

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

2049

Honolulu, Hawaii

FEB 07 2012

RE: S.B. No. 2625

Honorable Shan S. Tsutsui  
President of the Senate  
Twenty-Sixth State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2012  
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committees on Transportation and International Affairs and Public Safety, Government Operations, and Military Affairs, to which was referred S.B. No. 2625 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSPECTIONS,"

beg leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to abolish the requirement that certain vehicles obtain an annual certificate of inspection.

Your Committees received testimony in support of this measure from two individuals. Testimony in opposition was submitted by the State Department of Transportation, Honolulu Police Department, and Honolulu Customer Services Department.

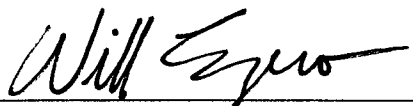
Your Committees find that annual vehicle certificates of inspection may not be necessary. Recently, some jurisdictions throughout the nation have cut or proposed to cut vehicle safety inspection programs or have exempted certain vehicles from safety inspections. Advocates for the repeal of safety inspection programs or the exemption of new motor vehicles from inspection requirements cite a lack of evidence that safety inspections save lives and question whether inspections of new vehicles is cost efficient.

As affirmed by the records of votes of the members of your Committees on Transportation and International Affairs and Public Safety, Government Operations, and Military Affairs that are attached to this report, your Committees are in accord with the



intent and purpose of S.B. No. 2625 and recommend that it pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Respectfully submitted on  
behalf of the members of the  
Committees on Transportation  
and International Affairs and  
Public Safety, Government  
Operations, and Military  
Affairs,



WILL ESPERO, Chair



J. KALANI ENGLISH, Chair



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SB 2625	TIA/P&M, CPN	2/1/12

☐ The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure.  
If so, then the previous decision was to: \_\_\_\_\_

The Recommendation is:

☒ Pass, unamended 2312    
 ☐ Pass, with amendments 2311    
 ☐ Hold 2310    
 ☐ Recommit 2313

Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
ENGLISH, J. Kalani (C)	✓			
ESPERO, Will (VC)		✓		
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M.				✓
GABBARD, Mike		✓		
KAHELE, Gilbert	✓			
KOUCHI, Ronald D.	✓			
SLOM, Sam	✓			
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>		<b>1</b>

Recommendation: ☒ Adopted     ☐ Not Adopted

Chair's or Designee's Signature: *Will Espero*

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<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure. If so, then the previous decision was to: _____				
The Recommendation is: <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: flex-start;"> <div style="text-align: center;"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312         </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311         </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310         </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313         </div> </div>				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
ESPERO, Will (C)	<div style="font-family: cursive;">Will</div>	X	<div style="font-family: cursive;">m</div>	
KIDANI, Michelle N. (VC)				X
BAKER, Rosalyn H.		X		
RYAN, Pohai		X		
SLOM, Sam	X			
TOTAL	1	3		1
Recommendation: <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; margin-top: 5px;"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted         <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted         </div>				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: <div style="font-size: 1.5em; font-family: cursive; text-align: center;">Pohai Ryan</div>				
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