## SCR22

Measure Title:

REQUESTING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A WORKING GROUP TO IDENTIFY BARRIERS TO

IMPROVING THE STATE'S HIRING PROCESSES.

DHRD; BUF; State Hiring; Working Group

Report Title:

Description:

Companion:

Package: None
Current Referral: LBR, WAM

Introducer(s):

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Sort by Date		Status Text
1/30/2018	S	Offered.
1/30/2018	S	Referred to LBR, WAM.
3/21/2018	S	The committee(s) on LBR has scheduled a public hearing on 03-27-18 2:45PM in conference room 229.

 ${\bf S}=$  Senate |  ${\bf H}=$  House |  ${\bf D}=$  Data Systems |  ${\bf S}=$  Appropriation measure |  ${\bf ConAm}=$  Constitutional Amendment

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March 27, 2017

To: The Honorable Jill N. Tokuda, Chair,

The Honorable J. Kalani English, Vice Chair, and Members of the Senate Committee on Labor

Date: Tuesday, March 27, 2018

Time: 2:45 p.m.

Place: Conference Room 229, State Capitol

From: Leonard Hoshijo, Director

Department of Labor and Industrial Relations

## REQUESTING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A WORKING GROUP TO IDENTIFY BARRIERS TO IMPROVING THE STATE'S HIRING PROCESSES.

Chair Tokuda, Vice Chair, and Members of the Committee:

My name is Leonard Hoshijo and I am the Director of the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations (DLIR). The Department does share some of the concerns outlined in SCR22. I request allowing the DLIR Director to designate other persons to serve on the working group. If this measure is enacted, I believe the formal participation of our Administrative Service & Human Resources Offices critical to the work of the group.

DLIR has some apprehensions about the effect on these units' workload in the short term if they were to participate in the working group.

DLIR <u>defers</u> to the Departments of Human Resources & Budget and Finance on the measure.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify on this important matter.