STAND. COM. REP. NO. **822** -12

Honolulu, Hawaii

March 2, 2012

RE: H.B. No. 2227 H.D. 1

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Sixth State Legislature Regular Session of 2012

Sir:

State of Hawaii

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred H.B. No. 2227, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BIRTH CERTIFICATES,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to enable an individual with a gender designation that differs from the gender designated on the birth registrant's original birth certificate, to obtain an amended birth certificate reflecting the change.

The Hawaii State Commission on the Status of Women, Equality Hawaii, the American Civil Liberties Union of Hawaii, Planned Parenthood of Hawaii, Pride at Work Hawaii, and numerous concerned individuals supported this measure. The Department of Health and Hawaii Family Forum opposed this measure.

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. 2227, H.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Third Reading.

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

MARCUS R. OSHIRO, Chair

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## **Record of Votes of the Committee on Finance**

Bill/Resolution No.: HB2227, HD]	Committee Referral:	Date:	2/28	112
☐ 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)	V			
2. LEE, Marilyn B. (VC)				
3. CHOY, Isaac W.			-	
4. CULLEN, Ty		<u></u>		
5. GIUGNI, Heather			7 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	
6. HAR, Sharon E.				
7. HASHEM, Mark J.				
8. ICHIYAMA, Linda				
9. JORDAN, Jo	V			
10. KAWAKAMI, Derek S.K.				
11. LEE, Chris				
12. MORIKAWA, Dee				
13. TOKIOKA, James Kunane				
14. YAMASHITA, Kyle T.				
15. MARUMOTO, Barbara C.			100	
16. RIVIERE, Gil		V		
17. WARD, Gene		1/		"
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TOTAL (17)	14	3	0	
The recommendation is:  Adopted  Not Adopted  If joint referral, did not support recommendation.  committee acronym(s)				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: Marif 3. Lev				
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