Honolulu, Hawaii

RE: S.B. No. 281 H.D. 1

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Fifth State Legislature Regular Session of 2009 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred S.B. No. 281 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATEWIDE TRAFFIC CODE," begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to enhance safety on sidewalks by authorizing the counties to prohibit or regulate the use of electric personal assistive mobility devices on sidewalks.

The Waikiki Improvement Association and Segway, Inc., testified in support of this bill. The Policy Advisory Board for Elder Affairs supported the intent of this measure. The Disability and Communication Access Board opposed this bill.

Your Committee has amended this bill by:

- Changing its effective date to January 1, 2046, to encourage further discussion; and
- (3)Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for clarity, consistency, and style.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Judiciary that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 281, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Third Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 281, H.D. 1.

SB281 HD1 HSCR JUD HMS 2009-3567



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

JW RIKI KARAMATSU, Chair

## State of Hawaii House of Representatives The Twenty-fifth Legislature

## **Record of Votes of the Committee on Judiciary**

Bill/Resolution No.:	Committee Referral:	Date	e: ,,/ .	
SB 281	TRN, JUD 4/2/09			
☐ The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to:  Pass, unamended (as is) Pass, with amendments (HD)  Hold				
☐ Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)				
JUD Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
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1. KARAMATSU, Jon Riki (C)				
2. ITO, Ken (VC)				
3. BELATTI, Della Au				
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7. LUKE, Sylvia			Process Ballyong the	
8. McKELVEY, Angus L.K.				
9. MIZUNO, John M.				
10. MORITA, Hermina M.				
11. OSHIRO, Blake K.				
12. SOUKI, Joseph M.				
13. TSUJI, Clift				
14. WAKAI, Glenn				
15. MARUMOTO, Barbara C.				
16. THIELEN, Cynthia				
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TOTAL (16)				5
The recommendation is: Adopted   Not Adopted				
If joint referral, did not support recommendation.				
<b>Y</b> (7)				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
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