

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 158

Honolulu, Hawaii

Feb 11, 2009

RE: H.B. No. 969

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. 969 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PRIVATE PRISON PERFORMANCE AUDIT,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to direct the Auditor to perform an audit of:

- (1) Private prisons housing Hawaii prisoners at Red Rock Correctional Center, Saguaro Correctional Center, and Otter Creek Correctional Center in the delivery of services and visitation; and
- (2) The Department of Public Safety's (PSD) monitoring of these contracts,

to ensure that Hawaii prisoners serving their sentences in Corrections Corporation of America facilities are receiving appropriate services.

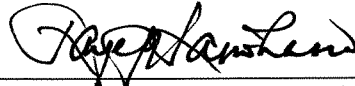
The Hawaii Government Employees Association; Drug Policy Forum; Community Alliance on Prisons; Hepatitis Prevention, Education, Treatment & Support Network of Hawaii Prisoner Reintegration and Family Reunification Program; American Civil Liberties Union of Hawaii; and several concerned individuals supported this bill. PSD opposed this measure.

HB969 HSCR PBS HMS 2009-1976



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. 969 and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Legislative Management.

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



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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**

<b>Bill/Resolution No.:</b> HB 969	<b>Committee Referral:</b> PBS , LMG , FIN	<b>Date:</b> 2/5/09		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
<b>The recommendation is to:</b> <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)				
<b>PBS Members</b>	<b>Ayes</b>	<b>Ayes (WR)</b>	<b>Nays</b>	<b>Excused</b>
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		✓		
<b>TOTAL (12)</b>	9	1		2
<b>The recommendation is:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. <div style="text-align: center; font-size: 10pt;">committee acronym(s)</div>				
<b>Vice Chair's or designee's signature:</b>				
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