GM771 MYOUNG OH

Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Boxing

Measure Title:

Commission of Hawai'i, Gubernatorial Nominee, MYOUNG OH, for a

term to expire 6-30-2016.

Report Title:

State Boxing Commission of Hawai'i

Description:

Companion:

Package:

Current Referral: CPN

Introducer(s):

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3/9/2012	S	Received.
3/9/2012	S	Referred to CPN.
3/19/2012	S	The committee(s) on CPN has scheduled a public hearing on 04-03-12 9:30AM in conference room 229.



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TO THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON

TWENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE REGULAR SESSION OF 2012

COMMERCE AND CONSUMER PROTECTION

Tuesday, April 3, 2012 9:30 a.m.

TESTIMONY ON GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE NO. 771 MYOUNG OH

WRITTEN ONLY

TO THE HONORABLE ROSALYN H. BAKER, CHAIR, AND MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE:

My name is Keali'i S. Lopez, and I am the Director of Commerce and Consumer Affairs ("DCCA" or the "Department"). The Department appreciates the opportunity to provide testimony in support of Governor's Message No. 771 regarding the appointment of Myoung Oh to the Board of Boxing Commission ("Board"). The Department respectfully requests the Committee to recommend that the Senate advise and consent this appointment to the Board.

KEALI'I S. LOPEZ DIRECTOR Mr. Oh has served as Government Affairs Director for the Hawaii Association of Realtors (HAR) since 2008. In that capacity, Mr. Oh is responsible for developing and implementing a governmental affairs program for HAR and executes strategies built and approved by HAR's Board of Directors.

Mr. Oh has attended many meetings of the State Real Estate Commission and is very familiar with the how board meetings are run. Mr. Oh's diverse background and his familiarity with regulatory issues will greatly assist the Boxing Commission in its oversight function.

In light of his background, I am confident that if given the opportunity, Mr.

Myoung will prove to be an asset to the State and to this Board. I respectfully request the Committee recommend that the Senate advise and consent to this appointment.

Thank you for this opportunity to testify.

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April 3, 2012

Senator Rosalyn H. Baker, Chair Senate Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection State Capitol, Room 229 415 South Beretania Street Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

RE: G.M. 771, Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Boxing Commission of Hawai'i, Gubernatorial Nominee, MYOUNG OH, for a term to expire 6-30-2016.

HEARING: Tuesday, April 3, 2012 at 9:30 a.m.

Aloha Chair Baker, Vice Chair Taniguchi and Members of the Committee:

I am Craig K. Hirai here to testify in **support** of the confirmation of Myoung Oh as a member of the State Boxing Commission of Hawaii.

I have known Mr. Oh for many years in his capacity as the Director of Government Affairs of the Hawaii Association of Realtors and believe that his knowledge of state government, legislation, and regulation under the umbrella of the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs would make him a valuable addition to the State Boxing Commission of Hawaii.

I therefore urge you to confirm Mr. Oh's appointment to the State Boxing Commission of Hawaii.

Mahalo for the opportunity to submit testimony.

Sincerely yours,

CRAIG K. HIRAI

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April 3, 2012

Senate Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection

Testimony in support of GM 771

Myoung Oh

Chair Baker and committee members:

My name is Alan Takemoto and I am in support of GM 771 - Mr. Myoung Oh for your consideration and confirmation to the State Boxing Commission of Hawaii.

As I have worked with Myoung Oh on many business related issues, I have grown to know Myoung for his hard work and dedication in representing the Hawaii Association of Realtors. I am confident that he will translate his work ethics and knowledge to the Boxing Commission as a fair and balance commissioner. Having a person like Myoung will provide a fresh perspective on the business of boxing and the safety and welfare of those that are involved.

I support and urge the passage of GM 771 for your confirmation of Myoung Oh for the State Boxing Commission. Thank you.

March 29, 2012

TO:

Senator Rosalyn H. Baker, Chair

Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection

SUBJECT:

In Support of Myoung Oh's Confirmation to the State Boxing

Commission

I am in support of the confirmation of Myoung Oh to the State Boxing Commission.

In my capacity as the Executive Director of the Hawaii Bankers Association, I have had the opportunity to work with Myoung. In our dealings I have found him to be ethical, fair, respectful, and knowledgeable.

Myoung should bring an unbiased view in dealing with matters brought before the commission. I would expect him to be a tireless advocate for the betterment of the sport of boxing.

His integrity will be a great asset in making sound and thoughtful decisions in his role as a commissioner.

It is my pleasure to support Myoung's confirmation.

Mahalo

Gary Fujitani

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The Honorable Rosalyn H. Baker, Chair

Senate Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection State Capitol, Room 229 Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

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Aloha Chair Baker, Vice-Chair Taniguchi, and Members of the Committee:

I am humbled to have been given an opportunity to serve on a board that strives for sportsmanlike manner with ethical business conduct. While I have no vested interest nor a conflict of interest by serving on this Board, I believe I am capable of providing input from an out-of-the-box perspective.

The Board is responsible to uphold fair play and honesty in the sport. While entertainment is a byproduct, the role of the board is to ensure the health and safety for all players, financial obligations are met by promoters, and that licensees are qualified to participate and enforce rules surrounding contests.

I intend to work cooperatively with the Executive Director and fellow board members for the betterment of the sport. My personal attributes and education give me skills to succeed and I ask for your support of my appointment to the Hawaii Boxing Commission.

Mahalo.

Myoung Oh