STAND. COM. REP. NO.

777

Honolulu, Hawaii

March 2, 2017

RE: H.B. No. 76 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 Finance, to which was referred H.B. No. 76, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEPARATION BENEFITS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

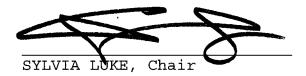
The purpose of this measure is to provide an additional option for employees who may be affected by the privatization of Hawaii Health Systems Corporation's Maui Regional facilities. In addition to the choices of severance and special retirement, this measure provides affected employees with the option of electing to remain in their position until the expiration of their applicable collective bargaining agreement.

The Hawaii Government Employees Association, AFSCME Local 152, AFL-CIO testified in support of this measure. The Employees' Retirement System testified in opposition. The Hawaii Health Systems Corporation and United Public Workers, AFSCME, Local 646, AFL-CIO provided comments.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Finance that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 76, H.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Third Reading.

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Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Finance,



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## **Record of Votes of the Committee on Finance**

Bill/Resolution No.:	Committee Referral:	Date	: 21 1	-
HB 76, HD1	LAB, FI	17	2/22/	17
θ The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: β 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)				
FIN Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. LUKE, Sylvia (C)		-		
2. CULLEN, Ty J.K. (VC)				
3. CACHOLA, Romy M.				
4. CHOY, Isaac W.				/
5. DeCOITE, Lynn				
6. GATES, Cedric Asuega				
7. HOLT, Daniel				
8. KEOHOKALOLE, Jarrett				
9. KOBAYASHI, Bertrand				
10. LoPRESTI, Matthew S.				
11. LOWEN, Nicole E.				
12. NAKAMURA, Nadine K.				
13. TOKIOKA, James Kunane				<b>✓</b>
14. QUINLAN, Sean				
15. YAMASHITA, Kyle T.				
16. TUPOLA, Andria P.L.				<u> </u>
17. WARD, Gene				
TOTAL (17)	13	1	0	3
The recommendation is:  9 Adopted  If joint referral, did not support recommendation.  committee acronym(s)				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
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