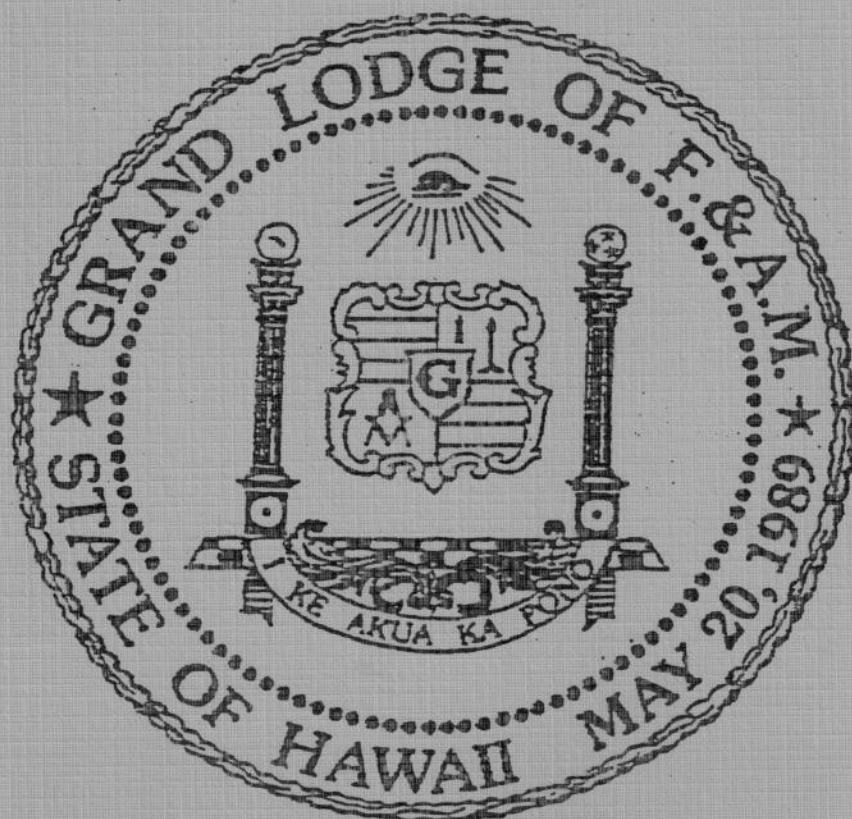


QUARTERLY COMMUNICATION

THE MOST WORSHIPFUL GRAND LODGE OF

FREE AND ACCEPTED MASONS

OF THE STATE OF HAWAII



SEPTEMBER 14, 1991
SATURDAY, 9:30 A.M.
SCOTTISH RITE CATHEDRAL
HONOLULU, HAWAII

OFFICERS

GRAND LODGE OF HAWAII

1990 1991

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OFFICERS:

Grand Master	WILLIAM K. MCKEE, JR.
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Grand Sword Bearer	LAURENCE A. SANCHEZ
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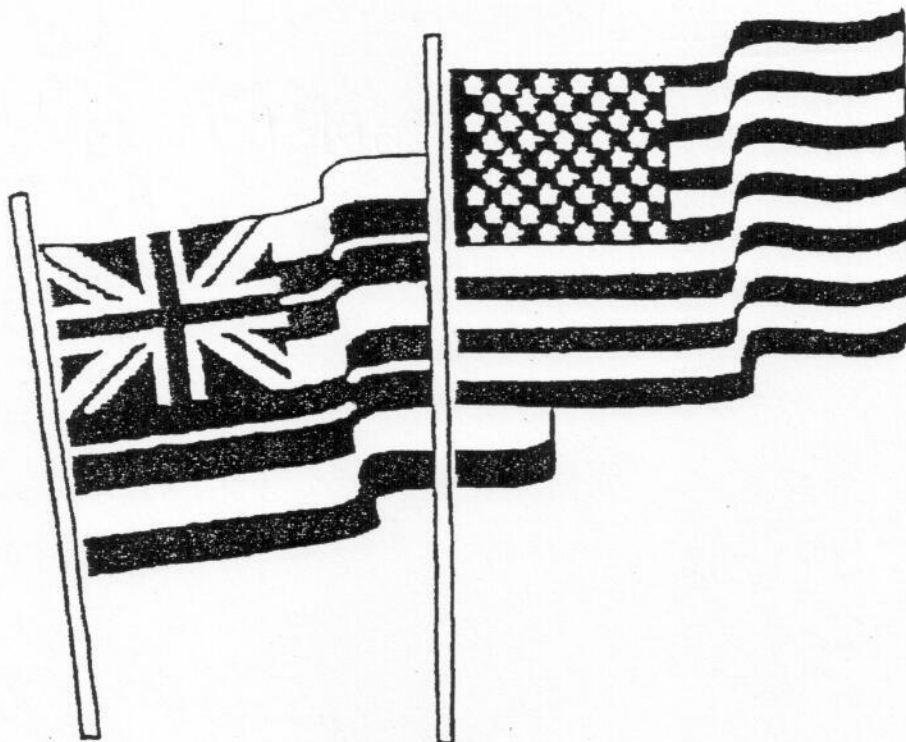
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GRAND MASTER'S RECOMMENDATIONS

