STAND. COM. REP. NO. 202

Honolulu, Hawaii APR 18 , 2022

RE: S.C.R. No. 37 S.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 Corrections, Military, & Veterans, to which was referred S.C.R. No. 37, S.D. 1, entitled:

"SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION EXPRESSING SUPPORT FOR THE NAMING OF A UNITED STATES NAVY SURFACE COMBATANT SHIP AFTER FIREMAN SECOND CLASS AND CONGRESSIONAL MEDAL OF HONOR RECIPIENT TELESFORO TRINIDAD,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to express support for the naming of a United States Navy surface combatant ship after Fireman Second Class and Congressional Medal of Honor Recipient Telesforo Trinidad.

Your Committee did not receive any testimony on this measure.

Your Committee finds that Telesforo Trinidad earned the Medal of Honor for showing extraordinary heroism in the line of duty in response to boiler explosions aboard the USS San Diego while the ship was in the Gulf of California on January 21, 1915. Your Committee further finds that the naming of a Navy ship in honor of Mr. Trinidad, an American national of Filipino descent, would demonstrate the Navy's leadership and commitment to diversity, equality, and inclusion amid current racial tensions and would also mark the seventy-fifth anniversary of the establishment of diplomatic relations between the United States and the Republic of

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the Philippines and the seventieth anniversary of the Mutual Defense Treaty between the two countries.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Corrections, Military, & Veterans that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of S.C.R. No. 37, S.D. 1, and recommends that it be referred to your Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

> Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Corrections, Military, & Veterans,

Chair



State of Hawaii House of Representatives The Thirty-first Legislature



Record of Votes of the Committee on Corrections, Military, & Veterans

Bill/Resolution No.: SCR 37 SDI		e Referral:	Date: 4/12/122_		
The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.					
The recommendation is to: Image: Pass, unamended (as is) Image: Pass, with amendments (HD) Image: Hold   Image: Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)					
CMV Members		Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
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4. KOBAYASHI, Bertrand					
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6. MORIKAWA, Dee		V.			
7. TARNAS, David A.					
8. McDERMOTT, Bob					
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TOTAL (8)		7			
The recommendation is: Image: Adopted lif joint referral,					
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: Jahnshipm					
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