

Honolulu, Hawaii
FEB 15 , 2022

RE: H.B. No. 1924

Honorable Scott K. Saiki
Speaker, House of Representatives
Thirty-First State Legislature
Regular Session of 2022
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Culture, Arts, & International Affairs, to which was referred H.B. No. 1924 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII STATE FOUNDATION ON CULTURE AND THE ARTS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to appropriate funds for the State of Hawaii Museum of Monarchy History and the State of Hawaii Museum of Natural and Cultural History.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the State Foundation on Culture and the Arts, The Friends of Iolani Palace, and ten individuals. Your Committee received comments on this measure from the Department of Land and Natural Resources, Department of Budget and Finance, Bernice Pauahi Bishop Museum, and Society for Hawaiian Archaeology.

Your Committee finds that the State of Hawaii Museum of Monarchy History, also known as Iolani Palace, and the State of Hawaii Museum of Natural and Cultural History, also known as the Bernice Pauahi Bishop Museum, are important repositories of the history and culture of Hawaii. Your Committee further finds that appropriating funds to ensure the continued operation of these important institutions is in the best interest of the State.



As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Culture, Arts, & International Affairs that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 1924 and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be referred to your Committee on Finance.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Culture, Arts, &
International Affairs,



CEDRIC ASUEGA GATES, Chair



Record of Votes of the Committee on Culture, Arts, & International Affairs

Bill/Resolution No.: HB 1924	Committee Referral: CAI, FIN	Date: 6/2/09/2022		
<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)				
CAI Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. GATES, Cedric Asuega (C)	✓			
2. TAM, Adrian K. (VC)	✓			
3. HAR, Sharon E.	✓			
4. KAPELA, Jeanne	✓			
5. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y.	✓			
6. YAMANE, Ryan I.	✓			
7. WARD, Gene	✓			
TOTAL (7)	7			
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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