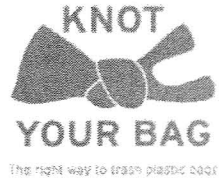




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To: House Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection  
Rep. Hermina M. Morita, Chair  
Rep. Denny Coffman, Vice Chair

By: Hawaii Food Industry Association  
Richard C. Botti, President  
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Re: HCR 287 / HR 259 DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME STUDY

In Support

Chairs & Committee Members:

This issue has been sleeping for many years. We support making the change, but since it may be too late in Session to legislate it, the study makes sense.

Hawaii is a tourist destination, and we are cheating tourists from spending more money by allowing the darkness to come an hour earlier than it would otherwise. Thus, the potential increase in gross revenues to the state should be added to the resolution.

Bill No. 287

Support  Y  N

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