

Honolulu, Hawaii

FEB 29 2008

RE: S.B. No. 2063

S.D. 1

Honorable Colleen Hanabusa
President of the Senate
Twenty-Fourth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2008
State of Hawaii

Madam:

Your Committee on Judiciary and Labor, to which was referred
S.B. No. 2063 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NOISE,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to provide for a graduated
increase in the fine for exhaust pipes or mufflers that increase
the noise emitted by a moped, motorcycle, or motor vehicle.

Testimony in support of this measure was received from one
individual.

Your Committee finds that exhaust system modifications
resulting in amplification of the noise emitted by mopeds and
motorcycles is of particular nuisance to the community. This can
be a serious problem affecting many neighborhoods throughout the
State, especially in densely populated areas and in the late night
and early morning hours.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

- (1) Deleting provisions relating to motor vehicles;
- (2) Making the graduated increase in fines applicable only
to mopeds;
- (3) Changing its effective date to July 1, 2050; and



- (4) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for the purposes of clarity and style.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Judiciary and Labor that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 2063, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Third Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 2063, S.D. 1.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Judiciary and
Labor,



BRIAN T. TANIGUCHI, Chair



The Senate
 Twenty-Fourth Legislature
 State of Hawaii

Record of Votes
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The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure.
 If so, then the previous decision was to: _____

The Recommendation is:

Pass, unamended 2312
 Pass, with amendments 2311
 Hold 2310
 Recommit 2313

Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
TANIGUCHI, BRIAN T. (C)	✓			
HEE, Clayton (VC)	✓			✓
GABBARD, Mike	✓			
KOKUBUN, Russell S.				✓
NISHIHARA, Clarence K.		✓		
SLOM, Sam	✓			
TOTAL	3	1	0	2

Recommendation: Adopted Not Adopted

Chair's or Designee's Signature:

Mike Gabbard

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