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Honolulu, Hawaii

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RE: S.B. No. 902
S.D. 1
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Honorable Donna Mercado Kim
President of the Senate
Twenty-Seventh State Legislature
Regular Session of 2013
State of Hawaii

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

Madam and Sir:

Your Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House of Representatives in S.B. No. 902, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING COST ITEMS,"

having met, and after full and free discussion, has agreed to recommend and does recommend to the respective Houses the final passage of this bill in an amended form.

The purpose of this measure is to appropriate funds for Hawaii Employer-Union Health Benefits Trust Fund costs in the agreement negotiated with the exclusive bargaining representative for the public employees in bargaining unit (8) and their excluded counterparts belonging to the same compensation plans for fiscal biennium 2013-2015.

Your Committee on Conference finds that this measure is necessary to provide a legislative vehicle to fund the aforementioned cost items.



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Upon further consideration, your Committee on Conference has amended this measure by:

- (1) Adding new sections to appropriate funds for salary increases;
- (2) Inserting specific amounts and additional means of financing categories from which moneys are appropriated or authorized to be used for the purposes of the measure; and
- (3) Changing the effective date to July 1, 2013.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the managers of your Committee on Conference that is attached to this report, your Committee on Conference is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 902, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Final Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 902, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1.

Respectfully submitted on behalf
of the managers:

ON THE PART OF THE HOUSE


MARK M. NAKASHIMA, Co-Chair
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ON THE PART OF THE SENATE


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DAVID Y. IGE, Co-Chair

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