

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 3046

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 04 2022

RE: S.B. No. 2836
S.D. 1

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi
President of the Senate
Thirty-First State Legislature
Regular Session of 2022
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred S.B. No. 2836, S.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JUVENILE JUSTICE,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to clarify the role and authority of the State's juvenile probation officers.

More specifically, the measure:

- (1) Requires the Judiciary to create within the Judiciary's hiring system a separate employment classification for juvenile probation officers;
- (2) Establishes minimum procedures for the appointment of juvenile probation officers; and
- (3) Requires the Judiciary to submit status reports to the Legislature on the implementation of this effort.

Your Committee received written comments in support of this measure from one individual.


Your Committee received written comments on this measure from the Judiciary.



Your Committee finds that the creation of a separate employment classification for juvenile probation officers that is distinct from their current social worker classification, and requirements for the issuance of identification cards and badges and completion of annual safety training, will clarify their enforcement authority and promote their safety when carrying out enforcement duties in the field.

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. 2836, 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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WAM

Bill / Resolution No.:* SB 2836, SD1	Committee Referral: JDC/LCA, WAM	Date: 3/3/22		
<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			
INOUYE, Lorraine R.	X			
KANUHA, Dru Mamo	X			
KIDANI, Michelle N.				X
MISALUCHA, Bennette E.	X			
MORIWAKI, Sharon Y.	X			
SHIMABUKURO, Maile S.L.	X			
TANIGUCHI, Brian T.				X
WAKAI, Glenn	X			
FEVELLA, Kurt				X
TOTAL	8			3
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: 				
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