



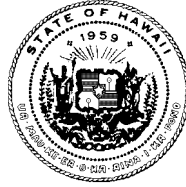
GM 553

VIVIAN LANDRUM

Measure Title: Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Rehabilitation Council, Gubernatorial Nominee, VIVIAN LANDRUM, for a term to expire 6-30-2017.

Report Title: State Rehabilitation Council

Current Referral: HMS



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MEMORANDUM:

TO: Senator Suzanne Chun Oakland, Chair
Senate Committee on Human Services

FROM: Patricia McManaman, Director

SUBJECT: **G.M. 553 - Gubernatorial Nomination of Vivian Landrum to the State Rehabilitation Council**

Hearing: Thursday, March 27, 2014; 1:15 p.m.
Conference Room 016, State Capitol

The Department of Human Services (DHS) supports the nomination of Ms. Vivian Landrum to the State Rehabilitation Council (SRC).

Ms. Landrum is seeking reappointment for her second term to the SRC. Ms. Landrum brings to the Council over 20 years of business experience in Hawaii through her work as the Executive Director of the Kailua Kona Chamber of Commerce. Her personal commitment to individuals with disabilities is rooted in her relationship with her step-son who is an adult with a significant disability. Her focus is promoting employment opportunities for disabled persons which enhances self esteem and contributes to our social fabric.

Ms. Landrum's knowledge of Hawaii's labor market coupled with her ability to engage employers enables her to promote and advocate for expanded job opportunities for disabled persons.

Ms. Landrum will provide representation to the SRC for Business and Labor Industries and Hawai'i County.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide testimony to this Committee.