

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

1077

Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 07 2011

RE: H.B. No. 400

H.D. 1

Honorable Shan S. Tsutsui
President of the Senate
Twenty-Sixth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2011
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred H.B. No. 400, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BUDGET OF THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to appropriate funds for the operating budget of the Office of Hawaiian Affairs for fiscal years 2011-2012 and 2012-2013.

Your Committee received written comments in support of this measure from the Office of Hawaiian Affairs and Hardy Spoehr, Executive Director, Papa Ola Lokahi.

Your Committee finds that this measure, as amended by the House Committee on Finance, would reduce state general funds provided to the Office of Hawaiian Affairs by \$98,787 during each fiscal year of the biennium period 2011-2013. Your Committee understands that the Office of Hawaiian Affairs does not oppose the adjustments proposed in this measure, as the decrease has a direct correlation to the continued economic downturn as well as efforts by the State to reduce its significant operating deficit.

Your Committee supports the response by the Office of Hawaiian Affairs that limited resources must be used efficiently in challenging circumstances.



As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Ways and Means that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 400, H.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Third Reading.

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

David Y. Ige

DAVID Y. IGE, Chair



The Senate
Twenty-Sixth Legislature
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Bill / Resolution No.:* <i>HB 400, AD1</i>	Committee Referral: <i>HWM, WAM</i>	Date: <i>4-5-11</i>		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure. If so, then the previous decision was to: _____				
The Recommendation is: <i>mk</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311 <input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310 <input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
IGE, David Y. (C)	/			
KIDANI, Michelle N. (VC)	/			
CHUN OAKLAND, Suzanne	/			
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M.	/			
ENGLISH, J. Kalani	/			
ESPERO, Will	/			
FUKUNAGA, Carol	/			
KIM, Donna Mercado	/			
KAHELE, Gilbert	/			
KOUCHI, Ronald D.	/			
RYAN, Pohai	/			
TOKUDA, Jill N.	/			
WAKAI, Glenn	/			
SLOM, Sam		/		
TOTAL	13	1	0	0
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: <i>Michelle N. Kidani</i>				
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