STAND. COM. REP. NO. 1809 -12

Honolulu, Hawaii

April 25, 2012

RE: S.C.R. No. 156 S.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 Transportation, to which was referred S.C.R. No. 156, S.D. 1, entitled:

"SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE CREATION OF AN EXPLORATORY COMMITTEE TO CONSIDER THE ESTABLISHMENT OF AN INTERNATIONAL AVIATION TRAINING CENTER AT THE HILO INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT AND AN ADVANCED AVIATION DEGREE TRAINING PROGRAM AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT HILO,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to request the Governor to convene an exploratory committee to consider the establishment of an international aviation training center at the Hilo International Airport and an advanced aviation degree training program at the University of Hawaii at Hilo.

The Department of Transportation and the University of Hawaii at Hilo supported the intent.

The demand for pilots is expected to soar with Boeing forecasting the need for over 27,000 new pilots a year and if military cutbacks occur we could see the traditional supply of trained pilots diminishing. The Hilo International Airport is an ideal venue as it is less busy than other airports providing a safer training environment as well as being in close proximity to the UH Hilo campus.

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As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Transportation that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of S.C.R. No. 156, S.D. 1, and recommends that it be referred to the Committee on Finance.

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

OSEPH M. SOUKI, Chair

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Transportation

SCR 156, SP1	Committee Referral:		Date: 4/23/12		
☐ The committee is reconsidering its previous	us 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)					
TRN Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused	
1. SOUKI, Joseph M. (C)	7	-	1 184		
2. ICHIYAMA, Linda (VC)	V				
3. AQUINO, Henry J.C.	V				
4. CULLEN, Ty	V				
5. LEE, Marilyn B.					
6. LUKE, Sylvia		· · ·			
7. SAIKI, Scott K.					
8. TAKUMI, Roy M.			·	V	
9. YAMASHITA, Kyle T.	V/		-,6	9	
10. FONTAINE, George R.					
11. JOHANSON, Aaron Ling	V	м.	· · · · · ·		
TOTAL (11)	8		_	3	
The recommendation is: D Adopted D Not Adopted					
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:					
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