

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 3175

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 29 2016

RE: S.R. No. 93

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

Sir:

Your Committees on Public Safety, Intergovernmental, and Military Affairs and Housing, to which was referred S.R. No. 93 entitled:

"SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO ESTABLISH A BUSINESS MITIGATION RELIEF PROGRAM TO ASSIST BUSINESSES NEGATIVELY IMPACTED BY THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE RAIL PROJECT,"

beg leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to request that the City and County of Honolulu establish a business mitigation relief program to assist businesses negatively impacted by the construction of the rail project.

Your Committees received testimony in support of this measure from one individual.

Your Committees find that the ongoing Honolulu rail transit project involves significant construction along its proposed route over a significant period of time. This construction regularly disrupts existing roads and other transit infrastructure and makes it difficult to access areas near active construction sites. Your Committees further find that this disruption has a negative impact on businesses located near the project's route, and has forced at least one locally owned small business to close permanently. Further measures by the City and County of Honolulu are urgently required to mitigate the burdens that the Honolulu rail transit project has placed on those businesses adversely affected by the ongoing construction and resulting traffic disruptions.



As affirmed by the records of votes of the members of your Committees on Public Safety, Intergovernmental, and Military Affairs and Housing that are attached to this report, your Committees concur with the intent and purpose of S.R. No. 93 and recommend that it be referred to your Committees on Transportation and Energy and Water, Land, and Agriculture.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committees on Public Safety,
Intergovernmental, and Military
Affairs and Housing,

Breene Harimoto

BREENE HARIMOTO, Chair

Clarence K. Nishihara

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Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs
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Bill / Resolution No.:* SR93	Committee Referral: PSM/HOU, TRE/WLA	Date: 3/23/16		
<input type="checkbox"/> The Committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure. If so, then the previous decision was to: _____				
The Recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312 <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311 <input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310 <input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
HARIMOTO, Breene (C)	✓			
GALUTERIA, Brickwood (VC)				✓
GREEN, Josh				✓
IHARA, Jr., Les	✓			
TANIGUCHI, Brian T.				✓
WAKAI, Glenn	✓			
SLOM, Sam	✓			
TOTAL	4	0	0	3
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature:				
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