD2)	4/5/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 04-09-19.	GVO, JDC/WAM	MONITOR
44	HB1375	RELATING TO THE STATE OF HAWAII MUSEUM OF NATURAL AND CULTURAL HISTORY.	Beginning with the 2021-2023 fiscal biennium and each fiscal biennium thereafter, requires the governor to include in the executive budget a minimum amount per fiscal year as a recurring cost to be allocated to the State of Hawaii Museum of Natural and Cultural History. Appropriates funds to support the work of the State of Hawaii Museum of Natural and Cultural History. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2)	4/5/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 04-09-19.	LCA, WAM	MONITOR
45	HB1405	RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES BUDGET.	Adjusts the operating budget for the fiscal biennium 2019-2021 for certain Department of Land and Natural Resources programs. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2)	4/5/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 04-09-19.	WTL, WAM	MONITOR

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46	HB1413	RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST E OLA MAU NA LEO O KEKAHA.	Authorizes the issuance of special purpose revenue bonds (SPRB) to assist E Ola Mau Na Leo O Kekaha with the acquisition, remediation, and development of the old Kekaha Sugar Mill in Kekaha, Kauai, Hawaii. Effective 7/1/2035. (SD1)	4/9/2019 S Received notice of disagreement (Hse. Com. No. 638).	WAM	MONITOR
47	HB1416	RELATING TO HEALTH.	Establishes a Suicide Prevention Commission to develop a strategic plan to reduce suicides within Hawaii's correctional system. Appropriates moneys to the Department of Health to develop a centralized assessment and treatment program. (SD1)	4/5/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 04-09-19.	CPH/PSM, WAM	MONITOR
48	HB1417	RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES.	Requires the Department of Human Services to use an integrated and multigenerational approach to delivering human services to reduce the incidence of intergenerational poverty and dependence on public benefits. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD1)	4/5/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 04-09-19.	HMS, WAM	SUPPORT
49	HB1433	RELATING TO ADDRESS CONFIDENTIALITY.	Appropriates funds for two full-time equivalent (2.0 FTE) positions, operating costs, and equipment to support the Attorney General's Hawaii Criminal Justice Data Center in administering the Address Confidentiality Program. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD1)	4/5/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 04-09-19.	JDC, WAM	MONITOR
50	HB1468	RELATING TO THE WAIANAE COAST COMPREHENSIVE HEALTH CENTER.	Appropriates moneys to the Department of Health to provide the Waianae Coast Comprehensive Health Center with funding for an advanced practice registered nurse position and various infrastructure improvements for its school-based health center at Nanakuli High and Intermediate School. Takes effect 7/1/2050. (SD1)	4/5/2019 S One Day Notice 04-09-19.	CPH, WAM	MONITOR

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51	HB1487	RELATING TO CLIMATE CHANGE.	Establishes the Honolulu shoreline climate protection pilot project to develop a plan to protect urban Honolulu from the impacts of sea level rise, floodwater, storms, and other impacts of a rapidly changing climate. Appropriates funds to the Department of Land and Natural Resources for the development of the Honolulu shoreline climate protection pilot project. Appropriates funds to the Office of Planning to conduct a comprehensive study of a statewide carbon tax. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2)	4/5/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 04-09-19.	AEN/WTL, WAM	MONITOR
52	HB1526	RELATING TO THE STATE PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS BUDGET.	Appropriates funds for the fiscal biennium 2019-2021 operating budget for Department of Education programs relating to charter schools. Effective 7/1/2055. (SD1)	4/5/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 04-09-19.	EDU, WAM	SUPPORT
53	HB1548	RELATING TO RAPID OHIA DEATH.	Appropriates funds to the Department of Land and Natural Resources to study and combat rapid ohia death. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2)	4/5/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 04-09-19.	WTL/AEN, WAM	MONITOR
54	HB1552	RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY.	Part I: Establishes the Hawaii Correctional System Oversight Commission. Creates a position for an Oversight Coordinator for the Commission. Extends the sunset date of the Reentry Commission to 1/1/2020. Repeals the Reentry Commission and Corrections Population Management Commission on 1/1/2020 and transfers all rights, powers, functions, and duties of those commissions to the Hawaii Correctional System Oversight Commission. Parts II through IX: Implements certain recommendations of the Criminal Pretrial Task Force convened pursuant to House Concurrent Resolution No. 134, House Draft 1, Regular Session of 2017. Effective 1/28/2081. (SD2)	4/5/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 04-09-19.	PSM/GVO, WAM	SUPPORT

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55	HB1582	RELATING TO CONCESSIONS ON PUBLIC PROPERTY.	<p>Increases the maximum length of concession contracts from 15 years to 20 years. Replaces requirements that certain concessions shall be operated by nonprofit corporations in order to be exempt from the sealed bid requirements of section 102-2(a), Hawaii Revised Statutes, with a requirement that state and county agencies give preference to nonprofit corporations pursuant to rules. Provides that a county director of parks and recreation shall designate which county zoos, botanic gardens, or other county parks are environmentally, culturally, historically, or operationally unique for the purpose of determining whether a concession at the zoo, botanic garden, or other park is exempt from the sealed bid requirements of section 102-2(a), Hawaii Revised Statutes. Exempts from sealed bid requirements of section 102-2(a), Hawaii Revised Statutes, concessions on public property whose operations provide historical and cultural information, goods, and services within the Hawaii Capital Historic District. (SD1)</p>	4/5/2019 S 48 Hrs. Notice 04-09-19.	LCA, WAM	MONITOR
56	SB50	RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES.	<p>Appropriates funds to the University of Hawaii for the Hawaii Nutrition Employment and Training Program to include materials and supplies and the hiring of seven full-time equivalent instructional and student support positions. (SB50 HD1)</p>	4/5/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 04-09-19.	HSH, FIN	MONITOR

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57	SB78	RELATING TO EDUCATION.	Establishes the Executive Office on Early Learning (EOEL) as the administrative authority for state-funded prekindergarten programs, and private partnership-funded prekindergarten programs in the public schools, except for special education and Title I-funded prekindergarten programs. Transfers prekindergarten programs in DOE and charter schools, except for special education and Title I-funded prekindergarten programs, to EOEL. Clarifies the role and responsibilities of EOEL in the public prekindergarten program. Requires DOE to adhere to certain quality standards and work with EOEL. Makes appropriations. (SB78 HD2)	4/5/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 04-09-19.	LHE, FIN	SUPPORT
58	SB126	RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET.	Appropriates funds and positions to fulfill requests made by the Governor. Appropriates funds. (SB126 HD1)	4/5/2019 H Passed Second Reading as amended in HD 1; placed on the calendar for Third Reading with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) Eli, Mizuno, Nishimoto excused (3).	FIN	MONITOR
59	SB130	RELATING TO CIVIL LEGAL SERVICES.	Appropriates funds for the judiciary to purchase civil legal services for low-income and moderate-income persons. (SB130 HD1)	4/5/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 04-09-19.	JUD, FIN	MONITOR
60	SB192	RELATING TO BAIL.	Implements recommendations of the Criminal Pretrial Task Force convened pursuant to House Concurrent Resolution No. 134, House Draft 1, Regular Session of 2017. Authorizes a defendant in custody to petition a court for unsecured bail. (SB192 HD2)	4/9/2019 S Received from House (Hse. Com. No. 643).	PVM, JUD, FIN	SUPPORT

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61	SB223	RELATING TO IRRIGATION.	Transfers operational authority over portions of the East Kauai Irrigation System operated and maintained by the East Kauai Water Users' Cooperative as of July 1, 2019, to the Department of Agriculture. Provides a conditional extension to acquire required permits. Establishes staffing positions. Authorizes general obligation bonds for a statewide irrigation system capital improvement project. Appropriates funds. (SB223 HD1)	4/9/2019 S Received from House (Hse. Com. No. 646).	AGR, FIN	MONITOR
62	SB313	MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.	Makes an appropriation for 2 full-time equivalent positions for the wayfinding education program "Imiloa Astronomy Center. (SB313 HD1)	4/9/2019 S Received from House (Hse. Com. No. 651).	LHE, FIN	MONITOR
63	SB330	RELATING TO AN EARNED INCOME DISREGARD PROGRAM.	Requires the Department of Human Services to implement an earned income disregard program as an intermediate step to implementing a medicaid buy-in program. Requires reports to the legislature. Takes effect upon approval by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services. (SB330 HD1)	4/5/2019 H Received notice of disagreement (Sen. Com. No. 685).	HSH, FIN	MONITOR
64	SB335	RELATING TO PUBLIC MEETINGS.	Requires public meeting notices to include instructions regarding accommodations for persons with disabilities. Requires boards to post a notice in the board's office and to retain a copy of proof of filing the notice with the Lieutenant Governor's office or county clerk's office. Requires the Lieutenant Governor's office or the county clerk's office to timely post paper or accessible electronic copies of all meeting notices in a central location in a public building. Requires An emergency meeting agenda to be filed with the Lieutenant Governor's office or the county clerk's office and posted in the board's office. (SB335 HD1)	4/9/2019 S Received from House (Hse. Com. No. 652).	JUD, FIN	MONITOR

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65	SB381	RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LANDS.	Directs the Office of Planning, Land Use Commission, Real Estate Commission, and Honolulu Department of Planning and Permitting to study land subdivision and condominium property regime laws related to agricultural land and report findings and recommendations to the Legislature. (SB381 HD1)	4/9/2019 S Received from House (Hse. Com. No. 655).	WLH/AGR, CPC, FIN	MONITOR
66	SB383	RELATING TO YOUTH SUICIDE PREVENTION.	Requires DOE to establish a mandatory youth suicide awareness and prevention training program and model risk referral protocol, based on existing materials created by DOH, for all public schools, including charter schools. Requires charter schools to provide the training program and risk referral protocol to all school personnel who work directly with students in department schools and charter schools, respectively. (SB383 HD1)	4/9/2019 S Received from House (Hse. Com. No. 656).	LHE/HLT, FIN	MONITOR
67	SB388	RELATING TO EDUCATION.	Requires DOE to provide specified assessments and evaluations, upon parent or guardian request, to vulnerable students exhibiting behavioral issues and to students who have been suspended for the purpose of providing appropriate services that allow the child to complete education. Lowers the threshold age for alternative or vocational schools from 16 to 14. Requires DOE to establish a task force. (SB388 HD2)	4/9/2019 S Received from House (Hse. Com. No. 657).	LHE, JUD, FIN	MONITOR
68	SB471	RELATING TO HOMELESSNESS.	Appropriates funds to homeless programs, including outreach, rapid re-housing, housing first, family assessment centers, and diversion programs and the coordinated statewide homelessness initiative. Establishes a long-term rental assistance pilot program for individuals over sixty years old. (SB471 HD1)	4/5/2019 H Received notice of disagreement (Sen. Com. No. 685).	HSH/HSG, FIN	MONITOR
69	SB549	RELATING TO HEALTHY BEVERAGES FOR CHILDREN.	Requires restaurants that sell children's meals that include a beverage to make the default beverage a healthy beverage. (SB549 HD2)	4/5/2019 H Received notice of disagreement (Sen. Com. No. 685).	HLT, CPC	MONITOR

