

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAY 19 2020

RE: GOV. MSG. NO. 784

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi
President of the Senate
Thirtieth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2020
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Governor's Message No. 784, submitting for study and consideration the nomination of:

BOARD OF TAXATION REVIEW, 3RD TAXATION DISTRICT (HAWAI'I)

G.M. No. 784 CHRISTOPHER HANNIGAN,
for a term to expire 06-30-2024,

begs leave to report as follows:

Your Committee received testimony in support of Christopher Hannigan from the Department of Taxation.

Your Committee finds that the nominee is the President and CEO of Midnight Oil, Inc., a private accounting firm that provides general accounting, tax preparation, and software support services. His previous account manager position at the firm included bookkeeping and payroll processing tasks.

Mr. Hannigan received a Bachelor of Business Administration degree from the University of Hawaii at Hilo. He passed the Internal Revenue Service special enrollment examination and thus has enrolled agent status.

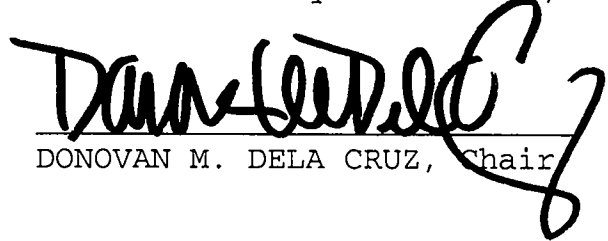
Your Committee notes the nominee's personal statement to the effect that the Board is short-staffed and applicants are rare. The nominee's previous term on the same Board will provide relevant experience. The nominee's goals are to provide taxpayers



with timely responses to their tax issues and for the State to efficiently resolve tax appeal cases.

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, after full consideration of the background, experience, and qualifications of the nominee, has found the nominee to be qualified for the position to which nominated and recommends that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination.

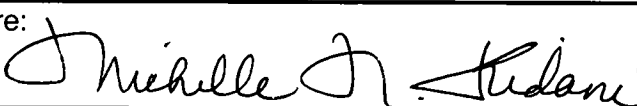
Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Ways and Means,


DONOVAN M. DELA CRUZ, Chair



The Senate
Thirtieth Legislature
State of Hawai'i

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<input type="checkbox"/> The Committee is reconsidering its decision				
The Recommendation is:				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Advise and Consent 2340		<input type="checkbox"/> Not Advise and Consent 2345		
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M. (C)	/			
KEITH-AGARAN, Gilbert S.C. (VC)				/
ENGLISH, J. Kalani				//
HARIMOTO, Breene				//
INOUYE, Lorraine R.	/			
KAHELE, Kaiali'i	/			
KANUHA, Dru Mamo	/			
KIDANI, Michelle N.	/			
MORIWAKI, Sharon Y.	/			
RIVIERE, Gil	/			
SHIMABUKURO, Maile S.L.	/			
TANIGUCHI, Brian T.				/
FEVELLA, Kurt	/			
TOTAL	9			4
Recommendation:				
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Chair's or Designee's Signature:				
				
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