

Honolulu, Hawaii

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RE: H.B. No. 526
H.D. 1
S.D. 2

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred H.B. No. 526, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROCUREMENT,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to increase efficiency and cost-effectiveness in public procurement.

More specifically, this measure:

- (1) Defines "past performance" with regard to contractors;
- (2) Requires procurement officers to consider specific factors, including past performance, when available;
- (3) Requires the State Procurement Office to establish and administer a past performance database; and
- (4) Appropriates moneys for the development, implementation, and training of certain procurement resources tools, including a past performance guide and past performance database.

Your Committee received written comments in support of this measure from the Department of Transportation.



Your Committee received written comments in opposition to this measure from the General Contractors Association of Hawaii.

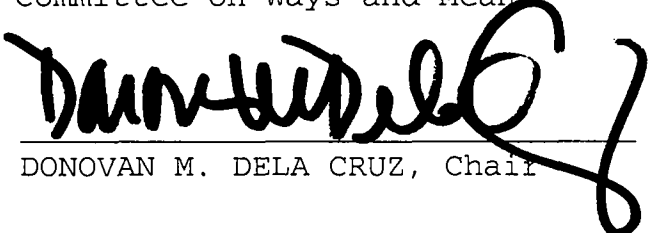
Your Committee received written comments on this measure from the Department of Accounting and General Services and State Procurement Office.

Your Committee finds that, in the procurement process, considering a contractor's past performance and creating and maintaining a past performance database will help to address issues of repeated inefficiencies and substandard work.

Your Committee has amended this measure by changing the effective date to July 1, 2050, to facilitate further discussion on the measure.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Ways and Means that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 526, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Third Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 526, H.D. 1, S.D. 2.


Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Ways and Means


DONOVAN M. DELA CRUZ, Chair



The Senate
Thirty-First Legislature
State of Hawai'i

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<i>HB 526, HD 1, SD 1</i>	<i>GVO, WAM</i>	<i>4/7/21</i>		
<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 type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311	<input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310		
<input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M. (C)	X			
KEITH-AGARAN, Gilbert S.C. (VC)	X			
ENGLISH, J. Kalani	X			
INOUYE, Lorraine R.	X			
KANUHA, Dru Mamo	X			
KIDANI, Michelle N.	X			
MORIWAKI, Sharon Y.	X			
SHIMABUKURO, Maile S.L.	X			
TANIGUCHI, Brian T.	X			
WAKAI, Glenn	X			
FEVELLA, Kurt	X			
TOTAL	<i>11</i>			
Recommendation:				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature:				
				
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