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SENATE COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS
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In consideration of
SB725 SD1, RELATING TO TELEWORKING

Chair Dela Cruz, Vice Chair Keith-Agaran, and the members of the committee.

The Department of Human Resources Development (DHRD) is in **support** of SB725 SD1.

The purposes of this bill are to: (1) require the Department of Human Resources Development to submit an annual report to the Legislature on the telework policies of the executive branch; and (2) appropriate funds.

DHRD understands the importance of having measures and metrics in place to help assess the effectiveness of the newly agreed upon Executive Branch Telework Program Guidelines and would require the proposed 1.0 FTE and funds to ensure that this annual report could be submitted.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide testimony on this measure.