

Honolulu, Hawaii

2013

RE: H.B. No. 535 H.D. 2

Honorable Joseph M. Souki Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Seventh State Legislature Regular Session of 2013 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred H.B. No. 535, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOMELESS PROGRAMS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to help address the complex problem of homelessness by authorizing the Department of Human Services, in consultation with the mayors of the applicable counties and public or private homeless assistance programs, to designate in each county, temporary nighttime parking lots to provide safe overnight parking for homeless individuals who live and sleep in their motor vehicles and would otherwise park overnight on public or private roads or property.

Homeless Advocates of Hawaii and numerous concerned individuals testified in support of this measure. The City and County of Honolulu opposed this bill. The Department of Human Services, Department of Public Safety, and HawaiiUSA Federal Credit Union submitted comments.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

(1) Changing the appropriation for the designation of temporary nighttime parking lots to an unspecified amount; and

(2) Changing the effective date to July 1, 2030, to encourage further discussion.

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. 535, H.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Third Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 535, H.D. 2.

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





## State of Hawaii House of Representatives The Twenty-seventh Legislature

## Record of Votes of the Committee on Finance

Bill/Resolution No.:  HB 535, HD1	Committee Referral: HSG, FIN		Date: FEB 22, 2013	
☐ The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to:  Pass, unamended (as is)  Pass, with amendments (HD)  Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)				
FIN Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. LUKE, Sylvia (C)				<del></del>
2. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y. (VC)				
3. JOHANSON, Aaron Ling (VC)				<del></del> -
4. CULLEN, Ty J.K.				
5. HASHEM, Mark J.				· ••
6. ING, Kaniela				
7. JORDAN, Jo				
8. KOBAYASHI, Bertrand				
9. LOWEN, Nicole E.				
10. MORIKAWA, Dee			_	
11. ONISHI, Richard H.K.				
12. TAKAYAMA, Gregg				
13. TOKIOKA, James Kunane				
14. WOODSON, Justin H.				
15. YAMASHITA, Kyle T.				
16. FUKUMOTO, Beth				
17. WARD, Gene			W	
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TOTAL (17)	(5)	2		
The recommendation is:  Adopted  If joint referral, did not support recommendation.  committee acronym(s)				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
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