STAND. COM. REP. NO. 822

Honolulu, Hawaii

, 2007 Manhl

RE: H.B. No. 1210 H.D. 1

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Fourth State Legislature Regular Session of 2007 State of Hawaii

## Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred H.B. No. 1210 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO JURORS AND PROSPECTIVE JURORS, "

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of the bill is to improve laws relating to jurors by:

- (1) Updating and revising definitions;
- (2) Repealing obsolete provisions; and
- (3) Providing greater flexibility to courts to determine the most effective procedures for qualifying, selecting, summoning, managing, and compensating prospective jurors.

The Judiciary supported this bill. The Office of the Public Defender opposed this measure in part.

Your Committee has amended this bill by:

(1)Changing the effective date to January 1, 2112, to facilitate further discussion; and

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

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Judiciary that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 1210, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 1210, H.D. 1, and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

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

TOMMY WATERS, Chair

## State of Hawaii House of Representatives The Twenty-fourth Legislature

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## Record of Votes of the Committee on Judiciary

Bill/Resolution No.:  HB 1210	Date:	2/27/07		
Committee Referral: JUD	The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.			
The recommendation is to:  Pass, unamended	Pass, with amendments			
☐ Hold	<ul> <li>Pass, with amendments, for recommittal for further consideration</li> </ul>			
JUD Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. WATERS, Tommy (C)	/			
2. OSHIRO, Blake K. (VC)	/			<del>24-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1</del>
3. CALDWELL, Kirk				
4. EVANS, Cindy	<b>✓</b>			acidates — 1 — mantestro y 1911 — .
5. GREEN, Josh, M.D.	1			
6. ITO, Ken	1			<u> </u>
7. LUKE, Sylvia				
8. McKELVEY, Angus L.K.	<b>✓</b>			1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1
9. MORITA, Hermina M.				
10. SONSON, Alex M.	1			
11. SOUKI, Joseph M.				
12. TSUJI, Clift	✓			
13. YAMANE, Ryan I.				-
14. YAMASHITA, Kyle T.	1			
15. MARUMOTO, Barbara C.	1			
16. PINE, Kymberly Marcos	<b>/</b>			
17. THIELEN, Cynthia				
TOTAL	15			2
The recommendation is: Adopted				
☐ Not Adopted				
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If joint referral, did not support recommendation.  committee acronym(s)				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
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