REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON BUDGET

Voting Members:
Val A. Okimoto, Chair; Scott Y. Nishimoto, Vice Chair;
Esther Kia'āina, Augie Tulba, Tommy Waters

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Committee Meeting Held
February 3, 2026

Honorable Tommy Waters
Chair, City Council
City and County of Honolulu

Mr. Chair:

Your Committee on Budget, which considered Bill 76 (2025) entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO GOVERNMENT TRANSPARENCY,"

which passed second reading and was the subject of a public hearing held at the January 28, 2026 Council meeting, reports as follows:

The purpose of the bill is to enhance government transparency in the City and County of Honolulu.

Your Committee on Budget is in accord with the intent and purpose of Bill 76 (2025) and recommends that it pass third reading. (Ayes: Kia'āina, Nishimoto, Okimoto, Tulba, Waters – 5; Noes: None.)

Respectfully submitted,

Val A. Okimoto

Committee Chair

HONOLULU CITY COUNCIL
Ke Kanihela o ke Kalana o Honolulu
CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU

ADOPTED ON _____

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