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Honolulu, Hawaii

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RE: GOV. MSG. NO. 30

Honorable Donna Mercado Kim President of the Senate Twenty-Seventh State Legislature Second Special Session of 2013 State of Hawaii

## Madam:

Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred Governor's Message No. 30, submitting for study and consideration the nomination of:

## ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON PESTICIDES

G.M. No. 30 L. DOUGLAS MACCLUER, for a term to expire 6-30-2016,

begs leave to report as follows:

Your Committee has reviewed the personal history and resume submitted by the nominee and finds L. Douglas MacCluer to possess the requisite commitment, sincerity, dedication, and qualifications to be nominated to the Advisory Committee on Pesticides.

Your Committee received testimony in support of the nomination of L. Douglas MacCluer from the Department of Agriculture; Hawaii Farm Bureau Federation; 4 Ag Hawaii; Maui Cattlmen's Association; Hawaii Cattlemen's Council, Inc.; MauiGrown Coffee, Inc.; International Longshore & Warehouse Union, Local 142; and thirteen individuals.

Mr. MacCluer earned a Bachelor's degree in Agriculture from California State College. He is the Co-Founder and Director of the Hali'imaile Pineapple Company, Ltd. Prior to founding the Hali'imaile Pineapple Company, Ltd., Mr. MacCluer worked for the Maui Pineapple Company, Ltd., where he held positions as a Supervisor, Plantation Manager, and Vice President. He recently finished a term on the State of Hawaii Board of Agriculture. He



has served on numerous other professional boards and committees, including the Hawaii Soil and Water Conservation District Legislative Committee, Pineapple Growers Association of Hawaii Legislative Committee, Hawaii Tropical Fruit Growers, Maui Drought Committee, Maui County General Plan Advisory Committee, and Maui County Farm Bureau. Mr. MacCluer has over forty years of experience in farming in Hawaii and is a consultant to pineapple operations in Thailand, the Philippines, Malaysia, Indonesia, Costa Rica, Mexico, and South Africa. He has also received numerous awards, including the Governor's Award for Agricultural Exporter of the Year, President's Award for the Nature Conservancy, and, twice, the Goodyear Conservation Award.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Agriculture that is attached to this report, your Committee, after full consideration of the background, experience, and qualifications of the nominee, has found the nominee to be qualified for the position to which nominated and recommends that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination.

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

CLARENCE K. NISHIHARA, Chair

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## Record of Votes Committee on Agriculture AGL Advise and Consent

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The Committee is reconsidering its decision						
The Recommendation is:						
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Members		Aye	Aye	(WR)	Nay	Excused
NISHIHARA, Clarence K. (C)		/				
KOUCHI, Ronald D. (VC)		<u> </u>				
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M.						/
ENGLISH, J. Kalani					_	/
THIELEN, Laura H.		/				
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