STAND. COM. REP. NO. 876

Honolulu, Hawaii

March 6, 2009

RE: H.B. No. 686 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 H.B. No. 686 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REDUCED IGNITION PROPENSITY CIGARETTES,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to facilitate the transition to reduced ignition propensity cigarettes (RIPCs) by:

- (1) Delaying the implementation of the RIPC Law from September 30, 2009, to September 30, 2010;
- (2) Establishing a special revolving fund for the State Fire Council (SFC) to hire personnel to administer the RIPC program and to cover program costs.

The SFC, Honolulu Fire Department, County of Maui Department of Fire and Public Safety, Hawaii Fire Department, Kauai Fire Department, and the Coalition for a Tobacco-Free Hawaii supported this bill. The Department of Budget and Finance offered comments.

Your Committee has amended this bill by:

(1) Changing the effective date to July 1, 2020, to encourage further discussion; and

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

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. 686, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Third Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 686, H.D. 1.

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

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☐ 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)				
2. LEE, Marilyn B. (VC)	\ \\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\			
3. AQUINO, Henry J.C.				
4. AWANA, Karen Leinani	~			
5. BROWER, Tom			SHIER	AND THE STATE OF T
6. CHOY, Isaac W.	V			
7. COFFMAN, Denny	<u> </u>			
8. HAR, Sharon E.				
9. KEITH-AGARAN, Gilbert S.C.				
10. LEE, Chris				
11. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y.			e de la companya de	
12. SAGUM, Roland D., III				
13. TOKIOKA, James Kunane		The Court of the C		V
14. WOOLEY, Jessica				
15. YAMASHITA, Kyle T.	<i>''</i>			
16. PINE, Kymberly Marcos				
17. WARD, Gene			na Programa de la Companya del Companya del Companya de la Company	
TOTAL (17)	14		0	2
The recommendation is: Not Adopted				
If joint referral, did not support recommendation. committee acronym(s)				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: Mary 3. Lee				
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