STAND. COM. REP. NO. 512-20

Honolulu, Hawaii

FEB 14 , 2020

RE: H.B. No. 1664 H.D. 1

Honorable Scott K. Saiki Speaker, House of Representatives Thirtieth State Legislature Regular Session of 2020 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Labor & Public Employment, to which was referred H.B. No. 1664, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to require the Department of Human Services to examine the efficiencies and effectiveness, including program outcomes, of its existing Supporting Employment Empowerment Hawaii Work Program.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Department of Human Services.

Your Committee finds that the Supporting Employment Empowerment Hawaii Work Program serves as a valuable tool for Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) participants in establishing employment opportunities through a network of participating employers. The Supporting Employment Empowerment Hawaii Work Program also serves as a support service for participants of the First-to-Work Program, which provides case management, employment, and support services to work eligible individuals of TANF households.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Labor & Public Employment that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 1664, H.D. 1, and recommends that it be referred to your Committee on Finance.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Labor & Public Employment,

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## Record of Votes of the Committee on Labor & Public Employment

Bill/Resolution No.: Committee HB 1664 HD L HSH	Referral: LAB, FI	Da Da	te: 02/13/	2020
☐ 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)				
LAB Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. JOHANSON, Aaron Ling (C)	V			
2. ELI, Stacelynn K.M. (VC)		en e		
3. ICHIYAMA, Linda	<b>✓</b>			
4. KITAGAWA, Lisa				
5. McKELVEY, Angus L.K.				
J. WKKEDVET, Angus L.K.				
6. QUINLAN, Sean	<b>V</b>			
7. YAMASHITA, Kyle T.	<b>~</b>	tikki ki sur-saa i usuu ki seedikki pademis is an is a	THE STATE OF	tilganiste – ann e million bliobliog geograf e den l
8. MATSUMOTO, Lauren				
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TOTAL (8)	$\boldsymbol{\varnothing}$			
The recommendation is:  Adopted  If joint referral, did not support recommendation.  committee acronym(s)				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
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