

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 575

Honolulu, Hawaii

Feb 16, 2007

RE: H.B. No. 906

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say
Speaker, House of Representatives
Twenty-Fourth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2007
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Human Services & Housing, to which was referred H.B. No. 906 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to establish an Affordable Housing Inventory Advisory Commission within the Hawaii Housing Finance and Development Corporation to provide annual reports to the Legislature and to make recommendations to state or county agencies to encourage the development and preservation of affordable housing.

The Hawaii Housing Finance and Development Corporation (HHFDC) and City and County of Honolulu Department of Community Services opposed this bill.

Testimony noted that the creation of an advisory commission attached to HHFDC will not accomplish the objectives of preserving affordable rental housing and may not be necessary. Your Committee respectfully requests the Committee on Finance to look further into those concerns.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Human Services & Housing that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 906 and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

HB906 HSCR HSH HMS 2007-2374



Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Human Services &
Housing,



MAILE SHIMABUKURO, Chair



State of Hawaii
House of Representatives
The Twenty-fourth Legislature

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Human Services & Housing

Bill/Resolution No.: <i>HB 906</i>		Date: <i>2/15/07</i>		
Committee Referral: <i>HSH, FIN</i>		<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.		
The recommendation is to: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments <input type="checkbox"/> Hold <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments, for recommittal for further consideration				
HSH Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. SHIMABUKURO, Maile S. L. (C)	✓			
2. RHOADS, Karl (VC)	✓			
3. BELATTI, Della Au	✓			
4. BERTRAM, Joe, III	✓			
5. CABANILLA, Rida T.R.	✓			
6. GREEN, Josh, M.D.	✓			
7. MIZUNO, John	✓			
8. TAKAI, K. Mark	✓			
9. TOKIOKA, James Kunane	✓			
10. AWANA, Karen Leinani	✓			
11. WARD, Gene, Ph.D.	✓			
TOTAL	<i>11</i>			
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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