STAND. COM. REP. NO. 281

Honolulu, Hawaii

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RE: S.B. No. 1190

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 Public Safety, Intergovernmental, and Military Affairs, to which was referred S.B. No. 1190 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY, "

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to:

- Authorize the Department of Public Safety to maintain a (1)list of independent civil process servers; and
- (2) Allow process servers to serve specific types of legal documents.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Department of Public Safety and Collection Law Section of the Hawaii State Bar Association.

Your Committee finds that the sunset provision in Act 101, Session Laws of Hawaii 2015, that went into effect on June 30, 2020, resulted in a repeal of numerous sections of the Hawaii Revised Statutes, which removed express language allowing process servers to serve specific types of legal documents. This measure updates and reinstates that language in order to provide clear guidelines for the limitation of authority, fee schedules, and the specific services provided by process servers who are required to be registered with the Department of Safety.

Your Committee has amended this measure by making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for the purposes of clarity and consistency.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental, and Military Affairs that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 1190, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 1190, S.D. 1, and be referred to your Committee on Judiciary.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental, and Military Affairs,

CLARENCE K. NISHIHARA, Chair

The Senate Thirty-First Legislature State of Hawai'i

Record of Votes Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental, and Military Affairs PSM

Bill / Resolution No.:*	Committee Referral:			Date:	
SB 1190	PSM,	J DC		fcb.9,	2021
The Committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure. If so, then the previous decision was to:					
The Recommendation is:					
Pass, unamended Pass, with amendments Hold Recommit 2312 2311 2310 2313					
Members		Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
NISHIHARA, Clarence K. (C)					
ENGLISH, J. Kalani (VC)					
BAKER, Rosalyn H.					
RIVIERE, Gil					
FEVELLA, Kurt					
	 				
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Recommendation: Adopted Not Adopted					
Chair's or Designee's Signature: Claure K. Quikhen					
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