

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 3416

Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 13 2012

RE: S.C.R. No. 134

Honorable Shan S. Tsutsui
President of the Senate
Twenty-Sixth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2012
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred
S.C.R. No. 134 entitled:

"SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF
AGRICULTURE TO IMPLEMENT AN INCENTIVE PROGRAM TO PROMOTE THE
PURCHASE OF HAWAII-GROWN AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to promote Hawaii-
grown agricultural commodities.

Specifically, the measure requests the Department of
Agriculture to work with Hawaii growers and producers to establish
a program for schools, military bases, and private entities to
purchase Hawaii-grown agricultural products and to submit a report
to the Legislature on the implementation of the program.

Your Committee received written comments in support of this
measure from one individual.

Your Committee finds that a program expanding the local
market for Hawaiian-grown agricultural products would increase
consumption of local produce, benefit the State's economy, provide
support for local farmers and producers of agricultural products,
and encourage healthy eating habits in the State.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your
Committee on Ways and Means that is attached to this report, your
Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of S.C.R. No. 134
and recommends its adoption.

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Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Ways and Means,



DAVID Y. IGE, Chair



The Senate
Twenty-Sixth Legislature
State of Hawai'i

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Bill / Resolution No.:*	Committee Referral:	Date:		
SCR134	AGL, WAM	4-11-12		
<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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312 <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311 <input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310 <input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
IGE, David Y. (C)	/			
KIDANI, Michelle N. (VC)	/			
CHUN OAKLAND, Suzanne	/			
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M.	/			
ENGLISH, J. Kalani	/			
ESPERO, Will				/
FUKUNAGA, Carol	/			
KIM, Donna Mercado				/
KAHELE, Gilbert				/
KOUCHI, Ronald D.				/
RYAN, Pohai	/			
TOKUDA, Jill N.	/			
WAKAI, Glenn	/			
SLOM, Sam				/
TOTAL	9	0	0	5
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: <div style="text-align:center; font-family: cursive; font-size: 1.2em;">Michelle N. Kidani</div>				
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