STAND. COM. REP. NO. 1652 -06

Honolulu, Hawaii

Apr. 17, 2006

RE: S.B. No. 3035

S.D. 1 H.D. 1

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Third State Legislature Regular Session of 2006 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred S.B. No. 3035, S.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTINUED TEMPORARY TOTAL DISABILITY BENEFITS TO INJURED EMPLOYEES,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to ensure that employees receive fair compensation for the entire length of disability by requiring that injured employees who have not actually resumed work continue to receive temporary total disability (TTD) benefits until the Director of Labor and Industrial Relations decides to terminate benefits.

The Hawaii State Teachers Association, Hawaii Government Employees Association, ILWU Local 142, Hawaii State AFL-CIO, Hawaii Medical Association, Hawaii Chapter, American Physical Therapy Association, and concerned individuals testified in support of this bill. The Department of Labor and Industrial Relations, Department of Human Resources Development, Hawaii Insurers Council, and the Society for Human Resource Management, Hawaii Chapter opposed this measure.

Your Committee has amended this bill by:

(1) Changing the effective date to July 1, 2020, to encourage further discussion; and

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(2) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for clarity and style.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Finance that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 3035, S.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Third Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 3035, S.D. 1, H.D. 1.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Finance,

DWIGHT TAKAMINE, Chair

State of Hawaii House of Representatives The Twenty-third Legislature

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Finance

Bill/Resolution No.:	Date:			
SB 3035 SD1	4.3.06			
Committee Referral: LAB FIN	☐ The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.			
The recommendation is to: Pass, unamended	Pass, with amendments			
☐ Hold	□ Recommit			
FIN Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. TAKAMINE, Dwight Y. (C)	V			
2. KAWAKAMI, Bertha C. (VC)				
3. CARROLL, Mele	V			
4. CHONG, Pono				
5. EVANS, Cindy	1			
6. LEE, Marilyn B.	1			
7. MAGAOAY, Michael Y.				
8. NAKASONE, Bob	~			
9. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y.	1			
10. TANAKA, Kameo	~			
11. TSUJI, Clift				
12. WAKAI, Glenn	V			
13. YAMANE, Ryan I.	V			
14. YAMASHITA, Kyle T.				
15. MEYER, Colleen Rose		•	/	
16. MOSES, Mark S.		•		
17. PINE, Kymberly		. /		
18. STEVENS, Anne V.		. /		
TOTAL	14	2	2	
The recommendation is: Adopted				
□ Not Adopted				
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Vice Chair's or designee's signature:	2/aw	elemi		
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