

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

2846

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 19 2012

RE: H.B. No. 2410

H.D. 1

Honorable Shan S. Tsutsui  
President of the Senate  
Twenty-Sixth State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2012  
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Public Safety, Government Operations, and Military Affairs, to which was referred H.B. No. 2410, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MILITARY,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to require the Governor, on behalf of the State, to enter into a memorandum of understanding with the United States Department of Defense to enhance the State's relationship with the military and provide continued support for the military's presence in Hawaii.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from The Chamber of Commerce of Hawaii; Military Officers Association of America, Hawaii Chapter; and one individual. Testimony in opposition was received from one individual.

Budget debates and actions being considered by the United States Congress and defense officials in the Pentagon have prompted defense communities to expedite the adoption of measures to protect existing military bases from closure or force realignments that result in decreasing military presence. Your Committee finds that this measure will bolster the defense industry stationed in the islands against increased competition from other defense communities throughout the United States.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Public Safety, Government Operations, and Military

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Affairs that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 2410, H.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Respectfully submitted on  
behalf of the members of the  
Committee on Public Safety,  
Government Operations, and  
Military Affairs,

*Will Espero*

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WILL ESPERO, Chair



The Senate  
Twenty-Sixth Legislature  
State of Hawai'i

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**Committee on Public Safety, Government Operations, and**  
**Military Affairs**  
**PGM**

Bill / Resolution No.:* <b>HB 2410, HD1</b>	Committee Referral: <b>PGM, WAM</b>	Date: <b>3-13-12</b>		
<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
ESPERO, Will (C)	/			
KIDANI, Michelle N. (VC)	/			
BAKER, Rosalyn H.	/			
RYAN, Pohai	/			
SLOM, Sam				/
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: <div style="text-align:center; font-family: cursive; font-size: 1.2em;">Michelle N. Kidani</div>				
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