

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 3037

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 23 2016

RE: H.B. No. 1932
H.D. 2
S.D. 1

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, to which was referred
H.B. No. 1932, H.D. 2, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN
HOME LANDS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to appropriate
funds to reimburse the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands for
administrative and operating costs expensed during the 2015-2016
fiscal year.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure
from the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands; Aha Moku Advisory
Committee; Pana'ewa Hawaiian Home Lands Community Association;
Ho'omana Pono, LLC; Makaha Hawaiian Civic Club; Waimānalo Hawaiian
Homes Association; Kalihi Palama Hawaiian Civic Club; Keaukaha
Community Association; and fourteen individuals. Your Committee
received testimony in opposition to this measure from the Center
for Hawaiian Sovereignty Studies. Your Committee received
comments on this measure from the Department of Budget and Finance
and two individuals.

Your Committee finds that the Hawaii State Constitution
requires the Legislature to make sufficient sums available for the
administration and operating budget of the Department of Hawaiian
Home Lands. Your Committee also finds that although the
Legislature provided an appropriation to the Department of

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Hawaiian Home Lands for fiscal year 2015-2016, the appropriation does not fully fund the administrative and operating expenses of the Department for fiscal year 2015-2016.

Your Committee notes that the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands requested an administrative and operating budget for fiscal year 2015-2016 of \$28,478,966. Thus, your Committee has amended this measure by inserting \$28,478,966 as the amount of the appropriation for fiscal year 2016-2017.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Hawaiian Affairs that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 1932, H.D. 2, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 1932, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, and be referred to your Committees on Ways and Means and Judiciary and Labor.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Hawaiian Affairs,

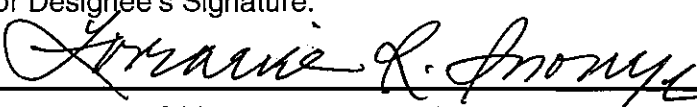


MAILE S.L. SHIMABUKURO, Chair



The Senate
 Twenty-Eighth Legislature
 State of Hawai'i

Record of Votes
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Bill / Resolution No.:* HB 1932, HD2	Committee Referral: HWN, WAM/JDL	Date: 3/21/16		
<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
SHIMABUKURO, Maile S.L. (C)	✓			
ENGLISH, J. Kalani (VC)				✓
INOUYE, Lorraine R.	✓			
KIM, Donna Mercado				✓
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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*Only one measure per Record of Votes