

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

2166

Honolulu, Hawaii

FEB 11 2008

RE: S.B. No. 2765

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

Madam:

Your Committee on Energy and Environment, to which was referred S.B. No. 2765 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to:

- (1) Appropriate general funds for deposit into the energy systems development special fund; and
- (2) Appropriate funds from the energy systems development special fund for the Hawaii Natural Energy Institute.

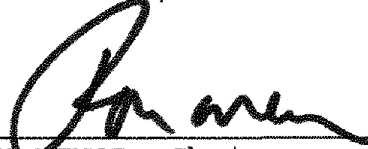
Testimony in support of this measure was submitted by Hawaii Renewable Energy Alliance.

Your Committee finds that that sufficient funds need to be appropriated to the energy systems development special fund to assist the Hawaii Natural Energy Institute in facilitating the development and deployment of renewable energy sources and efficient energy end-use technologies to enable a sustainable future for the State of Hawaii.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Energy and Environment that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 2765 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 Energy and  
Environment,




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RON MENOR, Chair



The Senate  
Twenty-Fourth Legislature  
State of Hawaii

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Bill / Resolution No.:*	Committee Referral:	Date:		
SB 2765	ENE, WAM	2/5/08		
<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
MENOR, Ron (C)	✓			
HOOSER, Gary L. (VC)	✓			
IHARA, Jr., Les	✓			
KOKUBUN, Russell S.				✓
TRIMBLE, Gordon	✓			
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>4</b>			<b>1</b>
Recommendation:				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted		<input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted		
Chair's or Designee's Signature:				
				
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