

Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 23 2013

RE: S.B. No. 84  
H.D. 2  
C.D. 1

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

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

Madam and Sir:

Your Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House of Representatives in S.B. No. 84, H.D. 2, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC HOUSING,"

having met, and after full and free discussion, has agreed to recommend and does recommend to the respective Houses the final passage of this bill in an amended form.

The purpose of this measure is to amend the definition of "public housing project" to correspond to the federal Department of Housing and Urban Development's definition of housing that may be administered by the Hawaii Public Housing Authority; provided that state low-income housing projects are excluded from the definition.

Your Committee on Conference finds that the current definition of the term "public housing project" in section 356D-1, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is inaccurate and overly limiting for the purposes of the federal low-income public housing program. Under the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development regulations, public housing agencies are authorized to administer a variety of federally assisted housing beyond simply "public housing". Since



the Hawaii Public Housing Authority is the only public housing agency in the State, the definition of "public housing" should correspond to the Department of Housing and Urban Development's definition of housing that may be administered by a public housing agency.

Your Committee on Conference has amended this measure by changing the effective date to upon its approval.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the managers of your Committee on Conference that is attached to this report, your Committee on Conference is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 84, H.D. 2, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Final Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 84, H.D. 2, C.D. 1.

Respectfully submitted on behalf  
of the managers:

ON THE PART OF THE HOUSE

ON THE PART OF THE SENATE

  
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RIDA T.R. CABANILLA, Co-Chair

  
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SUZANNE CHUN OAKLAND, Chair

  
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JUSTIN H. WOODSON, Co-Chair



Hawaii State Legislature

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Record of Votes of a  
Conference Committee

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The recommendation of the House and Senate managers is to pass with amendments (CD).

The Committee is reconsidering its previous decision.

<input type="checkbox"/> The recommendation of the Senate Manager(s) is to AGREE to the House amendments made to the Senate Measure	<input type="checkbox"/> The recommendation of the House Manager(s) is to AGREE to the Senate amendments made to the House Measure.
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Senate Managers	A	WR	N	E	House Managers	A	WR	N	E
CHUN OAKLAND, Suzanne, Chr.	✓				CABANILLA, Rida T.R., Co-Chr.	✓			
GREEN, Josh				✓	WOODSON, Justin H., Co-Chr.	✓			
KIDANI, Michelle N.	✓				CARROLL, Mele	✓			
TANIGUCHI, Brian T.	✓				WARD, Gene	✓			
SLOM, Sam				✓					
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

A = Aye      WR = Aye with Reservations      N = Nay      E = Excused

Senate Recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted	House Recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted
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Senate Lead Chair's or Designee's Signature: 	House Lead Chair's or Designee's Signature: 
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