

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 3476

Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 08 2016

RE: H.B. No. 2680
H.D. 2
S.D. 1

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi
President of the Senate
Twenty-Eighth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2016
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred H.B. No. 2680, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS FOR KALOKO RESERVOIR,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to authorize the issuance of special purpose revenue bonds for the financing of various projects at the Kaloko reservoir.

Your Committee received written comments in support of this measure from the Department of Land and Natural Resources, American Society of Civil Engineers, and Mary Lucas Trust.

Your Committee received written comments on this measure from the Department of Budget and Finance.

Your Committee finds that the Kaloko reservoir is an earthen dam that is over one hundred twenty-five years old. In March 2006, a breach in the dam's embankment caused the death of seven people, destroyed several homes, and devastated the downstream forested area. Your Committee notes that the dam facility is under a water storage restriction because it does not comply with current safety standards. Providing financial resources will permit the owners of the Kaloko reservoir to bring the facilities into compliance and reduce the risk of a disaster similar to the March 2006 tragedy.

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As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Ways and Means that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 2680, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Third Reading.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Ways and Means,



JILL N. TOKUDA, Chair



The Senate
Twenty-Eighth Legislature
State of Hawai'i

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Bill / Resolution No.:* HB 2680, HD2, SD1	Committee Referral: WLA, WAM	Date: 5/28/16		
<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;"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312 <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311 <input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310 <input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313 </div>				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
TOKUDA, Jill N. (C)	/			
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M. (VC)	/			
CHUN OAKLAND, Suzanne	/			
ENGLISH, J. Kalani				/
GALUTERIA, Brickwood	/			
HARIMOTO, Breene				/
INOUE, Lorraine R.	/			
RIVIERE, Gil	/			
TANIGUCHI, Brian T.	/			
WAKAI, Glenn	/			
SLOM, Sam	/			
TOTAL	9			8
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature:				
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