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Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 23 , 2022

RE: S.B. No. 2088

S.D. 2 H.D. 1

Honorable Scott K. Saiki Speaker, House of Representatives Thirty-First State Legislature Regular Session of 2022 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, to which was referred S.B. No. 2088, S.D. 2, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE CAREER CRIMINAL PROSECUTION UNIT,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to appropriate funds to the Department of the Prosecuting Attorney of the City and County of Honolulu as a grant-in-aid for the Career Criminal Prosecution Unit.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Department of the Prosecuting Attorney of the City and County of Honolulu and Retail Merchants of Hawaii. Your Committee received comments on this measure from the Department of Budget and Finance.

Your Committee finds that the Career Criminal Prosecution Unit was created because a disproportionate amount of serious crimes are committed against the public by a relatively small number of multiple and repeat felony offenders. This measure will help support the prosecution of these career criminals.

Your Committee has amended this measure by changing the effective date to January 1, 2222, to encourage further discussion.

Your Committee respectfully requests your Committee on Finance, should it deliberate on this measure, to consider appropriating funds for career criminal prosecution units in the other counties.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 2088, S.D. 2, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 2088, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, and be referred to your Committee on Finance.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs,

MARK M. NAKASHIMA, Chair

State of Hawaii



Record of Votes of the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs

Bill/Resolution No.: SB 2088, SD2	Committee Referral: SHA, FIN	Date: 3- 15 -	77
☐ 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)			
JHA Members	Ayes	es (WR) Nays	Excused
1. NAKASHIMA, Mark M. (C)	V.		
2. MATAYOSHI, Scot Z. (VC)			
3. ICHIYAMA, Linda			
4. KOBAYASHI, Dale T.			
T. DDECTI M44.			
5. LoPRESTI, Matthew S.			
6. LOWEN, Nicole E.			
7. McKELVEY, Angus L.K.			
8. NAKAMURA, Nadine K.			
o. NAKAMOKA, Nadine K.			
9. TAKUMI, Roy M.		angung ng katang di sanggan panggan pa	
10. TOKIOKA, James Kunane			
11. WARD, Gene			
TOTAL (11)	10	Q Q	
The recommendation is: Adopted If joint referral, did not support recommendation.			
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:			
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