

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

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Honolulu, Hawaii

Apr: 17, 2009

RE: H.R. No. 157

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say  
Speaker, House of Representatives  
Twenty-Fifth State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2009  
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred H.R. No. 157  
entitled:

"HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A TASK  
FORCE TO STUDY LANGUAGE ACCESSIBILITY WITHIN THE TOURISM  
INDUSTRY IN HAWAII,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this resolution is to request the  
establishment of a task force to study language accessibility  
within the tourism industry in Hawaii, particularly with regard to  
the anticipated increases in visitors from Korea and China, and  
for the task force to submit its findings and recommendations,  
including cost estimates and any necessary legislation, to the  
Legislature no later than 20 days prior to the convening of the  
Regular Session of 2010.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your  
Committee on Finance that is attached to this report, your  
Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of H.R. No. 157 and  
recommends its adoption.

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

*Marilyn B. Lee, VC for*  
MARCUS R. OSHIRO, Chair



