Honolulu, Hawaii

Feb 28, 2008

RE: H.B. No. 2697 H.D. 1

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Fourth State Legislature Regular Session of 2008 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred H.B. No. 2697 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE INTERMEDIATE APPELLATE COURT,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to statutorily authorize:

- (1) The Intermediate Appellate Court (Court) to subpoena and compel the attendance of witnesses and production of books, paper, documents, or tangible things; and
- (2) Any judge of the Court to administer oaths.

The Judiciary testified in support of this bill.

Your Committee has amended this bill by:

- (1) Changing the effective date to July 1, 2112, to encourage further discussion; and
- (2) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for style, clarity, and consistency.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Judiciary that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 2697, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 2697, H.D. 1, and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Judiciary,

TOMMY WALLES Chair

State of Hawaii House of Representatives The Twenty-fourth Legislature

Record of Votes of the Committee on Judiciary

Bill/Resolution No.: HB2697	Committee Referral: JUD	Dat	E 2/15/08	
☐ The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: Pass, unamended (as is) Pass, with amendments (HD) Hold Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)				
JUD Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. WATERS, Tommy (C)			7 1 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	
2. OSHIRO, Blake K. (VC)				/
3. EVANS, Cindy				
4. GREEN, Josh, M.D.				
5. ITO, Ken				/
6. LUKE, Sylvia				
7. McKELVEY, Angus L.K.				1
8. MORITA, Hermina M.				
9. SONSON, Alex M.				
10. SOUKI, Joseph M.				
11. TSUJI, Clift	Control of the second of the s	Section 2 Community and Commun	1	
12. YAMANE, Ryan I.				
13. YAMASHITA, Kyle T.				
14. MARUMOTO, Barbara C.				
15. PINE, Kymberly Marcos				
16. THIELEN, Cynthia				
TOTAL (16)	/1			5
The recommendation is: Adopted Not Adopted If joint referral, did not support recommendation.				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
vistribution: Original (White) – Committee Oun Cate (Yellow) – Chief Clerk's Office				