

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

661

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 01 2013

RE: S.B. No. 1118
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 Ways and Means, to which was referred S.B. No. 1118 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to provide that the salaries of certain Hawaii Public Housing Authority key executive management personnel are subject to the compensation limitations established by the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development.

Your Committee finds that the Hawaii Public Housing Authority is funded primarily through federal funding or rental receipts, including the salaries of Authority employees. Current state law establishing the salaries of key employees inhibits the hiring of qualified personnel with skills and expertise that would assist the Authority in fulfilling its duties and responsibilities. Not only will this measure enable the Authority to attract and retain qualified personnel, it will allow the Authority's Board of Directors to satisfy federal requirements, including providing certification to the federal Department of Housing and Urban Development that the salary of the executive director was established pursuant to a mandatory comparable salary study.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:



- (1) Changing the effective date to July 1, 2050, to encourage further discussion on the measure; and
- (2) Making technical nonsubstantive amendments for clarity, consistency, and style.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Ways and Means that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 1118, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Third Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 1118, S.D. 1.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Ways and Means,



DAVID Y. IGE, Chair



The Senate
 Twenty-Seventh Legislature
 State of Hawai'i

Record of Votes
Committee on Ways and Means
WAM

Bill / Resolution No.:* SB1118	Committee Referral: HMS, WAM	Date: 2-22-13		
<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
IGE, David Y. (C)	✓			
KIDANI, Michelle N. (VC)	✓			
CHUN OAKLAND, Suzanne	✓			
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M.	✓			
ENGLISH, J. Kalani	✓			
ESPERO, Will	✓			
KAHELE, Gilbert	✓			
KEITH-AGARAN, Gilbert S.C.	✓			
KOUCHI, Ronald D.				✓
RUDERMAN, Russell E.	✓			
THIELEN, Laura H.	✓			
TOKUDA, Jill N.	✓			
SLOM, Sam	✓			
TOTAL	12	0	0	1
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: <i>Michelle N. Kidani</i>				
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