

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

2402

Honolulu, Hawaii

FEB 26 2010

RE: S.B. No. 2389

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

Madam:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred S.B. No. 2389 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to allow the University of Hawaii to continue to finance the establishment of Hawaii commercial enterprises beyond June 30, 2011.

Your Committee received comments in support of this measure from the University of Hawaii. Written comments may be reviewed on the Legislature's website.

Your Committee finds that Act 106, Session Laws of Hawaii 2008, granted the University of Hawaii the flexibility to use university funding from various sources, other than general funds, to finance the establishment of new commercial enterprises. Your Committee also finds that preserving this flexibility is vital to maintaining a healthy and productive commercial enterprise system at the University. Currently, the amendment made in Act 106, Session Laws of Hawaii 2008, will be repealed on June 30, 2011. Your Committee believes that if the University of Hawaii's flexibility to finance the establishment of new commercial enterprises is not continued beyond that date, there will likely be significantly less funding available for the University to take advantage of new or unique commercial opportunities.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Ways and Means that is attached to this report, your

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Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B.
No. 2389 and recommends that it pass Third Reading.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Ways and Means,




DONNA MERCADO KIM, Chair



The Senate
Twenty-Fifth Legislature
State of Hawaii

Record of Votes
Committee on Ways and Means
WAM

Bill / Resolution No.:*	Committee Referral:	Date:		
SB 2389	HRE, WAM	2/16/10		
<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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> ST Pass, with amendments 2311 <input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310 <input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
KIM, Donna Mercado (C)	/			
TSUTSUI, Shan S. (VC)	/			
CHUN OAKLAND, Suzanne	/			
ENGLISH, J. Kalani				/
FUKUNAGA, Carol				/
GALUTERIA, Brickwood				/
HEE, Clayton				/
HOOSER, Gary L.	/			
KIDANI, Michelle N.	/			
KOKUBUN, Russell S.	/			
TOKUDA, Jill N.				/
HEMMINGS, Fred	/			
TOTAL	7	0	0	5
Recommendation:				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature:				
				
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