

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 1864

Honolulu, Hawaii

Aj-05, 2007

RE: S.B. No. 1928
S.D. 2
H.D. 3

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say
Speaker, House of Representatives
Twenty-Fourth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2007
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred S.B. No. 1928, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, entitled:

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

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to:

- (1) Authorize and fund an investigative unit in the Office of the Auditor to conduct investigations involving alleged or suspected government waste, fraud, abuse, nonfeasance, or malfeasance; and
- (2) Appropriate funds for the completion of the work of the Hawaii 2050 Task Force.

The Office of the Auditor and a concerned individual testified in support of this bill. The Department of the Attorney General offered comments.

Your Committee has amended this bill by:


- (1) Changing the effective date to July 1, 2050, to encourage further discussion; and
- (2) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for clarity, consistency, and style.

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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. 1928, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Third Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 1928, S.D. 2, H.D. 3.

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



MARCUS R. OSHIRO, Chair