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70	SB567	RELATED TO MENTAL HEALTH TREATMENT.	Requires the administrator or attending physician to assess whether an assisted community treatment plan is indicated and to make certain arrangements if so indicated. Requires and appropriates funds the AG to assist with the petition for assisted community treatment and related court proceeding. Requires DOH to convene a Mental Health Emergencies Task Force. (SB567 HD2)	4/5/2019 H Reported from FIN (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2166), recommending passage on Third Reading.	HLT, JUD, FIN	MONITOR
71	SB666	RELATING TO AN AIRPORTS CORPORATION.	Establishes the Hawaii Airports Corporation (HAC) to assume the authority, functions, and duties of the DOT related to airports and aeronautics. Makes HAC subject to Chapters 103D and 104, HRS. Provides for project labor agreements. Appropriates funds for the transfer of functions from DOT to HAC. (SB666 HD2)	3/22/2019 H Report adopted. referred to the committee(s) on FIN as amended in HD 2 with Representative(s) Cachola, Perruso voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) Quinlan, Yamane excused (2).	TRN, LAB, FIN	COMMENT
72	SB759	RELATING TO AGRICULTURE.	Requires the Department of Agriculture to establish a 2-year Agricultural Theft and Vandalism Pilot Project to examine the effectiveness of prosecuting agricultural theft and agricultural vandalism in the counties of Hawaii and Maui. Appropriates funds. (SB759 HD1)	4/5/2019 H Reported from FIN (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2146), recommending passage on Third Reading.	AGR, JUD, FIN	MONITOR

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73	SB763	RELATING TO ADVERTISING AND MARKETING.	Requires the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism, in consultation with the Department of Agriculture, to conduct a study to assess the impact of companies selling products in the United States using place-based marketing without any material ties to the State. Appropriates funds for the study. (SB763 HD1)	4/5/2019 H Reported from FIN (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2182), recommending passage on Third Reading.	EDB/AGR, FIN	MONITOR
74	SB804	RELATING TO PALLIATIVE CARE.	Establishes the culturally competent palliative care pilot program within the DOH to provide public education and conduct two home- or community-based palliative care pilot programs. Establishes an advisory group to oversee the pilot program. Appropriates funds. (SB804 HD1)	4/9/2019 S Received from House (Hse. Com. No. 674).	HLT, CPC, FIN	MONITOR
75	SB856	RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.	Requires the Auditor to perform an operational audit of the academic and financial plans of the Department of Education. Requires the Department of Education to contract with a third-party consultant that specializes in school finance to study the adequacy of education funding in Hawaii. Appropriates funds. (SB856 HD3)	4/5/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 04-09-19.	LHE, LMG, FIN	MONITOR
76	SB898	RELATING TO LAND RECORDATION.	Requires submission of a map and description of the relevant land prepared by a licensed surveyor along with an application for the voluntary deregistration of land from the Land Court and recordation of title in the Bureau of Conveyances. Exempts transactions that involve time shares, condominiums, planned communities, or deregistration of an undivided interest in registered land. (SB898 HD1)	4/5/2019 H Deferred one day 04-09-19.	WLH, JUD, FIN	MONITOR
77	SB908	RELATING TO SUSTAINABILITY.	Establishes a Statewide Sustainability Division within the Office of Planning to ensure long-term planning, coordination, and implementation of Hawaii's sustainability goals and policies. Appropriates funds. (SB908 HD1)	4/5/2019 H Received notice of disagreement (Sen. Com. No. 685).	EEP, FIN	MONITOR

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78	SB919	RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII BOARD OF REGENTS.	Amends the composition of the Board of Regents of the University of Hawaii, and reduces the number of board members from 15 members to 11 members. Specifies terms of holdover board members. Specifies that the Board of Regents shall hold the president of the University of Hawaii and university administration accountable for decisions, actions, and leases that incur additional costs to the university. (SB919 HD2)	4/5/2019 H Recommitted to FIN with none voting no and Representative(s) Eli, Hashem, Mizuno, Nishimoto excused.	LHE, JUD, FIN	MONITOR
79	SB928	PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE X, SECTION 6, OF THE HAWAII STATE CONSTITUTION, TO MODIFY THE APPOINTMENT PROCESS FOR THE BOARD OF REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.	Proposes an amendment to article X, section 6, of the Hawaii State Constitution to repeal the requirement that the Governor make appointments to the University of Hawaii Board of Regents from pools of qualified candidates presented to the Governor by the Candidate Advisory Council for the University of Hawaii Board of Regents. (SB928 HD2)	4/5/2019 H Recommitted to FIN with none voting no and Representative(s) Eli, Hashem, Mizuno, Nishimoto excused.	LHE, JUD, FIN	MONITOR
80	SB976	RELATING TO PUBLIC LIBRARIES.	Establishes a pilot program to generate revenue through the lease of public library lands to meet the mission of the public libraries. Establishes the library facilities fund. Requires the Board of Education to report to the Legislature. Appropriates funds for a comprehensive planning study. (SB976 HD1)	4/5/2019 H Reported from FIN (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2172), recommending passage on Third Reading.	LHE/WLH, FIN	OPPOSE

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81	SB983	RELATING TO EDUCATION.	Renames the teacher national board certification incentive program the national certification incentive program. Expands program eligibility to include school psychologists. Clarifies requirements and incentives of the program. Clarifies that teacher incentives, bonuses, and compensation beyond regular wages are excluded from the per-pupil request and included as separate line items in the budget for public charter schools. Appropriates funds. (SB983 HD1)	4/5/2019 H Reported from FIN (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2173), recommending passage on Third Reading.	LHE, FIN	SUPPORT
82	SB991	RELATING TO TELECOMMUNICATIONS.	Creates regulatory flexibility for providers of basic landline telephone services. Allows retail rate increases up to a cap amount without PUC approval for providers in rural counties. Exempts providers from PUC approval for issuance of securities, disposition of property, sale of stock, and competitive procurement requirements. (SB991 HD1)	4/5/2019 H Reported from FIN (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2189), recommending passage on Third Reading.	IAC, CPC, FIN	MONITOR
83	SB1020	RELATING TO RENTAL ASSISTANCE.	Appropriates funds to the Hawaii Public Housing Authority for its Rent Supplement Program to assist families at imminent risk of homelessness due to domestic violence with obtaining and maintaining permanent housing. (SB1020 HD1)	4/5/2019 H Received notice of disagreement (Sen. Com. No. 685).	HSH, FIN	MONITOR
84	SB1033	RELATING TO THE LICENSURE OF MIDWIVES.	Establishes licensure of midwives. Temporarily exempts birth attendants and exempts Native Hawaiian healers from licensure requirements. Establishes task force. Appropriates funds. (SB1033 HD2)	4/5/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 04-09-19.	HLT, FIN	MONITOR
85	SB1150	RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.	Appropriates funds to the Department of Agriculture for feral pig control. (SB1150 HD1)	4/5/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 04-09-19.	AGR, FIN	MONITOR

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86	SB1167	RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL ENTERPRISES.	Establishes a new Agricultural Enterprise Program within the Department of Agriculture to plan, design, construct, operate, manage, maintain, repair, demolish, and remove infrastructure on any lands under the jurisdiction of the Department, to support and promote agriculture. Establishes the Agricultural Enterprise Special Fund. Makes an appropriation. (SB1167 HD1)	4/9/2019 S Received from House (Hse. Com. No. 687).	AGR, FIN	MONITOR
87	SB1190	RELATING TO LEASEHOLD CONDOMINIUMS ON LANDS CONTROLLED BY THE STATE.	Authorizes HHFDC to enter into 99-year leases for residential condominium units developed on state lands. Exempts certain land from the definition of public land. Subjects certain land to the legislative approval requirement for the sale or gift of the lands. (SB1190 HD2)	4/9/2019 S Received from House (Hse. Com. No. 689).	HSG, CPC/JUD, FIN	COMMENT
88	SB1221	RELATING TO THE HAWAII TEACHER STANDARDS BOARD.	Clarifies delegation of powers to the Hawaii Teacher Standards Board's Executive Director to timely approve license and permit applications. Clarifies reporting of data from Hawaii Department of Education, Charter School Commission, and Charter Schools, including the number of classrooms without a licensed teacher during the school year. (SB1221 HD1)	4/9/2019 S Received from House (Hse. Com. No. 693).	LHE, FIN	MONITOR
89	SB1227	RELATING TO POVERTY.	Requires the Department of Human Services to use an integrated and multigenerational approach to delivering human services to reduce the incidence of intergenerational poverty and dependence on public benefits. (SB1227 HD1)	4/5/2019 H Received notice of disagreement (Sen. Com. No. 685).	HSH, FIN	SUPPORT
90	SB1242	RELATING TO SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL GOALS.	Amends DOH's solid waste management goals by repealing outdated goals, reducing solid waste stream prior to disposal by seventy per cent by January 1, 2030, and establishing a goal of source reduction of fifty per cent by 2030. (SB1242 HD1)	4/5/2019 H Received notice of disagreement (Sen. Com. No. 685).	EEP, JUD	SUPPORT

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91	SB1257	RELATING TO USE PERMITS FOR SMALL BOAT HARBOR FACILITIES.	Amends the various fees the Department of Land and Natural Resources may charge for the usage of state small boat harbors. Amends the manner in which those fees are applied. (SB1257 HD2)	4/5/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 04-09-19.	WLH, FIN	MONITOR
92	SB1292	RELATING TO TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS	Requires hosting platforms that collect fees for booking services to register as tax collection agents and collect GET and TAT for transient accommodation bookings from operators and plan managers. Converts penalties for violation of TAT requirements from misdemeanor to civil fines. Specifies that "transient accommodations" includes accommodations subject to county regulations as such. (SB1292 HD3)	4/5/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 04-09-19.	TIA, CPC/JUD, FIN	MONITOR
93	SB1303	RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS.	Part I: Allows the Department of Education to lease public school lands for a term of not more than an unspecified number of years per lease. Specifies that title to those portions of Department of Education lands on which public libraries are located are held by the public library system. Part II: Amends Act 206, Session Laws of Hawaii 2017, to allow the City and County of Honolulu to transfer lands under existing Department of Education facilities directly to the Department of Education, rather than through the Department of Land and Natural Resources. Part III: Excludes lands set aside by the Governor to the Hawaii Public Housing Authority and lands to which Hawaii Public Housing Authority holds title from the definition of public lands in section 171-2, Hawaii Revised Statutes. Requires prior legislative approval for the sale of lands to which the Hawaii Public Housing Authority holds title. (SB1303 HD2)	4/5/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 04-09-19.	LHE/WLH, FIN	OPPOSE

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94	SB1310	RELATING TO INDIVIDUAL HOUSING ACCOUNTS.	Establishes the individual housing accounts savings program, board, and administrative fund. Imposes a ten per cent penalty on certain distributions. Allows individual housing accounts for dependent children. Expands authorized uses of individual housing accounts. Appropriates funds. (SB1310 HD1)	4/9/2019 S Received from House (Hse. Com. No. 703).	HSG, JUD, FIN	MONITOR
95	SB1371	RELATING TO LAY NETS.	Prohibits the abandonment of lay nets used for fishing. Authorizes DLNR to issue permits for the use and possession of lay nets. Requires DLNR to establish a comprehensive, statewide lay net education and enforcement program. (SB1371 HD1)	4/9/2019 S Received from House (Hse. Com. No. 707).	WLH, JUD	COMMENT
96	SB1405	RELATING TO ELECTRONIC SMOKING PRODUCTS.	Establishes the offense of unlawful shipment of e-liquid products. Increases tobacco wholesaler or dealer license fees and retail permit fees. Increases administrative fines and criminal penalties for electronic smoking devices by persons under the age of twenty-one. (SB1405 HD2)	4/5/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 04-09-19.	HLT, CPC/JUD, FIN	MONITOR
97	SB1422	RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT.	Specifies that police officers have the discretion to issue citations, in lieu of making a lawful arrest without warrant, for nonviolent class C felonies, misdemeanors, petty misdemeanors, and violations, subject to certain findings by the officer. (SB1422 HD2)	4/5/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 04-09-19.	PVM, JUD	SUPPORT
98	SB1423	RELATING TO PAYMENT OF BAIL.	Permits defendants for whom a monetary amount of bail has been set to pay the bail amount seven-days-a-week on a 24-hour basis and be released from custody upon posting or payment of bail. (SB1423 HD1)	4/5/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 04-09-19.	PVM, JUD	SUPPORT

