

Honolulu, Hawaii

Feb 15, 2008

RE: H.B. No. 2775
H.D. 2

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Labor & Public Employment, to which was referred H.B. No. 2775, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EXECUTIVE OFFICE ON AGING,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to attract and retain highly qualified individuals for the position of director of the Executive Office on Aging by allowing the appointing authority to set the director's salary.

The Department of Health testified in support of this bill.

Your Committee notes that allowing the appointing authority to determine the appropriate compensation for the director would better attract and retain highly qualified individuals.

Your Committee has amended this bill by changing its effective date to July 1, 2009, to encourage further discussion.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Labor & Public Employment that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 2775, H.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it be referred to the Committee on Finance in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 2775, H.D. 2.



Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Labor & Public
Employment,



ALEX M. SONSON, Chair



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House of Representatives
The Twenty-fourth Legislature

501-08

Record of Votes of the Committee on Labor & Public Employment

Bill/Resolution No.: HB 2775, HD1	Committee Referral: HSH, LAB, FIN	Date: 02/12/08		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended (as is) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments (HD) <input type="checkbox"/> Hold <input type="checkbox"/> Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)				
LAB Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. SONSON, Alex M. (C)	Y			
2. NAKASONE, Bob (VC)				X
3. EVANS, Cindy	X			
4. HAR, Sharon E.	X			
5. LEE, Marilyn B.	X			
6. LUKE, Sylvia	X			
7. McKELVEY, Angus L.K.	Y			
8. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y.	Y			
9. SOUKI, Joseph M.	X			
10. TAKAMINE, Dwight Y.	Y			
11. TAKUMI, Roy M.	Y			
12. MEYER, Colleen Rose	Y			
13. PINE, Kymberly Marcos	Y			
TOTAL (13)	12	0	0	1
The recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. committee acronym(s)				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: _____ 				
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