STAND. COM. REP. NO. 657-24

Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 04 , 2024

RE: H.R. No. 127 H.D. 1

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.R. No. 127, H.D. 1, entitled:

"HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO CONVENE A VEGETATION MANAGEMENT WORKING GROUP TO STUDY, EVALUATE, AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS REGARDING REGULATIONS THAT DEFINE PROPERTY OWNER OBLIGATIONS TO PERFORM VEGETATION MANAGEMENT ON PUBLIC AND PRIVATE PROPERTY FOR PURPOSES OF WILDFIRE RISK MITIGATION,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to urge the Department of Land and Natural Resources to convene a Vegetation Management Working Group to study, evaluate, and make recommendations regarding regulations that define property owner obligations to perform vegetation management on public and private property for purposes of wildfire risk mitigation.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Finance that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of H.R. No. 127, H.D. 1, and recommends its adoption.



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

KYLE T. YAMASHI', Chair

State of Hawaii House of Representatives The Thirty-second Legislature

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Finance

HP127, HD1	Committee Referral: WAL, HN	Hate H	212024	
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)				
 KITAGAWA, Lisa (VC) AIU, Micah P.K. 		22-14-14-1		
4. CHUN, Cory M.		Policy Patrice 1		
5. COCHRAN, Elle				
6. GARRETT, Andrew Takuya				
7. KAHALOA, Kirstin				
 KILA, Darius K. KOBAYASHI, Bertrand 		TO A STATE OF THE		
10. LAMOSAO, Rachele F.				
11. MORIKAWA, Dee	The Control of the Co			
12. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y.			T. T. T. M. 1985	
13. POEPOE, Mahina				
14. TAKENOUCHI, Jenna			and the second second	
15. ALCOS III, David 16. WARD, Gene		PERSONAL PROPERTY OF THE PARTY.		
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TOTAL (16)	13		-	3
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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