STAND. COM. REP. NO. 1846-06

Honolulu, Hawaii

RE: S.C.R. No. 130

S.D. 1

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, to which was referred S.C.R. No. 130, S.D. 1, entitled:

"SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO RECOMMEND SOLUTIONS TO ABATE AND PREVENT THE ACCUMULATION OF SEDIMENT AT WAILOA SMALL BOAT HARBOR AND ALONG HILO BAYFRONT,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to request the Department of Land and Natural Resources to study and recommend solutions to abate and prevent the accumulation of sediment at Wailoa Small Boat Harbor and along Hilo Bayfront.

A private citizen testified in support of the measure. The Department of Land and Natural Resources noted its appreciation of the intent of the measure and offered comments.

Your Committee finds that the Wailoa River discharges into the Hilo Bay and is one of the major causes of sediment build up in the bay. Your Committee believes that this issue needs to be addressed to mitigate the effects of nonpoint source pollution and to ensure safe passage for vessels in and out of the harbor.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of S.C.R. No. 130, S.D. 1, and recommends its adoption.

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Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources,

FZRA R. KANOHO, Chair

State of Hawaii



Record of Votes of the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources

Bill/Resolution No.: SCR1305D1	Date:	121/06		
Committee Referral:	The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.			
The recommendation is to: Pass, unamended	☐ Pa	ss, with amendmen	ts	
☐ Hold	Pass, with amendments, for recommittal for further consideration			
WLO Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. KANOHO, Ezra R. (C)				
2. SCHATZ, Brian (VC)	V ,			
3. BERG, Lyla B., Ph.D.	V			<u> </u>
4. CARROLL, Mele	· ·			<i></i>
5. EVANS, Cindy				
6. HARBIN, Bev				
7. MORITA, Hermina M.	Y			
8. WATERS, Tommy				
9. MEYER, Colleen Rose				
10. THIELEN, Cynthia				
TOTAL	6	·	-	4
The recommendation is:		,		
☐ Not Adopted				
If joint referral,	nmittee acronym(did not suppo	ort recommendation	
committee acronym(s)				
committee acronym(s)				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
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