

STAND. COM. REP. NO. **537** -20

Honolulu, Hawaii

**FEB 14** , 2020

RE: H.B. No. 2091  
H.D. 1

Honorable Scott K. Saiki  
Speaker, House of Representatives  
Thirtieth State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2020  
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred H.B. No. 2091, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD CHECKS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to allow the University of Hawaii (UH) to conduct criminal history record checks on current or prospective employees, and contractors and their employees whose duties include ensuring the security of campus facilities and persons.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the University of Hawaii System and one individual. Your Committee received comments on this measure from one individual.

Your Committee finds that UH is responsible for ensuring the safety and security of facilities and persons on its campuses. UH utilizes university security officers, who are civil service employees recruited by the Department of Human Resources Development (DHRD). Your Committee notes that according to UH's testimony, it has entered into a delegation agreement with DHRD for UH to perform all tasks associated with recruiting, selecting, and hiring university security officers, except for the task of completing background checks. This measure will statutorily

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enable DHRD to also delegate to UH the authority to conduct background checks, thereby allowing UH to perform all aspects of the university security officer recruitment process more efficiently.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Judiciary that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 2091, H.D. 1, and recommends that it be referred to your Committee on Finance.

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



CHRIS LEE, Chair



State of Hawaii  
House of Representatives  
The THIRTIETH Legislature **HSCR 537-20**

**Record of Votes of the Committee on Judiciary**

Bill/Resolution No.: <b>HB 2091 HD1</b>	Committee Referral: <b>LHE, JUD, FIN</b>	Date: <b>2/11/20</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended (as is) <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments (HD) <input type="checkbox"/> Hold <input type="checkbox"/> Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)				
JUD Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. LEE, Chris (C)	/			
2. SAN BUENAVENTURA, Joy A. (VC)	/			
3. BROWER, Tom	/			
4. CREAGAN, Richard P.	/			
5. LOWEN, Nicole E.	/			
6. McKELVEY, Angus L.K.	/			
7. NAKASHIMA, Mark M.				/
8. PERRUSO, Amy A.	/			
9. SAY, Calvin K.Y.	/			
10. TAKAYAMA, Gregg	/			
11. YAMANE, Ryan I.	/			
12. THIELEN, Cynthia	/			
<b>TOTAL (12)</b>	11			1
The recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. <div style="text-align: center; font-size: small;">committee acronym(s)</div>				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
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