STAND. COM. REP. NO. 481

Honolulu, Hawaii

April 8 , 2011

RE: S.B. No. 1311

S.D. 2 H.D. 1

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Sixth State Legislature Regular Session of 2011 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred S.B. No. 1311, S.D. 2, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FEES FOR HABITAT CONSERVATION PLANS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to:

- (1) Authorize the Department of Land and Natural Resources (DLNR) to collect fees to cover the technical assistance program costs associated with assisting landowners in developing habitat conservation plans through technical assistance; and
- (2) Requiring DLNR to adopt rules for establishing the fees.

DLNR; the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism; and Earthjustice commented on this bill.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

(1) Clarifying that the fees authorized to cover the technical assistance program costs are to be deposited into the Endangered Species Trust Fund under section 195D-31, Hawaii Revised Statutes;

- (2) Changing its effective date to July 1, 2030, to encourage further discussion; and
- (3) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for clarity, consistency, and style.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Finance that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 1311, S.D. 2, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Third Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 1311, S.D. 2, H.D. 1.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Finance,

MARCUS R. OSHIRO, Chair

State of Hawaii House of Representatives The Twenty-sixth Legislature



Record of Votes of the Committee on Finance

Bill/Resolution No.:	Committee		Date	4/,/,	,
SB 1311, SDA WLO/EEP, FIN 4/1/1/					
☐ The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.					
The recommendation is to: Pass, unamended (as is) Pass, with amendments (HD) Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)					
FIN Members		Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
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2. LEE, Marilyn B. (VC)		レ			
3. CHONG, Pono		✓ The state of th			
4. CHOY, Isaac W.		V			
5. COFFMAN, Denny		~			•
6. CULLEN, Ty		<u></u>			
7. HAR, Sharon E.		V			
8. HASHEM, Mark J.		~			
9. ICHIYAMA, Linda		V			
10. JORDAN, Jo		ン			
11. LEE, Chris					
12. MORIKAWA, Dee		ا			
13. TOKIOKA, James Kunane					
14. YAMASHITA, Kyle T.		~			
15. MARUMOTO, Barbara C.		V			
16. RIVIERE, Gil		س			
17. WARD, Gene		<i>\\</i>			
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The recommendation is: Adopted If joint referral, did not support recommendation. committee acronym(s)					
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:					
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