

Honolulu, Hawaii
March 23, 2006

RE: S.B. No. 2604

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred S.B. No. 2604 entitled:

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

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to remove the chief judge's discretion to assign judges to an intermediate appellate court panel.

The Judiciary testified in support of this bill. The Recorder of the Appellate Review Task Force offered comments.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Judiciary that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 2604 and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

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

Sylvia Luke
for: SYLVIA LUKE, Chair



