STAND. COM. REP. NO. 1625

Honolulu, Hawaii

4 ~ 2 , 2007

RE: H.R. No. 231

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Fourth State Legislature Regular Session of 2007 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on International Affairs, to which was referred H.R. No. 231 entitled:

"HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES TO ENTER INTO A FREE TRADE AGREEMENT WITH TAIWAN,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this resolution is to support Hawaii's export economy and encourage foreign trade by urging the President of the United States to seriously consider entering into a free trade agreement with Taiwan.

The Chinese Chamber of Commerce of Hawaii and a concerned individual supported this measure.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on International Affairs that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of H.R. No. 231 and recommends that it be referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns.

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Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on International Affairs,

RIDA T.R. CABANILLA, Chair



State of Hawaii House of Representatives The Twenty-fourth Legislature

Record of Votes of the Committee on International Affairs

Bill/Resolution No.: HR 231	Date: 3	-28-07			
Committee Referral: /NT, EDB	☐ The compreviou	☐ The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.			
The recommendation is to: Pass, unamended	☐ Pass, with amendments				
☐ Hold	 Pass, with amendments, for recommittal for further consideration 				
INT Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused	
1. CABANILLA, Rida T.R. (C)	1				
2. TOKIOKA, James Kunane (VC)	1				
3. BELATTI, Della Au				/	
4. BERTRAM, Joe, III	•			7	
5. GREEN, Josh, M.D.	1, 1				
6. MIZUNO, John					
7. RHOADS, Karl	- 1				
8. SHIMABUKURO, Maile S. L.			·	_	
9. TAKAI, K. Mark					
10. AWANA, Karen Leinani				1	
11. WARD, Gene, Ph.D.	1				
TOTAL	6	/		4	
The recommendation is: Adopted If joint referral,					
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