

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

733

Honolulu, Hawaii

February 15, 2019

RE: H.B. No. 1553
H.D. 1

Honorable Scott K. Saiki
Speaker, House of Representatives
Thirtieth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2019
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred H.B. No. 1553 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOMELAND SECURITY,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to establish the Hawaii State Fusion Center as a program under the Office of Homeland Security and establish the position of Hawaii State Fusion Center Director, which shall be state-funded, responsible to the Director of Homeland Security, and accountable to manage the operations of the Center.

The Department of Human Services; Department of Defense; Department of Transportation; Department of Business, Economic Development and Tourism; Oahu Country Committee on Legislative Priorities of the Democratic Party of Hawaii; Hawaiian Electric Company; Retail Merchants of Hawaii; Kauai Emergency Management Agency; and CyberHawaii submitted testimony in support of this measure. One individual submitted testimony in opposition to this measure.

Your Committee amended this measure by changing the effective date to January 28, 2081, to facilitate further discussion on the measure.

HB1553 HD1 HSCR LRB 19-1260.doc



As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Judiciary that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 1553, as amended herein, and recommends that it be referred to your Committee on Finance in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 1553, H.D. 1.

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



CHRIS LEE, Chair



State of Hawaii
House of Representatives
The THIRTIETH Legislature

HCCR 733

Record of Votes of the Committee on Judiciary

Bill/Resolution No.: HB1553	Committee Referral: PVM, JUD, FIN	Date: 2.14.19
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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)

JUD Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. LEE, Chris (C)	/			
2. SAN BUENAVENTURA, Joy A. (VC)	/			
3. BROWER, Tom	/			
4. CREAGAN, Richard P.	/			
5. LOWEN, Nicole E.	/			
6. McKELVEY, Angus L.K.				/
7. MORIKAWA, Dee	/			
8. SAY, Calvin K.Y.	/			
9. TAKAYAMA, Gregg	/			
10. YAMANE, Ryan I.	/			
11. THIELEN, Cynthia	/			
TOTAL (11)	10			1

The recommendation is: Adopted Not Adopted
 If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation.
 committee acronym(s)

Vice Chair's or designee's signature: 

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