STAND. COM. REP. NO.

422

Honolulu, Hawaii **Ebyway (6**, 2017

RE: H.B. No. 942 H.D. 1

Honorable Joseph M. Souki Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Ninth State Legislature Regular Session of 2017 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, to which was referred H.B. No. 942 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FILIPINO VETERANS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to honor and commemorate the Filipino veterans of World War II by appropriating funds for the State Foundation on Culture and the Arts to design and build a monument for this purpose at the Filipino Community Center in Waipahu, Oahu.

The Office of Veterans Services; Hawaii Civil Rights Commission; National Federation of Filipino American Associations, Region 12; Hawaii Friends of Civil Rights; Nursing Advocates & Mentors, Inc.; The Filipino Community Center, Inc.; Filipino American Citizens League; and a few concerned individuals supported this measure. The State Foundation on Culture and the Arts submitted comments.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

(1) Directing the State Foundation on Culture and the Arts to select the location of the proposed monument;

- (2) Changing the source of funding from the general fund to the Works of Art Special Fund established by section 103-8.5, Hawaii Revised Statutes; and
- (3) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for clarity, consistency, and style.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 942, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 942, H.D. 1, and be referred to your Committee on Finance.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the

Arts,

KEN ITO, Chair

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## Record of Votes of the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts

Bill/Resolution No.:	Committee Referral:	), FIN Date	2/9/1-	1
θ The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: θ Pass, unamended (as is) Pass, with amendments (HD) θ Hold θ Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)				
VMI Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. ITO, Ken (C)				
2. TOKIOKA, James Kunane (VC)				
3. CACHOLA, Romy M.				
3. CACHODA, Romy IV.				
4. CHOY, Isaac W.			A CREACHA AIGEAL AN FAOILEAN AN A	
5. OHNO, Takashi				
6. ONISHI, Richard H.K.				
7. WOODSON, Justin H.				
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8. WARD, Gene			kaluran erinta kalurah da kalurah	
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TOTAL (8)	7			
The recommendation is:  Adopted  B Not Adopted  If joint referral, did not support recommendation.  committee actory ym(s)				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
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