STAND. COM. REP. NO. 792

Honolulu, Hawaii

2013

RE: H.B. No. 536

H.D. 1

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. 536 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC HOUSING,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to allow the Hawaii Public Housing Authority to better serve the most needy of Hawaii's residents and provide low-income housing to individuals who have no other means of shelter. Specifically, this bill requires the Hawaii Public Housing Authority to refuse to select any applicant for, or terminate the tenancy of an individual residing in, state low-income housing if the applicant, tenant, or a household member owns or acquires a home within the State.

The Hawaii Public Housing Authority testified in support of this measure.

Your Committee has amended this bill by:

(1) Authorizing, rather than requiring, the Hawaii Public Housing Authority to refuse to select any applicant for, or terminate the tenancy of an individual residing in, state low-income housing if the applicant, tenant, or a household member owns or acquires a home within the State; and

(2) Changing its 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. 536, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Third Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 536, H.D. 1.

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



State of Hawaii House of Representatives The Twenty-seventh Legislature

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Finance

Bill/Resolution No.: HB 536	Committee Referral: HSG, FIN	Da Da	te: 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) Hold Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)				
FIN Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. LUKE, Sylvia (C)				
2. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y. (VC)				
3. JOHANSON, Aaron Ling (VC)				·
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				
TOTAL (17)	17			
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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