STAND. COM. REP. NO. 736

Honolulu, Hawaii

March 6, 2009

RE: H.B. No. 861 H.D. 1

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.B. No. 861 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to improve the voting process in elections by exempting the Office of Elections (OE) from certain procurement code and administrative rules requirements relating to cost pricing analyses.

OE testified in support of this bill. The Department of Accounting and General Services, State Procurement Office, and a concerned individual testified in opposition to this measure.

Your Committee has amended this bill by:

- (1) Changing its effective date to July 1, 2020, to encourage further discussion; 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 H.B. No. 861, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading

in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 861, H.D. 1, and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

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

MARCUS R. OSHIRO, Chair

State of Hawaii House of Representatives The Twenty-fifth Legislature

Record of Votes of the Committee on Finance

Bill/Resolution No.: HB 861	Committee Referral:	Date	Feb 盖	2009
☐ The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: Pass, unamended (as is) Pass, with amendments (HD) Hold Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)				
FIN Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. OSHIRO, Marcus R. (C)	V			
2. LEE, Marilyn B. (VC)	V			
3. AQUINO, Henry J.C.	V			
4. AWANA, Karen Leinani				
5. BROWER, Tom				
6. CHOY, Isaac W.	~			
7. COFFMAN, Denny				<u>ب</u>
8. HAR, Sharon E.	~			
9. KEITH-AGARAN, Gilbert S.C.				
10. LEE, Chris		~		
11. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y.				
12. SAGUM, Roland D., III				
13. TOKIOKA, James Kunane				~
14. WOOLEY, Jessica				
15. YAMASHITA, Kyle T.	l v			
16. PINE, Kymberly Marcos				
17. WARD, Gene		L		
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TOTAL (17)	11	4		2
The recommendation is: Adopted				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: Marf 3Lee				
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