SEPTEMBER 14, 1991

GRAND MASTER'S EMERGENT RESOLUTION & RECOMMENDATIONS

SEPTEMBER 14, 1991 QUARTERLY COMMUNICATION

SINCE THE MAY 11, 1991 QUARTERLY COMMUNICATION THERE HAVE BEEN A GREAT NUMBER OF REQUESTS TO THE GRAND MASTER FROM THE BRETHREN ASKING FOR THE ENACTMENT OF RECOMMENDATION R91-2 (TO CONDUCT STATED MEETINGS IN THE FIRST DEGREE). AS A RESULT, THE GRAND MASTER RECOGNIZES THIS ISSUE TO BE A MATTER OF CONSIDERABLE URGENCY REQUIRING IMMEDIATE ACTION. CONSEQUENTLY HE HAS SUBMITTED **EMERGENT RESOLUTION ER91-1**, WHICH IS CONTAINED HEREIN, AS THE PASSING OF THIS RESOLUTION IS A PRE-REQUISITE TO VOTING ON **RECOMMENDATION R91-2** AT THIS QUARTERLY COMMUNICATION. R91-2 HAS BEEN REVIEWED AND APPROVED BY THE JURISPRUDENCE AND OTHER APPROPRIATE COMMITTEES OF THE GRAND LODGE OF HAWAII, AND IS SUBMITTED HEREIN.

RECOMMENDATIONS

RECOMMENDATION R91-6 IS A COMPOSITE RECOMMENDATION WHICH MAKES CERTAIN CHANGES TO SECTION 2070 COMMERCIAL VENTURES OF THE HAWAII MASONIC CODE. IT CONSISTS OF SIX (6) PARTS WHICH ARE CONTAINED HEREIN.

RECOMMENDATION R91-7 IS A COMPOSITE RECOMMENDATION WHICH MAKES CERTAIN CHANGES TO SECTION 2072 ADVERTISING-PUBLICATIONS OF THE HAWAII MASONIC CODE. IT CONSISTS OF SEVEN (7) PARTS WHICH ARE CONTAINED HEREIN.

RECOMMENDATIONS R91-6 AND R91-7 WERE PREPARED BY THE COMMITTEE ON COMMERCIALISM WHICH REQUESTED THEY BE GIVEN FAVORABLE CONSIDERATION. THE RECOMMENDATIONS WERE REVIEWED AND APPROVED BY THE GRAND MASTER AND THE JURISPRUDENCE COMMITTEE.

**GRAND MASTER'S EMERGENT RESOLUTION
SEPTEMBER 14, 1991 QUARTERLY COMMUNICATION**

ER91-1 WHEREAS, THE VOTING ON THE GRAND MASTER'S RECOMMENDATION R91-2 REGARDING THE AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION TO AUTHORIZE THE CONDUCT OF STATED MEETINGS BE ON THE FIRST DEGREE TO PERMIT ENTERED APPRENTICE MASONS AND FELLOWCRAFT MASONS TO BE PRESENT AS OBSERVERS ONLY BECAME A CARRY OVER RECOMMENDATION BY VIRTUE OF THE VOTES IT RECEIVED AT THE MAY 11, 1991 QUARTERLY COMMUNICATION OF THE GRAND LODGE OF HAWAII; AND

WHEREAS, SECTION 504 OF THE HAWAII MASONIC CODE REQUIRES LAYING OVER FOR ONE YEAR ANY PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION THAT RECEIVES A MAJORITY VOTE, BUT NOT THE REQUIRED TWO-THIRDS VOTES FOR ITS ADOPTION; AND

WHEREAS, EMERGENT RESOLUTIONS MAY BE PRESENTED AND CONSIDERED AT ANY TIME UPON THE CONSENT OF TWO-THIRDS VOTES OF THE MEMBERS PRESENT (SEE SECTION 160, HMC); AND

WHEREAS, PERSONAL REQUESTS AND DEMANDS FROM THE BRETHREN REQUESTING THE URGENCY OF ACTING UPON SAID RECOMMENDATION 91-2;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS MY RECOMMENDATION THAT THE LEGISLATION REGARDING RECOMMENDATION 91-2 TO AMEND OUR CONSTITUTION TO AUTHORIZE OUR CONSTITUENT LODGES TO CONDUCT THEIR STATED MEETINGS ON THE FIRST DEGREE, A CARRY OVER LEGISLATION FROM OUR MAY 11, 1991 QUARTERLY COMMUNICATION, BE ACTED ON AT THIS SEPTEMBER 14, 1991 QUARTERLY COMMUNICATION AS AN EMERGENT RESOLUTION.

NOTE: REFERENCE GRAND MASTER'S DECISION D91-1. ANY AMENDMENT TO THE HAWAII MASONIC CODE, CONSTITUTION OR ORDINANCES, SHALL REQUIRE A TWO-THIRDS (2/3) VOTE IN FAVOR, IN ORDER TO ADOPT IT. A CARRYOVER VOTE ON SUCH MATTERS REQUIRES ONLY A SIMPLE MAJORITY IN FAVOR, FOR ADOPTION. THIS DECISION WAS RATIFIED AT THE JANUARY 12, 1991 QUARTERLY COMMUNICATION.

