Honolulu, Hawaii

February 16, 2018

RE: H.B. No. 2178 H.D. 1

Honorable Scott K. Saiki Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Ninth State Legislature Regular Session of 2018 State of Hawaii

## Sir:

Your Committee on Labor & Public Employment, to which was referred H.B. No. 2178 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to remove the \$10,000 maximum limit on a cash or protest bond that must be posted for a procurement award protest.

The Department of Accounting and General Services supported this measure. The State Procurement Office supported the intent of this measure.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

- (1) Changing its effective date to January 1, 2050, to facilitate further discussion; and
- (2) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for clarity, consistency, and style.

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. 2178, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass

Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 2178, 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

## State of Hawaii House of Representatives The Twenty-ninth Legislature

## Record of Votes of the Committee on Labor & Public Employment

Bill/Resolution No.:  HB 2178  Committee	ee Referral: LAB, F/I	Peterral: Date: 13FEB18		
☐ The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to:  Pass, unamended (as is)  Pass, with amendments (HD)  Hold  Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)				
LAB Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. JOHANSON, Aaron Ling (C)				3000
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2. HOLT, Daniel (VC)				
3. EVANS, Cindy				
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4. ICHIYAMA, Linda				
5. KEOHOKALOLE, Jarrett			504 900 == 0 0 == 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	3 2010 111
6. YAMASHITA, Kyle T.				
7. MATSUMOTO, Lauren Kealohilani				
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The recommendation is:  Adopted  If joint referral, did not support recommendation.  committee acronym(s)				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
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