

Honolulu, Hawaii

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RE: S.B. No. 2683 S.D. 2

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi President of the Senate Thirtieth State Legislature Regular Session of 2020 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred S.B. No. 2683, S.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SEA LEVEL RISE,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to require the Hawaii Climate Change Mitigation and Adaptation Commission to further address, and submit a report to the Legislature regarding, sea level rise in the State.

Your Committee received written comments in support of this measure from the Office of Planning, Honolulu Board of Water Supply, IMUA Alliance, and one individual.

Your Committee finds that requiring the Hawaii Climate Change Mitigation and Adaptation Commission to further address sea level rise will help the State safeguard against and adapt to sea level rise.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

- (1) Changing the effective date to July 1, 2050, to facilitate further discussion on the measure; and
- (2) Making technical nonsubstantive changes for purposes of clarity, consistency, and style.

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 S.B. No. 2683, S.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Third Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 2683, S.D. 2.

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

DONOVAN M. DELA CRUZ, Chair

The Senate Thirtieth Legislature State of Hawai'i

Record of Votes Committee on Ways and Means WAM

Bill / Resolution No.:* SB2683, SD1	Committee Referral: Date: WTL/AEN, WAM 02/20/20				
The Committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure.					
If so, then the previous decision was to:					
The Recommendation is:					
Pass, unamended X Pass, with amendments Hold Recommit 2312 2311 2310 2313					
Members		Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M. (C)		Χ			
KEITH-AGARAN, Gilbert S.C. (VC)		X			
ENGLISH, J. Kalani		•			X
HARIMOTO, Breene		Χ			
INOUYE, Lorraine R.		Χ			
KAHELE, Kaiali'i		•			X
KANUHA, Dru Mamo		Χ			
KIDANI, Michelle N.	<u> </u>	X			
MORIWAKI, Sharon Y.		X			
RIVIERE, Gil		χ			
SHIMABUKURO, Maile S.L.		X			
TANIGUCHI, Brian T.	·	X			
FEVELLA, Kurt		X		···	
					
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Recommendation:					
X Adopted Not Adopted					
Chair's or Designee's Signature:					
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