

Honolulu, Hawaii

March 2, 2012

RE: H.B. No. 2452

H.D. 2

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say
Speaker, House of Representatives
Twenty-Sixth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2012
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred H.B. No. 2452, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NOTARIES PUBLIC,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to clarify and improve the notary process by:

- (1) Clarifying the information that shall be inscribed on notary seals; and
- (2) Increasing the fees for issuing an initial notary commission and to renew a notary commission.

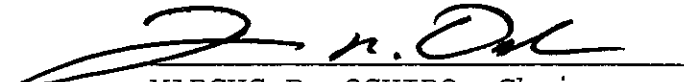
The Department of the Attorney General testified in support of this measure.

Your Committee has amended this measure by making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for clarity, consistency, and style.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Finance that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 2452, H.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Third Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 2452, H.D. 2.



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


MARCUS R. OSHIRO, Chair



