STAND. COM. REP. NO. 1851

Honolulu, Hawaii

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RE: H.R. No. 152

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Transportation, to which was referred H.R. No. 152 entitled:

"HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION AND HAWAII'S CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION TO TAKE ANY ACTIONS NECESSARY TO ESTABLISH AN AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL TOWER AT LANAI AIRPORT,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to urge the Federal Aviation Administration and Hawaii's Congressional Delegation to take any actions necessary to establish an air traffic control tower at Lanai airport.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Department of Transportation.

Your Committee finds that as general aviation and commercial aircraft traffic increase concurrently, managing and separating air traffic flows becomes increasingly important. Despite serving one hundred thousand passengers during 2022, Lanai Airport lacks an air traffic control tower. Your Committee therefore finds that the establishment of an air traffic control tower at Lanai Airport is necessary to ensure the safe, orderly, and efficient flow of air traffic on and around the airport.

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As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Transportation that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of H.R. No. 152 and recommends its adoption.

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

HRIS TODD, Chair

State of Hawaii



Record of Votes of the Committee on Transportation

Bill/Resolution No.:	Committee Referral:	Date:	3/23	23	
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)					
TRN Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused	
1. TODD, Chris (C)	S				
2 VII A Davisse V (VC)					
2. KILA, Darius K. (VC)					
3. AIU, Micah P.K.	V				
4. EVSLIN, Luke A.	V				
5 HACHIMOTO T. N					
5. HASHIMOTO, Troy N.					
6. KITAGAWA, Lisa	V				
7. MARTEN, Lisa	V				
8. ONISHI, Richard H.K.					
8. ONISHI, Richard H.K.					
9. MATSUMOTO, Lauren	V				
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The recommendation is: Adopt If joint ref	ferral,	☐ Not Adopted did not support recommendation. committee acronym(s)			
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: 2/11					
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