

Honolulu, Hawaii

March 2, 2012

RE: H.B. No. 626

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. 626
entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII UNIFORM
COLLABORATIVE LAW ACT,"

begs leave to report as follows:

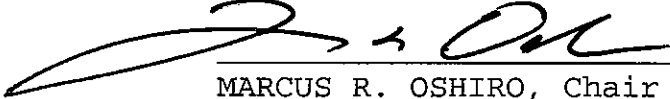
The purpose of this measure is to enact the Uniform
Collaborative Law Act, which authorizes a potential litigant to
enter into an agreement to attempt to resolve the dispute without
using the courts.

The Commission to Promote Uniform Legislation testified in
support of this measure. The Supreme Court Standing Committee on
the Rules of Evidence provided comments.

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. 626
and recommends that it pass Third Reading.



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


MARCUS R. OSHIRO, Chair



