STAND. COM. REP. NO. 97 -24

Honolulu, Hawaii **MAR 0 !** , 2024 RE: H.B. No. 2425

H.D. 2

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred H.B. No. 2425, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT CENTRAL REGISTRY,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to clarify:

- (1) That a confirmed report of child abuse or neglect, harm, or threatened harm will result in the perpetrator's name being maintained in the Department of Human Services central registry of reported child abuse or neglect cases; and
- (2) When a person's name may be expunded from the central registry of reported child abuse or neglect cases, and establish a process for expundement upon request.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from one individual. Your Committee received comments on this measure from the Department of the Attorney General; Department of Human Services; and Hawaii Coalition for Child Protective Reform.

Your Committee has amended this measure by changing the effective date to July 1, 3000, to encourage further discussion.



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As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Finance that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 2425, H.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Third Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 2425, H.D. 2.

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Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Finance,

KYLE T. YAMASHITA, Chair

State of Hawaii



Record of Votes of the Committee on Finance

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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)						
FIN Mem	ibers	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused	
1. YAMASHITA, Kyle 7	Г. (С)					
2. KITAGAWA, Lisa (V	7 C)	~				
3. AIU, Micah P.K.		 				
4. CHUN, Cory M.		\checkmark				
5. COCHRAN, Elle					\vee	
6. GARRETT, Andrew	Takuya	V				
7. KAHALOA, Kirstin		\checkmark				
8. KILA, Darius K.		<u> </u>	·			
9. KOBAYASHI, Bertra	ind	\checkmark				
10. LAMOSAO, Rachele	F	V				
11. MORIKAWA, Dee	s - s P	 ✓ 				
12. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y		V	2. 10. 10. 10. 10. 10. 10. 10. 10. 10. 10			
13. POEPOE, Mahina		\checkmark				
14. TAKENOUCHI, Jenn	18	\checkmark		Manual Martin Manual (1991)		
15. ALCOS III, David						
16. WARD, Gene						
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Vice Chair's or designee's signature:						
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