

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

489

Honolulu, Hawaii

Feb 19, 2009

RE: H.B. No. 954

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Public Safety, to which was referred H.B. No. 954 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A MAJOR DISASTER RESERVE TRUST FUND, "

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to ensure that federal fund reimbursements for eligible disaster repair projects and disaster management costs received by the Department of Defense (DOD) are not subject to lapsing by requiring the Director of Finance to establish a major disaster reserve trust fund, including subaccounts for this trust fund and any other trust funds or accounts, where the federal fund reimbursements may be held for later use.

DOD supported this bill. The Department of Budget and Finance opposed this measure.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Public Safety that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 954 and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

HB954 HSCR PBS HMS 2009-2130



Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Public Safety,



FAYE MANOHANO, Chair



State of Hawaii
House of Representatives
The Twenty-fifth Legislature

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Public Safety

Bill/Resolution No.: HB 954	Committee Referral: PBS, FIN	Date: 2/12/09		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended (as is) <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments (HD) <input type="checkbox"/> Hold <input type="checkbox"/> Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)				
PBS Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. HANOHANO, Faye P. (C)	✓			
2. AQUINO, Henry J.C. (VC)	✓			
3. AWANA, Karen Leinani	✓			
4. KEITH-AGARAN, Gilbert S.C.				✓
5. LEE, Marilyn B.	✓			
6. NAKASHIMA, Mark M.	✓			
7. RHOADS, Karl	✓			
8. SAIKI, Scott K.	✓			
9. SOUKI, Joseph M.	✓			
10. TAKUMI, Roy M.				✓
11. YAMASHITA, Kyle T.	✓			
12. PINE, Kymberly Marcos				✓
TOTAL (12)	9			3
The recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. committee acronym(s)				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
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