

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

1455

Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 06 2017

RE: S.C.R. No. 114
S.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 Ways and Means, to which was referred
S.C.R. No. 114, S.D. 1, entitled:

"SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE UNITED STATES SENATE
TO ADOPT SENATE RESOLUTION 51, "RECOGNIZING THE CONTRIBUTIONS
OF FEDERAL EMPLOYEES AND PLEDGING TO OPPOSE EFFORTS TO REDUCE
FEDERAL WORKFORCE PAY AND BENEFITS, ELIMINATE CIVIL SERVICE
EMPLOYMENT PROTECTIONS, UNDERMINE COLLECTIVE BARGAINING, AND
INCREASE THE USE OF NON-FEDERAL CONTRACTORS FOR INHERENTLY
GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES", "

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to urge the United
States Senate to adopt Senate Resolution 51 (115th Congress) and
protect and preserve collective bargaining rights and the civil
service system for harmonious labor-management relations.

Your Committee received written comments in support of this
measure from ILWU Local 142; Hawaii Government Employees
Association; United Public Workers, AFSCME, Local 646, AFL-CIO;
and one individual.

On February 6, 2017, United States Senator Mazie Hirono
introduced Senate Resolution 51. The Resolution opposes efforts
to reduce federal workforce pay and benefits, eliminate civil
service employment protections, undermine collective bargaining,
and increase the use of non-federal contractors for inherently

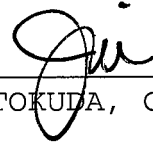


governmental activities. Senate Resolution 51 is a response to the funding cuts proposed by the current President of the United States.

Your Committee agrees with the sentiments of Senator Hirono and Senate Resolution 51. Accordingly, your Committee supports this measure.

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 concurs with the intent and purpose of S.C.R. No. 114, S.D. 1, and recommends its adoption.

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




JILL N. TOKUDA, Chair



The Senate
 Twenty-Ninth Legislature
 State of Hawai'i

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Bill / Resolution No.:*	Committee Referral:	Date:
SCR 114, SD1	SD2, WAM	4/4/17
<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	
TOKUDA, Jill N. (C)	/	
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M. (VC)	/	
ENGLISH, J. Kalani	/	
GALUTERIA, Brickwood	/	
HARIMOTO, Breene	/	
INOUYE, Lorraine R.	/	
KAHELE, Kaiali'i	/	
RIVIERE, Gil	/	
SHIMABUKURO, Maile S.L.	/	
TANIGUCHI, Brian T.	/	
WAKAI, Glenn	/	
TOTAL	11	
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted		
Chair's or Designee's Signature: 		
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