

Honolulu, Hawaii

FEB 20 2009

RE: S.B. No. 1381

S.D. 1

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

Madam:

Your Committee on Energy and Environment, to which was
referred S.B. No. 1381, S.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to enable Hawaii to receive
and use moneys under the federal American Recovery and
Reinvestment Act of 2009 and any other applicable federal law for
drinking water and wastewater infrastructure improvement projects.

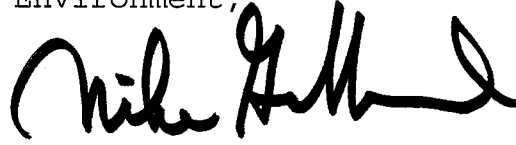
Testimony in support of this measure was provided by one
state department and one private organization. Written testimony
presented to your Committee may be reviewed on the Legislature's
website.

Your Committee finds that it is crucial that this measure be
passed to allow Hawaii to benefit from the American Recovery and
Reinvestment Act of 2009 for drinking water and wastewater
infrastructure improvements projects. The anticipated federal
funds for these projects will improve public health, protect the
environment, and stimulate the economy.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your
Committee on Energy and Environment that is attached to this
report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of
S.B. No. 1381, S.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Second Reading
and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.



Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Energy and
Environment,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mike Gabbard", written over a horizontal line.

MIKE GABBARD, Chair



The Senate
Twenty-Fifth Legislature
State of Hawaii

Record of Votes
Committee on Energy and Environment
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Bill / Resolution No.:* <i>SB 1381, SD1</i>	Committee Referral: <i>ENE</i>	Date: <i>17 Feb 2009</i>		
<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-bottom: 5px;"><input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure. If so, then the previous decision was to: _____</div>				
The Recommendation is: <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 10px;"><div><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313</div></div>				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
GABBARD, Mike (C)	/			
ENGLISH, J. Kalani (VC)	/			
GREEN, M.D., Josh	/			
HOOSER, Gary L.	/			
IHARA, Jr., Les				/
KOKUBUN, Russell S.	/			
HEMMINGS, Fred	/			
TOTAL	<i>6</i>			<i>1</i>
Recommendation: <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; margin-top: 10px;"><div><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted</div></div>				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: <div style="text-align: center; font-size: 1.5em; margin-top: 10px;"><i>J. Kalani English</i></div>				
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***Only one measure per Record of Votes**