

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

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Honolulu, Hawaii

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RE: S.C.R. No. 34
S.D. 1

Honorable Robert Bunda
President of the Senate
Twenty-Third State Legislature
Regular Session of 2006
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Housing,
to which was referred S.C.R. No. 34 entitled:

"SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO
CONDUCT A MANAGEMENT AUDIT OF THE MAINTENANCE SERVICE SECTION
OF THE HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION OF
HAWAII,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to request the Auditor to
conduct a management audit of the Maintenance Service Section of
the Housing and Community Development Corporation of Hawaii
(HCDCH).

Testimony in support of the measure was submitted by the
Housing and Community Development Corporation of Hawaii
(requesting amendments), and the Hawaii Disability Rights Center.

Your Committee finds that the findings and recommendations of
a maintenance service audit can be useful building blocks to
strengthen the operation and management of public housing
programs, particularly in view of the large number of vacant units
juxtaposed against the many homeless persons in Hawaii. However,
in view of the pending reorganization of the HCDCH on
July 1, 2006, your Committee finds that an audit at this time
would exacerbate the already challenging tasks at hand.

Your Committee has amended this measure to delay the starting
date of the maintenance service audit until after

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January 31, 2007, with a report to the Legislature prior to the convening of the Regular Session of 2008.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Housing that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of S.C.R. No. 34, as amended herein, and recommends its adoption in the form attached hereto as S.C.R. No. 34, S.D. 1.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Commerce, Consumer
Protection, and Housing,



RON MENOR, Chair



