

Honolulu, Hawaii

May 1, 2009

RE: H.B. No. 371  
H.D. 2  
S.D. 2  
C.D. 1

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say  
Speaker, House of Representatives  
Twenty-Fifth State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2009  
State of Hawaii

Honorable Colleen Hanabusa  
President of the Senate  
Twenty-Fifth State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2009  
State of Hawaii

Sir and Madam:

Your Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House of Representatives to the amendments proposed by the Senate in H.B. No. 371, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION,"

having met, and after full and free discussion, has agreed to recommend and does recommend to the respective Houses the final passage of this bill in an amended form.

The purpose of this bill is to:

- (1) Increase the tax on naphtha sold for use in a power-generating facility from 1 cent per gallon to 2 cents per gallon; and
- (2) Repeal the sunset date of the tax.

Your Committee on Conference has amended this measure by:

- (1) In lieu of making the tax permanent, extending it for an additional three years to December 31, 2012;



- (2) Changing its effective date to July 1, 2009; and
- (3) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for style, clarity, and consistency.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the managers of your Committee on Conference that is attached to this report, your Committee on Conference is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 371, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Final Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 371, H.D. 2, S.D. 2, C.D. 1.

Respectfully submitted on behalf  
of the managers:

ON THE PART OF THE SENATE

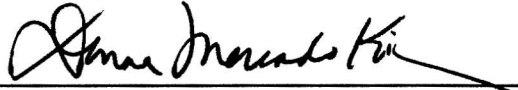
ON THE PART OF THE HOUSE



MIKE GABBARD, Chair



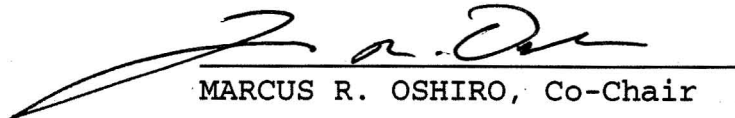
HERMINA MORITA, Co-Chair



DONNA MERCADO KIM, Co-Chair



ROBERT N. HERKES, Co-Chair



MARCUS R. OSHIRO, Co-Chair



Hawaii State Legislature

Record of Votes of a Conference Committee

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The recommendation of the House and Senate managers is to pass with amendments (CD).

The Committee is reconsidering its previous decision.

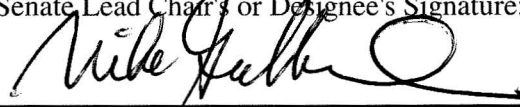
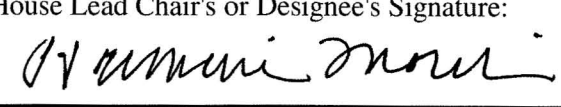
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Senate Managers	A	WR	N	E	House Managers	A	WR	N	E
GABBARD, Mike, Chr.	✓				MORITA, Hermina M., Co-Chr.	✓			
KIM, Donna Mercado, Co-Chr.	✓				HERKES, Robert N., Co-Chr.	✓			
HOOSER, Gary L.	✓				OSHIRO, Marcus R., Co-Chr.	✓			
					COFFMAN, Denny	✓			
					NAKASHIMA, Mark M.	✓			
					THIELEN, Cynthia	✓			
<b>TOTAL</b>	3	0	0	0	<b>TOTAL</b>	6	0	0	0

A = Aye      WR = Aye with Reservations      N = Nay      E = Excused

Senate Recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted	House Recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted
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Senate Lead Chair's or Designee's Signature: 	House Lead Chair's or Designee's Signature: 
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