GRAND MASTER'S RECOMMENDATIONS, SEPT. 14, 1991 QUARTERLY COMMUNICATION

R91-2 THE PURPOSE OF THIS RECOMMENDATION IS TO AFFORD NEWLY INITIATED OR PASSED BROTHERS A SENSE OF PARTICIPATION AND RETAIN THEIR INTEREST AND ENCOURAGE THEM TO BECOME MASTER MASONS AS SOON AS POSSIBLE, IN ORDER TO FULLY PARTICIPATE IN THE AFFAIRS OF THEIR LODGES SO THAT THEY MAY TOTALLY EXERCISE THE PRIVILEGES OF A MASTER MASON. IT IS BELIEVED THAT BY OBSERVING HOW THEIR LODGE FUNCTIONS AND CONDUCTS ITS AFFAIRS, MAY PROVIDE AN INCENTIVE FOR THEM TO BECOME MASTER MASONS SOONER RATHER THAN LATER.

IT IS THEREFORE MY RECOMMENDATION THAT ALL CONSTITUENT LODGES CONDUCT THEIR STATED MEETINGS IN THE ENTERED APPRENTICE (FIRST) DEGREE IN ORDER THAT ENTERED APPRENTICES AND FELLOW CRAFTS MAY ATTEND SUCH MEETINGS AS "OBSERVERS ONLY." THEY WILL NOT BE PERMITTED TO VOTE OR BALLOT ON ANY MATTERS. THEY WILL NOT BE PERMITTED TO ENTER INTO ANY DISCUSSIONS UNLESS SPECIFICALLY ADDRESSED BY THE WORSHIPFUL MASTER OF THE LODGE. THEY WILL BE EXCUSED FROM THE LODGE ROOM WHENEVER BALLOTING ON A CANDIDATE ACTUALLY TAKES PLACE. AN ENTERED APPRENTICE OR A FELLOW CRAFT MAY ATTEND ONLY THREE (3) SUCH SUCCESSIVE STATED MEETINGS WITHIN HIS OWN LODGE, AFTER WHICH HE SHALL BE REQUIRED TO PASS A PROFICIENCY EXAMINATION AND PROCEED TO THE NEXT DEGREE.

ENTERED APPRENTICES SHALL BE EXCUSED FROM THE LODGE ROOM WHENEVER A CANDIDATE IS BEING EXAMINED IN THE FELLOW CRAFT OR MASTER MASON DEGREES. LIKewise, FELLOW CRAFTS SHALL BE EXCUSED FROM THE LODGE ROOM WHEN A CANDIDATE IS BEING EXAMINED IN THE MASTER MASON DEGREE.

APPROPRIATE CHANGES SHALL BE REFLECTED IN THE CODE.

CONDUCTING STATED MEETINGS IN THE ENTERED APPRENTICE DEGREE IS NOT UNHEARD OF. IT IS DONE IN THE UNITED GRAND LODGE OF ENGLAND AND THE GRAND LODGE, A.F.&A.M. OF NEW ZEALAND. TO NAME A FEW.

GRAND MASTER'S RECOMMENDATIONS, SEPT. 14, 1991 QUARTERLY COMMUNICATION

R91-6 THIS IS A COMPOSITE RECOMMENDATION DEALING WITH SECTION 2070 COMMERCIAL VENTURES.

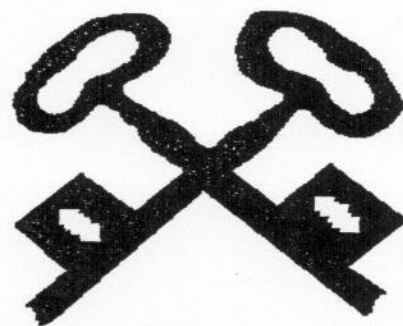
- A. CHANGE SECTION 2070 TO READ: COMMERCIAL VENTURES. A LODGE AND/OR ITS CONCORDANT AND APPENDANT BODIES, MAY SPONSOR, OR BY RESOLUTION OR OTHERWISE SANCTION, OR PERMIT THE USE OF THE NAME OF THE LODGE, AND/OR ITS CONCRDANT AND APPENDANT BODIES, IN CONNECTION WITH, OR FOR THE PURPOSE OF FURTHERING ANY COLLATERAL FINANCIAL UNDERTAKING, OR COMMERCIAL VENTURE, WHETHER FOR PROFIT OR NOT, WHICH SHALL HAVE BEEN APPROVED BY THE GRAND MASTER.
- B. DELETE 2070 A AND B. CHANGE C TO READ: 2070 A. THE SQUARE AND COMPASS MAY NOT BE USED ON THE BUSINESS CARD OF A FREEMASON WITHIN THIS JURISDICTION.
- C. DELETE 2070 D, E, F, G, AND H. CHANGE 2070 I TO READ: 2070 B. LODGES AND/OR ITS CONCORDANT AND APPENDANT, ARE FORBIDDEN TO SPONSOR, OR BY RESOLUTION OR OTHERWISE DIRECTLY SANCTION, OR PERMIT THE USE OF THE NAME OF THE LODGE, AND/OR ITS CONCORDANT AND APPENDANT BODIES, IN CONNECTION WITH COLLATERAL FINANCIAL UNDERTAKINGS, SUCH AS THRIFT SOCIETIES AND ASSESSMENT OF FUNDS FOR WIDOWS AND ORPHANS.
- D. DELETE 2070 J, K, AND L. CHANGE 2070 M TO READ: 2070 C. SPONSORING OF DEMOLAY. A LODGE AND/OR ITS CONCORDANT AND APPENDANT BODIES, BY RESOLUTION MAY SPONSOR A CHAPTER OR CHAPTERS OF THE ORDER OF DEMOLAY.
- E. DELETE 2070 N AND O. CHANGE 2070 P TO READ: 2070 D. GRAND MASTERS ARE AUTHORIZED TO APPROVE CREDIT CARD PROGRAMS AS COMMERCIAL VENTURES OF PREREQUISITE ORGANIZATIONS, PROVIDED THAT THE GRAND MASTER'S APPROVAL FIRST BE SOUGHT; THAT ONLY MEMBERS OF THE PREREQUISITE ORGANIZATION BE PARTICIPANTS; THAT THE MEMBERSHIP ROSTER OF THE ORGANIZATION BE USED ONLY FOR MASONIC PURPOSES; AND THAT NO MASONIC FRATERNAL EMBLEM, LOGO, OR NAME OF ANY FRATERNAL ORGANIZATION, SUB-ORGANIZATION OR CHARITY BE IMPRINTED OR OTHERWISE CONTAINED IN OR ON ANY CREDIT CARD ISSUED IN CONNECTION WITH SUCH PROGRAM TO ANY FREEMASON SUBJECT TO THE JURISDICTION OF THIS GRAND LODGE
- F. DELETE Q AND R.

