

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 1131

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 03 , 2023

RE: H.B. No. 756
H.D. 2

Honorable Scott K. Saiki
Speaker, House of Representatives
Thirty-Second State Legislature
Regular Session of 2023
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred H.B. No. 756, H.D. 2, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LAND USE,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to:

- (1) Require and appropriate funds for the Department of Land and Natural Resources to prepare plans and a program to facilitate voluntary relocation of residential development away from areas at risk of sea level rise;
- (2) Establish the Sea Level Rise Relocation Special Fund;
and
- (3) Allow the exchange of public land for private land for the transfer of development rights or land exchanges to relocate private development away from high-risk areas, so long as the public interest is served.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Department of Land and Natural Resources; Office of Planning and Sustainable Development; Surfrider Foundation, Hawai'i Region; and one individual. Your Committee received comments on

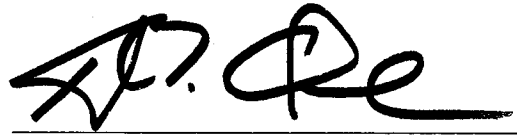
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this measure from the University of Hawai'i Sea Grant College Program and Climate Resilience Collaborative.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Finance that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 756, H.D. 2, and recommends that it pass Third Reading.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Finance,



KYLE T. YAMASHITA, Chair



State of Hawaii
House of Representatives
The Thirty-second Legislature

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Finance

Bill/Resolution No.: <i>HB 756 HD2</i>	Committee Referral: <i>WAL, FEP, FIN</i>	Date: <i>2/28/23</i>
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The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.

The recommendation is to: Pass, unamended (as is) Pass, with amendments (HD) Hold
 Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)

FIN Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. YAMASHITA, Kyle T. (C)	✓			
2. KITAGAWA, Lisa (VC)	✓			
3. AIU, Micah P.K.	✓			
4. CHUN, Cory M.	✓			
5. COCHRAN, Elle		✓		
6. GARRETT, Andrew Takuya	✓			
7. KAHALOA, Kirstin	✓			
8. KILA, Darius K.				✓
9. KOBAYASHI, Bertrand	✓			
10. LAMOSAO, Rachele F.	✓			
11. MORIKAWA, Dee	✓			
12. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y.	✓			
13. POEPOE, Mahina			✓	
14. TAKENOUCHI, Jenna	✓			
15. ALCOS III, David		✓		
16. WARD, Gene			✓	
TOTAL (16)	11	2	2	1

The recommendation is: Adopted Not Adopted
If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation.
committee acronym(s)

Vice Chair's or designee's signature: *[Handwritten Signature]*