Honolulu, Hawaii

April 4 , 2014

RE: S.B. No. 1233 H.D. 1

Honorable Joseph M. Souki Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Seventh State Legislature Regular Session of 2014 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred S.B. No. 1233, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LEAVES OF ABSENCE,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to require private employers employing 50 or more employees to allow employees to take leaves of absence for organ, bone marrow, or peripheral blood stem cell donations.

The National Kidney Foundation of Hawaii, Legacy of Life Hawaii, and numerous concerned individuals supported this measure. The Queens Health Systems commented on this measure.

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 S.B. No. 1233, H.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Third Reading.

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

SYLVIA LUKE Chair

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.:	Committee Referral:			Date:		
SB 1233, HD1	HLT/LAB, FIN			4/1/2014		
☐ 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 (WF	R) Nays	Excused	
1. LUKE, Sylvia (C)						
2. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y. (VC)		//	J 2000 831 CATTON OF 1		<u> </u>	
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.			A TOTAL WAS TO WAS TURBER OF THE			
15. YAMASHITA, Kyle T.						
16. FUKUMOTO, Beth			tin apple to Administrative to			
17. WARD, Gene						
TOTAL (17)		14			3	
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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