

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 1479

Honolulu, Hawaii

April 8, 2011

RE: S.B. No. 142  
S.D. 1  
H.D. 1

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred S.B. No. 142, S.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DAMS AND RESERVOIRS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to require the Board of Land and Natural Resources to:

- (1) Consider dams and reservoirs as important water resources for the State that provide significant public benefits; and
- (2) Acknowledge the need for dams and reservoirs to be maintained and operated in a safe and feasible manner that sustains their role as important water resources.

The Land Use Research Foundation of Hawaii, Hawaii Farm Bureau Federation, Alexander & Baldwin, Inc., Hawaiian Commercial & Sugar Company, and Kauai Coffee Company supported this bill. The Department of Land and Natural Resources submitted comments.

Your Committee has amended this bill by changing its effective date to July 1, 2030, to encourage further discussion.

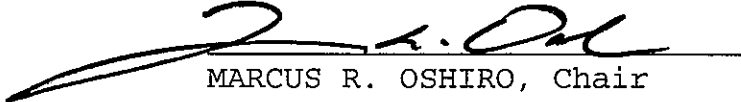
As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Finance that is attached to this report, your

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Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 142, S.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Third Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 142, S.D. 1, H.D. 1.

Respectfully submitted on  
behalf of the members of the  
Committee on Finance,

  
MARCUS R. OSHIRO, Chair



State of Hawaii  
House of Representatives  
The Twenty-sixth Legislature

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**Record of Votes of the Committee on Finance**

<b>Bill/Resolution No.:</b> SB 142, SD1	<b>Committee Referral:</b> WLO / AGR, FIN	<b>Date:</b> 4/1/11		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
<b>The recommendation is to:</b> <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)				
FIN Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. OSHIRO, Marcus R. (C)	✓			
2. LEE, Marilyn B. (VC)	✓			
3. CHONG, Pono	✓			
4. CHOY, Isaac W.	✓			
5. COFFMAN, Denny	✓			
6. CULLEN, Ty	✓			
7. HAR, Sharon E.	✓			
8. HASHEM, Mark J.	✓			
9. ICHIYAMA, Linda	✓			
10. JORDAN, Jo	✓			
11. LEE, Chris	✓			
12. MORIKAWA, Dee	✓			
13. TOKIOKA, James Kunane				✓
14. YAMASHITA, Kyle T.	✓			
15. MARUMOTO, Barbara C.	✓			
16. RIVIERE, Gil	✓			
17. WARD, Gene	✓			
<b>TOTAL (17)</b>	16	0	0	1
<b>The recommendation is:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. <div style="text-align: center; font-size: 0.8em;">committee acronym(s)</div>				
<b>Vice Chair's or designee's signature:</b> _____ <div style="text-align: center; font-size: 1.2em; font-family: cursive;">Marilyn B. Lee</div>				
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