STAND. COM. REP. NO. 166

Honolulu, Hawaii Fegur, 2009

RE: H.B. No. 609 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 Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, to which was referred H.B. No. 609 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO PLAN, DESIGN, AND CONSTRUCT A TEST WELL IN UPCOUNTRY MAUI TO SERVE AS THE FIRST PHASE IN THE CONSTRUCTION OF A GROUND WATER WELL TO SUPPLEMENT THE UPCOUNTRY MAUI SURFACE WATER SYSTEM,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to expand water resources available in upcountry Maui by appropriating funds for the planning, design, and construction of a test well in upcountry Maui, either in Makawao or Pukalani, to serve as the first phase in the construction of a ground water well to supplement the upcountry surface water system.

The Chair and a member of the Maui County Council; County of Maui, Department of Water Supply; County of Maui, Office of Economic Development; Hawaii Building and Construction Trades Council, AFL-CIO; Kula Community Association; Laborers International Union of North America Local 368; and Hawaii Farm Bureau Federation supported this bill. The Department of Land and Natural Resources provided comments.

Your Committee has amended this bill by:

 Changing the effective date from July 1, 2009, to January 1, 2020, to encourage further discussion; and

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(2) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for style, clarity, and consistency.

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 is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 609, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 609, H.D. 1, and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

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

KEN ITd. Chair



State of Hawaii House of Representatives The Twenty-fifth Legislature



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

Bill/Resolution No.: HB 609	Committee Referral: WLO, FIN			$\frac{\text{Date:}}{\sqrt{30}}$	
□ The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.					
The recommendation is to: Dess, unamended (as is) Pass, with amendments (HD) Dess, Hold					
Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)					
WLO Members		Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. ITO, Ken (C)		\checkmark			
2. HAR, Sharon E. (VC)		✓			
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4. CHANG, Jerry L.					
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5. CHONG, Pono					
6. COFFMAN, Denny					
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7. HERKES, Robert N.		\checkmark			
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8. LEE, Chris		\checkmark			
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9. LUKE, Sylvia		\checkmark			
10. MORITA, Hermina M.		<u> </u>			
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11. SAGUM, Roland D., III		•			
12. CHING, Corinne W.L.					
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13. THIELEN, Cynthia					
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TOTAL (13)		12			
The recommendation is:					
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:					
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