

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

2426

Honolulu, Hawaii

FEB 15 2008

RE: S.B. No. 3102  
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 Water and Land, to which was referred S.B. No. 3102 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE LAND CONSERVATION FUND,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to allow public and private moneys to be deposited into the Land Conservation Fund (Fund) and distributed as grants for acquisition of land having value as a resource to the State, and to allow moneys from the Fund to be used for the operation, maintenance, and management of the acquired lands.

Testimony in support of this measure was submitted by the Chairperson of the Board of Land and Natural Resources, Office of Hawaiian Affairs, and The Nature Conservancy. Testimony in opposition to this measure was submitted by The Trust for Public Land.

Your Committee finds that this measure will provide greater protection of lands having value as a resource to the people of the State of Hawaii. This includes, for example, protecting, maintaining, and restoring resources at risk, providing for greater public access to and enjoyment of the lands, and making needed improvements to protect native species and prevent soil erosion.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

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- (1) Changing the effective date to July 1, 2050, in order to allow for further discussion and consideration; and
- (2) 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 Water and Land that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 3102, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 3102, S.D. 1, and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Respectfully submitted on  
behalf of the members of the  
Committee on Water and Land,

  
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CLAYTON HEE, Chair



The Senate  
 Twenty-Fourth Legislature  
 State of Hawaii

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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
HEE, Clayton (C)	X			
KOKUBUN, Russell S. (VC)				X
FUKUNAGA, Carol				X
TOKUDA, Jill N.		X		
WHALEN, Paul	X			
<b>TOTAL</b>	2	1	0	2

Recommendation:  Adopted     Not Adopted

Chair's or Designee's Signature: 

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