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99	SB1459	RELATING TO THE STATE SURFING COMMISSION.	Establishes the State Commission on Surfing. (SB1459 HD2)	4/5/2019 H Received notice of disagreement (Sen. Com. No. 685).	LAB, FIN	SUPPORT
100	SB1494	RELATING TO HEALTH.	Establishes a working group within DOH to evaluate current behavioral health care and related systems and identify steps to promote effective integration to respond to and coordinate care for persons experiencing substance abuse, mental health conditions, and homelessness. Appropriates funds. (SB1494 HD1)	4/5/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 04-09-19.	HLT/HSB, FIN	MONITOR
101	SB1515	RELATING TO EDUCATION.	Establishes the Hawaii three to six out-of-school program for grades kindergarten through twelve. Authorizes the department of education to contract with private providers to furnish out-of-school programs for grades kindergarten through twelve, conducted during after-school hours, on weekends, and during inter-sessions on the premises of the private providers. Specifies that the Hawaii three to six out-of-school program special fund is to be administered by the department of education. Makes appropriations. (SB1515 HD1)	4/9/2019 S Received from House (Hse. Com. No. 714).	LHE, FIN	MONITOR
102	SB1526	RELATING TO CONSERVATION ENFORCEMENT.	Appropriates funds for one DLNRTip app administrator position, software upgrades, and app enhancements to improve the DLNRTip app. (SB1526 HD1)	4/5/2019 H Reported from FIN (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 2159), recommending passage on Third Reading.	WLH, FIN	MONITOR
103	SB1539	RELATED TO BAIL HEARINGS.	Codifies the right to a prompt bail hearing upon formal charge and detention. Establishes right to counsel at the bail hearing. (SB1539 HD1)	4/5/2019 H Forty-eight (48) hours notice Tuesday, 04-09-19.	JUD, FIN	SUPPORT
104	HCR28		ENCOURAGING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND OTHER STAKEHOLDERS TO MEET AS A WORKING GROUP FOR SEXUAL-VIOLENCE PREVENTION IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS.	4/9/2019 S Referred to EDU.	EDU	MONITOR

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105	HCR36		URGING THE GOVERNOR'S COORDINATOR ON HOMELESSNESS AND THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO COME TOGETHER AND PRIORITIZE THEIR HOMELESSNESS EFFORTS IN THE AREA SURROUNDING THE HAWAI'I CHILDREN'S DISCOVERY CENTER BY CONVENING A TASK FORCE.	4/9/2019 S Referred to HMS.	HMS	MONITOR
106	HCR60		REQUESTING THE HARBORS DIVISION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO CONVENE A TASK FORCE TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING A HAWAII COMMERCIAL HARBORS AUTHORITY.	4/9/2019 S Referred to TRS.	TRS	MONITOR
107	HCR109		REQUESTING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A TASK FORCE TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF LEGALIZING SPORTS GAMBLING.	4/3/2019 S Referred to GVO/CPH.	GVO/CPH	MONITOR
108	HCR133		REQUESTING THE PROBATE COURT TO INCREASE TRANSPARENCY REGARDING THE KAMEHAMEHA SCHOOLS TRUSTEE SELECTION PROCESS.	4/3/2019 S Referred to HWN/JDC.	HWN/JDC	MONITOR
109	HCR138		URGING THE COUNTY OF HAWAII TO CREATE ALTERNATE ROUTES TO PROPERTIES IN THE PUNA DISTRICT THAT WERE AFFECTED, BUT NOT DESTROYED, BY THE 2018 KILAUEA ERUPTION.	4/9/2019 S Referred to TRS/PSM.	TRS/PSM	MONITOR
110	HCR155		URGING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A NATIVE HAWAIIAN INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY TASK FORCE TO DEVELOP A SUI GENERIS LEGAL SYSTEM TO RECOGNIZE AND PROTECT NATIVE HAWAIIAN CULTURAL INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY, TRADITIONAL CULTURAL EXPRESSIONS, AND GENETIC RESOURCES.	4/9/2019 S Referred to HWN.	HWN	COMMENT
111	HCR161		REQUESTING THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY TO STUDY PROPERTIES IN OR AROUND KAKAAKO TO RECOMMEND APPROPRIATE SITES FOR A NEW FIRE STATION OR, ALTERNATIVELY, TO IDENTIFY EXISTING FIRE STATIONS THAT MAY BE RELOCATED OR EXPANDED TO MORE EFFECTIVELY SERVE THE KAKAAKO COMMUNITY.	4/9/2019 S Referred to HOU.	HOU	MONITOR

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112	HCR188		REQUESTING THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS TO COMPLETE THE 2017 INDEPENDENT FINANCIAL AUDIT AND MANAGEMENT REVIEW OF THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS AND ITS SUBSIDIARIES.	4/9/2019 S Referred to HWN.	HWN	COMMENT
113	SCR7		REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES, IN CONSULTATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY, TO WORK WITH THE FAMILY REUNIFICATION WORKING GROUP AND OTHER COMMUNITY STAKEHOLDERS TO DEVELOP A PLAN TO ESTABLISH VISITATION CENTERS AT ALL STATE CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES AND JAILS.	4/2/2019 H Referred to HSH/PVM, JUD, referral sheet 47	HSH/PVM, JUD	SUPPORT
114	SCR28		URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO MANAGE THE WAI'ANAE KAI FOREST AND RESTORE WATER FLOW IN WAI'ANAE STREAMS FOR NATIVE HAWAIIAN TRADITIONAL AND CUSTOMARY PRACTICES AND IMPLEMENTATION OF THE WAI'ANAE KAI WILDFIRE PREPAREDNESS PLAN.	4/5/2019 H Referred to WLH, FIN, referral sheet 50	WLH, FIN	COMMENT
115	SCR35		URGING THE UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY AND THE HAWAII STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO REJECT THE APPROVAL OF A SINGLE WALL TANK UPGRADE ALTERNATIVE OPTION FOR THE RED HILL BULK FUEL STORAGE FACILITY AND THE CONCLUSIONS PRESENTED IN THE GROUNDWATER PROTECTION AND EVALUATIONS CONSIDERATIONS REPORT FOR THE RED HILL BULK FUEL STORAGE FACILITY DATED JULY 27, 2018.	4/3/2019 H Referred to EEP/HLT/PVM, LMG, FIN, referral sheet 49	EEP/HLT/PV M, LMG, FIN	MONITOR
116	SCR49		URGING THE BOARD OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO TRANSFER MANAGEMENT OF ALL SUBMERGED LANDS, THE BOAT LAUNCH RAMP, AND ANY RELATED BOAT LAUNCH RAMP FACILITIES LOCATED AT THE WAHIWA FRESHWATER STATE RECREATION AREA FROM THE DIVISION OF AQUATIC RESOURCES TO THE DIVISION OF BOATING AND OCEAN RECREATION.	4/5/2019 H Referred to WLH, FIN, referral sheet 50	WLH, FIN	MONITOR

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117	SCR56		REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO CONVENE A SCHOOL IMPACT FEE REVIEW TASK FORCE TO REVIEW THE SCHOOL IMPACT FEES LAW, INCLUDING ENFORCEMENT OF EXISTING LAW, AND MAKE ANY RECOMMENDATIONS TO ADDRESS CURRENT AND FUTURE NEEDS FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF NEW SCHOOLS TO ACCOMMODATE PROJECTED POPULATION GROWTH.	4/8/2019 H Resolution scheduled to be heard by LHE/HSG on Wednesday, 04-10-19 2:05PM in conference room 309.	LHE/HSG, FIN	MONITOR
118	SCR61		REQUESTING THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY TO STUDY PROPERTIES IN OR AROUND KAKAOKO AND RECOMMEND APPROPRIATE SITES FOR A FIRE STATION.	4/8/2019 H Resolution scheduled to be heard by HSG on Thursday, 04-11-19 10:30AM in conference room 423.	HSG, FIN	MONITOR
119	SCR62		URGING THE GOVERNOR'S COORDINATOR ON HOMELESSNESS AND THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO COLLABORATE AND PRIORITIZE THEIR HOMELESSNESS EFFORTS IN THE AREA SURROUNDING THE HAWAII CHILDREN'S DISCOVERY CENTER BY CONVENING A TASK FORCE.	4/5/2019 H Referred to HSH, FIN, referral sheet 50	HSH, FIN	MONITOR
120	SCR69		REQUESTING EVERY COMMERCIAL OR PUBLIC BUILDING LOCATED ON DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS TRUST LAND TO DISPLAY A WORK OF ART COMMEMORATING PRINCE JONAH KUHIO KALANIANA'OLE AND A DESCRIPTION OF HIS ACHIEVEMENTS.	4/3/2019 H Referred to WLH, FIN, referral sheet 49	WLH, FIN	MONITOR
121	SCR70		REQUESTING THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS TO CONDUCT AN INDEPENDENT FISCAL AUDIT OF ALL LIMITED LIABILITY CORPORATIONS CREATED OR CONTROLLED BY THE OFFICE.	4/5/2019 H Referred to WLH, FIN, referral sheet 50	WLH, FIN	COMMENT
122	SCR81		REQUESTING ALL PUBLIC ELEMENTARY, INTERMEDIATE, AND MIDDLE SCHOOLS IN THE STATE TO PARTICIPATE IN THE SAFE ROUTES TO SCHOOL PROGRAM ESTABLISHED PURSUANT TO SECTION 291C-3, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES, FOR KEIKI HEALTH BENEFITS.	4/8/2019 H Resolution scheduled to be heard by LHE/HLT on Wednesday, 04-10-19 2:01PM in conference room 309.	LHE/HLT, FIN	MONITOR

