

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 1638-06

Honolulu, Hawaii

Ag: 17, 2006

RE: S.B. No. 2323
S.D. 2
H.D. 1

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred S.B. No. 2323, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FEDERAL REVENUE MAXIMIZATION IN THE JUDICIARY,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to ensure that the State qualifies for the maximum amount of federal funds from Title IV-E of the Social Security Act that it is eligible to receive by encouraging the filing of new claims for reimbursements before these federal funds are converted to a block grant program and capped based on new reimbursement levels. This bill authorizes the Judiciary to establish a federal revenue maximization program to:

- (1) Identify services it provides to children under its care that are eligible for federal reimbursements; and
- (2) Submit claims of all eligible services for reimbursement.

The Department of Human Services and a concerned individual testified in support of this bill.

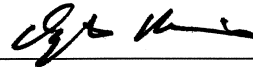
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As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Finance that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 2323, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Third Reading.

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



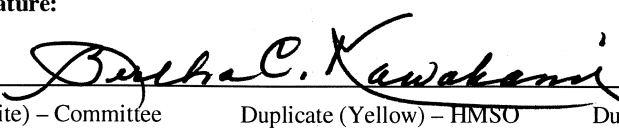
DWIGHT TAKAMINE, Chair



State of Hawaii
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The Twenty-third Legislature

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Finance

Bill/Resolution No.: SB 2323 SD2, HD1		Date: April 6, 2006		
Committee Referral: HUS, JUD, FIN		<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				
FIN Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. TAKAMINE, Dwight Y. (C)	✓			
2. KAWAKAMI, Bertha C. (VC)	✓			
3. CARROLL, Mele	✓			
4. CHONG, Pono	✓			
5. EVANS, Cindy	✓			
6. LEE, Marilyn B.	✓			
7. MAGAOAY, Michael Y.	✓			
8. NAKASONE, Bob	✓			
9. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y.	✓			
10. TANAKA, Kameo	✓			
11. TSUJI, Clift	✓			
12. WAKAI, Glenn	✓			
13. YAMANE, Ryan I.	✓			
14. YAMASHITA, Kyle T.	✓			
15. MEYER, Colleen Rose	✓			
16. MOSES, Mark S.	✓			
17. PINE, Kymberly				✓
18. STEVENS, Anne V.	✓			
TOTAL	17			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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