Honolulu, Hawaii

Febz9, 2008

RE: H.B. No. 1989 H.D. 1

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Fourth State Legislature Regular Session of 2008 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred H.B. No. 1989, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VETERANS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to provide resources for veterans by creating a means for the Office of Veterans' Services (OVS) to accept, invest, and expend private contributions as well as real or personal property. This bill establishes the Veterans' Gift Trust Fund with moneys earmarked exclusively to support veterans, including state veterans' home programs.

OVS offered comments.

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 H.B. No. 1989, H.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Third Reading.

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

MARCUS R. OSHIRO, Chair

State of Hawaii House of Representatives The Twenty-fourth Legislature

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Finance

Bill/Resolution No.:	Committee Referral:		ate:		
HB 1989	FIN	2	2-26-2008		
☐ 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)					
FIN Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused	
1. OSHIRO, Marcus R. (C)	V				
2. LEE, Marilyn B. (VC)	V				
3. AWANA, Karen Leinani	· · ·				
4. BELATTI, Della Au	· ·				
5. BROWER, Tom	L				
6. CARROLL, Mele	v			1	
7. HANOHANO, Faye P.	<u></u>				
8. HAR, Sharon E.	-				
9. KARAMATSU, Jon Riki	V				
10. MAGAOAY, Michael Y.	-				
11. MANAHAN, Joey	1			V	
12. MIZUNO, John	· /				
13. NAKASONE, Bob				1	
14. RHOADS, Karl	\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \				
15. SAGUM, Roland D., III					
16. TOKIOKA, James Kunane	V				
17. MEYER, Colleen Rose	· · ·				
18. PINE, Kymberly Marcos	+				
19. WARD, Gene, Ph.D.					
TOTAL (19)	14	2	0	3	
The recommendation is: Adopted If joint referral, committee acronym(s) Adopted did not support recommendation.					
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: Marily B. Lel					
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