

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

2983

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 21 2018

RE: H.B. No. 1654

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi  
President of the Senate  
Twenty-Ninth State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2018  
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Labor, to which was referred H.B. No. 1654  
entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NON-GENERAL FUNDS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to abolish the  
office of community services special fund.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure  
from the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations. Your  
Committee received comments on this measure from the Tax  
Foundation of Hawaii.

Your Committee finds that the office of community services  
special fund is an administratively created fund within the  
Department of Labor and Industrial Relations which is no longer  
used or needed. The Auditor found in Auditor's Report No. 17-12,  
which reviewed special funds, revolving funds, trust funds, and  
trust accounts of the State, that the office of community services  
special fund does not meet the criteria for continuance as a  
special fund, and therefore recommended that the special fund be  
abolished and the remaining unencumbered balance be transferred to  
the general fund. This measure enacts the recommendations of the  
Auditor.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your  
Committee on Labor that is attached to this report, your Committee



is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 1654, and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be referred to your Committee on Ways and Means.

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

  
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JILL N. TOKUDA, Chair



The Senate  
Twenty-Ninth Legislature  
State of Hawai'i

**Record of Votes**  
**Committee on Labor**  
**LBR**

Bill / Resolution No.:* <b>HB1654</b>	Committee Referral: <b>LBR, WAM</b>	Date: <b>3/13/18</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> The Committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure. If so, then the previous decision was to: _____				
The Recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312 <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311 <input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310 <input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
TOKUDA, Jill N. (C)	✓			
ENGLISH, J. Kalani (VC)				✓
CHANG, Stanley	✓			
IHARA, Jr., Les				✓
TANIGUCHI, Brian T.	✓			
<b>TOTAL</b>	3	0	0	2
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature:				
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