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ABRAHAM PACHECO

Measure Title: Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Boxing Commission of Hawai'i, Gubernatorial Nominee, ABRAHAM PACHECO, for a term to expire 6-30-2015.

Report Title: State Boxing Commission of Hawai'i

Description:

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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
COMMERCE AND CONSUMER PROTECTION

TWENTY-SIXTH STATE LEGISLATURE
REGULAR SESSION, 2012

TUESDAY, APRIL 3, 2012
9:30 A.M.

TESTIMONY ON GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE NO. 772
ABRAHAM PACHECO

WRITTEN ONLY

TO THE HONORABLE ROSALYN H. BAKER, CHAIR,
AND TO THE HONORABLE BRIAN T. TANIGUCHI, VICE 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. 772, regarding the appointment of ABRAHAM PACHECO to the State Boxing Commission of Hawaii. The Department respectfully requests the Committee to recommend that the Senate advise and consent to his appointment to the Commission.

Abraham Pacheco was appointed to the Commission on July 20, 2011, as an interim appointee. He is currently the Chairperson. Since his appointment, Mr. Pacheco has presided over two Commission meetings.

His personal statement when applying for the Boxing Commission was "to ensure honesty, safety, and fair play for the enjoyment of the sport of boxing for all." His experience in the boxing arena spans over forty years of training, officiating, and judging professional and amateur boxing events locally, nationally, and internationally.

He is a former International Boxing Federation ("IBF") Official, having served as a referee and a judge. He has over twenty-five years of experience with the IBF, having officiated thirty-five World Title fights.

Considering his extensive experience, I am confident that when confirmed, Mr. Pacheco will prove to be an asset to the State through his service on the Boxing Commission. I respectfully request the Committee recommend that the Senate advise and consent to Mr. Pacheco's appointment.

Thank you for this opportunity to testify.

TESTIMONY
of
Jake Manegdeg

SUBJECT: CONFIRMATION OF ABRAHAM PACHECO TO THE HAWAII STATE
BOXING COMMISSION, TERM TO EXPIRE 6-30-2015

TO: Senator Rosalyn Baker, Chair
Senator Brian T. Taniguchi, Vice Chair, and Members of the
Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection

My name is Jake Manegdeg, an ardent supporter and fan of the sports of boxing.

I am testifying in support of the confirmation of Abraham Pacheco to be a member to the State Boxing Commission of Hawaii.

Abraham Pacheco has many years of experience in the sport of boxing. He offers over forty (40) years of knowledge in the area of training, officiating and judging both amateur and professional boxing events. He had officiated thirty (35) Five World Title fights under the International Boxing Federation (IBF), locally, Nationally and Internationally.

Abraham Pacheco has good knowledge and experiences in the of the rules and regulations of boxing of both professional and amateur levels.

His knowledge in the sports of boxing Abraham Pacheco will be valuable member of the Hawaii Boxing Commission.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify in support to the confirmation of Abraham Pacheco to the Hawaii State Boxing Commission.

Jake Manegdeg