

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

465

Honolulu, Hawaii

FEB 20 2015

RE: S.B. No. 461
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. 461 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 (4) 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, and Hawaii Government
Employees Association, AFSCME Local 152, AFL-CIO.

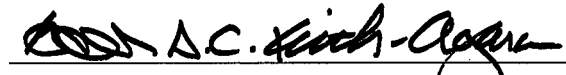
Your Committee finds that the negotiations for collective
bargaining agreements for bargaining unit (4) are currently in
progress. This measure provides a legislative vehicle that can be
used if an agreement is reached or an arbitration award is issued
prior to the end of the 2015 Regular Session. Your Committee
believes that it is more appropriate for your Committee on Ways
and Means to determine the amounts of funding to be included in
this measure.



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

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. 461, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 461, 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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Bill / Resolution No.:* <div style="font-size: 1.2em; font-family: cursive;">SB 461</div>	Committee Referral: <div style="font-size: 1.2em; font-family: cursive;">JDL, WAM</div>	Date: <div style="font-size: 1.2em; font-family: cursive;">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-between; align-items: flex-start;"> <div style="text-align: center;"><input type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312</div> <div style="text-align: center;"><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311</div> <div style="text-align: center;"><input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310</div> <div style="text-align: center;"><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 <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: <div style="font-size: 1.5em; font-family: cursive; text-align: center;">[Signature]</div>				
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