

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

883

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 05 2021

RE: S.B. No. 1157
S.D. 1

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi
President of the Senate
Thirty-First State Legislature
Regular Session of 2021
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred S.B. No. 1157, S.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING EMERGENCY APPROPRIATIONS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH RELATING TO COVID-19 EXPENDITURES,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to make emergency appropriations to the Department of Health to address the coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) pandemic.

More specifically, this measure appropriates unspecified sums for fiscal year 2020-2021 for:

- (1) Statewide medical surge staffing; and
- (2) The implementation and administration of vaccine and immunization plans and logistics.

Your Committee received written comments in support of this measure from the Hawaii Primary Care Association.

Your Committee finds that the federal Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act, Public Law 116-136, provided federal funds to support state-level COVID-19 relief efforts. With the expiration of these federal moneys, your Committee finds that this measure provides additional funds needed



to continue funding critical COVID-19 response programs for the remainder of fiscal year 2020-2021.

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 is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 1157, S.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Third Reading.

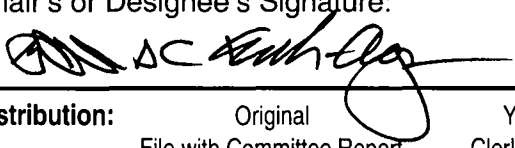
Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Ways and Means,


DONOVAN M. DELA CRUZ, Chair



The Senate
Thirty-First Legislature
State of Hawai'i

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Bill / Resolution No.:* SB 1157, SD 1	Committee Referral: HTH, WAM	Date: 2/26/21		
<input type="checkbox"/> The Committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure. If so, then the previous decision was to: _____				
The Recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312 <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311 <input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310 <input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M. (C)	X			
KEITH-AGARAN, Gilbert S.C. (VC)	X			
ENGLISH, J. Kalani	X			
INOUYE, Lorraine R.	X			
KANUHA, Dru Mamo	X			
KIDANI, Michelle N.	X			
MORIWAKI, Sharon Y.				X
SHIMABUKURO, Maile S.L.				X
TANIGUCHI, Brian T.	X			
WAKAI, Glenn	X			
FEVELLA, Kurt	X			
TOTAL	9			2
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: 				
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*Only one measure per Record of Votes