STAND. COM. REP. NO. 2233

Honolulu, Hawaii

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S.B. No. 2004 RE:

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Transportation and Energy, to which was referred S.B. No. 2004 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSTALLATION OF A SIGNALIZED CROSSWALK ON VINEYARD BOULEVARD,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to authorize the Director of Finance to issue general obligation bonds and to provide an appropriation for the construction of a signalized crosswalk on Vineyard Boulevard at River Street, to allow for easier pedestrian access across a heavily trafficked six-lane road.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Department of Transportation, Lum Sai Ho Tong, and two individuals.

Your Committee finds that there are popular destinations on both sides of Vineyard Boulevard, and connecting the north and south ends of Chinatown with safe and direct access is the foundation to a vibrant River Street corridor. Your Committee also finds that the signalized crosswalk has been previously supported by the legislature, and that this measure is to ensure that the project can be completed successfully.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Transportation and Energy that is attached to this

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report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 2004 and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be referred to your Committee on Ways and Means.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Transportation and Energy,

LORRATNE R. INOUYE. Chair

The Senate Twenty-Ninth Legislature State of Hawaiʻi

Record of Votes Committee on Transportation and Energy TRE

Bill / Resolution No.:*	Committee Referral:			Date:	
SB2004	TRE	, WAM		2/7/2018	
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					
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