STAND. COM. REP. NO. 1599

Honolulu, Hawaii

Apr:19

, 2009

RE:

S.B. No. 292

S.D. 1 H.D. 1

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred S.B. No. 292, S.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FUNDS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to support general state services by moving moneys in excess of the required balances within certain special and revolving funds to the general fund.

The University of Hawaii (UH), Department of Health (DOH), Department of Accounting and General Services, Honolulu Department of Information Technology, Honolulu Police Department, Campus Center Board at UH Manoa, Board of Publications at UH Manoa, and several concerned individuals opposed this bill. The Judiciary, Department of Land and Natural Resources, Department of the Attorney General, Department of Agriculture, Hawaii Housing Finance and Development Corporation, The Nature Conservancy, Hawaii Insurers Council, Catholic Charities Hawaii, The Mutual Housing Association of Hawaii, Community Alliance Partners, EAH Housing, and several concerned individuals submitted comments.

Your Committee has amended this bill by replacing it contents with those of H.B. No. 1731, H.D. 1. As amended, this bill generates additional general funds to ensure the delivery of services statewide by reallocating for two years the distribution of moneys from the Hawaii Tobacco Settlement Special Fund,

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including depositing a portion of those moneys into the general fund as follows:

- (1) 24.5 percent to the Emergency and Budget Reserve Fund;
- (2) 25 percent to DOH for the Children's Health Insurance Program and for health promotion and disease prevention programs;
- (3) 2 percent to the Hawaii Tobacco Prevention and Control Trust Fund;
- (4) 23.5 percent to the University Revenue-Undertakings Fund; and
- (5) 25 percent to the general fund.

As amended, this bill will take effect on July 1, 2009.

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. 292, S.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 292, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, and be placed on the calendar for 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-fifth Legislature

Record of Votes of the Committee on Finance

Bill/Resolution No.: 5B 292, SD1	Committee Referral:	Date:	April 3,	2009 2,2009
☐ 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)			1000	
2. LEE, Marilyn B. (VC)	V			
3. AQUINO, Henry J.C.	<u> </u>			
4. AWANA, Karen Leinani				<u></u>
5. BROWER, Tom				
6. CHOY, Isaac W.				
7. COFFMAN, Denny				
8. HAR, Sharon E.				
9. KEITH-AGARAN, Gilbert S.C.				
10. LEE, Chris				
11. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y.	\sim			
12. SAGUM, Roland D., III		/		
13. TOKIOKA, James Kunane				
14. WOOLEY, Jessica				
15. YAMASHITA, Kyle T.				
16. PINE, Kymberly Marcos				
17. WARD, Gene				
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TOTAL (17)	13	2	\bigcirc	2
The recommendation is: Adopted Not Adopted				
If joint referral, did not support recommendation.				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: Way 3 Fee				
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