STAND, COM. REP. NO. 2836

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 1 0 2016

RE: S.C.R. No. 16

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Water, Land, and Agriculture, to which was referred S.C.R. No. 16 entitled:

"SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT WAIKIKI, HONOLULU, OAHU, FOR THE MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR OF THE EXISTING SEAWALL AND STEPS, AND FOR USE, REPAIR, AND MAINTENANCE OF THE EXISTING IMPROVEMENTS CONSTRUCTED THEREON,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to authorize the issuance of a term, non-exclusive easement for the portion of state submerged lands fronting the property identified as tax map key: (1) 3-6-001: seaward of 042, Waikiki, Honolulu, Oahu, for the maintenance and repair of the existing seawall and steps and the use, repair, and maintenance of the existing improvements constructed thereon, pursuant to section 171-53, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Department of Land and Natural Resources and Ho'omana Pono, LLC.

Your Committee finds that, pursuant to section 171-53, Hawaii Revised Statutes, the Board of Land and Natural Resources may lease submerged lands with the prior approval of the Governor and the prior authorization of the Legislature by concurrent resolution. Your Committee further finds that on April 10, 2015, the Board of Land and Natural Resources approved a grant of a

fifty-five year non-exclusive easement to resolve the encroachment of the existing seawall and steps identified in this measure, subject to certain conditions. Your Committee concludes that the easement is necessary for the use, repair, and maintenance of the existing seawall and steps and improvements constructed thereon.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Water, Land, and Agriculture that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of S.C.R. No. 16 and recommends that it be referred to your Committee on Ways and Means.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Water, Land, and Agriculture,

MTKE CARRADO Chair

The Senate Twenty-Eighth Legislature State of Hawai'i

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The Committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure.					
If so, then the previous decision was to:					
The Recommendation is:					
Pass, unamended Pass, with amendments Hold Recommit 2312 2311 2310 2313					
Members		Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
GABBARD, Mike (C)		X			
NISHIHARA, Clarence K. (VC)		•			X
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M.					×
RIVIERE, Gil		X			
RUDERMAN, Russell E.					X
SHIMABUKURO, Maile S.L.		X		<u> </u>	
THIELEN, Laura H.		*			
WAKAI, Glenn		× _			
SLOM, Sam					X
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Recommendation: Adopted Not Adopted					
Chair's or Designee's Signature:					
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