

Honolulu, Hawaii

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RE: S.B. No. 1015
S.D. 2
H.D. 1
C.D. 1

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi
President of the Senate
Thirty-First State Legislature
Regular Session of 2021
State of Hawaii

Honorable Scott K. Saiki
Speaker, House of Representatives
Thirty-First State Legislature
Regular Session of 2021
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. 1015, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COMPTROLLER,"

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 require the Comptroller to perform additional office space management duties for state agencies occupying facilities that are managed by the Department of Accounting and General Services.

Your Committee on Conference finds that remote teleworking during the coronavirus disease 2019 pandemic has enabled the State to make better use of its limited resources, including office space, furnishing, equipment, electrical and data requirements, storage space, and other traditional needs of employees who work at state facilities. Your Committee on Conference further finds that the



Department of Accounting and General Services (DAGS) manages roughly one percent of the entire state building inventory.

Your Committee on Conference has amended this measure by:

- (1) Expanding the Comptroller's authority to manage spaces in facilities to include those that are not managed by DAGS;
- (2) Decreasing the total square footage of state-leased space for the Comptroller to reduce before July 1, 2026, from twenty-five to ten percent;
- (3) Requiring the Comptroller to submit the first annual progress report to the Legislature prior to the Regular Session of 2022;
- (4) Making it effective upon its approval; and
- (5) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for the purposes of clarity and consistency.

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. 1015, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Final Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 1015, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1.

Respectfully submitted on behalf
of the managers:

ON THE PART OF THE HOUSE




LINDA ICHIYAMA
Co-Chair



STACELYNN R. M. ELI
Co-Chair

ON THE PART OF THE SENATE



SHARON MORIWAKI
Chair



MICHELLE N. KIDANI
Co-Chair



Hawai'i State Legislature

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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.

<input type="checkbox"/> The recommendation of the Senate Manager(s) is to AGREE to the House amendments made to the Senate Measure	<input type="checkbox"/> The recommendation of the House Manager(s) is to AGREE to the Senate amendments made to the House Measure.
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Senate Managers	A	WR	N	E	House Managers	A	WR	N	E
MORIWAKI, Sharon Y., Chr.	✓				ICHIYAMA, Linda, Co-Chr.	✓			
KIDANI, Michelle N., Co-Chr.	✓				ELI, Stacelynn K.M., Co-Chr.	✓			
KANUHA, Dru Mamo	✓				WARD, Gene				✓
TOTAL	3				TOTAL	2			1

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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