STAND. COM. REP. NO. 2626

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 0 2 2012

RE: S.B. No. 2784

S.D. 2

Honorable Shan S. Tsutsui President of the Senate Twenty-Sixth State Legislature Regular Session of 2012 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred S.B. No. 2784, S.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO RECAPITALIZE STATE FISCAL RESERVES,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to

- (1) Make general fund appropriations for fiscal years 2011-2012 and 2012-2013 to recapitalize the emergency and budget reserve fund; and
- (2) Make general fund appropriations for fiscal years 2011-2012, 2012-2013, and 2012-2014 to recapitalize the Hawaii hurricane relief fund.

Your Committee finds that due to the State's economic downturn, using funds from the emergency and budget reserve fund and the Hawaii hurricane relief fund were necessary to maintain essential public health, public welfare, and education programs. Your Committee also finds that these funds need to be recapitalized.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

(1) Deleting references to fiscal years in sections 2 and 3; and

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(2) Making technical nonsubstantive changes for purposes of clarity and style.

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 S.B. No. 2784, S.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Third Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 2784, S.D. 2.

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

DAVID Y. IGE, Chair

The Senate Twenty-Sixth Legislature State of Hawaiʻi

Record of Votes Committee on Ways and Means WAM

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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)		
CHUN OAKLAND, Suzanne		
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M.		
ENGLISH, J. Kalani		
ESPERO, Will		
FUKUNAGA, Carol		
KIM, Donna Mercado		
KAHELE, Gilbert		
KOUCHI, Ronald D.		
RYAN, Pohai		
TOKUDA, Jill N.		
WAKAI, Glenn		
SLOM, Sam		
TOTAL 14 0	0 0	
Recommendation: Adopted Not Adopted		
Chair's or Designee's Signature:		
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