

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

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Honolulu, Hawaii

Feb 9, 2011

RE: H.B. No. 921

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. 921 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURAL LAND USE,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to cultivate traditional Hawaiian  
culture as well as assist the agricultural industry by:

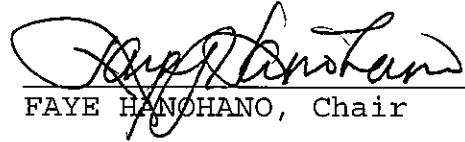
- (1) Requiring counties to allow the construction of  
traditional Hawaiian hale, greenhouses, and sheds on  
land that is used for a farming operation without a  
building permit; and
- (2) Establishes parameters for what constitutes a  
"traditional Hawaiian hale."

Several concerned individuals testified in support of 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. 921 and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be referred  
to the Committees on Agriculture and Water, Land, & Ocean  
Resources.



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

  
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FAYE HANOHANO, Chair



