

Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 28 2011 , 2011

RE: S.B. No. 758  
S.D. 1  
H.D. 2  
C.D. 1

Honorable Shan S. Tsutsui  
President of the Senate  
Twenty-Sixth State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2011  
State of Hawaii

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say  
Speaker, House of Representatives  
Twenty-Sixth State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2011  
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. 758, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SMALL BUSINESS,"

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 extend the use of Hawaii Compliance Express for small-business vendors, affording them the same savings of time and money in the contracting process.

Your Committee on Conference is in agreement that this measure will prove beneficial for Hawaii's small businesses, which is particularly important under the current economic conditions as small businesses account for the bulk of the registered businesses in Hawaii.

Your Committee on Conference has amended this measure by:




- (1) Including language in the purpose section regarding the current requirement that vendors provide proof of compliance with applicable laws in order to receive state and county contracts greater than \$15,000;
- (2) Clarifying that the use of Hawaii Compliance Express shall apply to all contracts and procurements of \$2,500 or more; and
- (3) Changing the effective date from October 1, 2011, to July 1, 2011.

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. 758, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Final Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 758, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1.

Respectfully submitted on behalf  
of the managers:

ON THE PART OF THE HOUSE

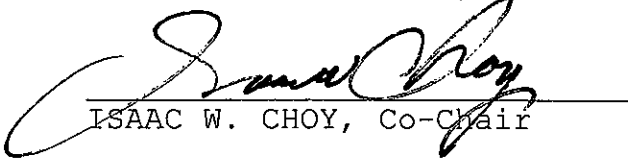
ON THE PART OF THE SENATE



ANGUS L.K. MCKELVEY, Co-Chair



CAROL FUKUNAGA, Chair



ISAAC W. CHOY, Co-Chair



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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.

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Senate Managers	A	WR	N	E	House Managers	A	WR	N	E
FUKUNAGA, Carol, Chr.	✓				MCKELVEY, Angus L.K., Co-Chr.	✓			
WAKAI, Glenn	✓				CHOY, Isaac W., Co-Chr.	✓			
SLOM, Sam	✓				AWANA, Karen L.	✓			
					EVANS, Cindy	✓			
					MARUMOTO, Barbara C.	✓			
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>5</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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