GRAND MASTER'S RECOMMENDATIONS, SEPT. 14, 1991 QUARTERLY COMMUNICATION

R91-7 THIS IS A COMPOSITE RECOMMENDATION DEALING WITH SECTION 2072 ADVERTISING-PUBLICATIONS.

- A. DELETE PARAGRAPH 1. CHANGE TO READ: 2072. ADVERTISING-PUBLICATIONS. A LODGE SHALL HAVE THE AUTHORITY TO INFORM ITS MEMBERS BY UNITED STATES MAIL IN THE LODGE BULLETIN OR OTHERWISE OF THE NAMES OF APPLICANTS FOR DEGREES AND IT SHALL HAVE THE AUTHORITY TO SO INFORM ITS MEMBERS AS TO THE NAMES OF CANDIDATES AND THE DATES OF CONFERRAL OF THE SEVERAL DEGREES.
ON OBTAINING PERMISSION OF THE MASTER OF A LODGE IN WHICH A DEGREE IS TO BE CONFERRED, A MASONIC ASSOCIATION, WHICH SHALL BE AN ORGANIZED GROUP OF MASONS WITH COMMON EMPLOYMENT OR PROFESSION AND WITH A MEMBERSHIP OF NOT LESS THAN TWENTY-FIVE MASTER MASONS OF THIS JURISDICTION IN GOOD STANDING, MAY INFORM ITS MEMBERS BY BULLETIN, OR BY A LETTER ENCLOSED IN SEALED ENVELOPES, BY UNITED STATES MAIL, OF THE NAME OF AN ELECTED CANDIDATE AND THE DATES OF CONFERRAL OF THE SEVERAL DEGREES.
- B. DELETE 2072 A AND B. CHANGE 2072 C TO READ: 2072 A. THE NAMES OF MEMBERS MAY BE PUBLISHED IN A ROSTER FOR MASONIC PURPOSES AND FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE MEMBERS. IT MAY LIST THE BUSINESS OR VOCATION AND BUSINESS ADDRESS AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF MEMBERS IN ADDITION TO THE HOME ADDRESS AND TELEPHONE NUMBER.
- C. DELETE 2072 D TO READ: 2072 B. THE NAMES OF ALL MEMBERS OF THE LODGE, INCLUDING ENTERED APPRENTICES, FELLOW CRAFTS, AND MASTER MASONS MAY BE FURNISHED IN A ROSTER TO THE PRINTER FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAILING THE LODGE TRESTLEBOARD.
- D. CHANGE 2072 E TO READ: 2072 C. A MASONIC LODGE MAY, IF IT SO DESIRES, ERECT AT THE ENTRANCE OF THE CITY OR TOWN WHERE IT IS LOCATED A DIGNIFIED AND WELL MAINTAINED SIGN OR PLAQUE EXHIBITING A MASONIC EMBLEM AND GIVING THE NAME OF THE LODGE AND WHERE AND WHEN IT MEETS; AND FURTHER A LODGE MAY JOINTLY WITH ANOTHER LODGE ERECT AND MAINTAIN SUCH A SIGN.
- E. CHANGE 2072 F TO READ: 2072 D. A MASONIC LODGE MAY, IF IT SO DESIRES, CAUSE TO BE PUBLISHED IN A NEWSPAPER OF GENERAL CIRCULATION IN THE AREA IN WHICH THE LODGE IS LOCATED, AN ANNOUNCEMENT COMPOSED OF THE FOLLOWING: THE MASONIC EMBLEM, NAME OF THE LODGE, ADDRESS AND DATES OF MEETINGS. FURTHER, A LODGE MAY JOINTLY WITH ANOTHER LODGE, OR LODGES MEETING IN THE SAME TEMPLE, JOIN TOGETHER IN SUCH ANNOUNCEMENT. THE COST OF THE ANNOUNCEMENT IS TO BE DEFRAYED FROM THE REFRESHMENT FUND.
- F. CHANGE 2072 G TO READ: 2072 E. A LODGE BULLETIN MAY CONTAIN CALENDAR AND NEWS ITEMS RELATING TO CONCORDANT BODIES ON A REGULAR BASIS IF THE PURPOSE IS TO CREATE GREATER MASONIC INTERCOURSE AND NOT TO SUPPLANT A BULLETIN OF A CONCORDANT BODY.
- G. DELETE 2072 H.

