

Honolulu, Hawaii

April 28, 2006

RE: H.B. No. 1889  
H.D. 1  
S.D. 2  
C.D. 1

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

Honorable Robert Bunda  
President of the Senate  
Twenty-Third State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2006  
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House of Representatives to the amendments proposed by the Senate in H.B. No. 1889, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS,"

having met, and after full and free discussion, has agreed to recommend and does recommend to the respective Houses the final passage of this bill in an amended form.

The purpose of this bill is to improve Hawaii's ability to promote economic, social, cultural, and scientific relations with other countries by establishing within the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism, an Office of International Affairs.

Your Committee on Conference has amended this bill by:

- (1) Deleting the provision for an executive director position to head the Office of International Affairs;



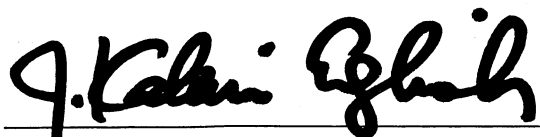
- (2) Changing the effective date to July 1, 2006; and
- (3) Making technical, nonsubstantive changes for clarity, consistency, and style.


As affirmed by the record of votes of the managers of your Committee on Conference that is attached to this report, your Committee on Conference is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 1889, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Final Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 1889, H.D. 1, S.D. 2, C.D. 1.

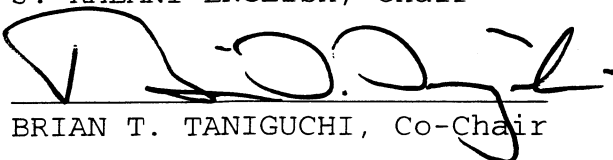
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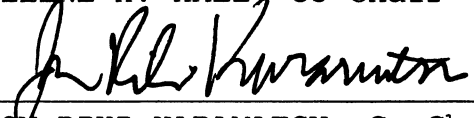
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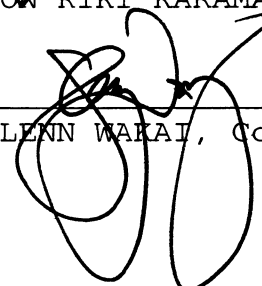
ON THE PART OF THE HOUSE

  
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 J. KALANI ENGLISH, Chair

  
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 HELENE H. HALE, Co-Chair

  
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 BRIAN T. TANIGUCHI, Co-Chair

  
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 JON RIKI KARAMATSU, Co-Chair

  
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 GLENN WAKAI, Co-Chair

Record of Votes of a  
Conference Committee

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The recommendation of the House and Senate managers is to pass with amendments (CD).

The Committee is reconsidering its previous decision.

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Senate Managers	A	WR	N	E	House Managers	A	WR	N	E
ENGLISH, J. Kalani, Chr.	✓				HALE, Heléne H., Co-Chr.	✓			
TANIGUCHI, Brian T., Co-Chr.	✓				KARAMATSU, Jon Riki, Co-Chr.	✓			
HOOSER, Gary L.	.			✗	WAKAI, Glenn, Co-Chr.	✓			
					THIELEN, Cynthia	✓			
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

A = Aye      WR = Aye with Reservations      N = Nay      E = Excused

Senate Recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted	House Recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted
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Senate Lead Chair's or Designee's Signature: 	House Lead Chair's or Designee's Signature: 
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