

Honolulu, Hawaii

February 7, 2017RE: H.B. No. 422
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 Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, to which was referred H.B. No. 422 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SELECTIVE SERVICE,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to increase awareness of and compliance with Selective Service registration by:

- (1) Requiring compliance with the Military Selective Service Act to be eligible:
 - (A) To enroll in or receive education from a State-supported post-secondary educational institution;
 - (B) To receive a loan, grant, scholarship, or other financial assistance for post-secondary education that is provided, supported, or guaranteed by the State; and
 - (C) For employment by or service with the State or any county; and
- (2) Providing for special license plates for members of a Selective Service local board in Hawaii and for the Hawaii State Director of the United States Selective Service System.



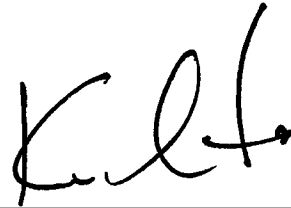
The Hawaii State Director of the United States Selective Service System supported this measure. The Hawaii Civil Rights Commission and Ka Lahui Hawaii Political Action Committee opposed the measure. The University of Hawaii and a concerned individual submitted comments.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

- (1) Deleting all references to the sex of a person who must comply with the Military Selective Service Act to be eligible for employment by or service with the State or any county;
- (2) Deleting the provisions regarding special license plates for members of a Selective Service local board in Hawaii and for the Hawaii State Director of the United States Selective Service System; and
- (3) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for clarity, consistency, and style.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 422, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 422, H.D. 1, and be referred to your Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Veterans,
Military, & International
Affairs, & Culture and the
Arts,



KEN ITO, Chair



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Record of Votes of the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts

Bill/Resolution No.: <div style="font-size: 1.5em; font-weight: bold;">HB422</div>	Committee Referral: <div style="font-size: 1.5em; font-weight: bold;">VMI, CPC, JUD</div>	Date: <div style="font-size: 1.5em; font-weight: bold;">2/2/17</div>		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended (as is) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments (HD) <input type="checkbox"/> Hold <input type="checkbox"/> Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)				
VMI Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. ITO, Ken (C)	✓			
2. TOKIOKA, James Kunane (VC)	✓			
3. CACHOLA, Romy M.	✓			
4. CHOY, Isaac W.	✓			
5. OHNO, Takashi	✓			
6. ONISHI, Richard H.K.			✓	
7. WOODSON, Justin H.				✓
8. WARD, Gene	✓			
TOTAL (8)	6		1	1
The recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. <small style="margin-left: 150px;">committee acronym(s)</small>				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: <div style="font-size: 1.5em; font-weight: bold; margin-left: 20px;">KCL</div>				
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