

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

1090

Honolulu, Hawaii

March 21, 2013

RE: S.B. No. 904

S.D. 1

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Labor & Public Employment, to which was referred S.B. No. 904, S.D. 1, 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 provide a legislative means to fund a pending arbitration award for Hawaii Employer-Union Health Benefits Trust Fund costs for employees in collective bargaining unit (9) and their excluded counterparts for the fiscal biennium 2011-2013.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Hawaii Government Employees Association. The Department of Budget and Finance submitted comments on the measure.

Your Committee finds that the State and the exclusive representative of collective bargaining unit (9) entered into binding arbitration regarding Hawaii Employer-Union Health Benefits Trust Fund cost items for fiscal biennium 2011-2013 and that this measure is necessary to appropriate funds for the expected costs of that award.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Labor & Public Employment that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of



S.B. No. 904, S.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Respectfully submitted on  
behalf of the members of the  
Committee on Labor & Public  
Employment,



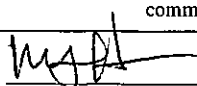
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MARK M. NAKASHIMA, Chair



State of Hawaii  
House of Representatives  
The Twenty-seventh Legislature

Record of Votes of the Committee on Labor & Public Employment

Bill/Resolution No.: <b>SB 904, SD 1</b>	Committee Referral: <b>LAB, FIN</b>	Date: <b>3/15/13</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended (as is) <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments (HD) <input type="checkbox"/> Hold <input type="checkbox"/> Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)				
LAB Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. NAKASHIMA, Mark M. (C)	/			
2. HASHEM, Mark J. (VC)	/			
3. AQUINO, Henry J.C.	/			
4. ICHIYAMA, Linda	/			
5. ING, Kaniela	/			
6. TAKUMI, Roy M.	/			
7. YAMANE, Ryan I.				/
8. YAMASHITA, Kyle T.	/			
9. JOHANSON, Aaron Ling	/			
<b>TOTAL (9)</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>
The recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. <small>committee acronym(s)</small>				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: <u></u>				
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