STAND. COM. REP. NO. 987

Honolulu, Hawaii

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RE: H.B. No. 625

H.D. 1

Honorable Scott K. Saiki Speaker, House of Representatives Thirtieth State Legislature Regular Session of 2019 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred H.B. No. 625, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to:

- (1) Repeal the Department of Human Resources Development and transfer its functions, duties, employees, and assets to the Department of Budget and Finance; and
- (2) Replace the Director of Human Resources Development with the Director of Taxation in various statutory provisions that use the director's salary as the basis for determining the salaries of certain other state officials.

The Department of Budget and Finance, Department of Human Resources Development, and United Public Workers, AFSCME, Local 646, AFL-CIO testified in opposition to this measure.

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

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Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 625, H.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Third Reading.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Finance,

SYLVIA LUKE, Chair



Record of Votes of the Committee on Finance

Bill/Resolution No.: Committe HO 07 5 HO Committe	e Referral:	Date	2/22/19	
☐ 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)				
FIN Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. LUKE, Sylvia (C)	/			
2. CULLEN, Ty J.K. (VC)		200		
3. ELI, Stacelynn K.M.				
4. GATES, Cedric Asuega				
5. HASHIMOTO, Troy N.				
6. HOLT, Daniel				
7. KITAGAWA, Lisa				
8. KOBAYASHI, Bertrand				
9. MATAYOSHI, Scot Z.				
10. NAKAMURA, Nadine K.	~			
11. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y.				
12. TODD, Chris				1
13. WILDBERGER, Tina				
14. YAMASHITA, Kyle T.				
15. McDERMOTT, Bob				
TOTAL (15)	13	Ø	Ø	2
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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