GRAND TREASURER'S REPORT

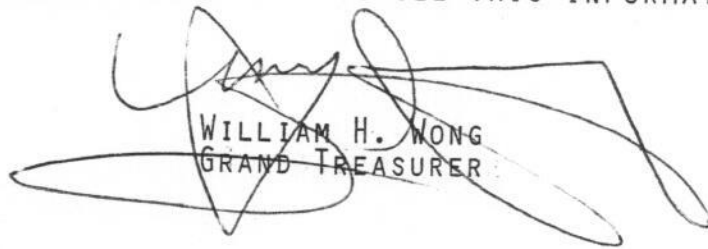


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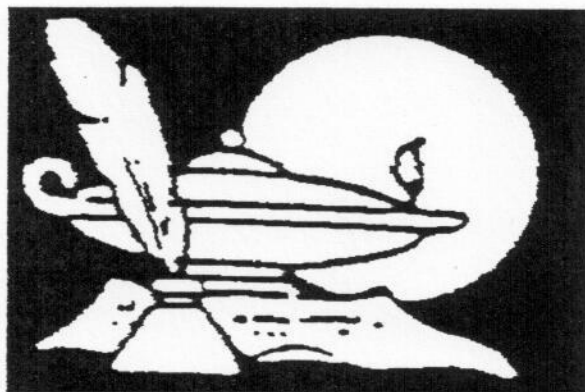
REPORT OF THE GRAND TREASURER

THE STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS & DISBURSEMENTS FOR THE PERIOD
JANUARY 1 TO JUNE 30, 1991, AND THE STATEMENT OF CONDITIONS
AS OF JUNE 30, 1991 COVERING ASSETS AND LIABILITIES IS
AVAILABLE FOR THOSE BRETHREN WHO MAY WISH TO SEE THIS INFORMATION.



WILLIAM H. WONG
GRAND TREASURER

GRAND SECRETARY'S REPORT



SEPTEMBER 14, 1991

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REPORT OF THE GRAND SECRETARY

MY BRETHREN:

I AM PLEASED TO PRESENT THE REPORT OF THE GRAND SECRETARY FOR THE PERIOD MAY 11, 1991 TO SEPTEMBER 13, 1991.

THE 2ND QUARTERLY COMMUNICATION OF THE GRAND LODGE OF HAWAII WAS COVENED ON MAY 11, 1991 AT 9:30 A.M. AT THE HONOLULU SCOTTISH RITE CATHEDRAL.

WORSHIPFUL BRO. H. GEORGE CONGER HAD THE HONOR OF "RAISING" THE GRAND LODGE, AFTER WHICH THE GRAND LODGE OFFICERS PROCEEDED TO ENTER THE LODGE ROOM AND TOOK THEIR RESPECTIVE STATIONS.

MOST WORSHIPFUL WILLIAM K. MCKEE, JR., GRAND MASTER PRESIDED WITH THE PRO-TEM APPOINTMENT OF WORSHIPFUL BRO. DEXTER LUM SERVING AS DEPUTY GRAND MASTER, DUE TO THE ABSENCE OF R.W. ERNEST Y. YAMANE.

THE INVOCATION WAS GIVEN BY V.R. DAVID KAOLAULII, GRAND CHAPLAIN, FOLLOWED BY THE PRESENTATION OF THE HAWAIIAN FLAG UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE ROYAL ORDER OF KAMEHAMEHA, HAWAII CHAPTER, WHOSE ALII AI MOKU IS EDWARD KAOPUHI. BROS. THOMAS U. GLENN AND CLARENCE BRANCO PRESENTED THE HAWAIIAN FLAG. HAWAII PONO'I WAS SUNG WITH ACCOMPANYING MUSIC BY BRO. STANLEY NESER, GRAND ORGANIST. THE AMERICAN FLAG WAS NEXT PRESENTED BY BRETHREN OF THE NATIONAL SOJOURNERS IN HAWAII, FOLLOWED BY THE PLEDGE OF ALLEDIANCE TO OUR FLAG.