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123	SCR92		ENCOURAGING THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY TO PRIORITIZE INVESTMENT IN PUBLIC FACILITIES WITHIN TRANSIT-ORIENTED DEVELOPMENT ZONES AND THE KALAELOA COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT IN ANY OF ITS STATEWIDE PLANNING FUNCTIONS OR INVOLVEMENT THEREIN.	4/5/2019 H Referred to TRN/HSG, FIN, referral sheet 50	TRN/HSG, FIN	MONITOR
124	SCR103		URGING THE INCLUSION OF NATIVE HAWAIIAN CULTURAL INTERVENTION TREATMENT PROGRAMS, WELLNESS PLANS, AND HOLISTIC LIVING SYSTEMS OF CARE IN THE STATE OF HAWAII'S RESPONSE TO THE RISE OF MISUSE AND ABUSE OF OPIOIDS OR ILLICIT SUBSTANCES IN HAWAII.	4/8/2019 H Resolution scheduled to be heard by HLT on Thursday, 04-11-19 9:15AM in conference room 329.	HLT, JUD	SUPPORT
125	SCR121		URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE OTHER PRINCIPAL DEPARTMENTS, OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR, OFFICE OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR, LEGISLATURE, AND JUDICIARY TO IMPLEMENT A PILOT FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM TO TRAIN NEW EMPLOYEES FOR GOVERNMENT JOBS.	4/5/2019 H Referred to LAB/LMG, FIN, referral sheet 50	LAB/LMG, FIN	MONITOR
126	SCR122		URGING THE GOVERNOR TO NOMINATE OPPORTUNITY ZONES TO ASSIST WITH ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT IN CENSUS TRACTS IN WAHIAWA AND WHITMORE VILLAGE.	4/5/2019 H Referred to EDB, FIN, referral sheet 50	EDB, FIN	MONITOR
127	SCR154		REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII OFFICE OF INTERNAL AUDIT TO CONDUCT AN AUDIT OF VARIOUS PROGRAMS AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII WEST OAHU THAT RECEIVE EXTRAMURAL FUNDING, INCLUDING TITLE III GRANT FUNDING.	4/5/2019 H Referred to LHE, LMG, JUD, FIN, referral sheet 50	LHE, LMG, JUD, FIN	COMMENT
128	SCR180		SUPPORTING THE DEVELOPMENT OF A HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE PLAN, INCLUDING GOALS, BENCHMARKS, STRATEGIES, AND OUTCOMES, TO BUILD UPON ACCOMPLISHMENTS AND TO ACCELERATE THE NORMALIZATION OF 'OLELO HAWAI'I.	4/5/2019 H Referred to WLH, FIN, referral sheet 50	WLH, FIN	SUPPORT
129	SCR184		REQUESTING THE UNITED STATES ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS, STATE OF HAWAII, AND CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO ESTABLISH A WORKING GROUP TO EXPLORE MATTERS RELATED TO THE ALA WAI WATERSHED.	4/5/2019 H Referred to WLH, FIN, referral sheet 50	WLH, FIN	MONITOR

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130	SCR188		REQUESTING THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS TO COMPLETE THE 2017 INDEPENDENT FINANCIAL AUDIT AND MANAGEMENT REVIEW OF THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS AND ITS SUBSIDIARIES.	4/5/2019 H Referred to WLH, FIN, referral sheet 50	WLH, FIN	COMMENT
131	SCR204		URGING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A NATIVE HAWAIIAN INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY TASK FORCE TO DEVELOP A SUI GENERIS LEGAL SYSTEM TO RECOGNIZE AND PROTECT NATIVE HAWAIIAN CULTURAL INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY, TRADITIONAL CULTURAL EXPRESSIONS, AND GENETIC RESOURCES.	4/5/2019 H Referred to WLH, JUD, referral sheet 50	WLH, JUD	COMMENT
132	SCR205		URGING THE STATE BOARD ON GEOGRAPHIC NAMES TO CONSULT WITH COMMUNITY MEMBERS WHO HAVE DIRECT TRADITIONAL, CULTURAL, AND FAMILIAL TIES TO THE DISTRICT OF PUNA TO ESTABLISH APPROPRIATE NAMES FOR THE FISSURE 8 VENT AND OTHER FEATURES OF THE 2018 ERUPTION OF KILAUEA VOLCANO.	4/5/2019 H Referred to WLH, JUD, referral sheet 50	WLH, JUD	MONITOR
133	SCR211		REQUESTING THE FINALIZATION OF MEMORANDUMS OF UNDERSTANDING AND OTHER ACTIONS FOR PURPOSES OF DIVERSIFYING SOURCES OF IRRIGATION IN CENTRAL OAHU.	4/5/2019 H Referred to AGR/WLH, FIN, referral sheet 50	AGR/WLH, FIN	COMMENT
134	SCR214		SUPPORTING THE 'IMILOA ASTRONOMY CENTER IN ITS EDUCATIONAL EFFORTS CONCERNING RESOURCES ON MAUNA KEA AT HALE POHAKU, ENCOURAGING THE TRANSFER OF EDUCATION OUTREACH AT HALE POHAKU, REQUESTING A REPORT REGARDING RESTRUCTURING OF THE INSTITUTE FOR ASTRONOMY AND MAUNA KEA SUPPORT SERVICES, AND REQUESTING THE CONTRIBUTION OF FINANCIAL CAPITAL TO CONSTRUCT THE 'IMILOA UKA FACILITY.	4/5/2019 H Referred to WLH, LMG, EDB, JUD, FIN, referral sheet 50	WLH, LMG, EDB, JUD, FIN	MONITOR

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135	HR17		DESIGNATING MARCH AS BLEEDING DISORDERS AWARENESS MONTH.	3/27/2019 H Report adopted. referred to the committee(s) on FIN as amended in HD 1 with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) Creagan, DeCoite, Holt, McKelvey excused (4).	HLT, FIN	MONITOR
136	HR29		REQUESTING THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT TO LEASE FEDERALLY OWNED VACANT LAND TO THE COUNTIES OF THE STATE OF HAWAII TO BE USED AS TOW YARDS TO STORE ABANDONED VEHICLES.	3/28/2019 H Report adopted. referred to the committee(s) on FIN as amended in HD 1 with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) Cabanilla Arakawa, C. Lee excused (2).	TRN, FIN	MONITOR
137	HR31		URGING THE STATE CAPITOL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE TO TAKE STEPS NECESSARY TO NAME THE HAWAII STATE CAPITOL "THE DANIEL KAHIKINA AKAKA HAWAII STATE CAPITOL".	3/14/2019 H Re-referred to LMG, WLH, FIN, referral sheet 34	LMG, WLH, FIN	MONITOR
138	HR40		URGING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION AND DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO SUPPORT AND IMPLEMENT COMMUNITY SCHOOLS AS A STRATEGY FOR INCREASING ACCESS TO A HIGH-QUALITY EDUCATION.	3/28/2019 H Report adopted; referred to the committee(s) on FIN with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) Cabanilla Arakawa, C. Lee excused (2).	LHE, FIN	MONITOR

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139	HR41		SUPPORTING THE 'IMILOA ASTRONOMY CENTER TO FURTHER ITS ROLE IN DEVELOPING AND LEADING EDUCATIONAL EFFORTS CONCERNING THE CULTURAL, NATURAL, AND HISTORIC RESOURCES ON MAUNA KEA AT HALE POHAKU AND ENCOURAGING THE TRANSFER OF EDUCATION OUTREACH AT THE HALE POHAKU TO THE 'IMILOA ASTRONOMY CENTER.	3/14/2019 H Referred to WLH, FIN, referral sheet 33	WLH, FIN	MONITOR
140	HR46		URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO MANAGE THE WAI'ANAE KAI FOREST AND RESTORE WATER FLOW IN WAI'ANAE STREAMS FOR NATIVE HAWAIIAN TRADITIONAL AND CUSTOMARY PRACTICES AND IMPLEMENTATION OF THE WAI'ANAE KAI WILDFIRE PREPAREDNESS PLAN.	3/28/2019 H Report adopted; referred to the committee(s) on FIN with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) Cabanilla Arakawa, C. Lee excused (2).	WLH, FIN	COMMENT
141	HR49		REQUESTING THE BOARD OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO ESTABLISH A MAKUA VALLEY TASK FORCE TO PREPARE FOR THE TRANSFER OF MANAGEMENT OF THE MAKUA MILITARY RESERVATION TO THE STATE FROM THE UNITED STATES ARMY UPON EXPIRATION OF LEASE NUMBER S-3848.	3/14/2019 H Referred to PVM/WLH, FIN, referral sheet 33	PVM/WLH, FIN	MONITOR
142	HR52		REQUESTING THAT THE STATE FOUNDATION ON CULTURE AND THE ARTS REVIEW AND REEXAMINE THE FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE ALI'I MEMORIAL ART ADVISORY TASK FORCE REGARDING, AMONG OTHER THINGS, THE LOCATION OF THE SPIRIT OF LILIUOKALANI STATUE.	3/14/2019 H Referred to TIA, FIN, referral sheet 33	TIA, FIN	MONITOR
143	HR54		REQUESTING THE JOHN A. BURNS SCHOOL OF MEDICINE IN COLLABORATION WITH THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII COMMUNITY DESIGN CENTER TO CONDUCT A FEASIBILITY STUDY FOR A TEACHING HOSPITAL IN WEST HAWAII.	3/14/2019 H Referred to LHE/HLT, FIN, referral sheet 33	LHE/HLT, FIN	MONITOR

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144	HR60		ENGAGING, ENDORSING, ACCEPTING, AND ADOPTING THE NEW YORK DECLARATION ON FORESTS TO ACHIEVE THE UNITED NATIONS PARIS AGREEMENT AND THE 2030 AGENDA FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT; SPECIFICALLY SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOAL 15, LIFE ON LAND.	3/14/2019 H Referred to EEP/LMG, FIN, referral sheet 33	EEP/LMG, FIN	SUPPORT
145	HR61		REQUESTING THE HARBORS DIVISION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO CONVENE A TASK FORCE TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING A HAWAII COMMERCIAL HARBORS AUTHORITY.	4/4/2019 H Resolution adopted in final form.	TRN, FIN	MONITOR
146	HR65		REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO STUDY AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS ON HOW TO INCREASE COMPLIANCE WITH THE VARIOUS REQUIREMENTS FOR AGRICULTURAL LANDS AND TO PREVENT ABUSE OF AGRICULTURAL LAND LEASES.	3/28/2019 H Report adopted. referred to the committee(s) on JUD as amended in HD 1 with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) Cabanilla Arakawa, C. Lee excused (2).	AGR, JUD	MONITOR
147	HR66		REQUESTING THE STATE AND COUNTIES TO EXPAND EFFORTS FOR COMMUNITY INPUT REGARDING ADOPTION OF ADMINISTRATIVE RULES, STATEWIDE PLANS, AND PLANS THAT AFFECT RURAL COMMUNITIES.	3/28/2019 H Report adopted; referred to the committee(s) on FIN with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) Cabanilla Arakawa, C. Lee excused (2).	WLH, FIN	MONITOR

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148	HR67		REQUESTING THAT THE STATE INCLUDE A FOUR HUNDRED FIFTY-BED, MINIMUM-SECURITY HOUSING FACILITY IN ITS DESIGN AND PLANS FOR THE PROPOSED OAHU COMMUNITY CORRECTIONAL CENTER.	3/28/2019 H Report adopted; referred to the committee(s) on FIN with none voting aye with reservations; Representative(s) Perruso voting no (1) and Representative(s) Cabanilla Arakawa, C. Lee excused (2).	PVM/JUD, FIN	COMMENT
149	HR71		REQUESTING EVERY COMMERCIAL OR PUBLIC BUILDING LOCATED ON DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS TRUST LAND TO DISPLAY A PHOTOGRAPH OF PRINCE JONAH KUHIO KALANIANA'OLE AND A DESCRIPTION OF HIS ACHIEVEMENTS.	3/14/2019 H Referred to WLH, FIN, referral sheet 33	WLH, FIN	MONITOR
150	HR73		REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES AND THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO CONSPICUOUSLY POST CLEARLY LEGIBLE SIGNS AT EACH PUBLIC PARK OR BEACH WITHIN THE AREA OF OAHU BOUNDED BY KALAELOA AND MAKAHA THAT DISPLAY THE TELEPHONE NUMBERS OR HOTLINE NUMBERS OF ANY COUNTY OR STATE AGENCY THAT PROVIDES ASSISTANCE TO HOMELESS PERSONS.	4/4/2019 H Resolution adopted in final form.	HSH, FIN	MONITOR
151	HR74		REQUESTING THE DIRECTOR OF THE OFFICE OF PLANNING TO ESTABLISH WITHIN THE OFFICE OF PLANNING AN AGRICULTURAL HOUSING TASK FORCE.	3/22/2019 H The committee(s) on AGR/HSG recommend(s) that the measure be deferred.	AGR/HSG, FIN	MONITOR
152	HR77		REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF CREATING AN INDEPENDENT COUNTY ON THE ISLAND OF MOLOKAI.	3/18/2019 H Re-referred to EDB, JUD, FIN, referral sheet 36	EDB, JUD, FIN	MONITOR

