

Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 26 2013

RE: S.B. No. 909
S.D. 1
H.D. 1
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. 909, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled:

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

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 appropriate funds for Hawaii Employer-Union Health Benefits Trust Fund costs contained in the agreement negotiated with the exclusive bargaining representative for the public employees in bargaining unit (13) and their excluded counterparts belonging to the same compensation plans for fiscal biennium 2013-2015.

Your Committee on Conference finds that this measure is necessary to provide a legislative vehicle to fund the aforementioned cost items.



Upon further consideration, your Committee on Conference has amended this measure by:

- (1) Adding additional sections to appropriate funds for salary increases;
- (2) Inserting funding provisions for collective bargaining cost items for state employees in collective bargaining unit (13), and their excluded counterparts, who are assigned to the Judiciary and Hawaii Health Systems Corporation;
- (3) Earmarking amounts appropriated to the Department of Education for its employees;
- (4) Inserting specific amounts and additional means of financing categories from which moneys are appropriated or authorized to be used for the purposes of this measure; and
- (5) Changing the effective date to July 1, 2013.

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. 909, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Final Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 909, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1.

Respectfully submitted on behalf
of the managers:

ON THE PART OF THE HOUSE



MARK M. NAKASHIMA, Co-Chair



SYLVIA LUKE, Co-Chair

ON THE PART OF THE SENATE



CLAYTON LEE, Chair



DAVID Y. IGE, Co-Chair



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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.

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Senate Managers	A	WR	N	E	House Managers	A	WR	N	E
HEE, Clayton, Chr.	✓				NAKASHIMA, Mark M., Co-Chr.	✓			
IGE, David Y., Co-Chr.	✓				LUKE, Sylvia, Co-Chr.	✓			
IHARA, Les, Jr.				✓	TAKUMI, Roy M.	✓			
KOUCHI, Ronald D.				✓	JOHANSON, Aaron Ling	✓			
SHIMABUKURO, Maile S.L.	✓								
TOTAL	3			2	TOTAL	4			

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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