

Honolulu, Hawaii

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RE: S.B. No. 2872  
S.D. 1

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi  
President of the Senate  
Twenty-Ninth State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2018  
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committees on Housing and Human Services, to which was referred S.B. No. 2872 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOMELESSNESS,"

beg leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to:

- (1) Establish a five-year Hale Kokua pilot project under the Hawaii Housing Finance and Development Corporation to reduce homelessness by incentivizing and assisting private homeowners who set aside existing dwelling units, or construct new or improve existing dwelling units, for rental by families and individuals classified as homeless under the project; and
- (2) Require the Hawaii Housing Finance and Development Corporation to prepare interim reports and a final report regarding the status of the Hale Kokua pilot project.

Your Committees received testimony in support of this measure from the Oahu County Committee on Legislative Priorities of the Democratic Party of Hawai'i. Your Committees received comments on this measure from the Governor's Coordinator on Homelessness and Hawaii Housing Finance and Development Corporation.



Your Committees find that homelessness is an issue of public concern and should be regarded as one of the most significant social problems facing the State. This measure establishes a cooperative effort between the State, counties, and federal government to provide the community with the resources and incentives needed to help eliminate the condition of homelessness.

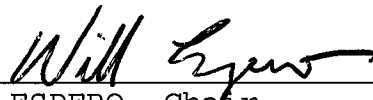
Your Committees have amended this measure by making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for the purposes of clarity and consistency.

As affirmed by the records of votes of the members of your Committees on Housing and Human Services that are attached to this report, your Committees are in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 2872, as amended herein, and recommend that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 2872, S.D. 1, and be referred to your Committees on Judiciary and Ways and Means.

Respectfully submitted on  
behalf of the members of the  
Committees on Housing and Human  
Services,



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JOSH GREEN, Chair

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WILL ESPERO, Chair

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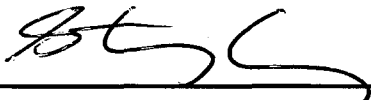
**Record of Votes**  
**Committee on Housing**  
**HOU**

Bill / Resolution No.:* <b>SB 2872</b>	Committee Referral: <b>HOU/HMS, JDC/WAM</b>	Date: <b>2/8/18</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> The Committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure. If so, then the previous decision was to: _____				
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Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
ESPERO, Will (C)	✓			
HARIMOTO, Breene (VC)	✓			
GREEN, Josh	✓			
KAHELE, Kaiali'i				✓
NISHIHARA, Clarence K.				✓
TOTAL	3			2
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Chair's or Designee's Signature: 				
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**Committee on Human Services**  
**HMS**

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<input type="checkbox"/> The Committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure. If so, then the previous decision was to: _____				
The Recommendation is: <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 10px;"> <div><input type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312</div> <div><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311</div> <div><input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310</div> <div><input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313</div> </div>				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
GREEN, Josh (C)	✓			
CHANG, Stanley (VC)	✓			
HARIMOTO, Breene	✓			
TOKUDA, Jill N.				✓
WAKAI, Glenn				✓
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