

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 439

Honolulu, Hawaii
Feb 18, 2011

RE: H.B. No. 98
H.D. 1

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say
Speaker, House of Representatives
Twenty-Sixth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2011
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Economic Revitalization & Business, to which was referred H.B. No. 98 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TOBACCO,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to make it unlawful for minors to possess or use tobacco products, excepting minors engaged in delivery of tobacco products for an employer lawfully engaged in business necessitating that delivery, among other exceptions. In addition to a fine, the bill also provides that a minor may be required to perform community service for a subsequent offense.

The Honolulu Police Department and Democratic Party of Hawaii submitted testimony in support of this bill. The American Cancer Society supported the intent of this measure.

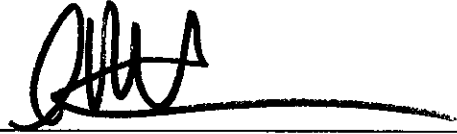
Your Committee has amended this measure by changing its effective date to July 1, 2112, to encourage further discussion.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Economic Revitalization & Business that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 98, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 98, H.D. 1, and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

HB98 HD1 HSCR ERB HMS 2011-2217



Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Economic
Revitalization & Business,



ANGUS L.K. MCKELVEY, Chair



State of Hawaii
House of Representatives
The Twenty-sixth Legislature

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Economic Revitalization & Business

Bill/Resolution No.: HB 98	Committee Referral: ERB, JUD	Date: 2/10/11		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended (as is) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments (HD) <input type="checkbox"/> Hold <input type="checkbox"/> Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)				
ERB Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. McKELVEY, Angus L.K. (C)	✓			
2. CHOY, Isaac W. (VC)	✓			
3. AWANA, Karen L.	✓			
4. BROWER, Tom	✓			
5. EVANS, Cindy	✓			
6. HASHEM, Mark J.	✓			
7. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y.	✓			<i>angju Chy</i>
8. TOKIOKA, James Kunane				✓
9. TSUJI, Clift	✓			
10. MARUMOTO, Barbara C.	✓			
11. PINE, Kymerly Marcos	✓			
TOTAL (11)	10	Ø	Ø	1
The recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. <div style="text-align: center; font-size: 10pt;">committee acronym(s)</div>				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: _____ <div style="text-align: center; font-size: 24pt; font-family: cursive;">Isaac W. Choy</div>				
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