

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

1545

Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 05 2007

RE: H.B. No. 910
H.D. 1
S.D. 1

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. 910, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE
STATEMENTS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to require members of the
Board of Agriculture, the Board of Land and Natural Resources, the
Board of Regents of the University of Hawaii, and the Hawaiian
Homes Commission to file public financial disclosure statements,
as opposed to confidential disclosure statements seen only by the
Hawaii State Ethics Commission.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure
from the Hawaii State Ethics Commission and the League of Women
Voters of Hawaii.

The Hawaii State Ethics Commission explained that reporting
requirements for members of boards vested with authority to run a
department ought to be consistent with requirements for department
heads for departments in the executive branch that are headed by a
single executive.



Your Committee has amended this measure by:

- (1) Replacing its contents with provisions of a similar measure, S.B. No. 1957, S.D. 1 (2007), Relating to Code of Ethics; and
- (2) Expanding the S.B. No. 1957, S.D. 1 list of boards and commissions whose members must file public financial disclosure statements to include the Board of Regents of the University of Hawaii.

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. 910, H.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 910, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

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

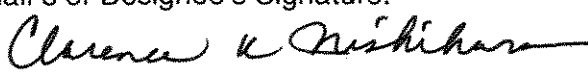


CLAYTON HEE, Chair



The Senate
 Twenty-Fourth Legislature
 State of Hawaii

Record of Votes
Committee on Judiciary and Labor
JDL

Bill / Resolution No.:*	Committee Referral:	Date:		
HB 910 HD1	JDL	3-28-07		
<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 type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312 <input checked="" 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)	✓			
KOKUBUN, Russell S. (VC)				✓
INOUYE, Lorraine R.				✓
NISHIHARA, Clarence K.	✓			
GABBARD, Mike	✓			
TOTAL	3			2
Recommendation:				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature:				
				
Distribution:				
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