STAND. COM. REP. NO.



Honolulu, Hawaii

FEB 04 ' 2020

RE: H.B. No. 2091 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 Lower & Higher Education, to which was referred H.B. No. 2091 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD CHECKS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to allow the University of Hawaii (UH) to conduct criminal history record checks on current or prospective employees, and contractors and their employees, whose duties include ensuring the security of campus facilities and persons.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the University of Hawaii System.

Your Committee finds that UH is responsible for ensuring the safety and security of facilities and persons on its campuses. UH utilizes university security officers, who are civil service employees recruited by the Department of Human Resources Development (DHRD). Your Committee notes that according to UH's testimony, it has entered into a delegation agreement with DHRD for UH to perform all tasks associated with recruiting, selecting, and hiring university security officers, except for the task of completing background checks. This measure will statutorily enable DHRD to also delegate to UH the authority to conduct

background checks, thereby allowing UH to perform all aspects of the university security officer recruitment process more efficiently.

Your Committee has amended this measure by changing the effective date to July 1, 2050.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Lower & Higher Education that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 2091, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 2091, H.D. 1, and be referred to your Committee on Judiciary.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Lower & Higher Education,

WOODSON, Chair

State of Hawaii House of Representatives The THIRTIETH Legislature

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Lower & Higher Education

Bill/Resolution No.: HB 2091	Committee Referral: LHE, JUD, FI	N Date: 131/2020		
☐ 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)				
LHE Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. WOODSON, Justin H. (C)				
2. HASHEM, Mark J. (VC)	V			
3. QUINLAN, Sean (VC)				
4. DeCOITE, Lynn				- A - A - A - A - A - A - A - A - A - A
5. JOHANSON, Aaron Ling			algeografia	
6. KOBAYASHI, Dale T.				
7. MORIKAWA, Dee				
8. OHNO, Takashi				
9. TARNAS, David A.				
10. TOKIOKA, James Kunane				
11. OKIMOTO, Val				

TOTAL (11)	lo			
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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