STAND. COM. REP. NO. 31050

Honolulu, Hawaii

## APR 0 6 2018

RE:

H.B. No. 2613

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Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi President of the Senate Twenty-Ninth State Legislature Regular Session of 2018 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred H.B. No. 2613, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR HE'EIA NATIONAL ESTUARINE RESEARCH RESERVE,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to appropriate funds to maintain the initial staff necessary to develop and manage the He'eia Estuarine Research Reserve and its programs.

Your Committee received written comments in support of this measure from the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism; University of Hawaii System; Hawaii Institute of Marine Biology; Aha Moku Advisory Committee; Koʻolaupoko Hawaiian Civic Club; National Estuarine Research Reserve Association; Nature Conservancy; Oahu County Committee on Legislative Priorities of the Democratic Party of Hawaiʻi; and four individuals.

Your Committee finds that funding for the initial staffing of the He'eia Estuarine Research Reserve is essential for continued coastal management of the reserve.

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.

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No. 2613, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Third Reading.

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

DONOVAN M. DELA CRUZ,

## The Senate Twenty-Ninth Legislature State of Hawaiʻi

## Record of Votes Committee on Ways and Means WAM

Bill / Resolution No.:*	Committee Referral:		Date:			
HB2613 HDI SDI	HRE/WTL, WAM			3/29	/18	
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	
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M. (C)		×				
KEITH-AGARAN, Gilbert S.C. (VC)		X				
ENGLISH, J. Kalani		X				
GALUTERIA, Brickwood		X				
HARIMOTO, Breene						X
INOUYE, Lorraine R.		X			: :	
KAHELE, Kaiali'i		×				
KIDANI, Michelle N.		X	1			
RIVIERE, Gil		X				
SHIMABUKURO, Maile S.L.	**************************************	X		-		
WAKAI, Glenn		X				
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Recommendation:  Adopted  Not Adopted						
Chair's or Designee's Signature:						
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