Honolulu, Hawaii

February 15, 2018

RE: H.B. No. 2744 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 Housing, to which was referred H.B. No. 2744 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOUSING ASSISTANCE,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure to appropriate funds to support the State's Rent Supplement Program.

The Oahu County Committee on Legislative Priorities of the Democratic Party of Hawaii supported this measure. The Governor's Coordinator on Homelessness and Hawaii Public Housing Authority offered comments for this measure.

Your Committee finds that the Rent Supplement Program assists many households in maintaining housing, and notes that the Governor's Executive Budget request included \$1,551,577 for the State Rent Supplement Program.

Your Committee has amended this measure by changing the effective date to January 1, 2050, to promote further discussion.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Housing that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 2744, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second

Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 2744, H.D. 1, and be referred to your Committee on Finance.

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

TOM BROWER, Chair

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The Twenty-ninth Legislature

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

HB 2744	Committee Referral:	Date:	2/8/1	8
☐ 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)				
<b>HSG Members</b>	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. BROWER, Tom (C)			arangan dalah kanala dan M	
2 NAKAMUDA Nodino K (VC)				
2. NAKAMURA, Nadine K. (VC)				
3. AQUINO, Henry J.C.	J			
4. HASHEM, Mark J.	<b></b>			
5. QUINLAN, Sean	<u> </u>			
J. Quitani, Scan				
6. SAN BUENAVENTURA, Joy	A.		miniminiminiminiminiminiminiminiminimin	
7. MCDERMOTT, Bob	<u> </u>			
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TOTAL (7)	6	0	0	\
The recommendation is:  Adopted  If joint referral, did not support recommendation.  committee acronym(s)				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: Midne K. Myhn				
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