

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

2045

Honolulu, Hawaii

FEB - 8 2010

RE: S.B. No. 2383

Honorable Colleen Hanabusa
President of the Senate
Twenty-Fifth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2010
State of Hawaii

Madam:

Your Committee on Labor, to which was referred S.B. No. 2383
entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISLOCATED WORKERS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to authorize the Department of
Labor and Industrial Relations to exercise enforcement powers
against an employer in a covered establishment in matters relating
to the notification and penalty provisions of section 394B-9,
Hawaii Revised Statutes.

Testimony in support of this measure was submitted by three
private organizations. Written testimony presented to the
Committee may be reviewed on the Legislature's website.

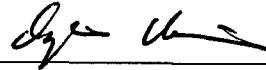
Your Committee finds that with the current economic recession
facing the State, many employers in a covered establishment are
separating from or closing their business without complying with
the requirements of section 394B-9, Hawaii Revised Statutes. Your
Committee also finds that providing the Department of Labor and
Industrial Relations with notification and penalty enforcement
powers will provide affected employees with an alternative means
to filing a grievance against their former employer in a covered
establishment.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your
Committee on Labor that is attached to this report, your Committee
is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 2383 and



recommends that it pass Second Reading and be referred to the
Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations.

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



DWIGHT Y. TAKAMINE, Chair



The Senate
 Twenty-Fifth Legislature
 State of Hawaii

Record of Votes
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| Bill / Resolution No.:* SB 2383 | Committee Referral: LBR 160 | Date: 2/2/10 | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure. If so, then the previous decision was to: _____ | | | | |
| The Recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312 <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311 <input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310 <input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313 | | | | |
| Members | Aye | Aye (WR) | Nay | Excused |
| TAKAMINE, Dwight Y. (C) | ✓ | | | |
| TANIGUCHI, Brian T. (VC) | ✓ | | | |
| BUNDA, Robert | | | | ✓ |
| HEE, Clayton | | | ✓ | ✓ |
| SLOM, Sam | | | ✓ | |
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| Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted | | | | |
| Chair's or Designee's Signature: | | | | |
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