

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

1041

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 23 2017

RE: H.B. No. 1130

H.D. 1

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi
President of the Senate
Twenty-Ninth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2017
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental, and Military Affairs, to which was referred H.B. No. 1130, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT PRACTICES,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to authorize the Department of Public Safety to administer lie detector and psychological tests to determine the suitability of candidates for corrections employment.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Department of Public Safety.


Your Committee finds that the hiring of high-quality employees, particularly in corrections agencies, is vital to protecting the health, safety, and welfare of the public. The administration of lie detector tests or psychological tests to prospective employees can be effective methods for ensuring the hiring of high-quality employees. Therefore, it is important to allow corrections agencies to administer lie detector tests and psychological tests to determine the suitability of candidates for employment to serve the State and public.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental, and Military



Affairs that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 1130, H.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be referred to your Committees on Judiciary and Labor and Ways and Means.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Public Safety,
Intergovernmental, and Military
Affairs,



CLARENCE K. NISHIHARA, Chair



The Senate
Twenty-Ninth Legislature
State of Hawai'i

Record of Votes
Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental, and Military Affairs
PSM

Bill / Resolution No.:	Committee Referral:	Date:		
HB 1130, HD 1	PSM, JDL/WAM	3/21/17		
<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)	✓			
WAKAI, Glenn (VC)	✓			
BAKER, Rosalyn H.	✓			
IHARA, Jr., Les	✓			
THIELEN, Laura H.				✓
TOTAL	4	0	0	1
Recommendation:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted		<input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted	
Chair's or Designee's Signature:				
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