

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

175

Honolulu, Hawaii

FEB 11 2013

RE: S.B. No. 437
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 Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, to which was referred S.B. No. 437 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to authorize the liquor commissions to conduct alcohol abuse treatment and prevention activities and include license fees as a funding mechanism for the treatment and activities.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the County Council, County of Maui; the Hawaii Substance Abuse Coalition; and two individuals. Your Committee received testimony in opposition to this measure from the Honolulu Liquor Commission and the Hawaii Food Industry Association.

Your Committee finds that the prevention of alcohol abuse is a critically important public need and that effective programs to address alcohol abuse require adequate funding; therefore, it is appropriate to allocate revenues generated from liquor license fees to programs designed to prevent and treat alcohol abuse.

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

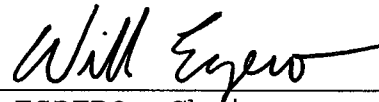
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that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 437, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 437, S.D. 1, and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Public Safety,
Intergovernmental and Military
Affairs,




WILL ESPERO, Chair



The Senate
 Twenty-Seventh Legislature
 State of Hawai'i

Record of Votes
Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs
PSM

Bill / Resolution No.:*	Committee Referral:	Date:
SB 437	PSM, WAM	2-5-2013
<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	
ESPERO, Will (C)	✓	
BAKER, Rosalyn H. (VC)	✓	
GALUTERIA, Brickwood		✓
GREEN, Josh	✓	
SLOM, Sam		✓
TOTAL	3	-
-	-	2
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted		
Chair's or Designee's Signature: 		
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