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Honolulu, Hawaii

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RE: GOV. MSG. NO. 14

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi President of the Senate Twenty-Ninth State Legislature First Special Session of 2017 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Government Operations, to which was referred Governor's Message No. 14, submitting for study and consideration the nomination of:

ENHANCED 911 BOARD

G.M. No. 14 ROBERT GAUSEPOHL, for a term to expire 06-30-2020,

begs leave to report as follows:

Your Committee has reviewed the personal history, resume, and statement submitted by the nominee and finds Robert Gausepohl to possess the requisite qualifications to be nominated to the Enhanced 911 Board.

Your Committee received testimony in support of the nomination for the appointment of Robert Gausepohl from the Department of Accounting and General Services, Enhanced 911 Board, Hawai'i Police Department, and four individuals.

Your Committee finds that Mr. Gausepohl is presently the Assistant Chief of the Kauai Police Department, where his duties include managing and overseeing operations of the Administrative and Technical Bureau. According to testimony, Mr. Gausepohl is very knowledgeable about issues related to enhanced 911 services and public safety. In his personal statement, Mr. Gausepohl indicated that, if appointed, he will work in collaboration with other members of the Enhanced 911 Board to explore and implement necessary technology and negotiate and assist in the execution of contracts and other duties as needed. Your Committee therefore

finds that Mr. Gausepohl's professional experience with enhanced 911 services, as well as his dedication to serving the public, will be great assets to the Enhanced 911 Board.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Government Operations that is attached to this report, your Committee, after full consideration of the background, experience, and qualifications of the nominee, has found the nominee to be qualified for the position to which nominated and recommends that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Government Operations,

DONNA MERCADO KIM, Chair

The Senate Twenty-Ninth Legislature State of Hawai'i

Record of Votes Committee on Government Operations GVO Advise and Consent

Governor's Message No.:*	Committee Referral:			Date:		
GM 14	GVO			8-30-17		
The Committee is reconsidering its decision						
The Recommendation is:						
Advise and Consent						
Members		Aye	Aye	(WR)	Nay	Excused
KIM, Donna Mercado (C)		X				
RUDERMAN, Russell E. (VC)		7				
GALUTERIA, Brickwood		X				
KEITH-AGARAN, Gilbert S.C.		X				
RHOADS, Karl						X
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Chair's or Designee's Signature:						
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