

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 27 2008

RE: S.C.R. No. 51

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 Transportation and International Affairs,
to which was referred S.C.R. No. 51 entitled:

"SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE UNITED STATES
CONGRESS TO SUPPORT THE KOREA-UNITED STATES FREE TRADE
AGREEMENT, "

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to urge the United States
Congress to support the Korea-United States Free Trade Agreement.

Testimony in support of this measure was received from the
Consulate General of the Republic of Korea.

Your Committee is supportive of this measure, and believes
that its passage may be instrumental in gaining the approval of
the United States Congress for this important trade agreement.

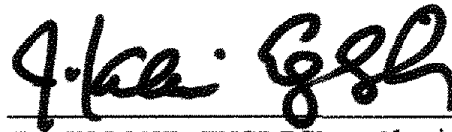
Your Committee has amended this measure by:

- (1) Correcting all references to "South Korea", to reference
the official title of the "Republic of Korea";
- (2) Clarifying that the waiver program is the visa waiver
program; and
- (3) Adding the Consulate General of the Republic of Korea to
the list of those receiving a certified copy of the
measure.



As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Transportation and International Affairs that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of S.C.R. No. 51, as amended herein, and recommends its adoption in the form attached hereto as S.C.R. No. 51, S.D. 1.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Transportation and
International Affairs,



J. KALANI ENGLISH, Chair



