

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

578

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 04 2011

RE: S.B. No. 1291
S.D. 2

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary and Labor, to which was referred
S.B. No. 1291, S.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD PROTECTIVE ACT COURT
PROCEEDINGS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to ensure that
Child Protective Act hearings held in accordance with chapter
587A, Hawaii Revised Statutes, are consistent with federal Social
Security Act Title IV-E provisions so that Hawaii remains eligible
for approximately \$40,000,000 in annual federal funding.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure
from The Judiciary, Department of the Attorney General, and
Department of Human Services.

Your Committee finds that it is necessary to make technical,
clarifying changes to chapter 587A, Hawaii Revised Statutes, to
further ensure consistency in practice and compliance with federal
Title IV-E requirements and to remove any unintended ambiguity
under current state law.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

- (1) Inserting an effective date of July 1, 2050, to allow
for further discussion; and



- (2) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for the purposes of clarity and consistency.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Judiciary and Labor that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 1291, S.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Third Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 1291, S.D. 2.

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

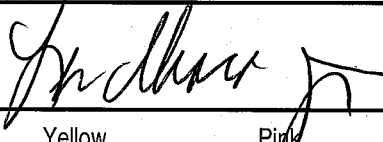


CLAYTON HEE, Chair



The Senate
 Twenty-Sixth Legislature
 State of Hawai'i

Record of Votes
Committee on Judiciary and Labor
JDL

Bill / Resolution No.:*	Committee Referral:	Date:		
SB1291, SDI	HMS, JDL	3-1-11		
<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 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
HEE, Clayton (C)	✓			
SHIMABUKURO, Maile (VC)				✓
GABBARD, Mike	✓			
IHARA, Jr., Les	✓			
SLOM, Sam				✓
TOTAL	3	0	0	2
Recommendation:				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature:				
				
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