STAND. COM. REP. NO.

Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 0 3 2014

RE: H.B. No. 2243

> H.D. 1 S.D. 1

Honorable Donna Mercado Kim President of the Senate Twenty-Seventh State Legislature Regular Session of 2014 State of Hawaii

## Madam:

Your Committee on Judiciary and Labor, to which was referred H.B. No. 2243, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD CHECKS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to allow qualified entities to request state and national fingerprint-based criminal history record checks on their applicants, employees, and volunteers who provide care for children, vulnerable adults, or individuals with disabilities, and to receive the results directly.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Department of the Attorney General and Department of Human Services.

Your Committee finds that Section 5119a of the National Child Protection Act of 1993, Public Law No. 103-209, as amended, authorizes public, private, nonprofit, or for-profit entities to submit requests for fingerprint-based criminal history record checks on their applicants, employees, and volunteers who provide care to children, vulnerable adults, or individuals with disabilities. Generally, an authorized government agency must receive the results and make the suitability determination. measure will allow information to be provided directly to a non-governmental agency upon receipt of a waiver from the

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individual on whom the criminal history record check is being run. Your Committee finds that this measure will allow Hawaii's qualified entities to make better and faster decisions in situations that may affect the safety and well-being of Hawaii's children, the elderly, and individuals with disabilities.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Judiciary and Labor that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 2243, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Third Reading.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor,

CLAYTON HEE, Chair

## The Senate Twenty-Seventh Legislature State of Hawai'i

## Record of Votes Committee on Judiciary and Labor JDL

Bill / Resolution No.:*  AB2243 HDISDI	Committee Referral:		Date: 3/25/14		
The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure.					
If so, then the previous decision was to:					
The Recommendation is:					
Pass, unamended Pass, with amendments Hold Recommit 2312 2311 2310 2313					
Members		Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
HEE, Clayton (C)					
SHIMABUKURO, Maile S.L. (VC)					
GABBARD, Mike				_	
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Recommendation:  Adopted			Not Adopted		
Chair's or Designee's Signature:					
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