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153	HR85		URGING THE GOVERNOR TO APPOINT AS MEMBERS TO THE STATE COUNCIL ON MENTAL HEALTH AT LEAST TWO INDIVIDUALS WITH DEMONSTRATED KNOWLEDGE OF OR WORK EXPERIENCE INVOLVING NATIVE HAWAIIAN CONCEPTS OF WELL-BEING, CULTURALLY-GROUNDED MENTAL HEALTH METHODOLOGIES, OR TRADITIONAL HEALING OR HEALTH PRACTICES.	3/14/2019 H Referred to HLT/WLH, FIN, referral sheet 33	HLT/WLH, FIN	SUPPORT
154	HR91		URGING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO ADD HANS L'ORANGE NEIGHBORHOOD PARK TO THE LIST OF SECURED PARKS ON OAHU.	3/14/2019 H Referred to WLH, FIN, referral sheet 33	WLH, FIN	MONITOR
155	HR97		URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO COMPLETE THE REQUIRED ASSESSMENT AND TOTAL MAXIMUM DAILY LOAD PROCESS FOR KAELEPULU WATERSHED TO RESTORE AND PROTECT THE KAILUA WATERWAYS.	3/28/2019 H Report adopted; referred to the committee(s) on FIN with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) Cabanilla Arakawa, C. Lee excused (2).	WLH, FIN	MONITOR
156	HR99		REQUESTING THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES PROVIDE ADDITIONAL PROTECTIONS TO THE MAUNA KEA SUMMIT DUE TO ITS ENVIRONMENTAL SIGNIFICANCE AND CULTURAL IMPORTANCE TO THE NATIVE HAWAIIAN PEOPLE.	3/14/2019 H Referred to WLH, FIN, referral sheet 33	WLH, FIN	MONITOR
157	HR112		REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM AND COUNTY PLANNING DEPARTMENTS TO COLLECT INFORMATION FROM ASSOCIATIONS OF APARTMENT OWNERS AND ASSOCIATIONS OF CONDOMINIUM OWNERS THAT HAVE OWNERS WHO RENT THEIR UNITS AS TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS AND MAKE THE INFORMATION AVAILABLE TO ASSOCIATION MEMBERS AND UNIT OWNERS.	3/14/2019 H Referred to TIA, FIN, referral sheet 33	TIA, FIN	MONITOR

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158	HR114		REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO ESTABLISH THE HAUULA BEACH PARK MARINE LIFE CONSERVATION DISTRICT.	3/28/2019 H Report adopted. referred to the committee(s) on FIN as amended in HD 1 with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) Cabanilla Arakawa, C. Lee excused (2).	WLH, FIN	MONITOR
159	HR115		REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO ESTABLISH THE LANIAKEA BEACH MARINE LIFE CONSERVATION DISTRICT.	3/28/2019 H Report adopted. referred to the committee(s) on FIN as amended in HD 1 with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) Cabanilla Arakawa, C. Lee excused (2).	WLH, FIN	MONITOR
160	HR123		REQUESTING THE PROBATE COURT TO INCREASE TRANSPARENCY REGARDING THE KAMEHAMEHA SCHOOLS TRUSTEE SELECTION PROCESS.	4/2/2019 H Resolution adopted in final form.	JUD	MONITOR
161	HR127		URGING THE COUNTY OF HAWAII TO CREATE ALTERNATE ROUTES TO PROPERTIES IN THE PUNA DISTRICT THAT WERE AFFECTED, BUT NOT DESTROYED, BY THE 2018 KILAUEA ERUPTION.	4/4/2019 H Resolution adopted in final form.	PVM, FIN	MONITOR

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ITEM#	BILL#	REPORT	DESCRIPTION	STATUS	REFERRALS	POSITION
162	HR131		URGING THE COUNTY OF HAWAII TO ESTABLISH A HOUSING ASSISTANCE PROGRAM FOR RESIDENTS AFFECTED BY THE 2018 VOLCANIC DISASTER.	3/28/2019 H Report adopted; referred to the committee(s) on FIN with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) Cabanilla Arakawa, C. Lee excused (2).	HSH/PVM, FIN	MONITOR
163	HR137		URGING THE STATE BOARD ON GEOGRAPHIC NAMES TO CONSULT WITH COMMUNITY MEMBERS WHO HAVE DIRECT TRADITIONAL, CULTURAL, AND FAMILIAL TIES TO THE DISTRICT OF PUNA TO ESTABLISH APPROPRIATE NAMES FOR THE FISSURE 8 VENT AND OTHER FEATURES OF THE 2018 ERUPTION OF KILAUEA VOLCANO.	3/28/2019 H Report adopted; referred to the committee(s) on JUD with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) Cabanilla Arakawa, C. Lee excused (2).	WLH, JUD	MONITOR
164	HR138		URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS TO BUILD ALTERNATIVE HOUSING OPTIONS FOR LESSEES.	3/28/2019 H Report adopted; referred to the committee(s) on FIN with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) Cabanilla Arakawa, C. Lee excused (2).	WLH, FIN	MONITOR
165	HR140		REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS TO PERFORM AN ACTUARIAL STUDY ON THE SIZE OF THE CURRENT AND PROJECTED FUTURE POPULATIONS OF HAWAIIANS ELIGIBLE TO LEASE HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS.	3/14/2019 H Referred to WLH, FIN, referral sheet 33	WLH, FIN	MONITOR
166	HR141		SUPPORTING THE DEVELOPMENT OF A HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE PLAN AND REQUESTING THE CONVENING OF A COALITION TO DEVELOP THE PLAN.	3/14/2019 H Referred to WLH, FIN, referral sheet 33	WLH, FIN	SUPPORT

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167	HR142		URGING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A NATIVE HAWAIIAN INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY TASK FORCE TO DEVELOP A SUI GENERIS LEGAL SYSTEM TO RECOGNIZE AND PROTECT NATIVE HAWAIIAN CULTURAL INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY, TRADITIONAL CULTURAL EXPRESSIONS, AND GENETIC RESOURCES.	4/4/2019 H Resolution adopted in final form.	WLH, JUD	COMMENT
168	HR146		REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO ESTABLISH A WORKING GROUP TO EXPLORE MATTERS RELATED TO THE ALA WAI CANAL FLOOD RISK MANAGEMENT PROJECT.	3/14/2019 H Referred to WLH, FIN, referral sheet 33	WLH, FIN	MONITOR
169	HR170		REQUESTING THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS TO COMPLETE THE 2017 INDEPENDENT FINANCIAL AUDIT AND MANAGEMENT REVIEW OF THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS AND ITS SUBSIDIARIES.	3/14/2019 H Referred to WLH, FIN, referral sheet 33	WLH, FIN	COMMENT
170	HR177		REQUESTING THE BOARD OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO PRIORITIZE STREAM RESTORATION AND PROTECTION WHEN DISCUSSING AND MAKING WATER AND LAND USE DECISIONS AFFECTING THE ENVIRONMENT AND DRINKING WATER.	3/14/2019 H Referred to EEP/WLH, FIN, referral sheet 33	EEP/WLH, FIN	SUPPORT
171	HR203		ENCOURAGING KAMEHAMEHA SCHOOLS TO CONSIDER THE PRACTICE OF LAND EXCHANGES TO FACILITATE THE DEVELOPMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOMESTEADS IN LOCATIONS THAT BETTER SERVE THE HAWAIIAN PEOPLE.	3/14/2019 H Referred to WLH, FIN, referral sheet 33	WLH, FIN	MONITOR
172	HR205		REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO CONVENE A HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS IMPROVEMENT WORKING GROUP.	3/14/2019 H Referred to WLH, FIN, referral sheet 33	WLH, FIN	COMMENT
173	SR7		REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES, IN CONSULTATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY, TO WORK WITH THE FAMILY REUNIFICATION WORKING GROUP AND OTHER COMMUNITY STAKEHOLDERS TO DEVELOP A PLAN TO ESTABLISH VISITATION CENTERS AT ALL STATE CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES AND JAILS.	3/29/2019 S Report and Resolution Adopted.	HMS/PSM, JDC	SUPPORT

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174	SR12		REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS TO PERFORM AN ACTUARIAL STUDY ON THE SIZE OF THE CURRENT AND PROJECTED FUTURE POPULATIONS OF HAWAIIANS ELIGIBLE TO LEASE HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS.	2/12/2019 S The committee on HWN deferred the measure.	HWN, WAM	MONITOR
175	SR13		URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS TO BUILD ALTERNATIVE HOUSING OPTIONS FOR LESSEES.	2/12/2019 S The committee on HWN deferred the measure.	HWN, WAM	MONITOR
176	SR20		URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO MANAGE THE WAI'ANAE KAI FOREST AND RESTORE WATER FLOW IN WAI'ANAE STREAMS FOR NATIVE HAWAIIAN TRADITIONAL AND CUSTOMARY PRACTICES AND IMPLEMENTATION OF THE WAI'ANAE KAI WILDFIRE PREPAREDNESS PLAN.	4/1/2019 S The committee(s) on WAM recommend(s) that the measure be PASSED, UNAMENDED.	WTL/HWN, WAM	COMMENT
177	SR28		REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO ACQUIRE BY EMINENT DOMAIN THE SEAWALL AND THE REAL PROPERTY UNDERNEATH THE SEAWALL THAT IS LOCATED ON OR NEAR THE SEAWARD BOUNDARIES OF PROPERTY BETWEEN 2943 KALAKAUA AVENUE AND 3019 KALAKAUA AVENUE, OAHU, HAWAII.	3/25/2019 S The committee on WTL deferred the measure.	WTL, JDC/WAM	MONITOR
178	SR35		URGING THE BOARD OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO TRANSFER MANAGEMENT OF ALL SUBMERGED LANDS, THE BOAT LAUNCH RAMP, AND ANY RELATED BOAT LAUNCH RAMP FACILITIES LOCATED AT THE WAHIWA FRESHWATER STATE RECREATION AREA FROM THE DIVISION OF AQUATIC RESOURCES TO THE DIVISION OF BOATING AND OCEAN RECREATION.	4/1/2019 S The committee(s) on WAM recommend(s) that the measure be PASSED, UNAMENDED.	WTL, WAM	MONITOR
179	SR38		REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A TRANSPARENT, COMPREHENSIVE PERFORMANCE AND MANAGEMENT AUDIT OF CERTAIN OFFICES AND PROGRAMS WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY TO INCREASE PUBLIC CONFIDENCE IN GOVERNMENT.	3/8/2019 S Referred to PSM/GVO, WAM.	PSM/GVO, WAM	MONITOR

