

Honolulu, Hawaii

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RE: S.B. No. 107

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

Madam:

Your Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations, to which was referred S.B. No. 107 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ADMINISTRATIVE REVOCATION,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to clarify the law on administrative revocation of driver licenses by allowing the Administrative Director of the Courts to authorize a hearing to review a revocation decision, provided that the hearing be held:

- (1) With the consent of the respondent, in a county other than the county in which the notice of administrative revocation was held; or
- (2) By telephonic, video, or other electronic means.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Judiciary. Written testimony presented to the Committee may be reviewed on the Legislature's website.

Administrative Driver's License Revocation Office operations currently require almost daily travel between islands in order to allow statewide administrative hearings to be conducted in the county of arrest. The cost is up to \$1,000 of travel per week, constituting the bulk of Administrative Driver's License Revocation Office operational expenditures.



Your Committee finds that this measure would enable the Administrative Driver's License Revocation Office to conduct hearings in a more cost efficient manner.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 107 and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Judiciary and
Government Operations,

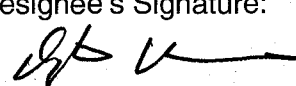


BRIAN T. TANIGUCHI, Chair



The Senate
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State of Hawaii

Record of Votes
Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations
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Bill / Resolution No.:*	Committee Referral:	Date:		
SB107	JGO	2/4/09		
<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
TANIGUCHI, Brian T. (C)	✓			
TAKAMINE, Dwight Y. (VC)	✓			
BUNDA, Robert	✓			
GABBARD, Mike	✓			
NISHIHARA, Clarence K.	✓			
SLOM, Sam	✓			
TOTAL	6	0	0	0
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: 				
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