Honolulu, Hawaii

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RE: H.B. No. 985

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Honorable Shan S. Tsutsui President of the Senate Twenty-Sixth State Legislature Regular Session of 2011 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred H.B. No. 985, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to authorize the use of a two-step design-build procurement process to procure contracts for public construction projects.

In addition, this measure provides for the payment of a conceptual design fee to qualified offerors who submit a technically responsive design-build proposal but who are not awarded the contract.

Your Committee received comments in support of this measure from Daniel Chun, Government Affairs Chair, American Institute of Architects; John Katahira, P.E., Past-President, American Council of Engineeering Companies of Hawaii; Lance M. Inouye, President and Chief Executive Officer, Ralph S. Inouye Co., Ltd.; Douglas B. Lee, P.E., Vice President, Brown and Caldwell; Raymond N. Matasci, P.E., Vice President, Brown and Caldwell; John H. Katahira, President, The Limtiaco Consulting Group; Kenneth Ishizaki, P.E., Executive Vice President, Engineering Concepts, Inc.; Richard M. Moss, P.E., President, Moss Engineering, Inc.; Glen Y. F. Lau, P.E., President, Pacific Geotechnical Engineers, Inc.; Roy K. Yamashiro, P.E., Principal, Consulting Structural Hawaii, Inc.;

Joel Yuen, P.E., President, InSynergy Engineering, Inc.; and Richard E. Frey, P.E., Vice President, Kennedy/Jenks Consultants.

Your Committee received comments in opposition to this measure from the Department of Transportation.

Your Committee received comments on this measure from Aaron S. Fujioka, Administrator, State Procurement Office.

Your Committee finds that the two-step design-build procurement process will encourage the selection of the most qualified contactors to design and construct complex public infrastructure. In addition, your Committee finds that payment of a conceptual design fee to qualified offerors will help offset the costs of preparing a proposal, thus making it possible for smaller local firms to compete with larger national firms for public construction contracts.

Your Committee has amended this measure by changing the effective date to July 1, 2117, to encourage further discussion on the measure.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Ways and Means that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 985, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Third Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 985, H.D. 2, S.D. 2.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Ways and Means,

DAVID V GE Cha

## The Senate Twenty-Sixth Legislature State of Hawaiʻi

## Record of Votes Committee on Ways and Means WAM

Bill / Resolution No.:* Committee Referral: Date:  HB 985, AD2, SDI P6M, WAM 4-1-1/				
The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure.				
If so, then the previous decision was to:				
The Recommendation is:				
Pass, unamended Pass, with amendments Hold Recommit 2312 2311 2310 2313				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
IGE, David Y. (C)				
KIDANI, Michelle N. (VC)		WWW		
CHUN OAKLAND, Suzanne				
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M.				
ENGLISH, J. Kalani				
ESPERO, Will				
FUKUNAGA, Carol			·	
KIM, Donna Mercado		1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1		
KAHELE, Gilbert				
KOUCHI, Ronald D.				
RYAN, Pohai				
TOKUDA, JIII N.				1
WAKAI, Glenn				
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Recommendation:  Adopted Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature:  Muhille A Aldani				
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