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180	SR47		REQUESTING EVERY COMMERCIAL OR PUBLIC BUILDING LOCATED ON DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS TRUST LAND TO DISPLAY A WORK OF ART COMMEMORATING PRINCE JONAH KUHIO KALANIANA'OLE AND A DESCRIPTION OF HIS ACHIEVEMENTS.	4/2/2019 S Report and Resolution Adopted, as amended (SD 1).	HWN	MONITOR
181	SR48		REQUESTING THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS TO CONDUCT AN INDEPENDENT FISCAL AUDIT OF ALL LIMITED LIABILITY CORPORATIONS CREATED OR CONTROLLED BY THE OFFICE.	4/3/2019 S The committee(s) on WAM recommend(s) that the measure be PASSED, UNAMENDED.	HWN, WAM	COMMENT
182	SR52		ENCOURAGING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND OTHER AGENCY AND COMMUNITY STAKEHOLDERS TO CONTINUE MEETING AS A WORKING GROUP FOR SEXUAL VIOLENCE PREVENTION EDUCATION IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS.	4/4/2019 S Report and Resolution Adopted.	EDU, JDC	MONITOR
183	SR57		URGING THE STATE OF HAWAII TO PLACE AN EMPHASIS ON STATEWIDE DRUG AND ALCOHOL TREATMENT PROGRAMS.	3/13/2019 S Re- Referred to CPH.	CPH	MONITOR
184	SR69		ENCOURAGING THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY TO PRIORITIZE INVESTMENT IN PUBLIC FACILITIES WITHIN TRANSIT-ORIENTED DEVELOPMENT ZONES AND THE KALAELOA COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT IN ANY OF ITS STATEWIDE PLANNING FUNCTIONS OR INVOLVEMENT THEREIN.	4/1/2019 S The committee(s) on WAM recommend(s) that the measure be PASSED, UNAMENDED.	EET/TRS, WAM	MONITOR
185	SR92		URGING THE GOVERNOR TO NOMINATE OPPORTUNITY ZONES TO ASSIST WITH ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT IN CENSUS TRACTS IN WAHIAWA AND WHITMORE VILLAGE.	4/3/2019 S Report and Resolution Adopted.	EET	MONITOR
186	SR94		URGING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES DIVISION OF CONSERVATION AND RESOURCES ENFORCEMENT, TO STRENGTHEN AND ENHANCE THE SCHOOL-TO-CAREER PIPELINE FOR POSITIONS IN PUBLIC SAFETY.	4/1/2019 S The committee(s) on WAM recommend(s) that the measure be PASSED, UNAMENDED.	HRE/PSM, WAM	MONITOR

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187	SR120		REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII OFFICE OF INTERNAL AUDIT TO CONDUCT AN AUDIT OF VARIOUS PROGRAMS AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII WEST OAHU THAT RECEIVE EXTRAMURAL FUNDING, INCLUDING TITLE III GRANT FUNDING.	4/4/2019 S Report adopted, referred to WAM.	HRE, WAM	COMMENT
188	SR133		REQUESTING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A TASK FORCE TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF LEGALIZING SPORTS GAMBLING.	3/22/2019 S The committee on EET deferred the measure.	EET	MONITOR
189	SR134		REQUESTING THE WILLIAM S. RICHARDSON SCHOOL OF LAW TO CONVENE A TASK FORCE TO STUDY AND REPORT ON A LOAN FORGIVENESS PROGRAM FOR LAW STUDENTS TO PROVIDE INCENTIVES FOR LEGAL ASSISTANCE IN RURAL COMMUNITIES IN HAWAII.	3/13/2019 S Referred to HRE, JDC/WAM.	HRE, JDC/WAM	MONITOR
190	SR144		REQUESTING THE PROBATE COURT TO INCREASE TRANSPARENCY REGARDING THE KAMEHAMEHA SCHOOLS TRUSTEE SELECTION PROCESS.	3/27/2019 S Report adopted, referred to JDC.	HWN, JDC	MONITOR
191	SR146		SUPPORTING THE DEVELOPMENT OF A HAWAIIAN LANGUAGE PLAN, INCLUDING GOALS, BENCHMARKS, STRATEGIES, AND OUTCOMES, TO BUILD UPON ACCOMPLISHMENTS AND TO ACCELERATE THE NORMALIZATION OF 'OLELO HAWAI'I.	4/1/2019 S The committee(s) on WAM recommend(s) that the measure be PASSED, UNAMENDED.	HWN, WAM	SUPPORT
192	SR151		REQUESTING THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS TO COMPLETE THE 2017 INDEPENDENT FINANCIAL AUDIT AND MANAGEMENT REVIEW OF THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS AND ITS SUBSIDIARIES.	4/1/2019 S The committee(s) on WAM recommend(s) that the measure be PASSED, UNAMENDED.	HWN, WAM	COMMENT
193	SR164		URGING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A NATIVE HAWAIIAN INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY TASK FORCE TO DEVELOP A SUI GENERIS LEGAL SYSTEM TO RECOGNIZE AND PROTECT NATIVE HAWAIIAN CULTURAL INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY, TRADITIONAL CULTURAL EXPRESSIONS, AND GENETIC RESOURCES.	4/4/2019 S Report and Resolution Adopted.	HWN/JDC	COMMENT

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194	SR165		URGING THE STATE BOARD ON GEOGRAPHIC NAMES TO CONSULT WITH COMMUNITY MEMBERS WHO HAVE DIRECT TRADITIONAL, CULTURAL, AND FAMILIAL TIES TO THE DISTRICT OF PUNA TO ESTABLISH APPROPRIATE NAMES FOR THE FISSURE 8 VENT AND OTHER FEATURES OF THE 2018 ERUPTION OF KILAUEA VOLCANO.	4/4/2019 S Report and Resolution Adopted.	WTL	MONITOR
195	SR170		REQUESTING THE FINALIZATION OF MEMORANDUMS OF UNDERSTANDING AND OTHER ACTIONS FOR PURPOSES OF DIVERSIFYING SOURCES OF IRRIGATION IN CENTRAL OAHU.	4/4/2019 S Report and Resolution Adopted, as amended (SD 1).	HWN/AEN	COMMENT
196	GM7		Letter dated February 26, 2019, as provided in Section 9, Article VII, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, requesting the expeditious consideration of S.B. No. 1264 and H.B. No. 1038, which make emergency appropriations to the Department of Public Safety to provide additional funds to continue temporary housing of 248 Halawa Correctional Facility inmates at a non-state facility for another six months.	2/28/2019 S Filed.		MONITOR
197	GM511		Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Commission on Water Resource Management, Gubernatorial Nominee, WAYNE KATAYAMA, for a term to expire 06-30-2022.	4/1/2019 S The recommendation of the committee(s) on WTL is to ADVISE AND CONSENT to the nomination(s).	WTL	MONITOR
198	GM543		Submitting for consideration and confirmation as the Director of the Department of Public Safety, Gubernatorial Nominee, NOLAN P. ESPINDA, for a term to expire at noon on 12-05-2022.	4/4/2019 S The committee(s) on PSM deferred the measure until 04-11-19 1:15PM in conference room 229.	PSM	MONITOR

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199	GM567		Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Reentry Commission, Gubernatorial Nominee, NORIKO NAMIKI, for a term to expire 06-30-2019.	4/4/2019 S Confirmed . Ayes, 22. Aye(s) with reservations: none. Noes, 0 (none). Excused, 3 (Senator(s) Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Ruderman).	PSM	SUPPORT
200	GM568		Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Reentry Commission, Gubernatorial Nominee, NORIKO NAMIKI, for a term to expire 06-30-2023.	4/4/2019 S Confirmed . Ayes, 22. Aye(s) with reservations: none. Noes, 0 (none). Excused, 3 (Senator(s) Keith-Agaran, Kidani, Ruderman).	PSM	SUPPORT
201	GM571		Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Regents of the University of Hawai'i, Gubernatorial Nominee, ALAPAKI NAHALE-A, for a term to expire 06-30-2023.	4/8/2019 S The committee(s) on HRE has scheduled a public hearing on 04-15-19 2:00PM in conference room 414.	HRE	SUPPORT
202	GM573		Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Island Burial Council, Island of Moloka'i, Gubernatorial Nominee, LAAKEA POEPOE, for a term to expire 06-30-2021.	4/2/2019 S Confirmed . Ayes, 24. Aye(s) with reservations: none. Noes, 0 (none). Excused, 1 (Senator(s) Harimoto).	HWN	SUPPORT
203	GM574		Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Island Burial Council, Island of O'ahu, Gubernatorial Nominee, LURLINE NAONE-SALVADOR, for a term to expire 06-30-2020.	4/2/2019 S Confirmed . Ayes, 24. Aye(s) with reservations: none. Noes, 0 (none). Excused, 1 (Senator(s) Harimoto).	HWN	SUPPORT
204	GM575		Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Island Burial Council, Island of O'ahu, Gubernatorial Nominee, WILLIAM MILLS, for a term to expire 06-30-2021.	4/2/2019 S Confirmed . Ayes, 24. Aye(s) with reservations: none. Noes, 0 (none). Excused, 1 (Senator(s) Harimoto).	HWN	SUPPORT

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205	GM582		Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Game Management Advisory Commission, Gubernatorial Nominee, GLENNON GINGO, for a term to expire 06-30-2022.	2/28/2019 S Nominee Glennon Gingo withdrawn by Governor. (Gov. Msg. No. 633)	WTL	MONITOR
206	GM583		Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Island Burial Council, Island of Hawai'i, Gubernatorial Nominee, RANDALL HIGA, for a term to expire 06-30-2021.	4/2/2019 S Confirmed . Ayes, 24. Aye(s) with reservations: none. Noes, 0 (none). Excused, 1 (Senator(s) Harimoto).	HWN	SUPPORT
207	GM608		Submitting for consideration and confirmation as the Chair of the Department of Land and Natural Resources, Gubernatorial Nominee, SUZANNE D. CASE, for a term to expire 12-31-2022.	2/28/2019 S Referred to WTL.	WTL	MONITOR
208	GM609		Submitting for consideration and confirmation as the Deputy to the Chair of the Department of Land and Natural Resources, Gubernatorial Nominee, ROBERT K. MASUDA, for a term to expire at noon on 12-05-2022.	2/28/2019 S Referred to WTL.	WTL	MONITOR
209	GM610		Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Island Burial Council, Islands of Maui and Lana'i, Gubernatorial Nominee, LEAHI HALL, for a term to expire 06-30-2023.	3/14/2019 S The recommendation of the committee(s) on HWN is to ADVISE AND CONSENT to the nomination(s).	HWN	SUPPORT
210	GM622		Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Island Burial Council, Islands of Kaua'i and Ni'ihau, Gubernatorial Nominee, JOHNNETTE KAHALEKAI, for a term to expire 06-30-2019.	3/14/2019 S The recommendation of the committee(s) on HWN is to ADVISE AND CONSENT to the nomination(s).	HWN	MONITOR

