STAND. COM. REP. NO. 2381

Honolulu, Hawaii

## FEB 2 6 2010

RE: S.B. No. 2758

Honorable Colleen Hanabusa President of the Senate Twenty-Fifth State Legislature Regular Session of 2010 State of Hawaii

Madam:

Your Committees on Transportation, International and Intergovernmental Affairs and Energy and Environment, to which was referred S.B. No. 2758 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SAFETY INSPECTION OF MOTOR CARRIER VEHICLES, "

beg leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to conform Hawaii's motor carrier safety law to Federal Motor Carrier Safety Regulations by making subject to state and county laws and regulations, including safety inspections, vehicles used in transporting material that is found to be hazardous under federal statute and transported in a quantity requiring placarding under federal rules.

Your Committees received testimony in support of this measure from the Department of Transportation. Written testimony presented to the Committees may be reviewed on the Legislature's website.

Your Committees find that presently the State Department of Transportation's Motor Vehicle Safety Office receives federal moneys from the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration to fund its Motor Carrier Safety Assistance Program and the New Entrant Incentive Program. This funding allows the state motor vehicle carrier officers to enforce the Federal Motor Vehicle Carrier Safety Regulations and Hazardous Material Regulations that ultimately provide safer roads for residents and visitors.



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The Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration has found Hawaii's motor carrier safety law to be incompatible with federal law and regulations. This measure addresses that concern and, accordingly, avoids the withholding of federal funding.

As affirmed by the records of votes of the members of your Committees on Transportation, International and Intergovernmental Affairs and Energy and Environment that are attached to this report, your Committees are in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 2758 and recommend that it pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

MIKE GABBARD, Chair

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committees on Transportation, International and Intergovernmental Affairs and Energy and Environment,

Chair



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

Bill / Resolution No.:* Committee Referral: Date:								
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The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure.								
The Recommendation is:								
Pass, unamended Pass, with amendments Hold Recommit 2312 2311 2310 2313								
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## Record of Votes Committee on Energy and Environment ENE

Bill / Resolution No.:* SB 2758	Committee Referral: Date: TIA/ENE 16 Feb 2010						
The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure. If so, then the previous decision was to:							
The Recommendation is:							
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