STAND. COM. REP. NO. **364** -12

Honolulu, Hawaii

Feb 14 , 2012

RE: H.B. No. 2250 H.D. 1

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Sixth State Legislature Regular Session of 2012 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committees on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and Energy & Environmental Protection, to which was referred H.B. No. 2250 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMERGENCY ENVIRONMENTAL WORKFORCE,"

beg leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to establish and appropriate funds for an emergency environmental workforce to provide short-term employment for individuals who are unemployed or underemployed due to the slow economic recovery so as to assist the State's efforts to protect watersheds and eradicate invasive species.

Alexander & Baldwin testified in support of this measure. The Research Corporation of the University of Hawaii and the Coordinating Group on Alien Pest Species testified in support of the intent of this measure. The Department of Land and Natural Resources and The Nature Conservancy opposed this measure.

Your Committees have amended this measure by making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for the purposes of clarity, consistency, and style.

As affirmed by the records of votes of the members of your Committees on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and Energy & Environmental Protection that are attached to this report, your Committees are in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 2250, as amended herein, and recommend that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 2250, H.D. 1, and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committees on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and Energy & Environmental Protection,

DENNY COFFMAN, Chair

JERRY L. CHANC, Chair

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources

	Committee Referral: WLO/EEP.FIN	Dates	10/12	-			
☐ The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.							
The recommendation is to: Pass, unamended (as is) Pass, with amendments (HD) Hold Pass short form bill with House recommit for future public hearing (recommit)							
WLO Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused			
1. CHANG, Jerry L. (C)	X						
2. HAR, Sharon E. (VC)	X	1 01 11					
3. CABANILLA, Rida T.R.				X			
4. CARROLL, Mele	1						
5. COFFMAN, Denny	χ.						
6. HERKES, Robert N.	χ.		•				
7. ITO, Ken	χ						
8. KAWAKAMI, Derek S.K.	X						
9. NAKASHIMA, Mark M.	X						
10. RIVIERE, Gil		X					
11. THIELEN, Cynthia	X						
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TOTAL (11)	9	1					
The recommendation is: Adopted							
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:							
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Bill/Resolution No.: HB 2250	Committee Referral:	Date:	eb 10,21) _			
☐ The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.							
The recommendation is to: Pass, unamended (as is) Pass, with amendments (HD) Hold Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)							
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