

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

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Honolulu, Hawaii

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RE: S.B. No. 1968

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

Madam:

Your Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, to which was referred S.B. No. 1968 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII NATIONAL GUARD,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to allow active duty National Guard personnel stationed in Hawaii to deposit their paychecks by electronic transfer to their personal banking accounts.

Testimony in support of this measure was submitted by the Department of Defense, the Hawaii Army National Guard, the National Guard Association of Hawaii Insurance Trust, Hawaii National Guard Association, the Hawaii National Guard Enlisted Association, the Chamber of Commerce of Hawaii, and one individual.

Your Committee finds that allowing service members to deposit their paychecks by electronic transfer is more efficient and reduces the workload of manually processing and distributing paychecks to military personnel. It also reduces the possibility of paychecks becoming lost and allows service members to receive their paychecks more quickly without processing delays, and boosts the overall morale of our service members and their families.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 1968 and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

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Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Intergovernmental
and Military Affairs,


LORRAINE R. INOUE, Chair



The Senate
 Twenty-Fourth Legislature
 State of Hawaii

Record of Votes
Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs
IGM

Bill / Resolution No.:* <i>SB 1968</i>	Committee Referral: <i>Igm</i>	Date: <i>2/5/07</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
INOUE, Lorraine R. (C)	/			
TSUTSUI, Shan S. (VC)	/			
HEMMINGS, Fred				/
TOTAL	<i>2</i>			<i>1</i>
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: 				
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*Only one measure per Record of Votes