STAND. COM. REP. NO. 763 -12

Honolulu, Hawaii

March 2, 2012

RE: H.B. No. 2608 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 Committee on Finance, to which was referred H.B. No. 2608, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DRIVER LICENSING,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to facilitate international reciprocity by:

- (1) Requiring the Director of the Department of
  Transportation to establish and appoint the members of a
  statewide driver's license reciprocity committee to
  evaluate the written knowledge and practical examination
  program of a foreign country whenever a foreign country
  makes a request for driver's license reciprocity;
- (2) Establishing a process to determine whether the standards of the foreign countries' driver's license testing are equivalent to Hawaii's driver's license testing; and
- (3) Requiring that the Driver's License Reciprocity Committee notify the Legislature of its findings and recommendations.

The Department of Transportation, the Department of Customer Services of the City and County of Honolulu, and the Consulate General of the Republic of Korea supported this measure.

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 H.B. No. 2608, H.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Third Reading.

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

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## Record of Votes of the Committee on Finance

HB 2608 HD1 TRN,	e Referral:	Date		
☐ 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
1. OSHIRO, Marcus R. (C)	1/			
2. LEE, Marilyn B. (VC)	~			
3. CHOY, Isaac W.				
4. CULLEN, Ty	V,			
5. GIUGNI, Heather	L'			:
6. HAR, Sharon E.	V			
7. HASHEM, Mark J.	1			
8. ICHIYAMA, Linda	Vı			
9. JORDAN, Jo	V			
10. KAWAKAMI, Derek S.K.	L V			
11. LEE, Chris	V			
12. MORIKAWA, Dee	V			
13. TOKIOKA, James Kunane				<u></u>
14. YAMASHITA, Kyle T.	/,			
15. MARUMOTO, Barbara C.				
16. RIVIERE, Gil				
17. WARD, Gene	V			
TOTAL (17)	16	0	0	
The recommendation is: Adopted  Not Adopted				
If joint referral, did not support recommendation.				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: May 3. Lew				
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