

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

1152

Honolulu, Hawaii

FEB 28 , 2025

RE: H.B. No. 505

H.D. 1

Honorable Nadine K. Nakamura
Speaker, House of Representatives
Thirty-Third State Legislature
Regular Session of 2025
State of Hawaii

Madame:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred H.B. No. 505, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RED HILL,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to:

- (1) Establish a Red Hill Water Alliance Initiative (WAI) policy coordinator to serve as the State's lead on WAI initiatives and work with state and county agencies and appropriate federal entities on WAI initiatives; and
- (2) Create the Red Hill Remediation Special Fund.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Department of Land and Natural Resources; University of Hawai'i System; Office of Hawaiian Affairs; Honolulu Board of Water Supply; Environmental Caucus of the Democratic Party of Hawai'i; Hui Malama Pono Hawai'i; Coalition Earth; Ka Lāhui Hawai'i; and five individuals. Your Committee received comments on this measure from the Department of Budget and Finance.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Finance that is attached to this report, your



Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 505, H.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Third Reading.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Finance,

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KYLE T. YAMASHITA, Chair



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Bill/Resolution No.: HIB 505, HDI	Committee Referral: WAL, EEP, FIN	Date: 2/24/25
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.		
The recommendation is to:		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Pass, unamended (as is)	<input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments (HD) <input type="checkbox"/> Hold
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)	

FIN Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. YAMASHITA, Kyle T. (C)	/			
2. TAKENOUCHI, Jenna (VC)	/			
3. GRANDINETTI, Tina Nakada	/			
4. HOLT, Daniel	/			
5. HUSSEY, Ikaika	/			
6. KEOHOKAPU-LEE LOY, Sue L.	/			
7. KITAGAWA, Lisa	/			
8. KUSCH, Matthias	/			
9. LAMOSAO, Rachele F.	/			
10. LEE, Mike	/			
11. MIYAKE, Tyson K.	/			
12. MORIKAWA, Dee	/			
13. TEMPLO, Shirley Ann	/			
14. ALCOS III, David	/			
15. REYES ODA, Julie	/			
16. WARD, Gene				/
TOTAL (16)	15	0	0	1

The recommendation is:

☒ Adopted
 ☐ Not Adopted

If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation.
committed acronym(s)

Vice Chair's or designee's signature: _____

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