STAND. COM. REP. NO.

Honolulu, Hawaii

FEB 1 2 2009

RE: S.B. No. 1018

Honorable Colleen Hanabusa President of the Senate Twenty-Fifth State Legislature Regular Session of 2009 State of Hawaii

Madam:

Your Committee on Transportation, International and Intergovernmental Affairs, to which was referred S.B. No. 1018 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR COUNTY OF HAWAII MASS TRANSIT,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to make an appropriation of \$4,000,000 as a grant-in-aid to the County of Hawai'i, to assist in the purchase of six additional forty-foot buses and the construction of a transit baseyard including a maintenance and repair facility and fueling station.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the County of Hawai'i.

This measure is intended to expand public transportation in the County of Hawai'i. The residents of the county face difficult challenges in commuting for work, school, and health and recreational purposes due in part to the long distances they must travel to their destinations, fuel costs, and lack of transportation alternatives.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Transportation, International and Intergovernmental Affairs that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 1018 and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.



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Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Transportation, International and Intergovernmental Affairs,

KALANI ENGLISH, Chair

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## Record of Votes Committee on Transportation, International and Intergovernmental Affairs TIA

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Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
ENGLISH, J. Kalani (C)				
GABBARD, Mike (VC)				
ESPERO, Will				
NISHIHARA, Clarence K.				
SLOM, Sam				
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