Presiding Officer: Vice President Liu

President Pro-tempore: Senator Thompson

Senators Absent: Senator Salazar, Senator Balok, Senator Liu

Senator(s) Tardy: Senator Gonzales, Senator Ortiz

Vice President Liu called the meeting to order at 6:01 PM. Senator Gonzales requested permission to enter the chamber. Senator Ladha moved to approve the agenda, seconded by Senator Crawley, passing 16-0-0. Senator Bui moved to approve the agenda to include guest speaker, seconded by Senator Crawley, passing 16-0-0.

Vice President Liu opened the floor for nominations for Outstanding Senator. Senator Shank and Senator Crawley were nominated. Senator Hudson moved to close the floor for nominations, seconded by Senator Williams, passing 16-0-0.

Senator Ortiz requested permission to enter the chamber.

The Senate then moved on to Resolution 9S. Senator Romero requested a point of personal privilege. Senator Hudson moved to table Resolution 9S, seconded by Senator Crawley, passing 17-0-0.

The Senate then moved on to Bill 12S. Senator Romero requested permission to enter the chamber. Vice President Liu initiated a roll call vote. Bill 12S passed by a vote count of 17-0-0.

The Senate then moved on to Bill 13S. Senator Hudson moved to amend before the designated time for office hours, seconded by Senator Crawley, passing 17-0-0. Senator Ladha moved to amend 51 space to read, “and appointments,” seconded by Senator Crawley, passing 17-0-0. Senator Williams moved to amend line 44 from, “incase,” to read, “in case,” second by Senator Crawley, passing 17-0-0. Vice President Liu initiated a roll call vote. Senator Liu proxy vote: aye. Bill 13S passed by a vote count of 18-0-0.
The Senate then moved on to Bill 14S. Vice President Liu initiated a roll call vote. Senator Liu proxy vote: aye. Bill 14S passed by a vote count of 18-o-o.

The Senate then moved on to Bill 15S. Senator Thompson requested a point of personal privilege. Senator Thompson requested permission to enter the chamber. Senator Lautenschleger moved to amend Bill 15S to add number values after the written words, seconded by Senator Ladha, passing 17-o-o. Senator Shank moved to call the previous question, seconded by Senator Ladha, passing 17-o-o. Senator Liu proxy vote: aye. Bill 15S passed by a vote count of 18-o-o.

The Senate then moved on to Bill 16S. Vice President Liu initiated a roll call vote. Bill 16S passed by a vote count of 18-o-o. Senator Liu proxy vote: aye.

Senator Bui moved to untable Resolution 9S, seconded by Senator Shank, passing 17-o-o. Vice President Liu initiated a roll call vote. Resolution 9S passed by a vote count of 17-o-o.

The Senate then moved on to the Spring Budget Bill 2013. Senator Romero moved to call the previous question, seconded by Senator Ladha, passing 17-o-o.

Senator Hudson moved to block appropriations 49S-54S and pass unanimously, seconded by Senator Ladha.

Meeting adjourned at 8:15 PM.