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Honolulu, Hawaii FEB 2 1 , 2023

RE: H.B. No. 146 H.D. 1

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Water & Land, to which was referred H.B. No. 146, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE STATE FIRE COUNCIL,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to add to the membership of the State Fire Council and to the membership of advisory committees that the State Fire Council may appoint.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Department of Land and Natural Resources, Hawaii State Fire Council, Maui Fire Department, and Honolulu Fire Department.

Your Committee finds that the Hawaii State Aircraft Rescue Fire Fighting Unit and the Division of Forestry and Wildlife of the Department of Land and Natural Resources communicate and collaborate with the county fire departments on a regular basis during emergency incidents and non-emergency administrative matters and may provide a unique perspective to the State Fire Council. This measure will assist the State Fire Council in accomplishing its functions.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Water & Land that is attached to this report, your



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Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 146, H.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Third Reading.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Water & Land,

LINDA ICHIYAMA, Chai



State of Hawaii House of Representatives The Thirty-second Legislature



## Record of Votes of the Committee on Water & Land

Bill/Resolution No.: HB146, HD1	Committee Referral: LGO, WAL		Date:	Date: 02/14/2023		
The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.						
The recommendation is to: Image: Pass, unamended (as is) Image: Pass, with amendments (HD) Image: Hold   Image: Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)						
WAL Members		Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused	
1. ICHIYAMA, Linda (C)		$\checkmark$				
2. POEPOE, Mahina (VC)		$\checkmark$				
3. CHUN, Cory M.	میں ہوتی ہوتی ہوتی ہوتی ہوتی ہوتی ہوتی ہوتی				nan - ya - i an an an a ta t	
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4. GANADEN, Sonny		V				
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6. MORIKAWA, Dee		$\checkmark$			anna an Anna an Anna Anna Anna Anna Ann	
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7. TAKAYAMA, Gregg		$\checkmark$				
8. SOUZA, Kanani	nuð	$\sim$	<u> </u>		ali i e de com decentanta desettar	
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TOTAL (8)		7				
The recommendation is: Adopted I Not Adopted If joint referral, did not support recommendation.						
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:						
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