

Honolulu, Hawaii

April 5, 2012

RE: H.R. No. 38
H.D. 1

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say
Speaker, House of Representatives
Twenty-Sixth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2012
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committees on International Affairs and Energy & Environmental Protection, to which was referred H.R. No. 38 entitled:

"HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE UNITED NATIONS TO GRANT TAIWAN PARTICIPATION AS AN OBSERVER IN THE UNITED NATIONS FRAMEWORK CONVENTION ON CLIMATE CHANGE CONFERENCE OF THE PARTIES MEETINGS, "

beg leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to urge the United Nations to grant Taiwan participation as an observer in the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change Conference of the Parties.

Two individuals testified in support of the measure. Aupini O Hawai'i commented on this measure.

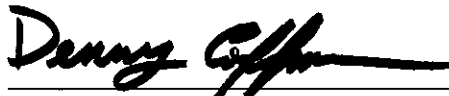
Your Committees have amended this measure by:

- (1) Changing its title to be consistent with its intent and to read: "URGING THE UNITED NATIONS TO GRANT TAIWAN PARTICIPATION AS AN OBSERVER IN THE UNITED NATIONS FRAMEWORK CONVENTION ON CLIMATE CHANGE CONFERENCE OF THE PARTIES"; and
- (2) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for clarity, consistency, and style.



As affirmed by the records of votes of the members of your Committees on International Affairs and Energy & Environmental Protection that are attached to this report, your Committees concur with the intent and purpose of H.R. No. 38, as amended herein, and recommend its adoption in the form attached hereto as H.R. No. 38, H.D. 1.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committees on International
Affairs and Energy &
Environmental Protection,



DENNY COFFMAN, Chair



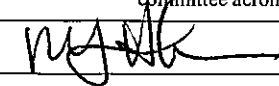
KAREN L. AWANA, Chair



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Record of Votes of the Committee on International Affairs

Bill/Resolution No.: HR 38	Committee Referral: INT/EEP	Date: 3/22/12		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: <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)				
INT Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. AWANA, Karen L. (C)	✓			
2. HASHEM, Mark J. (VC)	✓			
3. BROWER, Tom	✓			
4. CHOY, Isaac W.	✓			
5. EVANS, Cindy	✓			
6. McKELVEY, Angus L.K.	✓			
7. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y.	✓			
8. TOKIOKA, James Kunane	✓			
9. TSUJI, Clift	✓			
10. MARUMOTO, Barbara C.	✓			
11. WARD, Gene				✓
TOTAL (11)	10	0	0	1
The recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. <small>committee acronym(s)</small>				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: 				
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EEP Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. COFFMAN, Denny (C)	✓			
2. KAWAKAMI, Derek S.K. (VC)	✓			
3. CABANILLA, Rida T.R.	✓			
4. CARROLL, Mele				✓
5. CHANG, Jerry L.	✓			
6. HAR, Sharon E.				✓
7. HERKES, Robert N.				✓
8. ITO, Ken	✓			
9. NAKASHIMA, Mark M.				✓
10. RIVIERE, Gil	✓			
11. THIELEN, Cynthia				✓
TOTAL (11)	6	0	0	5
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: <u>Denny Coffman</u>				
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