

Honolulu, Hawaii
Feb 16, 2006

RE: H.B. No. 1924

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say
Speaker, House of Representatives
Twenty-Third State Legislature
Regular Session of 2006
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Higher Education, to which was referred
H.B. No. 1924 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR SMALL BUSINESS
DEVELOPMENT,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to support small business
development in Hawaii by appropriating funds to expand management-
force development through consulting and training services at the
Small Business Development Center.

The Hawaii Small Business Development Center Network
testified in support of this measure. The Department of Business,
Economic Development, and Tourism supported the intent of this
measure.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your
Committee on Higher Education that is attached to this report,
your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B.
No. 1924 and recommends that it be referred to the Committee on
Finance.



Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Higher Education,



TOMMY WATERS, Chair



