STAND. COM. REP. NO. 87

Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 0 8 2011

RE: H.B. No. 270 S.D. 1

Honorable Shan S. Tsutsui President of the Senate Twenty-Sixth State Legislature Regular Session of 2011 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred H.B. No. 270, S.D. 1, entitled:

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

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to reduce costs and avoid the unnecessary expenditure of time and resources for the counties and requestors of easements by eliminating the public auction requirement in the disposition of easements.

Your Committee finds that, although the counties receive many requests for easements that only benefit the requester, the counties are required to set up public auctions even after obtaining county council approvals for the easements. Your Committee further finds that the elimination of the public auction requirement will do away with a timely, costly, and unnecessary process in the granting of easements.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Ways and Means that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 270, S.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Third Reading.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Ways and Means,

DAVID Y. ISE Char

## The Senate Twenty-Sixth Legislature State of Hawaiʻi

## Record of Votes Committee on Ways and Means WAM

Bill / Resolution No.:*	Committee Referral: Date:				
HB 270, SDI	PGM/WLH, WAM 4-1-11				
The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure.					
If so, then the previous decision was to:					
The Recommendation is:					
Pass, unamended Pass, with amendments Hold Recommit 2312 2311 2310 Recommit 2313					
Members		Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
IGE, David Y. (C)					
KIDANI, Michelle N. (VC)					
CHUN OAKLAND, Suzanne					
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M.					
ENGLISH, J. Kalani					
ESPERO, Will					
FUKUNAGA, Carol				DF V.C	11 11 A. 10 J. 20 M. 1 A. 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1
KIM, Donna Mercado					
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TOKUDA, Jill N.					
WAKAI, Glenn					
SLOM, Sam					
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TOTAL		12	0	0	2
Recommendation:  Adopted Not Adopted					
Chair's or Designee's Signature: Sudani					
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