

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 05 2009

RE: S.B. No. 636
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 Commerce and Consumer Protection, to which was referred S.B. No. 636 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES, "

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to make minor housekeeping amendments to section 502-33, Hawaii Revised Statutes, relating to the recording of documents with the Bureau of Conveyances.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Department of Land and Natural Resources. Written testimony presented to the Committee may be reviewed on the Legislature's website.

Your Committee finds that this measure will clarify the language of section 502-33 and bring it into conformity with standard legislative drafting conventions.

Your Committee also heard S.B. No. 637, relating to the Department of Land and Natural Resources and received testimony in support of that measure from the Department of Land and Natural Resources. Written testimony on S.B. No. 637 presented to the Committee may be reviewed on the Legislature's website.

Upon further consideration, your Committee has amended this measure by adding the contents of S.B. No. 637, which also makes housekeeping amendments relating to the recording of documents



with the Bureau of Conveyances. Your Committee has incorporated the language of S.B. No. 637 into this measure for the purpose of legislative efficiency since both measures consist of housekeeping amendments needed to clarify existing language regarding the registration and recordation of documents with the Bureau of Conveyances.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 636, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 636, S.D. 1, and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Commerce and
Consumer Protection,


ROSALYN H. BAKER, Chair



The Senate
Twenty-Fifth Legislature
State of Hawaii

Record of Votes
Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection
CPN

Bill / Resolution No.:* <div style="font-size: 1.2em; font-family: cursive;">SB 636</div>	Committee Referral: <div style="font-size: 1.2em; font-family: cursive;">CPN</div>	Date: <div style="font-size: 1.2em; font-family: cursive;">2/24/2009</div>		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure. If so, then the previous decision was to: _____				
The Recommendation is: <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: flex-start;"> <div style="text-align: center;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312 </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311 </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310 </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313 </div> </div>				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
BAKER, Rosalyn H. (C)	✓			
IGE, David Y. (VC)	✓			
ESPERO, Will	✓			
GREEN, M.D., Josh				✓
IHARA, Jr., Les				✓
SAKAMOTO, Norman	✓			
HEMMINGS, Fred	✓			
TOTAL	5			2
Recommendation: <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: center; margin-top: 10px;"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted </div>				
Chair's or Designee's Signature:				
Distribution: <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; font-size: 0.8em; margin-top: 5px;"> <div>Original File with Committee Report</div> <div>Yellow Clerk's Office</div> <div>Pink Drafting Agency</div> <div>Goldenrod Committee File Copy</div> </div>				

*Only one measure per Record of Votes