

Honolulu, Hawaii

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RE: H.B. No. 1065
H.D. 1

Honorable Colleen Hanabusa
President of the Senate
Twenty-Fourth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2007
State of Hawaii

Madam:

Your Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs, to which was referred H.B. No. 1065, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MILITARY AFFAIRS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to provide adequate funds for the care and maintenance of veterans' cemeteries statewide.

This measure also includes an appropriation for the purchase of casket liners to help remedy the soil problems at these cemeteries.

Your Committee received testimony in support of the measure from the state Department of Defense and the Office of Veterans Services.

Your Committee finds that Hawaii's veterans' cemeteries suffer from inadequate care and maintenance. As these cemeteries hold the remains of those who served their country in peace and wartime, it is incumbent upon the State to honor these veterans by maintaining these cemeteries at a level they deserve.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 1065, H.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.



Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Intergovernmental
and Military Affairs,


LORRAINE R. INOUE, Chair



The Senate
 Twenty-Fourth Legislature
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Record of Votes
Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs
IGM

Bill / Resolution No.:*	Committee Referral:	Date:		
HB 1065 HD 1	IGM, WAM	3/21/07		
<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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312	<input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311	<input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310		
<input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
INOUE, Lorraine R. (C)	✓			
TSUTSUI, Shan S. (VC)				✓
HEMMINGS, Fred	✓			
TOTAL				
Recommendation:				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature:				
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