

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

1067

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 19 , 2021

RE: S.B. No. 82
S.D. 2
H.D. 1

Honorable Scott K. Saiki
Speaker, House of Representatives
Thirty-First State Legislature
Regular Session of 2021
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Government Reform, to which was referred
S.B. No. 82, S.D. 2, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO GOVERNMENT OPERATION AND
POLICY,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to:

- (1) Require each new member of a board or commission to participate in an orientation and training session with the head of the department with jurisdiction of that member's board or commission or a designee of the head of the department; and
- (2) Require each department and agency to update their members on information to supplement their initial training at least once per calendar year.

Your Committee received comments on this measure from the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs, Department of Human Services, Department of Land and Natural Resources, Department of Accounting and General Services, Department of Agriculture, Executive Office on Early Learning, and Hawaii Employer-Union Health Benefits Trust Fund Board of Trustees.

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Your Committee finds that newly appointed members to a board or commission have the qualifications needed to be appointed but may need additional formal education to understand their new responsibilities. Your Committee believes that the additional training proposed by this measure would aid new members of a board or commission in executing their duties.

Your Committee has amended this measure by changing the effective date to July 1, 2112, to encourage further discussion.

Should your Committees on Consumer Protection & Commerce and Finance hear this measure, your Committee respectfully requests that they consider the concerns raised by the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs in its testimony requesting training that is appropriate for any board or commission member, rather than specifically relevant to the work of the board or commission on which the member sits, adequate funding, an additional position, and additional time for the Department to implement the trainings.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Government Reform that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 82, S.D. 2, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 82, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, and be referred to your Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Government Reform,



ANGUS L.K. McKELVEY, Chair



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The Thirty-first Legislature

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Government Reform

Bill/Resolution No.: <i>SB 82 SD2</i>	Committee Referral: <i>GVR, CPC, FIN</i>	Date: <i>3-17-21</i>		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended (as is) <input checked="" 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)				
GVR Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. McKELVEY, Angus L.K. (C)	✓			
2. WILDBERGER, Tina (VC)	✓			
3. CULLEN, Ty J.K.	✓			
4. ELI, Stacelynn K.M.				✓
5. ICHIYAMA, Linda				✓
6. MIZUNO, John M.	✓			
7. WOODSON, Justin H.	✓			
8. YAMASHITA, Kyle T.	✓			
9. WARD, Gene	✓			
TOTAL (9)	<i>7</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>2</i>
The recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. <small>committee acronym(s)</small>				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: <i>T. Wingun</i>				
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