

STAND. COM. REP. NO. **626**

Honolulu, Hawaii

February 28, 2013

RE: H.B. No. 450
H.D. 1

Honorable Joseph M. Souki
Speaker, House of Representatives
Twenty-Seventh State Legislature
Regular Session of 2013
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred H.B. No. 450, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HYDROGEN FUELING STATIONS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to direct the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism to establish a hydrogen fueling station demonstration project with a preference for hydrogen produced from renewable energy sources in qualifying counties and to provide funding for the projects.

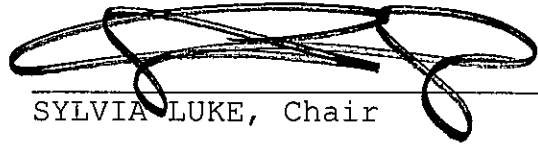
East Hawaii Community Development Corporation; Hawaii Automobile Dealers Association; General Motors, LLC; and a concerned individual offered testimony in support of this measure. The Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism and High Technology Development Corporation offered comments.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Finance that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 450, H.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Third Reading.

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



SYLVIA LUKE, Chair