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211	GM623		Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Island Burial Council, Islands of Kaua'i and Ni'ihau, Gubernatorial Nominee, JOHNNETTE KAHALEKAI, for a term to expire 06-30-2023.	3/14/2019 S The recommendation of the committee(s) on HWN is to ADVISE AND CONSENT to the nomination(s).	HWN	MONITOR
212	GM667		Submitting for consideration and confirmation as the Deputy to the Chairperson of the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands, Gubernatorial Nominee, WILLIAM J. AILA, for a term to expire at noon on 12-05-2022.	4/2/2019 S The recommendation of the committee(s) on HWN is to ADVISE AND CONSENT to the nomination(s).	HWN	SUPPORT
213	GM669		Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Island Burial Council, Islands of Maui and Lana'i, Gubernatorial Nominee, DANE MAXWELL, for a term to expire 06-30-2021.	3/28/2019 S The recommendation of the committee(s) on HWN is to ADVISE AND CONSENT to the nomination(s).	HWN	SUPPORT
214	GM696		Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Environmental Council, Gubernatorial Nominee, BARBARA KAAUMOANA, for a term to expire 06-30-2023.	3/29/2019 S The committee(s) on AEN has scheduled a public hearing on 04-12-19 1:15PM in conference room 224.	AEN	SUPPORT
215	GM706		Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Island Burial Council, Island of Hawai'i, Gubernatorial Nominee, DESMON HAUMEA, for a term to expire 06-30-2022.	3/29/2019 S The committee(s) on HWN has scheduled a public hearing on 04-11-19 1:15PM in conference room 016.	HWN	MONITOR

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216	GM711		Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Commission on the Status of Women, Gubernatorial Nominee, DEJA OSTROWSKI, for a term to expire 06-30-2022.	4/5/2019 S The committee(s) on JDC has scheduled a public hearing on 04-10-19 10:00AM in conference room 016.	JDC	SUPPORT
217	GM712		Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawaiian Homes Commission, Gubernatorial Nominee, PAULINE NAMUO, for a term to expire 06-30-2022.	4/1/2019 S The committee(s) on HWN has scheduled a public hearing on 04-09-19 1:15PM in conference room 016.	HWN	MONITOR
218	GM713		Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawaiian Homes Commission, Gubernatorial Nominee, DENNIS NEVES, for a term to expire 06-30-2021.	4/1/2019 S The committee(s) on HWN has scheduled a public hearing on 04-09-19 1:15PM in conference room 016.	HWN	MONITOR
219	GM722		Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Education, Gubernatorial Nominee, BRUCE VOSS, for a term to expire 06-30-2022.	4/1/2019 S Referred to EDU.	EDU	MONITOR

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**STATE OF HAWAII
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**MEETING OF THE
COMMITTEE ON BENEFICIARY ADVOCACY AND EMPOWERMENT**

DATE: Wednesday, April 10, 2019
TIME: 1:00 p.m.
PLACE: Maui Ola Boardroom
Nā Lama Kukui
560 N. Nimitz Highway
Honolulu, HI 96817

AGENDA

- I. Call to Order
- II. Public Testimony*
- III. Approval of Minutes
 - A. March 13, 2019
- IV. Unfinished Business
 - A. 2019 OHA Legislative Package Updates - Matrix 1**†
- V. **New Business**
 - A. 2019 OHA Legislative Positioning - Matrix 2**†
 - B. **2019 Federal Legislative Updates - Matrix 3**†**
- VI. Community Concerns*
- VII. Announcements
- VIII. Adjournment

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*Notice: Persons wishing to provide testimony are requested to submit 13 copies of their testimony to the Chief Executive Officer at 560 N. Nimitz, Suite 200, Honolulu, HI, 96817 or fax to 594-1868, or email BOTmeetings@oha.org 48 hours prior to the scheduled meeting. Persons wishing to testify orally may do so at the meeting, provided that oral testimony shall be limited to five minutes.

**Notice: Trustees may establish or revise an OHA position on ANY proposed bill / resolution / executive message currently moving through the state legislature or other relative elected body. The Matrices, which are available for public review in the meeting room at this stated meeting, provide a brief description of each bill, the bill's number, the bill's title, the bill's intent, and the proposed and specific OHA position on each measure, current through 04/09/19. However, the Trustees both in committee and as the Board of Trustees (BOT) reserve the right to discuss any and all bills on the Matrices, as well as those that time does not permit to be placed on the Matrices, in order to discharge their fiduciary obligations as Trustees of the Office of Hawaiian Affairs.

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Trustee John Waihe'e IV, Chair

Committee on Beneficiary Advocacy and Empowerment


Date

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The Federal Legislative Process: What it is and how to navigate it

WDC Bureau Chief Keone Nakoa

Presentation to the Committee on Beneficiary Advocacy
and Empowerment (BAE)

April 10, 2019

HOW OUR LAWS ARE MADE

"Congress shall have Power...To make all laws which shall be necessary and proper"
U.S. Constitution Article 1 Section 8

The code of a bill
H. R. 301 [110]
House Of Representatives # in which bill was received Congressional Session

CBO or Congressional Budget office is a non-partisan office charged with checking and creating budget estimates.

A bill originating in the Senate must go through HOR approval before going to the President.

SEN has 100 members and 16 standing committees.

filibuster: A Senator or group of Senators deliver speeches and "hold" the floor indefinitely, hoping the prolonged debate will prevent passage of a bill. A filibuster can only be ended if a motion to end it is carried by 60 votes (a super majority).

A Reconciliation bill is part of the budget process and allows Congress to make changes in law to conform with budget levels set in the budget resolution. It has become an alternative way to pass contentious legislation in the Senate because it only requires a simple majority to pass.⁵

The President has ten days to sign a bill into law or veto it OR the bill automatically becomes a law. Congress can override with a 2/3 majority.

A Pocket Veto occurs when the President fails to sign a bill into law AND Congress adjourns BEFORE ten days expire.

A Lobbyist is an activist paid by an interest group to promote their position in the legislature. He/She can also work to change public opinion through advertising and other media outlets.

- Representative
- A State Legislature
- The People
- Executive Branch

Bill

Introducing Legislation
Like a bill, but less common
Joint Resolution
Con Current Resolution Not Legislation
Simple Resolution Regards House Operations

Committee Assignment
Committee Work
Includes purpose and justification for bill; explains how it changes existing law; offers a cost estimate for implementation.
Report
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Congress by Design

- Filter vs. Funnel
- Open system with many points for change
- Committees as gate keepers, mini-congresses and subject matter experts
- Consensus vs. Controversy

Congress vs. Hawai'i State Legislature

- Full-time legislature
- No session deadlines (e.g., lateral, cross-over, etc.)
- No limit to number of bills introduced by any Member
- Generally, bills are referred to one Committee
- Subcommittees are integral to legislation and oversight
- Importance of coalition building
- Public testimony
 - Individuals must be invited by Congressional Committees to present oral testimony at legislative or oversight hearings
 - Written testimony limited depending on each committee's rules
 - No testimony at bill markups

Historical Congressional Statistics

Bills by Final Status

This table breaks down the bills and resolutions introduced in each two-year Congress by their final status. Note that the current Congress is not yet finished.

[Counts & Percents](#) | [Counts Only](#) | [Percents Only](#)

Congress	Enacted Laws	Passed Resolutions	Got A Vote	Failed Legislation	Vetoed Bills (w/o Override)	Other Legislation	TOTAL
116th							
Jan 3, 2019	<u>10</u>	<u>111</u>	<u>104</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>3,112</u>	<u>3,343</u>
-present	0%	3%	3%	0%	0%	93%	
115th							
Jan 3, 2017	<u>443</u>	<u>758</u>	<u>867</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>11,474</u>	<u>13,556</u>
-Jan 3, 2019	3%	6%	6%	0%	0%	85%	
114th							
Jan 6, 2015	<u>329</u>	<u>708</u>	<u>661</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>10,334</u>	<u>12,063</u>
-Jan 3, 2017	3%	6%	5%	0%	0%	86%	
113th							
Jan 3, 2013	<u>296</u>	<u>663</u>	<u>474</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>9,184</u>	<u>10,637</u>
-Jan 2, 2015	3%	6%	4%	0%	0%	86%	
112th							
Jan 5, 2011	<u>284</u>	<u>722</u>	<u>390</u>	<u>38</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>10,865</u>	<u>12,299</u>
-Jan 3, 2013	2%	6%	3%	0%	0%	88%	
111th							
Jan 6, 2009	<u>385</u>	<u>1,464</u>	<u>601</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>11,192</u>	<u>13,675</u>
-Dec 22, 2010	3%	11%	4%	0%	0%	82%	
110th							
Jan 4, 2007	<u>460</u>	<u>1,435</u>	<u>861</u>	<u>37</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>11,242</u>	<u>14,042</u>
-Jan 3, 2009	3%	10%	6%	0%	0%	80%	
109th							
Jan 4, 2005	<u>483</u>	<u>1,027</u>	<u>597</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>10,933</u>	<u>13,072</u>
-Dec 9, 2006	4%	8%	5%	0%	0%	84%	

Engaging Congress

- Understand the protocol
- Structure of Congressional offices
- Process within offices regarding requests
- How to stay engaged

Native Hawaiian Congressional Policies

- 200-plus Native Hawaiian Congressional Policies passed since 1900
- Congress has articulated a trust relationship with the Native Hawaiian community, based on Indigenous status
- Native Hawaiians are included in many pending bills right now

Native Hawaiian Congressional Policies

§11701. Findings

The Congress finds that:

