Honolulu, Hawaii

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H.B. No. 2473 RE: H.D. 2

Honorable Scott K. Saiki Speaker, House of Representatives Thirty-Second State Legislature Regular Session of 2024 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred H.B. No. 2473, H.D. 2, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONSERVATION MITIGATION PROGRAMS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to authorize the Department of Land and Natural Resources to operate and approve conservation bank and conservation in-lieu fee mitigation programs.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Department of Land and Natural Resources. Your Committee received testimony in opposition to this measure from Earthjustice.

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. 2473, H.D. 2, and recommends that it pass Third Reading.

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

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State of Hawaii



Record of Votes of the Committee on Finance

Bill/Resolution No.: HB2U73 HD2 WAL,	ee Referral: JHA, FIN	Date OV	126/2024	
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)	V		Tirra, anna Loomana ann an Aireann an Aireann ann an Aireann ann an Aireann ann an Aireann ann an Aireann an A	
3. AIU, Micah P.K.	V			
4. CHUN, Cory M.	V			
5. COCHRAN, Elle				
6. GARRETT, Andrew Takuya			#/e* \$15,15,50,00	
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				(表議費) (11)
16. WARD, Gene				
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TOTAL (16)	15	P	0	
The recommendation is: Adopted				
If joint referral, did not support recommendation. committee acronym(s)				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
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