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A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE AEROSPACE ADVISORY COMMITTEE.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

1 SECTION 1. Section 201-72.5, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended by amending subsection (a) to read as follows:

3 "(a) There is established an aerospace advisory committee
4 within the office of aerospace development of the department of
5 business, economic development, and tourism for administrative
6 purposes. The committee shall be composed of [~~fifteen~~] thirteen
7 members appointed by the governor, as provided in section 26-34,
8 except as otherwise provided in this section. Of the [~~fifteen~~]
9 thirteen members:

10 (1) Three members shall be representatives of the
11 aerospace industry. One member shall be appointed
12 from a list of nominees submitted by the president of
13 the senate, and one member shall be appointed from a
14 list of nominees submitted by the speaker of the house
15 of representatives;

16 (2) Three members shall be representatives of the
17 aerospace industry in this State. One member shall be

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1 appointed from a list of nominees submitted by the
2 president of the senate, and one member shall be
3 appointed from a list of nominees submitted by the
4 speaker of the house of representatives;

5 ~~[(3) One member shall be a representative of investment~~
6 ~~banking;~~

7 ~~-(4)]~~ (3) Four members shall represent the economic
8 development boards of Kauai, Oahu, Maui, and Hawaii,
9 respectively, to be appointed, respectively, from a
10 list of nominees submitted by each of these economic
11 development boards; and

12 ~~[-(5)]~~ (4) Three members shall represent the University of
13 Hawaii at Manoa, University of Hawaii at Hilo, and
14 University of Hawaii community college system,
15 respectively, to be appointed, one each, from a list
16 of nominees submitted by the University of Hawaii at
17 Manoa, University of Hawaii at Hilo, and University of
18 Hawaii community college system, respectively~~[- and]~~.

19 ~~[-(6) One member, not appointed under paragraphs (1)~~
20 ~~through (5) of this subsection, to serve as~~
21 ~~chairperson, who shall have experience, knowledge, and~~

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1 ~~expertise in space related activities and development~~
2 ~~in the global and state aerospace industry.]~~

3 The committee shall elect one of its members to serve as
4 chairperson."

5 SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
6 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

7 SECTION 3. This Act, upon its approval, shall take effect
8 on July 1, 2016.

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Report Title:

Aerospace Advisory Committee

Description:

Reduces the number of members on the Aerospace Advisory Committee from fifteen to thirteen. Allows the members of the Aerospace Advisory Committee to elect their own committee chair from members appointed by the Governor to this body. Effective July 1, 2016.

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JUSTIFICATION SHEET

DEPARTMENT: Business, Economic Development, and Tourism

TITLE: A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE AEROSPACE ADVISORY COMMITTEE.

PURPOSE: Reduce the number of members on the aerospace advisory committee from fifteen to thirteen by eliminating the investment banking representative and allowing the advisory committee to elect its own chairperson from members appointed by the Governor to serve on this body.

MEANS: Amend section 201-72.5(a), Hawaii Revised Statutes.

JUSTIFICATION: It has been difficult to find an investment banking representative willing to participate on the advisory committee, thus making it difficult to achieve quorum. Allowing the committee to appoint its own chairperson would expedite the committee chairperson appointment process.

Impact on the public: None.

Impact on the department and other agencies: None.

GENERAL FUND: None.

OTHER FUNDS: None.

PPBS PROGRAM DESIGNATION: BED 128.

OTHER AFFECTED AGENCIES: None.

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2016.