THE SENATE THIRTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE, 2021 STATE OF HAWAII

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SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING A PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT KUAU, HAMAKUAPOKO, MAUI, FOR THE EXISTING SEAWALL AND CONCRETE STEPS, AND FOR USE, REPAIR, AND MAINTENANCE OF THE EXISTING IMPROVEMENTS CONSTRUCTED THEREON.

WHEREAS, portions of the existing seawall and concrete 1 steps fronting the property identified as Tax Map Key: (2) 2-6-2 010:017, Kuau, Hamakuapoko, Maui, are located on state submerged 3 lands; and 4 5 6 WHEREAS, around July 2017, the previous owners of the 7 property, Kahanu Family Limited Partnership, in performance of standard due diligence in preparation for the sale of the 8 9 premises, discovered the existing seawall and concrete steps encroached on state submerged lands; and 10 11 WHEREAS, around 2007, subsequent to the discovery of the 12 encroachment, Kahanu Family Limited Partnership worked with the 13 14 Department of Land and Natural Resources to resolve the existing seawall and concrete steps encroachment; and 15 16 17 WHEREAS, the Department of Land and Natural Resources' Office of Conservation and Coastal Lands supported a disposition 18 19 of a proposed shoreline easement to resolve the existing encroachments; and 20 21 WHEREAS, at its meeting on August 25, 2017, under agenda 22 item D-10, the Board of Land and Natural Resources approved the 23 grant of a fifty-five-year non-exclusive easement to resolve the 24 25 seawall encroachments for two easement areas encompassing approximately 1,600 square feet, pending review and approval by 26 the Department of Accounting and General Services' Survey 27 Division, with the easement to run with the land and inure to 28 29 the benefit of the abutting real property; and 30



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1 WHEREAS, subsequent to the August 25, 2017, Board of Land 2 and Natural Resources meeting, an easement survey was conducted 3 on April 30, 2018, to verify the easement area and identified a 4 total encroaching area of 1,390 square feet, more or less, that 5 included three easement areas, one of which consisted of 6 existing concrete steps; and 7

WHEREAS, on July 13, 2018, under agenda item D-6, the Board 8 9 of Land and Natural Resources approved amending the August 25, 2017, authorization to grant a fifty-five-year non-exclusive 10 easement to resolve the seawall and concrete steps encroachment 11 by adding a third encroachment area to the easement and by 12 decreasing the previously approved 1,600 square feet (estimated 13 14 easement area) to 1,390 square feet (surveyed easement area); 15 and

WHEREAS, subsequent to the July 13, 2018, Board of Land and Natural Resources meeting, a new easement survey was conducted and identified a total encroachment area of 1,613 square feet, more or less, that include portions of a L-shaped wing wall at the northwest corner of the property; and

WHEREAS, the final total encroachment area was determined
 to be 1,613 square feet as reviewed and approved by the
 Department of Accounting and General Services' Survey Division;
 and

WHEREAS, on September 11, 2020, under agenda item D-4, the 28 Board of Land and Natural Resources approved amending the 29 30 July 13, 2018, authorization to grant a fifty-five-year nonexclusive easement to resolve the seawall and concrete steps 31 encroachment, by adding the L-shaped wing wall area and making 32 minor adjustments to the areas of easements two and three, from 33 1,390 square feet, more or less, to 1,613 square feet, more or 34 35 less; and

WHEREAS, the previous owners, Kahanu Family Limited
Partnership, have since sold the abutting real property to Sea &
Believe LLC; and

41 WHEREAS, Sea & Believe LLC is required to pay the fair42 market value of the 1,613 square feet of non-exclusive easement



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1 areas, with such value to be determined by an independent 2 appraisal; and 3 WHEREAS, section 171-53, Hawaii Revised Statutes, requires 4 the prior approval of the Governor and prior authorization of 5 the Legislature by concurrent resolution to lease state 6 7 submerged lands; now, therefore, 8 9 BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate of the Thirty-first 10 Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2021, the House of Representatives concurring, that the Board of Land and 11 Natural Resources is hereby authorized to issue a term, non-12 exclusive easement covering a portion of state submerged lands 13 fronting the property identified as Tax Map Key: (2) 2-6-14 010:017, Kuau, Hamakuapoko, Maui, for the existing seawall and 15 concrete steps, and for use, repair, and maintenance of the 16 existing improvements constructed thereon pursuant to section 17 171-53, Hawaii Revised Statutes; and 18 19 20 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a certified copy of this 21 Concurrent Resolution be transmitted to the Chairperson of the Board of Land and Natural Resources. 22 23 24 M 25 OFFERED BY: By Request

