

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

2350

Honolulu, Hawaii

FEB 15 2018

RE: S.B. No. 2952

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, to which was referred
S.B. No. 2952 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO QUEEN LILI'UOKALANI DAY,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to establish Queen Lili'uokalani Day on the first Monday in the month of September each year, rather than on September 2, in order to coincide with Labor Day.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from Ho'omanapono Political Action Committee; Ho'omana Pono, LLC; Oahu County Committee on Legislative Priorities of the Democratic Party of Hawaii; and two individuals. Your Committee received testimony in opposition to this measure from two individuals.

Your Committee finds that there are only two state holidays that honor ali'i, which are King Kamehameha Day, June 11, and Prince Jonah Kuhio Kalaniana'ole Day, March 26. There has not been a holiday honoring an ali'i since statehood. Given that the year 2018 is the "Year of Remembrance of Queen Lili'uokalani", your Committee believes that establishing Queen Lili'uokalani Day to coincide with Labor Day will allow the State to recognize the legacy of her Majesty, Queen Lili'uokalani.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Hawaiian Affairs that is attached to this report,



your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 2952 and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be referred to your Committee on Judiciary.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Hawaiian Affairs,



MAILE S.L. SHIMABUKURO, Chair



The Senate
Twenty-Ninth Legislature
State of Hawai'i

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Bill / Resolution No.:* <div style="font-size: 1.2em; font-family: cursive;">SB 2952</div>	Committee Referral: <div style="font-size: 1.2em; font-family: cursive;">HWN, JOC</div>	Date: <div style="font-size: 1.2em; font-family: cursive;">2/08/2018</div>										
<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; align-items: flex-start;"> <div style="text-align: center;"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312 </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311 </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310 </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313 </div> </div>												
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused								
SHIMABUKURO, Maile S.L. (C)	✓											
GALUTERIA, Brickwood (VC)	✓											
ENGLISH, J. Kalani				✓								
GREEN, Josh				✓								
RIVIERE, Gil	✓											
TOTAL	3			2								
Recommendation: <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; margin-top: 5px;"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted </div>												
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