

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

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Honolulu, Hawaii

February 10, 2017

RE: H.B. No. 211
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 Labor & Public Employment, to which was referred H.B. No. 211 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to appropriate funds for two permanent full-time equivalent (2.00 FTE) positions in the Disability Compensation Division of the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations.

The Department of Human Resources Development, Department of Labor and Industrial Relations, Department of Human Resources of the City and County of Honolulu, Hawaii Insurers Council, International Longshore and Warehouse Union Local 142, The Chamber of Commerce Hawaii, and one concerned individual supported this measure.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

- (1) Changing the appropriation amount and salary breakdown for each position to unspecified amounts; and
- (2) Changing its effective date to July 1, 2050, to facilitate further discussion.

Should the Committee on Finance deliberate on this measure further, your Committee on Labor & Public Employment respectfully

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requests that it consider appropriating \$79,644 for two FTE positions.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Labor & Public Employment that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 211, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 211, H.D. 1, and be referred to your Committee on Finance.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Labor & Public
Employment,



AARON LING JOHANSON, Chair



