

Honolulu, Hawaii

**FEB 16**, 2024

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

Honorable Scott K. Saiki  
Speaker, House of Representatives  
Thirty-Second State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2024  
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Labor & Government Operations, to which was referred H.B. No. 2235 entitled:

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

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to 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.

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 the Office of the Auditor's Review of Special Funds, Revolving Funds, Trust Funds, and Trust Accounts of the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations, Report No. 23-06, found that certain non-general funds of the Department should be reclassified or repealed. This measure adopts the recommendations of the Office of Auditor related to those non-general funds.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

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- (1) Exempting the Boiler and Elevator Special Fund from central services expenses;
- (2) Changing the effective date to July 1, 3000, to encourage further discussion; and
- (3) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for the purposes of clarity, consistency, and style.

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

Respectfully submitted on  
behalf of the members of the  
Committee on Labor & Government  
Operations,

  
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SCOT Z. MATAMOSHI, Chair



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Record of Votes of the Committee on Labor & Government Operations

Bill/Resolution No.: <b>HB 2235</b>	Committee Referral: <b>LGO, FIN</b>	Date: <b>2/13/24</b>
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The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.

The recommendation is to:  Pass, unamended (as is)     Pass, with amendments (HD)     Hold  
 Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)

LGO Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. MATAYOSHI, Scot Z. (C)	✓			
2. GARRETT, Andrew Takuya (VC)	✓			
3. KAPELA, Jeanne	✓			
4. MARTINEZ, Rose				✓
5. SAYAMA, Jackson D.				✓
6. TAM, Adrian K.				✓
7. ALCOS III, David		✓		
<b>TOTAL (7)</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3</b>

The recommendation is:  Adopted     Not Adopted  
 If joint referral, \_\_\_\_\_ did not support recommendation.  
committee acronym(s)

Vice Chair's or designee's signature:

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