

Honolulu, Hawaii

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RE: S.B. No. 2673
S.D. 1

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Higher Education, to which was referred
S.B. No. 2673 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INTERCOLLEGIATE ATHLETICS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to establish the
right of postsecondary student athletes in intercollegiate
athletics to receive compensation for the use of their name,
image, or likeness.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure
from a private individual. Your Committee received testimony in
opposition to this measure from the University of Hawaii system.

Your Committee finds that in 2019 the State of California
passed legislation and the National Collegiate Athletic
Association announced its intent to allow student athletes to be
compensated for the use of their name, image, or likeness.
However, recognizing that there remains considerable development
of how the legislation and National Collegiate Athletic
Association's intent will be implemented, neither is scheduled to
take effect until 2023. This will allow time for more work to be
done on this complex issue.



Your Committee has amended this measure by:

- (1) Amending the effective date to July 1, 2023, to synchronize with the efforts of the State of California and the National Collegiate Athletic Association; and
- (2) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for the purposes of clarity and consistency.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Higher Education that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 2673, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 2673, S.D. 1, and be referred to your Committee on Judiciary.

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

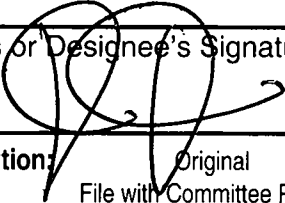


DONNA MERCADO KIM, Chair



The Senate
Thirtieth Legislature
State of Hawai'i

Record of Votes
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Bill / Resolution No.:*	Committee Referral:	Date:		
SB 2673	HRE, JDU	1-30-20		
<input type="checkbox"/> The Committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure. If so, then the previous decision was to: _____				
The Recommendation is: <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311 <input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310 <input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
KIM, Donna Mercado (C)	✓			
KIDANI, Michelle N. (VC)				✓
KAHELE, Kaiali'i	✓			
KEITH-AGARAN, Gilbert S.C.	✓			
FEVELLA, Kurt	✓			
TOTAL	4	0	0	1
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: <div style="text-align:center; margin-top: 10px;">  </div>				
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