THE FOLLOWING GRAND MASTER'S DECISIONS WERE MADE AND RATIFIED:

- D91-3 THE STANDARDIZATION OF PAST MASTER'S AND PAST GRAND MASTER'S APRONS AND JEWELS. THE PAST GRAND MASTER'S JEWEL IS TO BE A REPLICA OF THE JEWEL OF OUR LATE BRO. KING DAVID KALAKAUA, VIA THE COURTESY OF THE BRETHREN OF LODGE LE PROGRES DE L'OCEANIE.
- D91-4 A NEW AND SHORTER "TEST OATH" AS CONTAINED ON PAGE 196 OF THE 1990 AUTHORIZED CIPHER RITUAL.
- D91-5 DESIGNATED THE "CALIFORNIA" CIPHER COPYRIGHT 1990 AS THE OFFICIAL CIPHER RITUAL AUTHORIZED FOR USE IN HAWAII.

THE FOLLOWING GRAND MASTER'S RECOMMENDATIONS WERE SUBMITTED AND RATIFIED:

- R91-3 THE "SHORT" FORM PROFICIENCY EXAMINATION FOR THE EA, FC AND MM DEGREES BE INCLUDED AS STANDARD PRACTICE IN THE HAWAII MASONIC CODE.
- R91-4 THE ELIMINATION OF A FORMAL INVESTIGATION PROCEDURE OF A BROTHER BELONGING TO A LODGE OF THE HAWAII JURISDICTION WHO IS SEEKING TO AFFILIATE WITH ANOTHER LODGE IN THIS JURISDICTION AS A PLURAL MEMBER, PROVIDED HE IS A MEMBER OF A HAWAII LODGE IN GOOD STANDING, AND HAS BEEN A MEMBER OF A HAWAII LODGE FOR AT LEAST FIVE (5) CONSECUTIVE YEARS.
- R91-5 PROVIDES A METHOD OF SELECTING A RECOMMENDEE FOR JUNIOR GRAND WARDEN BY A RECOMMENDING COMMITTEE APPOINTED BY THE GRAND MASTER AND CONSISTING OF THE FOLLOWING: THE GRAND MASTER, PAST GRAND MASTERS, DEPUTY GRAND MASTER, SENIOR

GRAND WARDEN, JUNIOR GRAND WARDEN, AND THE MASTER OF EACH CONSTITUENT LODGE. THE RECOMMENDEE MUST BE A PAST MASTER OF A CONSTITUENT LODGE OF THE HAWAII JURISDICTION, AND A MEMBER OF A CONSTITUENT LODGE UNDER THE GRAND LODGE OF HAWAII FOR AT LEAST FIVE (5) YEARS.

THE FOLLOWING GRAND MASTER'S RECOMMENDATION WAS CARRIED OVER:

R91-2 THAT STATED MEETINGS BE CONDUCTED IN THE ENTERED APPRENTICE (1ST) DEGREE TO PERMIT ENTERED APPRENTICE MASONS AND FELLOW-CRAFT MASONS BE PRESENT AS OBSERVERS ONLY. THEY WILL BE EXCUSED FROM THE LODGE WHENEVER BALLOTING ON A CANDIDATE TAKES PLACE.

GRAND MASTER'S SPECIAL RESOLUTION RS91-1 RECOMMENDING THAT THE GRAND LODGE OF HAWAII JOIN THE MASONIC SERVICE ASSOCIATION OF THE UNITED STATES AS A FULL CONTRIBUTING MEMBER, WAS APPROVED.

PRESENTATION OF GOLDEN VETERAN, 50 YEAR AWARDS WERE MADE TO RICHARD PENHALLOW, P.M. AND ALEXANDER K. BECK, BOTH OF HAWAIIAN LODGE.

PAST MASTER'S CERTIFICATES WERE PRESENTED TO THE 1989 AND 1990 MASTERS.

PRESENTATIONS OF TESTIMONIALS OF APPRECIATION FOR SERVICE IN OPERATION DESERT STORM WERE MADE TO THE FOLLOWING BRETHREN:

- JAIME SAN JOSE, USN, USS WARDEN
- MEL QUINSAY, USN, USS WARDEN
- * JASON GILCREASE, USN, USS SACRAMENTO
- * GRIFFITH BROWN, USN, USS KISKA
- * GASPAR CARIAGA, USN, USS SAN JOSE

* NOT PRESENT

WORSHIPFUL OSCAR JAYME WAS PRESENTED A COMMISSION OF APPOINTMENT AS THE GRAND REPRESENTATIVE OF THE GRAND LODGE OF THE PHILIPPINES NEAR THE GRAND LODGE OF HAWAII.

A PERPETUAL GRAND MASTER'S JEWEL WAS PRESENTED TO MOST WORSHIPFUL GRAND MASTER, WILLIAM K. MCKEE, JR. BY BROTHER LEON FLEISHER.

THE MAY 11, 1991 QUARTERLY COMMUNICATION WAS CLOSED IN SHORT FORM AFTER THE BENEDICTION BY VERY REVEREND DAVIS N.E. KAHELALUII.

AT 6:00 P.M. THAT EVENING, A CHINESE DINNER WAS HELD AT YONG SING RESTAURANT WITH APPROXIMATELY 75 PEOPLE IN ATTENDANCE.

