

Honolulu, Hawaii

Feb 12, 2008

RE: H.B. No. 3358  
H.D. 1

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say  
Speaker, House of Representatives  
Twenty-Fourth State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2008  
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns,  
to which was referred H.B. No. 3358 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGH TECHNOLOGY,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to support Hawaii's high  
technology sector by preparing the current and future workforce  
for the challenges of the industry. Specifically, this bill:

- (1) Requires the Department of Business, Economic  
Development, and Tourism (DBEDT) to consult with the  
High Technology Development Corporation (HTDC) to plan  
for the establishment of a high technology park (Park)  
on the island of Oahu, and work with the Department of  
Land and Natural Resources to identify public or private  
lands that may be acquired for the Park; and
- (2) Appropriates funds to build the Park.

HTDC testified in support of this bill. DBEDT supported the  
intent of this measure.

Your Committee has amended this bill by:

- (1) Changing its effective date to July 1, 2034, to  
encourage further discussion; and



- (2) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for clarity, consistency, and style.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 3358, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 3358, H.D. 1, and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Respectfully submitted on  
behalf of the members of the  
Committee on Economic  
Development & Business  
Concerns,



KYLE T. YAMASHITA, Chair



State of Hawaii  
House of Representatives  
The Twenty-fourth Legislature

HSCR 336-08

**Record of Votes of the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns**

<b>Bill/Resolution No.:</b> HB 3358	<b>Committee Referral:</b> EDB, FIN	<b>Date:</b> 2/5/08		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
<b>The recommendation is to:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended (as is) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments (HD) <input type="checkbox"/> Hold <input type="checkbox"/> Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)				
<b>EDB Members</b>	<b>Ayes</b>	<b>Ayes (WR)</b>	<b>Nays</b>	<b>Excused</b>
1. YAMASHITA, Kyle T. (C)	✓			
2. WAKAI, Glenn (VC)	✓			
3. BERG, Lyla B., Ph.D.	✓			
4. BROWER, Tom	✓			
5. CHANG, Jerry L.	✓			
6. HANOHANO, Faye P.	✓			
7. HERKES, Robert N.	✓			
8. MANAHAN, Joey				✓
9. TSUJI, Clift	✓			[Signature]
10. YAMANE, Ryan I.	✓			[Signature]
11. CHING, Corinne W.L.				✓
12. MARUMOTO, Barbara C.	✓			
<b>TOTAL (12)</b>	10	0	0	2
<b>The recommendation is:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. <small>committee acronym(s)</small>				
<b>Vice Chair's or designee's signature:</b> _____ 				
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