

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 3726

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAY 03 2016

RE: GOV. MSG. NO. 876

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi  
President of the Senate  
Twenty-Eighth State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2016  
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Governor's Message No. 876, submitting for study and consideration the nomination of:

TAX REVIEW COMMISSION

G.M. No. 876 JOHN KNOX,  
for a term to expire 06-30-2019,

begs leave to report as follows:

Your Committee reviewed the personal statement and resume submitted by John Knox for service on the Tax Review Commission.

Your Committee received testimony in support of the nomination of John Knox from the Department of Taxation and five individuals.

Upon review of the testimony and other information received, your Committee finds that the nominee is a qualified candidate to serve on the Tax Review Commission. Your Committee notes that Dr. Knox received a Doctor of Philosophy degree in Psychology from the University of Hawaii, a Master of Arts degree in Social Psychology from the University of Hawaii, and a Bachelor of Arts degree in Speech from the University of Michigan. Dr. Knox has over thirty-five years of experience in social, economic, and community research. His work has involved public policy research and issues related to economic and land use development.

Dr. Knox is a member of several professional and community service organizations that include the Hawaii Economic

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Association, Urban Land Institute, Hawaii Council for Economic Education, Lambda Alpha International, Hawaii-Pacific Evaluation Association, and American Planning Association. Dr. Knox also served as writer/researcher for the Tax Review Commission during 2012-2013. Your Committee believes that Dr. Knox would be an effective and competent member of the Tax Review Commission.

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, after full consideration of the background, experience, and qualifications of the nominee, has found the nominee to be qualified for the position to which nominated and recommends that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination.

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



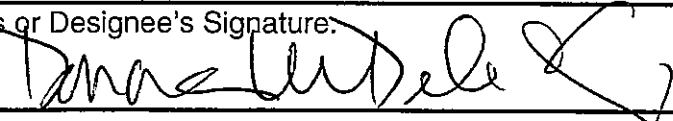
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JILL N. TOKUDA, Chair



The Senate  
 Twenty-Eighth Legislature  
 State of Hawai'i

**Record of Votes**  
**Committee on Ways and Means**  
**WAM**  
**Advise and Consent**

Governor's Message No.:* <b>876</b>	Committee Referral: <b>WAM</b>	Date: <b>8/19/16</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> The Committee is reconsidering its decision.				
The Recommendation is:				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Advise and Consent 2340 <input type="checkbox"/> Not Advise and Consent 2345				
<b>Members</b>	<b>Aye</b>	<b>Aye (WR)</b>	<b>Nay</b>	<b>Excused</b>
TOKUDA, Jill N. (C)	/			
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M. (VC)	/			
CHUN OAKLAND, Suzanne	/			
ENGLISH, J. Kalani	/			
GALUTERIA, Brickwood				/
HARIMOTO, Breene				/
INOUYE, Lorraine R.	/			
RIVIERE, Gil	/			
TANIGUCHI, Brian T.				/
WAKAI, Glenn	/			
SLOM, Sam				/
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>7</b>			<b>4</b>
Recommendation:				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: 				
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