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THE GRAND LODGE JUST RECENTLY PURCHASED A GATEWAY 2000 COMPUTER MODEL 386/33C. IT WAS SET UP BY BRO. JIM WILSON SECRETARY OF LODGE LE PROGRES DE L'OCEANIE. SHORTLY AFTER THE GRAND LODGE WAS INSTITUTED, THE BRETHREN OF LODGE LE PROGRES DE L'OCEANIE VOTED TO PURCHASE A LASER PRINTER FOR THE GRAND LODGE WHENEVER IT ACQUIRED A COMPUTER. THE BRETHREN OF LODGE LE PROGRES DE L'OCEANIE MADE GOOD THEIR PROMISE BY PROVIDING THE GRAND LODGE WITH AN IBM

LASER PRINTER AT A COST OF \$2550. A "MAHALO NUI LOA" TO THE BRETHREN OF LODGE LE PROGRES DE L'OCEANIE FOR THEIR GENEROSITY AND SUPPORT.

THE NEW OFFICE ARRANGEMENT OF THE GRAND LODGE WHEREBY IT HAS EXCLUSIVE USE OF THE OFFICE AND THE ADJACENT ROOM, IN EXCHANGE FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEPARATE OFFICE FOR THE TEMPLE MANAGER, HAS GREATLY FACILITATED GRAND LODGE OPERATIONS. OUR THANKS TO HAWAIIAN LODGE, LODGE LE PROGRES DE L'OCEANIE, HONOLULU LODGE AND PEARL HARBOR LODGE FOR APPROVING OUR REQUEST. THE ENTIRE CONSTRUCTION OF THE NEW OFFICE FOR THE TEMPLE MGR. INCLUDING ALL CARPENTRY, LAMINATE APPLICATION AND PAINTING WAS DONE BY BRO. NORMAN IPSON OF HONOLULU LODGE ON A **VOLUNTARY BASIS** WITH SOME ASSISTANCE BY BRO. MIKE O'NEILL THE TEMPLE UTILITY TECHNICIAN.

THE KONICA MODEL 3035 COPY MACHINE RECENTLY PURCHASED BY THE GRAND LODGE HAS BEEN A TREMENDOUS HELP IN BEING ABLE TO HANDLE A VERY LARGE VOLUME OF COPY WORK IN RELATIVELY SHORT PERIODS. IT WILL AUTOMATICALLY COPY BOTH SIDES OF A SHEET AND COLLATE UP TO 20 PAGES.

THE GRAND LODGE OFFICE IS OPEN MONDAY - FRIDAY UNTIL 1:30 P.M. AND MOST EVERY SATURDAY MORNING DURING THE GRAND LODGE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETINGS. THE REGULAR OFFICE STAFF CONSISTS OF THE GRAND SECRETARY, THE ASSISTANT GRAND SECRETARY, THE GRAND TREASURER, THOMAS U. GLENN, JR. WARDEN OF KO'OLAU LODGE AND NORMAN IPSON, SR. STEWARD OF HONOLULU LODGE.

THE STAFF HAS BEEN ENGAGED IN AN EVER INCREASING VARIETY AND VOLUME OF WORK IN CONDUCTING THE OVERALL BUSINESS OF THE GRAND LODGE. DURING THE PERIOD FROM MID-JUNE TO SEPTEMBER 13, 1991, A PORTION OF THE WORK PERFORMED INCLUDED THE FOLLOWING:

1. APPROXIMATELY 34,760 PAGES OF MATERIAL SUCH AS CORRESPONDENCE, DISPENSATIONS, AN ASSORTMENT OF DOCUMENTS, RECORDS, NEWSLETTERS AND THE HAWAII MASONIC CODE HAVE BEEN REPRODUCED ON THE COPY MACHINE.
2. APPROXIMATELY 1320 INDIVIDUAL ITEMS OF MAIL HAVE BEEN PROCESSED WITH THE PITNEY-BOWES POSTAGE MACHINE AND MAILED. THIS DOES NOT INCLUDE ABOUT 65 INDIVIDUAL ITEMS PROCESSED AND MAILED AT THE POST OFFICE, NOR APPROXIMATELY 225 ITEMS DISTRIBUTED TO THE LODGES AND OTHER OCCUPANTS OF THE HONOLULU MASONIC TEMPLE.
3. AN AVERAGE OF TEN (10) INDIVIDUAL PIECES OF INCOMING MAIL FROM WITHIN THE STATE OF HAWAII, AND ABOUT EIGHT (8) INDIVIDUAL ITEMS OF INCOMING MAIL FROM OUTSIDE THE STATE OF HAWAII ARE RECEIVED AND PROCESSED DAILY.
4. AN AVERAGE OF TEN (10) LETTERS ARE COMPOSED, TYPED AND PREPARED PER DAY. THIS DOES NOT INCLUDE COMPOSING AND PREPARING THE NEWSLETTERS, THE QUARTERLY COMMUNICATION MATERIAL, NOR COMPOSING, TYPING, WORD PROCESSING AND EDITING THE HAWAII MASONIC CODE. A SIGNIFICANT PORTION OF THIS WORK IS PERFORMED BY THE GRAND SECRETARY, THE GRAND TREASURER, AND TOM GLENN AT THEIR RESPECTIVE HOMES.

