STAND. COM. REP. NO. 244

Honolulu, Hawaii FEB 1 0 2020

RE: S.B. No. 2665

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi President of the Senate Thirtieth State Legislature Regular Session of 2020 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Human Services, to which was referred S.B. No. 2665 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to establish that every judgment for child support is enforceable until paid in full.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from one individual.

Your Committee finds that existing law allows people who owe child support to be absolved of their obligation once the child turns thirty-three or ten years after a judgment for the child support was rendered, whatever date is later. As such, existing law allows the judgment for child support to be presumed paid or discharged after a certain period of time.

The purpose of this measure is to establish that every judgment for child support is enforceable until paid in full. This will ensure that people are not able to evade their child support obligations merely by the passage of time.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Human Services that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B.

No. 2665 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 Human Services,

RUSSELL E. RUDERMAN, Chair

## The Senate Thirtieth Legislature State of Hawai'i

## Record of Votes Committee on Human Services HMS

Bill / Resolution No.:* SB 2665	Committee Referral: Date: 1/31/20				
The Committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure.  If so, then the previous decision was to:					
The Recommendation is:					
Pass, unamended Pass, with amendments Hold Recommit 2312 2311 2310 2313					
Members		Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
RUDERMAN, Russell E. (C)		V			
RHOADS, Karl (VC)		/			
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