

Honolulu, Hawaii

Feb 11, 2010

RE: H.B. No. 1961
H.D. 1

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say
Speaker, House of Representatives
Twenty-Fifth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2010
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committees on Hawaiian Affairs and Water, Land, & Ocean Resources, to which was referred H.B. No. 1961 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE KAHO'OLAWA REHABILITATION TRUST FUND,"

beg leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to help maintain Kaho'olawe rehabilitation efforts by requiring ocean recreational activity business operators operating tours at Molokini Island to collect a \$1 surcharge from each customer for each activity tour, to be deposited into the Kaho'olawe Rehabilitation Trust Fund.

The Kaho'olawe Island Reserve Commission testified in support of this bill. The Department of Land and Natural Resources; Ocean Tourism Coalition; Lahaina Divers, Inc.; and a concerned individual opposed this measure. The Kanaka Council Moku O Keawe provided comments.

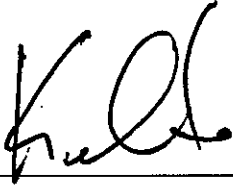
Your Committees have amended this bill by:

- (1) Changing the effective date to July 1, 2020, to encourage further discussion; and
- (2) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for clarity, consistency, and style.



As affirmed by the records of votes of the members of your Committees on Hawaiian Affairs and Water, Land, & Ocean Resources that are attached to this report, your Committees are in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 1961, as amended herein, and recommend that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 1961, H.D. 1, and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committees on Hawaiian Affairs
and Water, Land, & Ocean
Resources,



KEN ITO, Chair



MELE CARROLL, Chair



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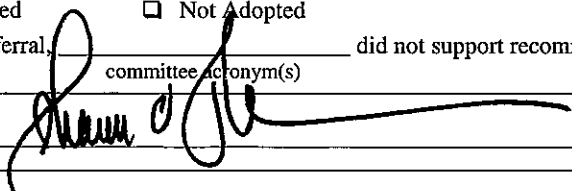
Record of Votes of the Committee on Hawaiian Affairs

Bill/Resolution No.: HB1961	Committee Referral: HAW/WLO, FIN	Date: 02-03-2010		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended (as is) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments (HD) <input type="checkbox"/> Hold <input type="checkbox"/> Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)				
HAW Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. CARROLL, Mele (C)	✓			
2. SHIMABUKURO, Maile S.L. (VC)	✓			
3. BELATTI, Della Au				✓
4. BERTRAM, Joe, III	✓			
5. BROWER, Tom	✓			
6. MIZUNO, John M.	✓			
7. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y.				✓
8. YAMANE, Ryan I.	✓			
9. WARD, Gene			✓	
TOTAL (9)	6	0	1	2
The recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. committee acronym(s)				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: _____				
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WLO Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. ITO, Ken (C)	X			
2. HAR, Sharon E. (VC)	X			
3. CABANILLA, Rida				X
4. CHANG, Jerry L.	X			
5. CHONG, Pono				X
6. COFFMAN, Denny	X			
7. HERKES, Robert N.	X			
8. LEE, Chris				X
9. LUKE, Sylvia	X			
10. MORITA, Hermina M.				X
11. SAGUM, Roland D., III	X			
12. CHING, Corinne W.L.			X	
13. THIELEN, Cynthia				X
TOTAL (13)	7		1	5
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