STAND. COM. REP. NO. 370

Honolulu, Hawaii

Fe-18, 2009

RE: H.B. No. 299 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 Judiciary, to which was referred H.B. No. 299 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PENAL CODE,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to ensure the continuation of a valuable tool used in criminal investigation by establishing the payment priority of the DNA analysis fee over other fees and fines assessed against a defendant by the court.

The Judiciary testified in support of this bill. The Honolulu Police Department offered comments.

Your Committee has amended this bill by:

- (1) Inserting a savings clause;
- (2) Changing its effective date to January 1, 2046, to encourage further discussion; and
- (3) 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. 299, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading

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in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 299, H.D. 1, and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

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

JON RIKI KARAMATSU, Chair



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

## Record of Votes of the Committee on Judiciary

	Committee Referral:	Date		
☐ 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)				
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		100 mg/s (200 mg		V
6. HERKES, Robert N.				
7. LUKE, Sylvia				
8. McKELVEY, Angus L.K.			grafting.	
9. MIZUNO, John M.				
10. MORITA, Hermina M.				
11. OSHIRO, Blake K.				
12. SOUKI, Joseph M.				
13. TSUJI, Clift				
14. WAKAI, Glenn				
15. MARUMOTO, Barbara C.				
16. THIELEN, Cynthia				
TOTAL (16)	14			2
The recommendation is: Adopted	d	ed	L	
If joint referral, did not support recommendation.				
	committee acronyme	s)		
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
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