

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 1896

Honolulu, Hawaii

A-25, 2007

RE: S.B. No. 1447
S.D. 2
H.D. 2

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. 1447, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to make housekeeping amendments to implement laws relating to the Hawaii Public Housing Authority (HPHA) that were enacted during the Regular Session of 2006.

HPHA testified in support of this measure. The City and County (C&C) Department of Community Services (DCS) supported the intent of this measure.

A proposed draft was circulated for consideration prior to the hearing that replaces the contents of the measure with an appropriation to assist developers in contracting for third party review and certification to expedite the processing and issuance of grading, building, and ministerial permits for affordable housing projects, as defined by the Hawaii Housing Finance and Development Corporation (HHFDC). The proposed draft also contains an effective date of July 1, 2020, to encourage further discussion.

C&C DCS, C&C Department of Planning and Permitting, and Housing Hawaii testified in support of the proposed draft. HHFDC supported the intent of the proposed draft.

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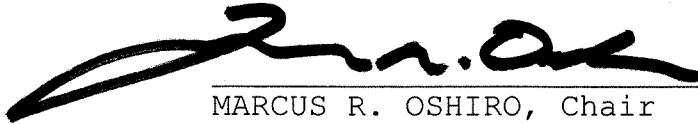


Your Committee has amended this bill by adopting the proposed draft and further amending it by:

- (1) Applying the appropriation only to third party reviews of building permit applications; and
- (2) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for clarity, consistency, and style.

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. 1447, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Third Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 1447, S.D. 2, H.D. 2.

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



MARCUS R. OSHIRO, Chair



State of Hawaii
House of Representatives
The Twenty-fourth Legislature

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Finance

Bill/Resolution No.: <i>SB 1447 SDR HD 2 1 mo</i>		Date: <i>April 3, 2007</i>		
Committee Referral: <i>HSH, FIN</i>		<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.		
The recommendation is to: <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments <input type="checkbox"/> Hold <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments, for recommittal for further consideration				
FIN Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. OSHIRO, Marcus R. (C)	✓			
2. LEE, Marilyn B. (VC)	✓			
3. BELATTI, Della Au	✓			
4. BROWER, Tom	✓			
5. CARROLL, Mele	✓			
6. CHONG, Pono	✓			
7. HANOHANO, Faye P.	✓			
8. HAR, Sharon E.	✓			
9. MAGAOAY, Michael Y.	✓			
10. MANAHAN, Joey	✓			
11. MIZUNO, John	✓			
12. NAKASONE, Bob	✓			
13. RHOADS, Karl	✓			
14. SAGUM, Roland D., III	✓			
15. TOKIOKA, James Kunane	✓			
16. AWANA, Karen Leinani	✓			
17. MEYER, Colleen Rose	✓			
18. WARD, Gene, Ph.D.				✓
TOTAL	<i>17</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>1</i>
The recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. <small>committee acronym(s)</small>				
<i>Marilyn B. Lee</i>				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
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