

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 609

Honolulu, Hawaii
, 2013

RE: H.B. No. 434

Honorable Joseph M. Souki
Speaker, House of Representatives
Twenty-Seventh State Legislature
Regular Session of 2013
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred H.B. No. 434
entitled:

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

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to authorize and appropriate
funds for cost items for public officers and employees in
collective bargaining unit (6) and their excluded counterparts,
including Hawaii Employer-Union Health Benefits Trust fund
benefits costs, for fiscal biennium 2013-2015.

Testimony in support of this measure was submitted by the
Department of Budget and Finance.

Your Committee finds that this measure serves as a vehicle to
authorize and appropriate funds for collective bargaining unit (6)
cost items that are currently under negotiation, in the event the
parties come to an agreement or an arbitration award is issued for
the cost items prior to the end of the regular session of 2013.

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. 434
and recommends that it pass Third Reading.



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



SYLVIA LUKE, Chair



