STAND. COM. REP. NO.

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 0 1 2024

RE: S.B. No. 3173

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred S.B. No. 3173 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONFORMITY TO THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to conform the state income tax law and estate and generation—skipping transfer tax law to the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended as of December 31, 2023.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Department of Taxation.

Your Committee received comments on this measure from the Tax Foundation of Hawaii.

Your Committee recognizes that this measure serves to comply with sections 235-2.5(c) and 236E-4(c), Hawaii Revised Statutes, which require the Department of Taxation to submit legislation to conform relevant state tax laws to the Internal Revenue Code as it existed on the December 31 preceding each Regular Session, to the extent appropriate for the State.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Ways and Means that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of



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S.B. No. 3173 and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

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Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Ways and Means,

DELA CRUZ, DONOVAN M. Chains

The Senate Thirty-Second Legislature State of Hawaiʻi

Record of Votes Committee on Ways and Means WAM

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SB 3173	WAM			2/28/24	
The Committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure.					
If so, then the previous decision was to:					
The Recommendation is:					
Pass, unamended Pass, with amendments Hold Recommit 2312 2311 2310 2313					
Members		Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M. (C)		X			
MORIWAKI, Sharon Y. (VC)		X			
AQUINO, Henry J.C.		X			
DECOITE, Lynn		× × × × ×			
HASHIMOTO, Troy N.		X			
INOUYE, Lorraine R.		X			
KANUHA, Dru Mamo		X			
KIDANI, Michelle N.		X			
KIM, Donna Mercado		X			
LEE, Chris		X			
SHIMABUKURO, Maile S.L.					×
WAKAI, Glenn		X			
FEVELLA, Kurt		X			
TOTAL		12			١
Recommendation: Not Adopted Not Adopted					
Chair's on Designele's Signature:					
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*Only <u>one</u> measure per Record of Votes