

Honolulu, Hawaii

April 24, 2008

RE: S.B. No. 2054  
S.D. 2  
H.D. 2  
C.D. 1

Honorable Colleen Hanabusa  
President of the Senate  
Twenty-Fourth State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2008  
State of Hawaii

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say  
Speaker, House of Representatives  
Twenty-Fourth State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2008  
State of Hawaii

Madam and Sir:

Your Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House of Representatives in S.B. No. 2054, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FAMILY COURT,"

having met, and after full and free discussion, has agreed to recommend and does recommend to the respective Houses the final passage of this bill in an amended form.

The purpose of this measure is to establish best interest of the child criteria to specify what factors the courts shall consider in making a custody or visitation determination concerning a minor child.

Your Committee on Conference has amended this measure by:

- (1) Changing the effective date to July 1, 2008; and
- (2) Making one technical, nonsubstantive amendment for the purposes of clarity and consistency.




As affirmed by the record of votes of the managers of your Committee on Conference that is attached to this report, your Committee on Conference is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 2054, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Final Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 2054, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1.


Respectfully submitted on behalf  
of the managers:

ON THE PART OF THE HOUSE

ON THE PART OF THE SENATE

  
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MAILE SHIMABUKURO, Co-Chair

  
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SUZANNE CHUN OAKLAND, Chair

  
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