

STAND. COM. REP. NO. **828**

Honolulu, Hawaii

March 8, 2011

RE: H.B. No. 850
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 H.B. No. 850, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FISHING,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to implement traditional fishery management practices for the regulation of fishing and gathering to promote the sustainable use of marine resources by establishing a community-based fishery resource management area program and advisory committee for the island of Lana'i.

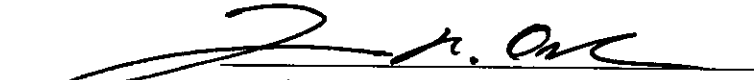
Hawaiian Electric Company and Maui Electric Company testified in support of this bill. The Department of Land and Natural Resources testified in opposition to this measure. The Maunaloa Hawaiian Civic Club provided comments.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Finance that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 850, H.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Third Reading.

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


MARCUS R. OSHIRO, Chair



