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# HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES  
COMMISSION TO DEVELOP A FRAMEWORK TO REGULATE  
TRANSPORTATION NETWORK COMPANIES UNDER THE MOTOR CARRIER  
LAW.

1           WHEREAS, transportation network companies, which use  
2 online-enabled platforms to connect passengers with drivers  
3 using personal vehicles, have become a significant component of  
4 the State's modern transportation system; and

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6           WHEREAS, transportation network companies increasingly  
7 operate in a manner comparable to regulated passenger motor  
8 carriers; and

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10           WHEREAS, despite these similarities, transportation network  
11 companies are not regulated under the State's Motor Carrier Law;  
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14           WHEREAS, regulating transportation network companies under  
15 the Motor Carrier Law will promote equitable treatment, ensure  
16 uniform safety standards, and provide clarity for consumers and  
17 operators; now, therefore,

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19           BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the  
20 Thirty-third Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session  
21 of 2026, the Senate concurring, that the Department of  
22 Transportation and Public Utilities Commission are requested to  
23 develop a framework to regulate transportation network companies  
24 under the Motor Carrier Law; and

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26           BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Department of  
27 Transportation and Public Utilities Commission are requested to  
28 submit a report of their findings and recommendations, including  
29 any proposed legislation, to the Legislature no later than



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1 twenty days prior to the convening of the Regular Session of  
2 2027; and

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4 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this  
5 Concurrent Resolution be transmitted to the Director of  
6 Transportation and Chair of the Public Utilities Commission.

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OFFERED BY:



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