STAND. COM. REP. NO. -18

March | , 2018

RE: H.B. No. 2097 H.D. 1

Honorable Scott K. Saiki Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Ninth State Legislature Regular Session of 2018 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred H.B. No. 2097, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIFEGUARDS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to increase safety at Hawaii's beaches by appropriating funds to the Department of Land and Natural Resources to hire lifeguards to monitor state and county beach parks.

The Mayor of Hawaii County, Councilmember representing District 4 of the Hawaii County Council, Hawaii County Fire Department, Hawaiian Lifeguard Association, Oahu County Committee on Legislative Priorities of the Democratic Party of Hawaii, and Hawaii Government Employees Association, AFSCME Local 152, AFL-CIO testified in support of this measure. The Department of Land and Natural Resources, Hawaii Tourism Authority, and Emergency Services Department of the City and County of Honolulu 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. 2097, 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,

SYLVIA LUKE, Chair

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

Bill/Resolution No.:	Committee Referral: Da			Date:	ate: 2/23/2018	
HB 2097 HD1	WAL, LAB, FIN			2123	12018	
☐ The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.						
The recommendation is to: ☐ Pass, unamended (as is) ☐ Pass, with amendments (HD) ☐ Hold ☐ Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)						
FIN Members		Ayes	Ayes (WI	R) Nays	Excused	
1. LUKE, Sylvia (C)	1					
2. CULLEN, Ty J.K. (VC)						
3. CACHOLA, Romy M.						
4. DeCOITE, Lynn						
5. FUKUMOTO, Beth						
6. GATES, Cedric Asuega						
7. HOLT, Daniel						
8. KEOHOKALOLE, Jarrett						
9. KOBAYASHI, Bertrand						
10. LOWEN, Nicole E.						
11. NAKAMURA, Nadine K.						
12. TODD, Chris						
13. YAMASHITA, Kyle T.				- Marie 12		
14. TUPOLA, Andria P.L.						
15. WARD, Gene						
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TOTAL (15)		9	Ø	Ø	6	
The recommendation is:    Madopted   Not Adopted						
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:						
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