

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

426

Honolulu, Hawaii

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RE: S.B. No. 457

S.D. 1

Honorable Donna Mercado Kim  
President of the Senate  
Twenty-Eighth State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2015  
State of Hawaii

Madam:

Your Committee on Judiciary and Labor, to which was referred  
S.B. No. 457 entitled:

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

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to provide a  
legislative vehicle to fund pending public sector collective  
bargaining cost items for salary adjustments, other cost  
adjustments, and Hawaii employer-union health benefits trust fund  
costs for public employees in collective bargaining unit (9) and  
their excluded counterparts for fiscal biennium 2015-2017.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure  
from the Department of Budget and Finance, Office of Collective  
Bargaining, University of Hawaii System, Hawaii Health Systems  
Corporation, and Hawaii Government Employees Association, AFSCME  
Local 152, AFL-CIO.

Your Committee finds that the negotiations for collective  
bargaining agreements for bargaining unit (9) are currently in  
progress. This measure provides a legislative vehicle that can be  
used if an agreement is reached or an arbitration award is issued  
prior to the end of the 2015 Regular Session.

Your Committee has amended this measure by inserting an  
effective date of January 7, 2059, to encourage further  
discussion.

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As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Judiciary and Labor that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 457, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 457, S.D. 1, and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Respectfully submitted on  
behalf of the members of the  
Committee on Judiciary and  
Labor,



GILBERT S.C. KEITH-AGARAN, Chair



The Senate  
Twenty-Eighth Legislature  
State of Hawai'i

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**JDL**

Bill / Resolution No.:* <div style="text-align: center; font-size: 1.2em;">SB 457</div>	Committee Referral: <div style="text-align: center; font-size: 1.2em;">JDL, WAM</div>	Date: <div style="text-align: center; font-size: 1.2em;">2/17/15</div>		
<input type="checkbox"/> The Committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure. If so, then the previous decision was to: _____				
The Recommendation is: <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: flex-end;"> <div><input type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312</div> <div><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311</div> <div><input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310</div> <div><input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313</div> </div>				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
KEITH-AGARAN, Gilbert S.C. (C)	/			
SHIMABUKURO, Maile S.L. (VC)	/			
ESPERO, Will	/			
GABBARD, Mike	/			
IHARA, Jr., Les	/			
THIELEN, Laura H.	/			
SLOM, Sam			/	
TOTAL	6		1	
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <span style="margin-left: 100px;"><input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted</span>				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: <div style="text-align: center; font-family: cursive; font-size: 1.5em;">[Signature]</div>				
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