Honolulu, Hawaii

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RE: S.C.R. No. 23

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi
President of the Senate
Thirty-Third State Legislature
Regular Session of 2025
State of Hawaii

Sir:

    Your Committees on Transportation and Culture and the Arts
and Public Safety and Military Affairs, to which was referred
S.C.R. No. 23 entitled:

    "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF
    TRANSPORTATION AND DEPARTMENT OF LAW ENFORCEMENT TO STUDY THE
    POSSIBILITY OF A HIGHWAY PATROL AND SPEED CAMERAS ALONG MAJOR
    FREEWAYS AND HIGHWAYS IN PRIMARY AREAS OF SPEEDING,"

beg leave to report as follows:

    The purpose and intent of this measure is to request the
Department of Transportation and Department of Law Enforcement to
study the possibility of a highway patrol and speed cameras along
major freeways and highways in primary areas of speeding.

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

    Your Committees received testimony in opposition to this
measure from two individuals.

    Your Committees received comments on this measure from the
Judiciary.

    Your Committees find that studies have shown that the State's
Automated Speed Enforcement Program has shown major reductions in
red light violations. Furthermore, high visibility enforcement
has been proven to reduce undesirable driver behaviors. Your

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Committees conclude that studying potential expansion of speed
enforcement policies is necessary for the furtherance of the
State's public transportation safety.

As affirmed by the records of votes of the members of your
Committees on Transportation and Culture and the Arts and Public
Safety and Military Affairs that are attached to this report, your
Committees concur with the intent and purpose of S.C.R. No. 23 and
recommend its adoption.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committees on Transportation
and Culture and the Arts and
Public Safety and Military
Affairs,

_____   _____
BRANDON J.C. ELEFANTE, Chair   CHRIS LEE, Chair

Record of Votes
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[ ] The Committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure.

If so, then the previous decision was to: _____

The Recommendation is:

[✓] Pass, unamended 2312   [ ] Pass, with amendments 2311   [ ] Hold 2310   [ ] Recommit 2313

Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
LEE, Chris (C)	✓			
INOUYE, Lorraine R. (VC)	✓			
ELEFANTE, Brandon J.C.	✓			
KANUHA, Dru Mamo	✓			
DECORTE, Samantha	✓			
TOTAL	5			

Recommendation:

[✓] Adopted   [ ] Not Adopted

Chair's or Designee's Signature:

(signature)

*Only <u>one</u> measure per Record of Votes

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ELEFANTE, Brandon J.C. (C)	✓			
WAKAI, Glenn (VC)	✓			
FUKUNAGA, Carol	✓			
RHOADS, Karl	✓			
DECORTE, Samantha	✓			
TOTAL	5	0	0	0

Recommendation: ☑ Adopted   ☐ Not Adopted

Chair's or Designee's Signature:

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