Honolulu, Hawaii
April 27, 2017

RE:

H.B. No. 655

H.D. 1 S.D. 1 C.D. 1

Honorable Joseph M. Souki Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Ninth State Legislature Regular Session of 2017 State of Hawaii

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi President of the Senate Twenty-Ninth State Legislature Regular Session of 2017 State of Hawaii

Sirs:

Your Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House of Representatives to the amendments proposed by the Senate in H.B. No. 655, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ROSE-RINGED PARAKEET,"

having met, and after full and free discussion, has agreed to recommend and does recommend to the respective Houses the final passage of this bill in an amended form.

The purpose of this measure is to direct the Department of Land and Natural Resources to assist and collaborate with, including by providing supplemental funding to, the National Wildlife Research Center of the U.S. Department of Agriculture to research the negative impacts of the rose-ringed parakeet on Kauai and develop and implement a control plan to reduce those negative impacts. This measure also appropriates funds for this purpose.

After careful consideration, your Committee on Conference has amended this measure by:

(1) Inserting an appropriation amount of \$75,000;

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- (2) Making the appropriation for only fiscal year 2017-2018;
- (3) Changing the effective date to July 1, 2017; and
- (4) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for clarity, consistency, and style.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the managers of your Committee on Conference that is attached to this report, your Committee on Conference is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 655, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Final Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 655, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the managers:

ON THE PART OF THE SENATE

ON THE PART OF THE HOUSE

KARL RHOADS

Chair

MIKE GABBARD

Co-Chair

GIL RIVIERE

Co-Chair

RICHARD P. CREAGAN

Co-Chair

NADINE K. NAKAMURA

Co-Chair

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## Record of Votes of a CCR 27 Conference Committee

Bill / Concurrent Resolution No.:  HB, 655, HD 1, SD 1					Date/Time: 4/25/17 11:05 AM				
The recommendation of the House and Senate managers is to pass with amendments (CD).									
☐ The Committee is reconsidering its previous decision.									
The recommendation of the Senate Manager(s) is to AGREE to the House amendments made to the Senate Measure					The recommendation of the House Manager(s) is to AGREE to the Senate amendments made to the House Measure.				
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Senate Lead Chair's or Designee's Signature:				House Lead Chair's or Designee's Signature:					
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