

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 947

Honolulu, Hawaii  
March 11, 2011

RE: H.C.R. No. 54

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say  
Speaker, House of Representatives  
Twenty-Sixth State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2011  
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, to which was referred H.C.R. No. 54 entitled:

"HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE STATE BUILDING CODE COUNCIL TO ADOPT THE REQUIREMENT THAT AUTOMATIC FIRE SPRINKLERS BE INSTALLED IN NEW ONE- AND TWO-FAMILY DWELLINGS, "

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this concurrent resolution is to provide fire protection to Hawaii's citizens, property, and fire fighters by requesting the State Building Code Council to adopt the requirement that automatic fire sprinklers be installed in new one- and two-family dwellings, in compliance with the latest editions of nationally recognized safety codes.

The State Fire Council, Honolulu Fire Department, the County of Maui Department of Fire & Public Safety, and Kauai Fire Department supported this measure. The Pacific Resource Partnership and County of Kauai Fire Commission supported the intent of this measure. A concerned individual opposed this measure. The Building Industry Association-Hawaii provided comments.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of H.C.R. No. 54 and recommends that it be referred to the Committees on Housing and Water, Land, & Ocean Resources.

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Respectfully submitted on  
behalf of the members of the  
Committee on Public Safety &  
Military Affairs,



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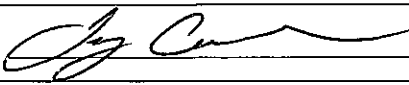
HENRY J.C. AQUINO, Chair



State of Hawaii  
House of Representatives  
The Twenty-sixth Legislature

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**Record of Votes of the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs**

Bill/Resolution No.: HCR 54	Committee Referral: PBM, HSG/WLO	Date: <i>3/3/2011</i>		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended (as is) <input 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)				
PBM Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. AQUINO, Henry J.C. (C)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
2. CULLEN, Ty (VC)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
3. ICHIYAMA, Linda	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
4. LEE, Marilyn B.				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
5. LUKE, Sylvia	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
6. SAIKI, Scott K.				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
7. SOUKI, Joseph M.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
8. TAKAI, K. Mark				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
9. TAKUMI, Roy M.				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
10. YAMASHITA, Kyle T.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
11. FONTAINE, George R.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
12. JOHANSON, Aaron Ling	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
TOTAL (12)	8	0	0	4
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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