

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 1146

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 22 2007

RE: H.B. No. 1570

Honorable Colleen Hanabusa  
President of the Senate  
Twenty-Fourth State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2007  
State of Hawaii

Madam:

Your Committee on Judiciary and Labor, to which was referred  
H.B. No. 1570 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE  
BARGAINING COST ITEMS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to fund:

- (1) All collective bargaining salary increases and cost items, including contributions to the Hawaii Employer-Union Health Benefits Trust Fund, in the agreement negotiated with the exclusive bargaining representatives of collective bargaining unit (11); and
- (2) The salary increases and other cost adjustments authorized by Chapter 89C, Hawaii Revised Statutes, for state officers and employees who are excluded from collective bargaining.

The Hawaii Fire Fighters Association and the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, AFL-CIO (AFSCME) testified in support of this bill. The Office of Collective Bargaining supported the intent of this measure.



Although no sums have been appropriated or authorized from the sources of funding indicated in this measure, your Committee believes that a vehicle for funding these collective bargaining cost items, including salary increases and other cost adjustments, should continue to advance in the Legislature.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Judiciary and Labor that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 1570, and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

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



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CLAYTON HEE, Chair



The Senate  
Twenty-Fourth Legislature  
State of Hawaii

**Record of Votes**  
**Committee on Judiciary and Labor**  
**JDL**

Bill / Resolution No.:*	Committee Referral:	Date:		
<i>HB 1570</i>	<i>JDL, WAM</i>	<i>3/15/07</i>		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure. If so, then the previous decision was to: _____				
The Recommendation is:				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312 <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311 <input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310 <input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
HEE, Clayton (C)	<i>/</i>			
KOKUBUN, Russell S. (VC)	<i>/</i>			
INOUE, Lorraine R.				<i>/</i>
NISHIHARA, Clarence K.	<i>/</i>			
GABBARD, Mike	<i>/</i>			
<b>TOTAL</b>	<i>4</i>			<i>1</i>
Recommendation:				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature:				
<i>Russell S. Kohl</i>				
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