Honolulu, Hawaii

FEB 13 , 2024

H.B. No. 2483 RE:

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Honorable Scott K. Saiki Speaker, House of Representatives Thirty-Second State Legislature Regular Session of 2024 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Corrections, Military, & Veterans, to which was referred H.B. No. 2483 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD CHECKS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to authorize the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation to search criminal histories and fingerprint records of volunteers and contracted and subcontracted service providers of the State's correctional facilities.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation and CARES.

Your Committee finds that the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (Department) does not have the statutory authority to conduct criminal history record checks on volunteers and contracted and subcontracted service providers of the State's correctional facilities. Your Committee further finds that the ability to conduct criminal history record checks on volunteers and contracted and subcontracted service providers is essential to ensuring that the State's correctional facilities are staffed with qualified individuals. Your Committee believes that this measure addresses this need by authorizing the Department to conduct

criminal history record checks on volunteers and contracted and subcontracted service providers.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

- (1) Changing the effective date to July 1, 3000, to encourage further discussion; and
- (2) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for the purposes of clarity, consistency, and style.

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 is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 2483, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 2483, H.D. 1, and be referred to your Committee on Finance.

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

MARK J. HASHEM Chair

## State of Hawaii House of Representatives The Thirty-second Legislature

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

Bill/Resolution No.: HB 2483	Committee CMV	Referral:	Date	1/31/	2024
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)					
CMV Members		Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
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The recommendation is:	Adopted	□ Not Adopte	:d		
If joint referral, did not support recommendation.					
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:					
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