STAND. COM. REP. NO. 22

Honolulu, Hawaii

February l

H.B. No. 181 H.D. 1

Honorable Joseph M. Souki Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Eighth State Legislature Regular Session of 2015 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Legislative Management, to which was referred H.B. No. 181 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOBBYING EXPENDITURES,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to clarify and strengthen the reporting requirements for lobbying expenditures by:

- (1)Deleting the exclusion of expenses for preparing written testimony from the definition of a lobbying "expenditure"; and
- (2) Removing the requirement that only lobbying expenditures in excess of \$750 must be reported.

The State Ethics Commission; League of Women Voters of Hawaii; and two concerned individuals testified in support of this measure. The ILWU Local 142 testified in opposition of this measure.

Your Committee has amended this measure by 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 Legislative Management that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 181, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 181, H.D. 1, and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Legislative Management,

SCOTT Y. NISHIMOTO, Chair

## State of Hawaii House of Representatives

The Twenty-eighth Legislature 45227

## Record of Votes of the Committee on Legislative Management

Bill/Resolution No.: HB181   Committee Referral: LMG, JUD, FIN   Date: 2/11/15				
☐ 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)				
LMG Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y. (C)	V			
2. MIZUNO, John M. (VC)			· .	
Z. WILLOWO, GOING IV. (VC)	: .			
3. EVANS, Cindy	V			
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4. SAIKI, Scott K.	V	·		
5. FUKUMOTO CHANG, Beth			·	
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TOTAL (5)	5			
The recommendation is:  Adopted  If joint referral,  committee acronym(s)  Adopted  did not support recommendation.				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
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