

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

2029

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR - 3 2006

RE: S.B. No. 2575
S.D. 2

Honorable Robert Bunda
President of the Senate
Twenty-Third State Legislature
Regular Session of 2006
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred S.B. No. 2575, S.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A BASELINE ENVIRONMENTAL STUDY OF THE WAIANAE COAST OCEAN AREA,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to appropriate funds to enable the completion of a baseline environmental study of the Waianae Coast ocean area.

Pursuant to Act 6, Special Session Laws of Hawaii 2005, the Legislature required the Department of Land and Natural Resources to prepare a baseline environmental study of the area from Kalaeloa point to Kaena point for the purpose of designating the boundaries of and adopting rules for an ocean recreation management area. However, the study was not completed due to a lack of funding.

Your Committee understands that the cumulative economic, environmental, social, and cultural impacts of the growing west Oahu population and visitor industry remain matters of great concern to the communities along the Waianae coast. This measure will enable the Department of Land and Natural Resources to complete the baseline environmental study.

Your Committee has amended this measure by making technical nonsubstantive amendments for the purposes of clarity and style.

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As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Ways and Means that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 2575, S.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Third Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 2575, S.D. 2.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Ways and Means,



BRIAN T. TANIGUCHI, Chair



The Senate
Twenty-Third Legislature
State of Hawaii

Record of Votes of the
Committee on Ways and Means
(Bills and Resolutions)

Measure:* SB 2575 SD1	Committee Referral: WLA, WAM	Date: 2/27/06		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure. If so, then the previous decision was to: _____				
The Recommendation is to: <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	Ayes	Ayes(WR)	Nays	Excused
TANIGUCHI, Brian T. (C)	/			
TSUTSUI, Shan S. (VC)	/			
ENGLISH, J. Kalani	/			
ESPERO, Will	/			
FUKUNAGA, Carol	/			
HOOSER, Gary L.	/			
INOUYE, Lorraine R.	/			
KANNO, Brian	/			
KIM, Donna Mercado	/			
KOKUBUN, Russell S.	/			
NISHIHARA, Clarence K.	/			
SAKAMOTO, Norman	/			
HEMMINGS, Fred				/
SLOM, Sam	/			
TRIMBLE, Gordon	/			
TOTAL	14	0	0	1
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature:				
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*Do not list more than one measure per Record of Votes.