STAND. COM. REP. NO.



Honolulu, Hawaii

February 7

RE: H.B. No. 1281

H.D. 1

Honorable Joseph M. Souki Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Ninth State Legislature Regular Session of 2017 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Human Services, to which was referred H.B. No. 1281 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOMELESSNESS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to establish a three-year Work-for-a-Day Pilot Program to connect homeless individuals with work opportunities and with service providers, and appropriate funds for this purpose.

The Hawaii Appleseed Center for Law & Economic Justice; Partners in Care; Ho'omana Pono, LLC.; Hawaii Youth Services Network; and several individuals testified in support of this measure. The Governor's Coordinator on Homelessness and the Department of Human Services commented on this measure.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

- (1) Amending the appropriation to an unspecified amount;
- (2) Changing its effective date to July 1, 2075, to facilitate further discussion; and
- (3) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for clarity, consistency, and style.

Should the Committee on Finance consider this measure, your Committee respectfully requests that it consider appropriating \$300,000 for each year of the 2017-2019 Fiscal Biennium to establish the Work-for-a-Day Pilot Program.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Human Services that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 1281, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 1281, H.D. 1, and be referred to your Committee on Labor & Public Employment.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Human Services,

DEE MORIKAWA, Chair

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Human Services

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θ The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.					
The recommendation is to: θ Pass, unamended (as is) θ Pass, with amendments (HD) θ Hold θ Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)					
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HUS Mem	bers	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. MORIKAWA, Dee (C)				
2. TODD, Chris (VC)		V			
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4. HAR, Sharon E.					
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5. KOBAYASHI, Bertra	na Paula Santal Vallanda				
6. OSHIRO, Marcus R.					
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The recommendation is: θ Adopted θ Not Adopted					
If joint referral, did not support recommendation.					
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Vice Chair's or designee's signature:					
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