

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

3197

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 21 2024

RE: H.B. No. 2235
H.D. 1
S.D. 1

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi
President of the Senate
Thirty-Second State Legislature
Regular Session of 2024
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Labor and Technology, to which was referred H.B. No. 2235, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NON-GENERAL FUNDS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to:

- (1) Reclassify or repeal certain non-general funds of the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations, pursuant to the recommendations made by the Auditor in Auditor's Report No. 23-06, and to transfer any unencumbered balance of any repealed fund to the general fund; and
- (2) Exempt the Boiler and Elevator Special Fund from central services expenses.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations.

Your Committee received comments on this measure from the Tax Foundation of Hawaii.

Your Committee finds that Section 23-12, Hawaii Revised Statutes, requires the Auditor to review all existing special, revolving, and trust funds, once every five years. Based on this



review, the Auditor identified multiple non-general funds of the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations that are recommended to be repealed or reclassified. Therefore, this measure adopts the Auditor's recommendation and reclassifies or repeals those funds.

Your Committee has amended this measure by inserting an effective date of July 1, 2050.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Labor and Technology that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 2235, H.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 2235, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, and be referred to your Committee on Ways and Means.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Labor and
Technology,


HENRY J.C. AQUINO, Chair



The Senate
 Thirty-Second Legislature
 State of Hawai'i

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The Committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure.
 If so, then the previous decision was to: _____

The Recommendation is:

Pass, unamended 2312
 Pass, with amendments 2311
 Hold 2310
 Recommit 2313

Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
AQUINO, Henry J.C. (C)	X			
MORIWAKI, Sharon Y. (VC)	X			
IHARA, Jr., Les	X			
LEE, Chris	X			
FEVELLA, Kurt	X			
TOTAL	5			

Recommendation:
 Adopted
 Not Adopted

Chair's or Designee's Signature: _____

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