THE PUBLICATION OF A GRAND LODGE NEWSLETTER HAS BEEN INITIATED BY THE GRAND SECRETARY. AT PRESENT IT IS A MODEST PUBLICATION WITH

DISTRIBUTION LIMITED TO ALL THE OFFICERS OF EACH CONSTITUENT LODGE, GRAND LODGE OFFICERS, INSPECTORS, CONCORDANT AND APPENDANT BODIES, AND SOME RESEARCH LODGES. COPIES ARE ALSO AVAILABLE TO ALL GRAND LODGE VISITORS. IT IS PLANNED TO EVENTUALLY EXPAND THE DISTRIBUTION TO INCLUDE ALL HAWAII FREEMASONS, ON A QUARTERLY BASIS. WITH ADDITIONAL HELP THE NEWSLETTER COULD EVOLVE INTO A MORE UP-SCALE PUBLICATION. HOWEVER, UNTIL SUCH HELP BECOMES AVAILABLE, THE PRESENT FORMAT WILL BE CONTINUED.

SEVERAL BRETHREN HAVE ASKED IF WE COULD CONTINUE THE USE OF THE **HIRAM AWARD**. IN RESPONSE TO AN INQUIRY ON THE MATTER BY MW WILLIAM K. MCKEE, JR. OUR GRAND MASTER, MW RON SHEROD, GRAND MASTER OF THE GRAND LODGE OF CALIFORNIA AUTHORIZED THE USE OF THE HIRAM AWARD UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE GRAND LODGE OF HAWAII. CERTIFICATES PATTERNED AFTER A DRAFT PROVIDED BY JIM ELMORE, P.M., MASTER OF KILAUEA LODGE ARE BEING PREPARED. THE MEDAL WILL REQUIRE ADDITIONAL TIME IN ORDER TO ENGRAVE THE INSIGNIA AND NAME OF THE GRAND LODGE OF HAWAII ON IT.

ALL RESOLUTIONS INTENDED TO BE ACTED ON AT THE ANNUAL COMMUNICATION ON JANUARY 11, 1992 MUST BE SUBMITTED TO THE GRAND SECRETARY IN TYPED FORM NO LATER THAN **OCTOBER 19, 1991**.

EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1992 ALL INSURANCE FINANCIAL TRANSACTIONS WILL BE CONDUCTED ON A CALENDAR YEAR BASIS.

ARRANGEMENTS HAVE BEEN MADE WITH THE U.S. POSTAL SERVICE WHICH ENABLE THE GRAND LODGE TO USE THE BULK MAIL SERVICE, RESULTING IN A CONSIDERABLE SAVINGS IN POSTAGE COSTS.

THE GRAND LODGE OF HAWAII HAS NOW BEEN IN EXISTANCE TWO YEARS AND FOUR MONTHS. WHEN ONE CONSIDERS THAT WHEN THE GRAND LODGE WAS INSTITUTED ON MAY 20, 1989, IT HAD NO OFFICE OR FACILITIES, VERY LIMITED FINANCIAL RESOURCES, AND TOTAL POSSESSIONS CONSISTED OF TWO REAMS OF COPY PAPER, A GREAT DEAL HAS BEEN ACCOMPLISHED IN THIS RELATIVELY BRIEF PERIOD. SIGNIFICANT PROGRESS HAS BEEN MADE IN MANY AREAS OF THE GRAND LODGE OPERATION. THIS HAS BEEN ACCOMPLISHED AS A DIRECT RESULT OF THE INDOMITABLE WILL OF SOME TRULY DEDICATED BRETHREN TO MAKE THE GRAND LODGE A SUCCESS, AND THE OVERALL SUPPORT OF THE CONSTITUENT LODGES. HOWEVER, WE STILL HAVE A ROUGH AND RUGGED ROAD AHEAD OF US IF WE ARE TO ATTAIN OUR GOAL TO HAVE THE GRAND LODGE OF HAWAII TO TAKE ITS RIGHTFUL PLACE AMONG THE REGULAR GRAND LODGES OF THE WORLD.

IN CONCLUSION I WISH TO THANK JOHN E.D. WILLIAMS, ASSISTANT GRAND SECRETARY; WILLIAM H. WONG, GRAND TREASURER; THOMAS U. GLENN, JUNIOR WARDEN OF KO'OLAU LOAGE; NORMAN IPSON, SENIOR STEWARD OF HONOLULU LODGE; JAMES WILSON, SECRETARY OF LODGE LE PROGRES DE L'OCEANIE, AND ART CHANG OF KO'OLAU LODGE, FOR THEIR HELP IN THE OPERATION OF THE OFFICE OF THE GRAND SECRETARY.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

Herbert G. Gardiner
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GRAND SECRETARY

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HAWAI'I PONO'I

Words by King Kalakaua
Music by Professor H. Berger

Ha - wai - i po - no - i
Na - na i kou mo - i
Ka - la - ni A - li-i,
ke A - li - i.

Ma - ku - a la - ni e
Ka - me - ha - me - ha e
Na Kau - a e pa - le
Me ka i - he.

Ma-ku - a la - ni e
Ka - me - ha - me - ha e
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CHORUS: E HAUOLI E NA OPIO O HAWAII NE
OLIEI (OLIE) OLIEHOLI, OLIEI
MAI NA AHEAHE MAKANI E PA MAI NEI
MAU KE ALOHA NO HAWAII