STAND. COM. REP. NO. 35

Honolulu, Hawaii

, 2023

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RE: H.B. No. 605 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 Finance, to which was referred H.B. No. 605, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INFRASTRUCTURE,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to establish a Dam and Reservoir Working Group to:

- Ensure and enhance continued availability and operation of dams and reservoirs in the State; and
- Consider the role dams and reservoirs play in drought mitigation and the maintenance of a dependable water supply.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Ulupono Initiative, Aina Hoʻokupu o Kilauea, Hawaiʻi Farm Bureau, Hawaii Cattlemen's Council, Hawaii Crop Improvement Association, and five individuals. Your Committee received testimony in opposition to this measure from the Department of Land and Natural Resources. Your Committee received comments on this measure from the Department of Agriculture and Hawai'i Emergency Management Agency.

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. 605, H.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Third Reading.

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

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KYLE T. YAMASHITA, Chair

State of Hawaii House of Representatives The Thirty-second Legislature

Record of Votes of the Committee on Finance

Bill/Resolution No.: HB 605 HD1	Committee AGR,		Date	: 2/23/2.	3
☐ 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
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7. KAHALOA, Kirstin					
8. KILA, Darius K.					
9. KOBAYASHI, Bertrand 10. LAMOSAO, Rachele F.					
11. MORIKAWA, Dee					
12. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y.		· V			
13. POEPOE, Mahina					
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15. ALCOS III, David					
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The recommendation is:	Adopted	□ Not Adopted			
If joint referral, did not support recommendation. committee acronym(s)					
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:					
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