

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

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Honolulu, Hawaii

FEB 20 2009

RE: S.B. No. 1318
S.D. 1

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

Madam:

Your Committee on Water, Land, Agriculture, and Hawaiian Affairs, to which was referred S.B. No. 1318 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PLANNING AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to repeal the chapters of the Hawaii Revised Statutes that relate to coastal zone management and state planning, and transfer the authority and functions of the Office of Planning to the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism.

Testimony in opposition to this measure was submitted by two state agencies. Copies of written testimony are available for review on the Legislature's website.

Your Committee finds that with the economic downturn affecting the state budget, a comprehensive reexamination of the structure of the state government is necessary to ensure that all available avenues have been explored to accomplish more with fewer resources.

Your Committee has amended this measure by amending the effective date to July 1, 2050, for the purpose of encouraging further discussion.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Water, Land, Agriculture, and Hawaiian Affairs that



is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 1318, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 1318, 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, Land,
Agriculture, and Hawaiian
Affairs,




CLAYTON HEE, Chair



The Senate
Twenty-Fifth Legislature
State of Hawaii

Record of Votes
Committee on Water, Land, Agriculture and Hawaiian Affairs
WTL

Bill / Resolution No.:*	Committee Referral:	Date:		
SB 1318	WTL, WAM	2/11/09		
<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 type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311 <input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310 <input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
HEE, Clayton (C)	✓			
TOKUDA, Jill N. (VC)			✓	
BUNDA, Robert	✓			
FUKUNAGA, Carol	✓			
KOKUBUN, Russell S.	✓			
TAKAMINE, Dwight Y.				✓
HEMMINGS, Fred				✓
TOTAL	4	0	1	1 2
Recommendation:				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature:				
				
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