STAND. COM. REP. NO. 422

Honolulu, Hawaii

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S.B. No. 1207 RE:

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

Sir:

Your Committees on Agriculture and Environment, Public Safety, Intergovernmental, and Military Affairs, and Transportation and Energy, to which was referred S.B. No. 1207 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAKE WILSON,"

beg leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to appropriate funds to the Agribusiness Development Corporation for a study to be conducted in cooperation with the United States Army Corps of Engineers on the merits of acquiring Lake Wilson dam and spillway to develop pumped-storage hydroelectricity, provided that the federal government makes a dollar-for-dollar match.

Your Committees received testimony in support of this measure from the Department of Agriculture; Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism; Agribusiness Development Corporation; Hawai'i Farm Bureau; American Society of Civil Engineers; Life of the Land; and two individuals.

Your Committees find that renewable energy is important to the State's energy goals, and hydroelectric facilities can serve as a feasible alternative energy source to meet these goals. Committees further find that the study proposed by this measure may provide valuable insight into the broader development of pumped-storage hydroelectricity throughout the State.

As affirmed by the records of votes of the members of your Committees on Agriculture and Environment, Public Safety,

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Intergovernmental, and Military Affairs, and Transportation and Energy that are attached to this report, your Committees are in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 1207 and recommend that it pass Second Reading and be referred to your Committee on Ways and Means.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committees on Agriculture and Environment, Public Safety, Intergovernmental, and Military Affairs, and Transportation and Energy,

CLARENCE K. NISHIHARA, Chair

MIKE GABBARD, Chair

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Bill / Resolution No.:*	Committee Referral: Date:						
SB1207	AEN/PSM/TREWAM 2114/17						
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)		×					
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NISHIHARA, Clarence K.		×					
RHOADS, Karl					X		
RUDERMAN, Russell E.		X					
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Members		Aye /	Aye (W	'R)	Nay	Excused	
NISHIHARA, Clarence K. (C)							
WAKAI, Glenn (VC)		$\sim$					
BAKER, Rosalyn H.							
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THIELEN, Laura H.							
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SB 1207	AENIPSMITRE, WAM 14 Feb 2017					
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	
INOUYE, Lorraine R. (C)		/				
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M. (VC)		/			·	
ENGLISH, J. Kalani						
HARIMOTO, Breene		/				
SHIMABUKURO, Maile S.L.						
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