

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

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Honolulu, Hawaii

Feb 7, 2011

RE: H.B. No. 696

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, to which was referred  
H.B. No. 696 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to expand the water rights of  
kuleana landowners by exempting them from all State, county, and  
municipal taxation, fees, and any other charges in connection with  
kuleana landowners' appurtenant water rights.

A concerned individual testified in support of this measure.  
The Department of Land and Natural Resources opposed this bill.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your  
Committee on Hawaiian Affairs that is attached to this report,  
your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B.  
No. 696 and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be referred  
to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources.

Respectfully submitted on  
behalf of the members of the  
Committee on Hawaiian Affairs,

  
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FAYE HANOHANO, Chair

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