- (1) Native Hawaiians comprise a distinct and unique indigenous people with a historical continuity to the original inhabitants of the Hawaiian archipelago whose society was organized as a Nation prior to the arrival of the first nonindigenous people in 1778.
- (2) The Native Hawaiian people are determined to preserve, develop and transmit to future generations their ancestral territory, and their cultural identity in accordance with their own spiritual and traditional beliefs, customs, practices, language, and social institutions.
- (3) The constitution and statutes of the State of Hawaii:
 - (A) acknowledge the distinct land rights of Native Hawaiian people as beneficiaries of the public lands **trust**; and
 - (B) reaffirm and protect the unique right of the Native Hawaiian people to practice and perpetuate their cultural and religious customs, beliefs, practices, and language.
- (4) At the time of the arrival of the first nonindigenous people in Hawaii in 1778, the Native Hawaiian people lived in a highly organized, self-sufficient, subsistence social system based on communal land tenure with a sophisticated language, culture, and religion.
- (5) A unified monarchical government of the Hawaiian Islands was established in 1810 under Kamehameha I, the first King of Hawaii.
- (6) Throughout the 19th century and until 1893, the United States: (A) recognized the independence of the Hawaiian Nation; (B) extended full and complete diplomatic recognition to the Hawaiian Government; and (C) entered into treaties and conventions with the Hawaiian monarchs to govern commerce and navigation in 1826, 1842, 1849, 1875 and 1887.
- (7) In the year 1893, the United States Minister assigned to the sovereign and independent Kingdom of Hawaii, John L. Stevens, conspired with a small group of non-Hawaiian residents of the Kingdom, including citizens of the United States, to overthrow the indigenous and lawful Government of Hawaii.
- (8) In pursuance of that conspiracy, the United States Minister and the naval representative of the United States caused armed naval forces of the United States to invade the sovereign Hawaiian Nation in support of the overthrow of the indigenous and lawful Government of Hawaii and the United States Minister thereupon extended diplomatic recognition of a provisional government formed by the conspirators without the consent of the native people of Hawaii or the lawful Government of Hawaii in violation of treaties between the two nations and of international law.
- (9) In a message to Congress on December 18, 1893, then President Grover Cleveland reported fully and accurately on these illegal actions, and acknowledged that by these acts, described by the President as acts of war, the government of a peaceful and friendly people was overthrown, and the President concluded that a "substantial wrong has thus been done which a due regard for our national character as well as the rights of the injured people required that we should endeavor to repair".
- (10) Queen Lili'uokalani, the lawful monarch of Hawaii, and the Hawaiian Patriotic League, representing the aboriginal citizens of Hawaii, promptly petitioned the United States for redress of these wrongs and for restoration of the indigenous government of the Hawaiian nation, but this petition was not acted upon.
- (11) In 1898, the United States annexed Hawaii through the Newlands Resolution without the consent of or compensation to the indigenous people of Hawaii or their sovereign government who were thereby denied the mechanism for expression of their inherent sovereignty through self-government and self-determination, their lands and ocean resources.
- (12) Through the Newlands Resolution and the 1900 Organic Act, the United States Congress received 1.75 million acres of lands formerly owned by the Crown and Government of the Hawaiian Kingdom and exempted the lands from then existing public land laws of the United States by mandating that the revenue and proceeds from these lands be "used solely for the benefit of the inhabitants of the Hawaiian Islands for education and other public purposes", thereby establishing a special **trust** relationship between the United States and the inhabitants of Hawaii.
- (13) In 1921, Congress enacted the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act, 1920 which designated 200,000 acres of the ceded public lands for exclusive homesteading by Native Hawaiians, thereby affirming the **trust** relationship between the United States and the Native Hawaiians, as expressed by then Secretary of the Interior Franklin K. Lane who was cited in the Committee Report of the United States House of Representatives Committee on Territories as stating, "One thing that impressed me . . . was the fact that the natives of the islands who are our wards, I should say, and for whom in a sense we are **trustees**, are falling off rapidly in numbers and many of them are in poverty."
- (14) In 1938, the United States Congress again acknowledged the unique status of the Hawaiian people by including in the Act of June 20, 1938 (52 Stat. 781 et seq.), a provision to lease lands within the extension to Native Hawaiians and to permit fishing in the area "only by native Hawaiian residents of said area or of adjacent villages and by visitors under their guidance".
- (15) Under the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the admission of the State of Hawaii into the Union", approved March 18, 1959 (73 Stat. 4), the United States transferred responsibility for the administration of the Hawaiian Home Lands to the State of Hawaii but reaffirmed the **trust** relationship which existed between the United States and the Hawaiian people by retaining the exclusive power to enforce the **trust**, including the power to approve land exchanges, and legislative amendments affecting the rights of beneficiaries under such Act.
- (16) Under the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the admission of the State of Hawaii into the Union", approved March 18, 1959 (73 Stat. 4), the United States transferred responsibility for administration over portions of the ceded public lands **trust** not retained by the United States to the State of Hawaii but reaffirmed the **trust** relationship which existed between the United States and the Hawaiian people by retaining the legal responsibility of the State for the betterment of the conditions of Native Hawaiians under section 5(f) of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the admission of the State of Hawaii into the Union", approved March 18, 1959 (73 Stat. 4, 6).
- (17) The authority of the Congress under the United States Constitution to legislate in matters affecting the aboriginal or indigenous peoples of the United States includes the authority to legislate in matters affecting the native peoples of Alaska and Hawaii.
- (18) In furtherance of the **trust** responsibility for the betterment of the conditions of Native Hawaiians, the United States has established a program for the provision of comprehensive health promotion and disease prevention services to maintain and improve the health status of the Hawaiian people.
- (19) This historical and unique legal relationship has been consistently recognized and affirmed by the Congress through the enactment of Federal laws which extend to the Hawaiian people the same rights and privileges accorded to American Indian, Alaska Native, Eskimo, and Aleut communities, including the Native American Programs Act of 1974 [42 U.S.C. 2991 et seq.]; the American Indian Religious Freedom Act [42 U.S.C. 1996, 1996a]; the National Museum of the American Indian Act [20 U.S.C. 80q et seq.]; and the Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act [25 U.S.C. 3001 et seq.].
- (20) The United States has also recognized and reaffirmed the **trust** relationship to the Hawaiian people through legislation which authorizes the provision of services to Native Hawaiians, specifically, the Older Americans Act of 1965 [42 U.S.C. 3001 et seq.], the Developmental Disabilities Assistance and Bill of Rights Act Amendments of 1987, the Veterans' Benefits and Services Act of 1988, the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 [29 U.S.C. 701 et seq.], the Native Hawaiian Health Care Act of 1988, the Health Professions Reauthorization Act of 1988, the Nursing Shortage Reduction and Education Extension Act of 1988, the Handicapped Programs Technical Amendments Act of 1988, the Indian Health Care Amendments of 1988, and the Disadvantaged Minority Health Improvement Act of 1990.
- (21) The United States has also affirmed the historical and unique legal relationship to the Hawaiian people by authorizing the provision of services to Native Hawaiians to address problems of alcohol and drug abuse under the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1986.
- (22) Despite such services, the unmet health needs of the Native Hawaiian people are severe and the health status of Native Hawaiians continues to be far below that of the general population of the United States.

Native Hawaiian Congressional Policies

(12) The United States has recognized and reaffirmed that —

- (A) Native Hawaiians have a cultural, historic, and land-based link to the indigenous people who exercised sovereignty over the Hawaiian Islands, and that group has never relinquished its claims to sovereignty or its sovereign lands;
- (B) Congress does not extend services to Native Hawaiians because of their race, but because of their unique status as the indigenous people of a once sovereign nation as to whom the United States has established a trust relationship;
- (C) Congress has also delegated broad authority to administer a portion of the Federal trust responsibility to the State of Hawaii;
- (D) the political status of Native Hawaiians is comparable to that of American Indians and Alaska Natives; and
- (E) the aboriginal, indigenous people of the United States have —
 - (i) a continuing right to autonomy in their internal affairs; and
 - (ii) an ongoing right of self-determination and self-governance that has never been extinguished.

(13) The political relationship between the United States and the Native Hawaiian people has been recognized and reaffirmed by the United States, as evidenced by the inclusion of Native Hawaiians in —

- (A) the Native American Programs Act of 1974 (42 U.S.C. 2991 et seq.);
- (B) the American Indian Religious Freedom Act (42 U.S.C. 1996);
- (C) the National Museum of the American Indian Act (20 U.S.C. 80q et seq.);
- (D) the Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act (25 U.S.C. 3001 et seq.);
- (E) the National Historic Preservation Act (16 U.S.C. 470 et seq.);
- (F) the Native American Languages Act (25 U.S.C. 2901 et seq.);
- (G) the American Indian, Alaska Native, and Native Hawaiian Culture and Art Development Act (20 U.S.C. 4401 et seq.);
- (H) the Workforce Investment Act of 1998 (29 U.S.C. 2801 et seq.); and
- (I) the Older Americans Act of 1965 (42 U.S.C. 3001 et seq.).

20 U.S.C. § 7512 (the Native Hawaiian Education Act)

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Federal Legislative Priorities for the 116th Congress



Education

- Reauthorize the Native Hawaiian Education Act (NHEA) set to expire in FY 2020
- Reauthorize the Higher Education Act (HEA)
- The President's FY 2020 budget requests no funding for the Native Hawaiian Education Program. However, Congress ignored this request in previous appropriations cycles and has increased funding for the program in recent years



Hawaiian Language Programs

- Reauthorize the Esther Martinez Native American Languages Preservation Act (Esther Martinez), which provides funding for Native language programs through the Administration for Native Americans (ANA)
 - Senator Tom Udall (D-NM) introduced S. 256 on January 29, 2019; S. 256 passed out of the Senate Committee on Indian Affairs on February 6, 2019
- The Native American Program under the Administration for Children and Families funds ANA, which administers these language programs. The President's FY 2020 budget requests \$52 million for ANA



Community Development

- Advocate for programmatic fixes to the Native Hawaiian Revolving Loan Fund (NHRLF) to allow the fund to be more effective in meeting the needs of the community
- Support Native Community Development Financial Institutions (CDFIs)
- The President's budget eliminates discretionary funding for the Native American CDFI Assistance Program



Health Care

- Reauthorize the Native Hawaiian Health Care Improvement Act (NHHCIA) set to expire in FY 2019, including funding and authorization for Papa Ola Lōkahi
- The President's FY 2020 budget does not provide a specific appropriations request for this program



Housing

- Reauthorize the Native American Housing and Self-Determination Act (NAHASDA), including the Native Hawaiian Housing Block Grant and the Section 184A Native Hawaiian Loan Guarantee Fund
- The President's FY 2020 budget requests no funding for the NHHBG and no new credit subsidy budget authority for the 184A Loan Guarantee Fund

Across the board, work with our Native allies and partners to serve as a strong, united voice for all Native Communities

- In the 116th Congress, it will be critical to ensure that Native Communities stand together, and that OHA continues to be a strong advocate alongside our Native allies and partners
- American Indians, Alaska Natives, and Native Hawaiians must hold Congress and this Administration accountable to fulfill its trust responsibility

116th Congressional Committee Assignments for the Hawai'i Delegation

Senator Brian Schatz

- *Senate Committee on Appropriations*
 - Ranking Member, Military Construction, Veterans Affairs, and Related Agencies Subcommittee
 - Commerce, Justice, Science, and Related Agencies Subcommittee
 - Defense Subcommittee
 - Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies Subcommittee
 - Transportation, Housing and Urban Development, and Related Agencies Subcommittee
- *Senate Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs*
 - Financial Institutions and Consumer Protection Subcommittee
 - National Security and International Trade and Finance Subcommittee
- *Senate Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation*
 - Ranking Member, Communications, Technology, Innovation, and the Internet Subcommittee
 - Manufacturing, Trade, and Consumer Protection Subcommittee
 - Science, Oceans, Fisheries, and Weather Subcommittee
 - Aviation and Space Subcommittee
 - Security Subcommittee
- *Senate Committee on Indian Affairs*
- *Senate Select Committee on Ethics*

Senator Mazie Hirono

- *Senate Committee on Armed Services*
 - Ranking Member, SeaPower Subcommittee
 - Emerging Threats and Capabilities Subcommittee
 - Readiness and Management Support Subcommittee
- *Senate Committee on the Judiciary*
 - Ranking Member, Constitution Subcommittee
 - Border Security and Immigration Subcommittee
 - Intellectual Property Subcommittee
 - Oversight, Agency Action, Federal Rights and Federal Courts Subcommittee
- *Senate Committee on Energy and Natural Resources*
 - Subcommittee on Energy
 - Subcommittee on National Parks
 - Subcommittee on Public Lands, Forests, and Mining
- *Senate Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship*
- *Senate Committee on Veterans' Affairs*

Representative Tulsi Gabbard (D-HI-2)

- *House Committee on Armed Services*
 - Intelligence, Emerging Threats & Capabilities Subcommittee
 - Readiness Subcommittee
- *House Committee on Financial Services*
 - National Security, International Development, and Monetary Policy Subcommittee
 - Diversity and Inclusion Subcommittee

Representative Ed Case (D-HI-1)

- *House Committee on Appropriations*
 - Commerce, Justice, Science, and Related Agencies Subcommittee
 - Military Construction, Veterans Affairs, and Related Agencies Subcommittee
 - Legislative Branch Subcommittee
- *House Committee on Natural Resources*
 - Indigenous Peoples of the United States Subcommittee
 - National Parks, Forests, and Public Lands Subcommittee
 - Water, Oceans, and Wildlife Subcommittee