

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 2137

Honolulu, Hawaii

FEB 09 2026

RE: S.B. No. 2429
S.D. 1

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi
President of the Senate
Thirty-Third State Legislature
Regular Session of 2026
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Transportation, to which was referred S.B. No. 2429 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAFFIC SAFETY,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to:

- (1) Establish a framework for the use of intelligent speed assistance technology for habitual speeders; and
- (2) Require a report to the Legislature.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Department of Transportation; Oahu Metropolitan Planning Organization; Mothers Against Drunk Driving; Smart Start LLC, Hawaii Corporate Office; and one individual.

Your Committee received comments on this measure from SanHi Government Strategies.

Your Committee finds that a significant portion of dangerous driving behavior is the fault of a small number of repeat speeding offenders. Your Committee further finds that intelligent speed assistance systems, including advisory-only and speed-limiting systems, can improve roadway safety while preserving access to lawful driving privileges. Accordingly, this measure will improve



traffic safety outcomes by authorizing courts to order the use of intelligent speed assistance technology for habitual speeders.

Your Committee notes the concern raised by SanHi Government Strategies that this measure does not currently provide clear expectations for automobile manufacturers, distributors, and retailers with respect to the installation, repair, or removal of aftermarket intelligent speed assistance systems.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

- (1) Inserting language to establish the liability of a manufacturer, distributor, or retailer of a motor vehicle with respect to the design, manufacture, or installation of an aftermarket intelligent speed assistance system; improper installation, use, or misuse of an aftermarket intelligent speed assistance system; and repair or update of an aftermarket intelligent speed assistance system;
- (2) Clarifying that a manufacturer, distributor, or retailer shall not be required to manufacture, distribute, or offer for sale a motor vehicle that includes or is compatible with an aftermarket intelligent speed assistance system;
- (3) Clarifying that a lessor or lienholder may require a motor vehicle lessee or owner to notify the lessor or lienholder of the installation of an aftermarket intelligent speed assistance system;
- (4) Inserting language authorizing a lessor or lienholder to charge a reasonable fee for the removal of an aftermarket intelligent speed assistance system;
- (5) Amending section 1 to reflect its amended purpose; and
- (6) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for the purposes of clarity and consistency.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Transportation that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B.



No. 2429, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 2429, S.D. 1, and be referred to your Committee on Judiciary.

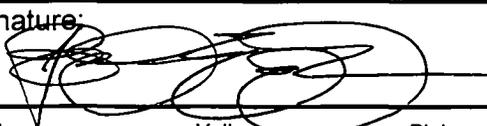
Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Transportation,


LORRAINE R. INOUÉ, Chair



The Senate
 Thirty-Third Legislature
 State of Hawai'i

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Bill / Resolution No.:* SB2429	Committee Referral: TRS, JDC	Date: 02/03/26		
<input type="checkbox"/> The Committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure. If so, then the previous decision was to: _____				
The Recommendation is: <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311 <input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310 <input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
INOUYE, Lorraine R. (C)	✓			
ELEFANTE, Brandon J.C. (VC)	✓			
KANUHA, Dru Mamo				✓
LEE, Chris	✓			
DECORTE, Samantha	✓			
TOTAL	4	0	0	1
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: 				
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*Only one measure per Record of Votes