STAND. COM. REP. NO. **324**

Honolulu, Hawaii

FEB 17 ' 2021

RE: H.B. No. 716 H.D. 1

Honorable Scott K. Saiki Speaker, House of Representatives Thirty-First State Legislature Regular Session of 2021 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Labor & Tourism, to which was referred H.B. No. 716 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT COST ITEMS," begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to appropriate or authorize funds for fiscal biennium 2021-2023 for collective bargaining cost items, including salary adjustments and Hawaii employer-union health benefits trust fund costs, for the members of collective bargaining unit (8) and their excluded counterparts.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Department of Budget and Finance; University of Hawai'i System; and Hawaii Government Employees Association, AFSCME Local 152, AFL-CIO.

Your Committee has amended this measure by changing the effective date to December 25, 2040, to encourage further discussion.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Labor & Tourism that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 716, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second

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Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 716, H.D. 1, and be referred to your Committee on Finance.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Labor & Tourism,

RÍCHARD H.K. ONISHI, Chair

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Labor & Tourism

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θ The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.					
The recommendation is to: θ Pass, unamended (as is) θ Pass, with amendments (HD) θ Hold θ Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)					
LAT Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused	
1. ONISHI, Richard H.K. (C)	V				
2. SAYAMA, Jackson D. (VC)	V				
3. BELATTI, Della Au				✓	
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4. HOLT, Daniel	V				
5. KOBAYASHI, Dale T.	V				
6. QUINLAN, Sean	V				
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7. TAKAYAMA, Gregg	V				
8. OKIMOTO, Val	V				
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TOTAL (8)	7	0	0	1	
The recommendation is:					
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: July Suy					
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