Honolulu, Hawaii

March 1, 2012

RE: H.B. No. 2658 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 Economic Revitalization & Business, to which was referred H.B. No. 2658 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATIONS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to apply the lower shareholder voting requirements to approve a plan of merger or share exchange of corporations incorporated after June 30, 1987, to publicly traded corporations.

Alexander & Baldwin and Maui Land & Pineapple Company, Incorporated testified in support of this measure with amendments.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

- (1) Extending the lower shareholder voting requirements to approve a plan of merger or share exchange to a corporation incorporated before July 1, 1987, if:
 - (A) The plan is a merger plan of a publicly traded parent corporation with or into a subsidiary corporation; and
 - (B) All the shares of the subsidiary are owned by the parent corporation;
- (2) Adding a definition for publicly traded corporation; and



(3) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for the purposes of clarity, consistency, and style.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Economic Revitalization & Business that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 2658, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 2658, H.D. 1, and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Economic Revitalization & Business,

ANGUS L.K. McKELVEY, Chair

State of Hawaii House of Representatives The Twenty-sixth Legislature



Record of Votes of the Committee on Economic Revitalization & Business

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☐ 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)				
ERB Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. McKELVEY, Angus L.K. (C)	V	_		
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2. CHOY, Isaac W. (VC)	V			
3. AWANA, Karen L.				
4. BROWER, Tom	/			
5. EVANS, Cindy				
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6. HASHEM, Mark J.				
7. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y.				
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8. TOKIOKA, James Kunane	•			
9. TSUJI, Clift	V			
10. MARUMOTO, Barbara C.				
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11. PINE, Kymberly Marcos				
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TOTAL (11)	[[0	•		
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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