Honolulu, Hawaii

Fe 5 16, 2006

RE: H.B. No. 1955

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Third State Legislature Regular Session of 2006 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, to which was referred H.B. No. 1955 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LITTER CONTROL,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to continue to protect Hawaii's environment by updating the fine schedule to increase the minimum penalty for criminal littering from \$25 to \$500 and the maximum penalty from \$500 to \$1,000.

The Waimanalo Agricultural Association, Windward Ahupuaa Alliance, Malama Waimanalo Coalition, and a concerned individual testified in support of this bill.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 1955 and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

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Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection,

Hami Dune

HERMINA MORITA, Chair

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection

Bill/Resolution No.: HB 1955	Date:	Date: 2-14-06			
Committee Referral:	☐ The co	☐ The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.			
The recommendation is to: Pass, unamended		☐ Pass, with amendments			
☐ Hold	☐ Recommit				
EEP Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused	
1. MORITA, Hermina M. (C)	V				
2. EVANS, Cindy (VC)					
3. BERG, Lyla B., Ph.D.					
4. CARROLL, Mele				<u> </u>	
5. HARBIN, Bev				'	
6. KANOHO, Ezra R.					
7. SCHATZ, Brian					
8. WATERS, Tommy					
9. PINE, Kymberly					
10. THIELEN, Cynthia					
TOTAL	7			3	
The recommendation is:					
□ Not Adopted					
If joint referral, did not support recommendation. committee acronym(s)					
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Vice Chair's or designee's signature:					
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