

STAND. COM. REP. NO. **1638**

Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 22 2015

RE: GOV. MSG. NO. 632

Honorable Donna Mercado Kim
President of the Senate
Twenty-Eighth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2015
State of Hawaii

Madam:

Your Committee on Health, to which was referred Governor's Message No. 632, submitting for study and consideration the nomination of:

BOARD OF CERTIFICATION OF OPERATING PERSONNEL IN WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANTS

G.M. No. 632 ROBERT SOUZA,
for a term to expire 6-30-2019,

begs leave to report as follows:

Your Committee has reviewed the personal history and resume submitted by the nominee and finds Robert Souza to possess the requisite qualifications to be nominated to the Board of Certification of Operating Personnel in Wastewater Treatment Plants.

Your Committee received testimony in support of the nominee from the Department of Health.

Mr. Souza is a Grade 4 Certified Wastewater Treatment Plant Operator for the City and County of Honolulu at the Sand Island Wastewater Treatment Plant. Previously, he acted as Wastewater Treatment Plant Supervisor IV at the Leeward Region Operations Branch of the Division of Wastewater Treatment and Disposal for the City and County of Honolulu for nine years. There, he oversaw five supervisors and thirty-four employees. With twenty-six years of experience in the field of wastewater management, Mr. Souza has developed an effective and efficient system of working with

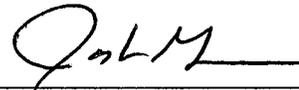


various trade groups to coordinate and accomplish repairs and maintenance of wastewater facilities.

Your Committee finds that Mr. Souza's past experiences in wastewater treatment operations, as well as his background in personnel supervision, will be great assets to the Board.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Health 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 Health,

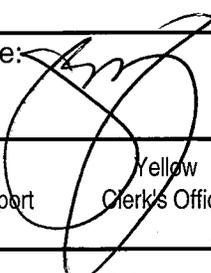


JOSH GREEN, Chair



The Senate
 Twenty-Eighth Legislature
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Advise and Consent

Governor's Message No.:* GM 632	Committee Referral: HTH	Date: 4/15/15		
<input type="checkbox"/> The Committee is reconsidering its decision				
The Recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Advise and Consent 2340 <input type="checkbox"/> Not Advise and Consent 2345				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
GREEN, Josh (C)	✓			
WAKAI, Glenn (VC)	✓			
BAKER, Rosalyn H.	✓			
GABBARD, Mike				✓
RIVIERE, Gil	✓			
RUDERMAN, Russell E.				✓
SLOM, Sam				✓
TOTAL	4	0	0	3
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: 				
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