

Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 25 2024

RE: S.B. No. 2347  
H.D. 1  
C.D. 1

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi  
President of the Senate  
Thirty-Second State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2024  
State of Hawaii

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

Sirs:

Your Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House of Representatives in S.B. No. 2347, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CRIME,"

having met, and after full and free discussion, has agreed to recommend and does recommend to the respective Houses the final passage of this bill in an amended form.

The purpose of this measure is to establish the offense of habitual violent crime.

Your Committee on Conference finds that most violent crimes are committed by a small number of repeat offenders. Despite this, many repeat offenders face minimal consequences for their repeated acts of violence. This measure will deter violent crime in local communities while ensuring that repeat offenders are held accountable for their acts of violence.

Your Committee on Conference has amended this measure by:

- (1) Including a sunset date of June 30, 2027;



- (2) Making it effective upon its approval; and
- (3) Making a technical, nonsubstantive amendment for the purposes of clarity and consistency.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the managers of your Committee on Conference that is attached to this report, your Committee on Conference is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 2347, H.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Final Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 2347, H.D. 1, C.D. 1.

Respectfully submitted on behalf  
of the managers:

ON THE PART OF THE HOUSE



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DAVID A. TARNAS  
Chair

ON THE PART OF THE SENATE



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KARL RHOADS  
Chair



**Record of Votes of a  
Conference Committee**

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The recommendation of the House and Senate managers is to pass with amendments (CD).

The Committee is reconsidering its previous decision.

<input type="checkbox"/> The recommendation of the Senate Manager(s) is to AGREE to the House amendments made to the Senate Measure	<input type="checkbox"/> The recommendation of the House Manager(s) is to AGREE to the Senate amendments made to the House Measure.
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Senate Managers	A	WR	N	E	House Managers	A	WR	N	E
RHOADS, Karl, Chr.	✓				TARNAS, David A., Chr.	✓			
ELEFANTE, Brandon J.C.	✓				ILAGAN, Greggor	✓			
AWA, Brenton				✓	TAKAYAMA, Gregg	✓			
					SOUZA, Kanani	✓			
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

A = Aye                      WR = Aye with Reservations                      N = Nay                      E = Excused

Senate Recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted	House Recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted
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Senate Lead Chair's or Designee's Signature: 	House Lead Chair's or Designee's Signature: 
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