

STAND. COM. REP. NO. **2532**

Honolulu, Hawaii

**FEB 12 2020**

RE: S.B. No. 2951

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi  
President of the Senate  
Thirtieth State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2020  
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committees on Housing and Human Services, to which was referred S.B. No. 2951 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SHORT-TERM RENTAL ASSISTANCE,"

beg leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to help alleviate homelessness in Hawaii by establishing the short-term rental assistance fund and the short-term rental assistance program.

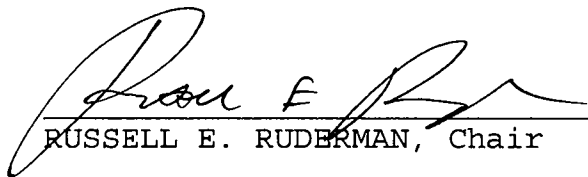
Your Committees received testimony in support of this measure from the Hawaii Public Housing Authority and one individual. Your Committees received comments on this measure from the Department of Budget and Finance.

Your Committees find that Hawaii has a state rent supplement program that helps to prevent homelessness. Your Committees further find that in addition to the state rent supplement program, there are residents who only need rental assistance for a short period of time. This measure establishes the short-term rental assistance program and fund to aid those Hawaii residents who need rental assistance for a short period of time.

As affirmed by the records of votes of the members of your Committees on Housing and Human Services that are attached to this report, your Committees are in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 2951 and recommend that it pass Second Reading and be referred to your Committees on Ways and Means and Judiciary.



Respectfully submitted on  
behalf of the members of the  
Committees on Housing and Human  
Services,

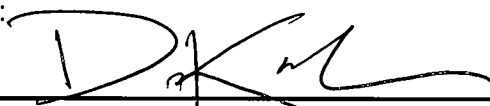
  
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RUSSELL E. RUDERMAN, Chair

  
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STANLEY CHANG, Chair



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**Committee on Housing**  
**HOU**

Bill / Resolution No.:* <b>SB 2951</b>	Committee Referral: <b>HOU/HMS, WAM/JDC</b>	Date: <b>2-4-20</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
CHANG, Stanley (C)	✓			
KANUHA, Dru Mamo (VC)	✓			
MORIWAKI, Sharon Y.	✓			
THIELEN, Laura H.	✓			
FEVELLA, Kurt	✓			
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>5</b>			
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: 				
<b>Distribution:</b> Original     Yellow ↓     Pink     Goldenrod File with Committee Report     Clerk's Office     Drafting Agency     Committee File Copy				

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**HMS**

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Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
RUDERMAN, Russell E. (C)	✓			
RHOADS, Karl (VC)	✓			
IHARA, Jr., Les				✓
RIVIERE, Gil	✓			
FEVELLA, Kurt	✓			
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: <i>Karl Rhoads</i>				
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