Honolulu, Hawaii

Fe 720, 2009

RE: H.B. No. 300

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Fifth State Legislature Regular Session of 2009 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred H.B. No. 300 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to provide the necessary appropriations and authorizations for the operation of, and capital improvements for, the Judiciary for fiscal biennium 2009-2011.

The Judiciary, Hawaii Immigrant Justice Center, Legal Aid Society of Hawaii, and Volunteer Legal Services Hawaii supported this bill.

Your Committee is working closely with your Committee on Finance to examine all aspects of funding for the Judiciary, and it will continue to look at alternatives to further maximize fiscal efficiency in the delivery of court services and operations. In light of the severity of the current fiscal conditions affecting the State, your Committee further encourages the Judiciary to continue to provide meaningful and detailed input to your Committee as well as the Committee on Finance.

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. 300 and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

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

JUL KARAMATSU, Chair



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Record of Votes of the Committee on Judiciary

Bill/Resolution No.:	Committee Referral:	Date		
HB 300	JUD, FIN 2/12/09			
☐ The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: Pass, unamended (as is) Pass, with amendments (HD)				
 Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit) 				
JUD Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. KARAMATSU, Jon Riki (C)				
2. ITO, Ken (VC)	✓			
3. BELATTI, Della Au				
4. CABANILLA, Rida				
5. CARROLL, Mele	P			V
6. HERKES, Robert N.				
7. LUKE, Sylvia				
8. McKELVEY, Angus L.K. 9. MIZUNO, John M.		I produce the second second		
9. MIZUNO, John M. 10. MORITA, Hermina M.				
11. OSHIRO, Blake K.	V	() () () () () () () () () ()		
12. SOUKI, Joseph M.				
13. TSUJI, Clift			eran Localina	
14. WAKAI, Glenn				
15. MARUMOTO, Barbara C.				100
16. THIELEN, Cynthia				
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TOTAL (16)	15			
The recommendation is: Adopted Not Adopted				
If joint referral, did not support recommendation.				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
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