

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

1305

Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 05 2013

RE: H.B. No. 1163
S.D. 1

Honorable Donna Mercado Kim
President of the Senate
Twenty-Seventh State Legislature
Regular Session of 2013
State of Hawaii

Madam:

Your Committees on Judiciary and Labor and Ways and Means, to which was referred H.B. No. 1163 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS,"

beg leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to provide a legislative vehicle to appropriate unspecified employer contribution amounts to cover Hawaii Employer-Union Health Benefits Trust Fund health benefit plan premiums for public employees in collective bargaining unit (3) and their excluded counterparts for fiscal biennium 2013-2015.

Prior to the hearing on this measure, your Committees made available a proposed S.D. 1 for review and comment. The proposed S.D. 1 amends this measure by deleting its contents and inserting language to provide a legislative vehicle to appropriate unspecified employer contribution amounts to cover Hawaii Employer-Union Health Benefits Trust Fund health benefit plan premiums for public employees in collective bargaining unit (10) and their excluded counterparts for fiscal biennium 2013-2015.

Your Committees received testimony in support of this measure from the Department of Budget and Finance and United Public Workers, AFSCME Local 646, AFL-CIO.

Your Committees find that the negotiations for collective bargaining agreements for bargaining unit (10) are currently in

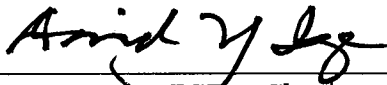


progress. The proposed S.D. 1 provides a legislative vehicle that can be used if an agreement is reached or an arbitration award is issued prior to the end of the 2013 Regular Session.

Your Committees have amended this measure by adopting the proposed S.D. 1 and amending it further by inserting an effective date of July 1, 2050, to encourage further discussion.

As affirmed by the records of votes of the members of your Committees on Judiciary and Labor and Ways and Means that are attached to this report, your Committees are in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 1163, as amended herein, and recommend that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 1163, S.D. 1, and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committees on Judiciary and
Labor and Ways and Means,



DAVID Y. IGE, Chair




CLAYTON HEE, Chair



The Senate
 Twenty-Seventh Legislature
 State of Hawai'i

Record of Votes
Committee on Judiciary and Labor
JDL

Bill / Resolution No.:* HB 1163,	Committee Referral: JDL/WAM	Date: 03-27-2013		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure. If so, then the previous decision was to: _____				
The Recommendation is: <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311 <input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310 <input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
HEE, Clayton (C)	✓			
SHIMABUKURO, Maile S.L. (VC)	✓			
GABBARD, Mike	✓			
IHARA, Jr., Les				✓
SLOM, Sam			✓	
TOTAL	3	0	1	1
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: 				
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*Only one measure per Record of Votes

