

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

2475

Honolulu, Hawaii

FEB 19 2016

RE: S.B. No. 2374

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

Sir:

Your Committees on Public Safety, Intergovernmental, and Military Affairs and Judiciary and Labor, to which was referred S.B. No. 2374 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO APPROPRIATIONS TO THE HAWAII COUNTY OFFICE OF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY,"

beg leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to appropriate funds to the Office of the Prosecuting Attorney of the County of Hawaii for the career criminal prosecution unit.

Your Committees received testimony in support of this measure from the Department of the Attorney General, Office of the Prosecuting Attorney for the County of Hawaii, and Department of the Prosecuting Attorney for the County of Maui.

Your Committees find that a substantial and disproportionate amount of serious crime is caused by a relatively small number of multiple and repeat felony offenders. Such individuals are commonly known as career criminals. The career criminal prosecution program was established to support efforts by prosecuting attorneys to pursue such individuals, but funding for the program has declined since its inception. Your Committees find that funding the career criminal prosecution program is in the public interest.

As affirmed by the records of votes of the members of your Committees on Public Safety, Intergovernmental, and Military Affairs and Judiciary and Labor that are attached to this report,

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your Committees are in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 2374 and recommend that it pass Second Reading and be referred to your Committee on Ways and Means.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committees on Public Safety, Intergovernmental, and Military Affairs and Judiciary and Labor,

  
GILBERT S.C. KEITH-AGARAN, Chair

  
CLARENCE K. NISHIHARA, Chair



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**Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs**  
**PSM**

Bill / Resolution No.:* SB2374	Committee Referral: PSM/JDL, WAM	Date: <i>2/16/16</i>		
<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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312 <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311 <input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310 <input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
NISHIHARA, Clarence K. (C)	/			
ESPERO, Will (VC)	/			
BAKER, Rosalyn H.	/			
INOUYE, Lorraine R.	/			
SLOM, Sam	/			
<b>TOTAL</b>	<i>5</i>			
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: <i>Will Espero</i>				
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**Committee on Judiciary and Labor**  
**JDL**

Bill / Resolution No.:* <b>SB 2374</b>	Committee Referral: <b>PSM/JDL, WAM</b>	Date: <b>2/10/16</b>		
<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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312 <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311 <input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310 <input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
KEITH-AGARAN, Gilbert S.C. (C)	✓			
SHIMABUKURO, Maile S.L. (VC)	✓			
GABBARD, Mike	✓			
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KIM, Donna Mercado	✓			
THIELEN, Laura H.	✓			
SLOM, Sam				✓
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>5</b>			<b>1</b>
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
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