Honolulu, Hawaii

March 2

2018

RE: H.B. No. 2744 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 Finance, to which was referred H.B. No. 2744, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING ASSISTANCE,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to appropriate funds to support the State Rent Supplement Program.

The League of Women Voters of Hawaii and Oahu County Committee on Legislative Priorities of the Democratic Party of Hawai'i testified in support of this measure. Governor's Coordinator on Homelessness and Hawaii Public Housing Authority provided comments.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Finance that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 2744, H.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Third Reading.

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Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Finance,

SYLVIA LUKE, Chair

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Finance

| Bill/Resolution No.: | Committee Referral: Date | | : -// | |
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| HB2744 HD1 | HSG, FIN | 2/23/2 | 0/8 | |
| ☐ 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) | | | | |
| FIN Members | Ayes | Ayes (WR) | Nays | Excused |
| 1. LUKE, Sylvia (C) | | | | |
| 2. CULLEN, Ty J.K. (VC) | ✓ · | | | |
| 3. CACHOLA, Romy M. | | | | |
| 4. DeCOITE, Lynn | | | | |
| 5. FUKUMOTO, Beth | | | | |
| 6. GATES, Cedric Asuega | | | | |
| 7. HOLT, Daniel | | | | |
| 8. KEOHOKALOLE, Jarrett | | | | |
| 9. KOBAYASHI, Bertrand | | | | |
| 10. LOWEN, Nicole E. | | | | |
| 11. NAKAMURA, Nadine K. | | | | |
| 12. TODD, Chris | | | | |
| 13. YAMASHITA, Kyle T. | | | | |
| 14. TUPOLA, Andria P.L. | | | | └ |
| 15. WARD, Gene | | | | |
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| TOTAL (15) | 11 | Ø | Ø | 4 |
| 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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