

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

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Honolulu, Hawaii

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RE: S.B. No. 2178
S.D. 1

Honorable Colleen Hanabusa
President of the Senate
Twenty-Fifth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2010
State of Hawaii

Madam:

Your Committee on Transportation, International and Intergovernmental Affairs, to which was referred S.B. No. 2178 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTIES,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to provide the mayor of each county, in addition to the Merit Appeals Board, with the authority to appoint and remove that respective county's Personnel Director.

This measure also clarifies that the appointment and removal of the Personnel Director shall be as prescribed by the charter of each county.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Hawaii Council of Mayors. Written testimony presented to the Committee may be reviewed on the Legislature's website.

Your Committee finds that the authority granted by this measure is within the purview of the counties' executive and administrative structure and organization, and is supported by and consistent with the principle of county self-governance established in Article VIII, Section 2 of the Hawaii Constitution.

Your Committee has amended this measure by making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for the purposes of clarity and style.



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As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Transportation, International and Intergovernmental Affairs that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 2178, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 2178, S.D. 1, and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Transportation,
International and
Intergovernmental Affairs,



J. KALANI ENGLISH, Chair

The Senate
Twenty-Fifth Legislature
State of Hawaii

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Bill / Resolution No.:* <div style="font-size: 1.5em; font-family: cursive;">SB 2178</div>	Committee Referral: <div style="font-size: 1.5em; font-family: cursive;">TIA</div>	Date: <div style="font-size: 1.5em; font-family: cursive;">1-25-10</div>		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure. If so, then the previous decision was to: _____				
The Recommendation is: <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: flex-start;"> <div style="text-align: center;"><input type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312</div> <div style="text-align: center;"><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311</div> <div style="text-align: center;"><input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310</div> <div style="text-align: center;"><input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313</div> </div>				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
ENGLISH, J. Kalani (C)	✓			
GABBARD, Mike (VC)	✓			
ESPERO, Will	✓			
NISHIHARA, Clarence K.	✓			
SLOM, Sam	✓			
TOTAL	5	—	—	—
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: <div style="font-size: 1.5em; font-family: cursive;">[Signature]</div>				
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