

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

766

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 04 2011

RE: S.B. No. 30  
S.D. 1

Honorable Shan S. Tsutsui  
President of the Senate  
Twenty-Sixth State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2011  
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary and Labor, to which was referred  
S.B. No. 30 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ABANDONED VEHICLES,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to extend the time  
period during which the legal and registered owner of an abandoned  
vehicle may recover possession of the vehicle before it may be  
subject to disposal.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure  
from the Hawaii Credit Union League and EAN Holdings, LLC.

Your Committee finds that this measure establishes a more  
practical time frame for a vehicle owner to recover possession of  
a vehicle that has been towed away after being designated as  
abandoned. Your Committee further finds that this measure will be  
especially useful in cases where the vehicle was financed by a  
loan because it gives a lender who receives notice of the  
abandoned vehicle sufficient time to contact a borrower who is the  
vehicle's actual owner.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

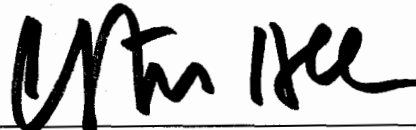
- (1) Inserting an effective date of July 1, 2050, to allow  
for further discussion; and



- (2) Making a technical, nonsubstantive amendment for the purposes of clarity and consistency.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Judiciary and Labor that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 30, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Third Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 30, S.D. 1.

Respectfully submitted on  
behalf of the members of the  
Committee on Judiciary and  
Labor,




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CLAYTON HEE, Chair



The Senate  
 Twenty-Sixth Legislature  
 State of Hawai'i

**Record of Votes**  
**Committee on Judiciary and Labor**  
**JDL**

Bill / Resolution No.:* <b>SB30</b>	Committee Referral: <b>TIA/CPN, JDL</b>	Date: <b>3/3/11</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure. If so, then the previous decision was to: _____				
The Recommendation is: <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311 <input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310 <input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
HEE, Clayton (C)	✓			
SHIMABUKURO, Maile (VC)	✓			
GABBARD, Mike	✓			
IHARA, Jr., Les	✓			
SLOM, Sam	✓			
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: 				
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