STAND. COM. REP. NO. **656** -12

Honolulu, Hawaii

Feb 17 , 2012

RE: H.B. No. 2297 H.D. 1

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Culture & the Arts, to which was referred H.B. No. 2297 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PERFORMING ARTS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to support an Oahu-based symphony orchestra by:

- (1) Allowing no more than 3 percent of the principal as well as the income and capital gains from the State of Hawaii Endowment Fund to be used for operations in exigent circumstances;
- (2) Providing for funding to be used for music education of children in schools; and
- (3) Deleting requirements that an Oahu-based symphony orchestra obtain matching funds for appropriated funds distributed to the State of Hawaii Endowment Fund.

The State Foundation on Culture and the Arts provided comments.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

- (1) Restricting the use of funds in the State of Hawaii endowment fund to a symphony or orchestra that existed prior to the enactment of this measure;
- (2) Providing that funds used for youth education shall be for an existing youth symphony; 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 Culture & the Arts that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 2297, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 2297, H.D. 1, and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Culture & the Arts,

JESTICA WOOLEY, Chair



State of Hawaii House of Representatives The Twenty-sixth Legislature

Record of Votes of the Committee on Culture & the Arts

| Bill/Resolution No.: HB 2297 | Committee Referral: | | Date: 2/13/2012 | |
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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) | | | | |
| CUA Members | Ayes | Ayes (WR) | Nays | Excused |
| 1. WOOLEY, Jessica (C) | X | | | |
| 2. BELATTI, Della Au (VC) | × | | | |
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| 3. HANOHANO, Faye P. | × | | | |
| 4. JORDAN, Jo | | | | × |
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| 5. LEE, Chris | | | | X |
| 6. MIZUNO, John M. | X | | | |
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| 7. MORIKAWA, Dee | X | | | _ |
| 8. PINE, Kymberly Marcos | | | | × |
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| TOTAL (8) | 5 | | | 3 |
| The recommendation is: Adopted Not Adopted . If joint referral, did not support recommendation. committee acronym(s) | | | | |
| Vice Chair's or designee's signature: Della A. Buattj | | | | |
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