

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

2562

Honolulu, Hawaii

FEB 28 2008

RE: S.B. No. 2714

Honorable Colleen Hanabusa
President of the Senate
Twenty-Fourth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2008
State of Hawaii

Madam:

Your Committee on Judiciary and Labor, to which was referred
S.B. No. 2714 entitled:

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

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to expand the powers of the
Intermediate Appellate Court.

More specifically, the measure gives the Intermediate
Appellate Court the authority to subpoena witnesses and to compel
the attendance of witnesses and the production of books, papers,
documents, or tangible things. The measure also authorizes any
judge of the Intermediate Appellate Court to administer oaths.

Testimony in support of the measure was received from the
Judiciary.

Your Committee recognizes that, due to recent structural
changes in the State's appellate court system, the Intermediate
Appellate Court now hears most of the State's trial court and
agency appeals. This measure grants the court the authority
necessary to effectively carry out its new functions.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your
Committee on Judiciary and Labor that is attached to this report,
your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B.
No. 2714 and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be placed
on the calendar for Third Reading.

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




BRIAN T. TANIGUCHI, Chair



The Senate
 Twenty-Fourth Legislature
 State of Hawaii

Record of Votes
Committee on Judiciary and Labor
JDL

Bill / Resolution No.:*	Committee Referral:	Date:
SB 2714	JDL	2-11-08
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure. If so, then the previous decision was to: _____		
The Recommendation is:		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312	<input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311	<input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310
<input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313		
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)
Nay	Excused	
TANIGUCHI, BRIAN T. (C)	/	
HEE, Clayton (VC)	/	
GABBARD, Mike	/	
KOKUBUN, Russell S.		/
NISHIHARA, Clarence K.		/
SLOM, Sam	/	
TOTAL	4	2
Recommendation:		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted		
Chair's or Designee's Signature:		
		
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