

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

3048

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 30 2012

RE: S.C.R. No. 89
S.D. 1

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred S.C.R. No. 89 entitled:

"SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A MANAGEMENT AUDIT OF THE MEASUREMENT STANDARDS BRANCH WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to request the Auditor to conduct a management audit of the Department of Agriculture's Measurement Standards Branch.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Department of Agriculture.

Your Committee finds that the Department of Agriculture's Measurement Standards Branch has lost several positions through attrition and the reduction of force in 2009. There are currently only three inspectors in the branch. This measure will allow the Auditor to conduct a management audit and provide recommendations on the resources necessary for the Measurement Standards Branch to fully and properly carry out its duties and responsibilities.

Your Committee has amended this measure by making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for the purposes of clarity and consistency.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Agriculture that is attached to this report, your

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Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of S.C.R. No. 89, as amended herein, and recommends that it be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, in the form attached hereto as S.C.R. No. 89, S.D. 1.

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

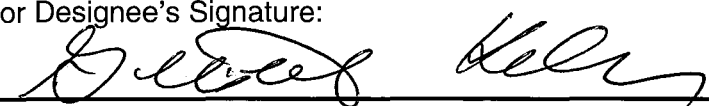
Clarence K. Nishihara

CLARENCE K. NISHIHARA, Chair



The Senate
Twenty-Sixth Legislature
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Bill / Resolution No.:*	Committee Referral:	Date:		
SCR 89	AGL, WAM	3/27/12		
<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 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
NISHIHARA, Clarence K. (C)	✓			
KAHELE, Gilbert (VC)	✓			
CHUN OAKLAND, Suzanne	✓			
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M.				✓
KOUCHI, Ronald D.	✓			
SHIMABUKURO, Maile	✓			
TOKUDA, Jill N.				✓
WAKAI, Glenn	✓			
SLOM, Sam				✓
TOTAL	6			3
Recommendation:				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature:				
				
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