

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 22 , 2022

RE: S.B. No. 2790  
S.D. 1

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Labor & Tourism, to which was referred S.B. No. 2790, S.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT COST ITEMS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to appropriate or authorize funds for fiscal biennium 2021-2023 for collective bargaining cost items, including salary and other cost adjustments, for the members of collective bargaining unit (9) and their excluded counterparts.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Department of Budget and Finance; University of Hawai'i System; Hawaii Health Systems Corporation; and Hawaii Government Employees Association, AFSCME Local 152, AFL-CIO.

Your Committee finds that the State and the exclusive representative of collective bargaining unit (9) have reached an agreement, which was later ratified by the unit's members.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Labor & Tourism that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 2790, S.D. 1, 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 Labor & Tourism,



RICHARD H.K. ONISHI, Chair



