REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON INTERNATIONAL & LEGAL AFFAIRS

Voting Members:
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Radiant Cordero, Tyler Dos Santos-Tam, Esther Kia'āina,
Val A. Okimoto, Augie Tulba, Tommy Waters, Matt Weyer

Committee Meeting Held
July 15, 2026

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

Mr. Chair:

Your Committee on International & Legal Affairs, which considered Resolution 26-157 entitled:

"RESOLUTION ACCEPTING A GIFT OF TRAVEL, ACCOMMODATIONS, MEALS, AND GROUND TRANSPORTATION EXPENSES VALUED AT $7,150.00 TO THE CITY FROM THE FUZHOU MUNICIPAL PEOPLE'S GOVERNMENT, PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA, FOR COUNCILMEMBER ANDRIA TUPOLA TO ATTEND THE 2026 BOND WITH KULIANG FESTIVAL IN FUZHOU, FUJIAN, CHINA,"

introduced on July 1, 2026, reports as follows:

The purpose of the Resolution is to accept the gift of travel, accommodations, meals, and ground transportation expenses valued at $7,150.00 to the City from the Fuzhou Municipal People's Government, People's Republic of China, for Councilmember Andria Tupola to attend the 2026 Bond with Kuliang Festival, in Fuzhou, Fujian, China, from June 28 through July 2, 2026.

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Section 13-113 of the Revised Charter of the City and County of Honolulu 1973, (Amended 2017 Edition), provides as follows:

> The council, on behalf of the city, may accept gifts or donations of money, securities or other personal property or of real estate or any interest in real estate.

To implement this Charter provision, the Council adopted Resolution 05-349, CD1, FD1, which establishes guidelines for the solicitation and receipt of gifts on behalf of the City.

Your Committee finds that the acceptance of this gift conforms with the applicable provisions of Resolution 05-349, CD1, FD1, and that this gift will benefit the people of the City and County of Honolulu.

Your Committee on International & Legal Affairs is in accord with the intent and purpose of Resolution 26-157 and recommends its adoption. (Ayes: Cordero, Dos Santos-Tam, Kia'āina, Nishimoto, Okimoto, Tulba, Tupola, Waters – 8; Noes: None; Absent: Weyer – 1.)

Respectfully submitted,

Committee Chair

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