

Honolulu, Hawaii

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RE: S.C.R. No. 41
S.D. 1

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

Madam:

Your Committee on Economic Development, Government Operations
and Housing, to which was referred S.C.R. No. 41 entitled:

"SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE EXTENSION OF THE
GOVERNMENT CONTRACTING TASK FORCE TO DEVELOP RECOMMENDATIONS
TO ADDRESS ISSUES THAT AFFECT PROCUREMENT FOR GOODS AND
SERVICES PURCHASED THROUGH NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS, INCLUDING
HUMAN SERVICE NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS THAT DELIVER PIVOTAL
GOODS AND SERVICES TO INDIVIDUALS, FAMILIES, COMMUNITIES, AND
OTHER SMALL BUSINESSES,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to extend the
government contracting task force to June 30, 2013, so that it may
finalize and submit its 2012 interim report to the Legislature, to
include the following:

- (1) A report on the task force's study of state contracting
processes;
- (2) Recommendations to standardize and simplify the state
contracting process between private parties and certain
state agencies; and
- (3) An evaluation of the "dashboard" demonstration project
involving certain state agencies.



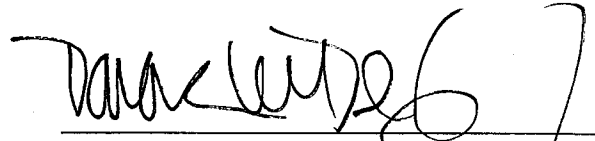
Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from The Chamber of Commerce of Hawaii and Hawaii Alliance of Nonprofit Organizations.

Your Committee finds that the task force has been meeting since the summer of 2011 and has made considerable progress. Due to the complexity of the issues it was created to address, however, the task force needs more time to resolve the issues to the satisfaction of all parties involved. Your Committee finds that with an extension, the task force plans to concentrate on higher systemic issues including contracting and payment processes; communication; technology; accountability; transparency; and education and training.

Your Committee has amended this measure by making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for the purposes of clarity and consistency.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Economic Development, Government Operations and Housing that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of S.C.R. No. 41, as amended herein, and recommends that it be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, in the form attached hereto as S.C.R. No. 41, S.D. 1.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Economic
Development, Government
Operations and Housing,

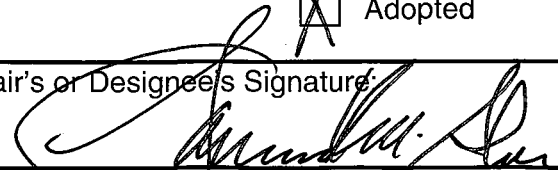


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Record of Votes
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Bill / Resolution No.:* SCR 41	Committee Referral: EGH, WAM	Date: 3/25/13		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure. If so, then 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
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M. (C)	X			
SLOM, Sam (VC)	X			
BAKER, Rosalyn H.	X			
CHUN OAKLAND, Suzanne	X			
ENGLISH, J. Kalani				X
THIELEN, Laura H.	X			
WAKAI, Glenn	X			
TOTAL	6	0	0	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