

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

708

Honolulu, Hawaii

February 23, 2013

RE: H.B. No. 689
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 Transportation, to which was referred H.B. No. 689 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to comply with the federal Moving Ahead for Progress in the 21st Century Act by adding the Executive Director of the Honolulu Authority for Rapid Transit to the Metropolitan Planning Organization Policy Committee.

The City and County of Honolulu, a member of the City Council of the City and County of Honolulu, and two concerned individuals supported this measure. The Department of Transportation supported this measure with amendments. A concerned individual opposed this measure.


Your Committee has amended this measure by specifying that the new member of the Policy Committee shall be the Director of the authority for rapid or mass transportation, or successor agency thereof, that operates public transportation on the relevant island.

HB689 HD1 HSCR TRN HMS 2013-2208



As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Transportation that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 689, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 689, H.D. 1, and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

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



RYAN J. YAMINE, Chair



State of Hawaii
House of Representatives
The Twenty-seventh Legislature

Record of Votes of the Committee on Transportation

Bill/Resolution No.: HB 689	Committee Referral: TRN	Date: 2/20/13		
<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)				
TRN Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. YAMANE, Ryan I. (C)	✓			
2. ICHIYAMA, Linda (VC)	✓			
3. AQUINO, Henry J.C.	✓			
4. HASHEM, Mark J.	✓			
5. ING, Kaniela	✓			
6. NAKASHIMA, Mark M.				✓
7. TAKUMI, Roy M.				✓
8. YAMASHITA, Kyle T.	✓			
9. FUKUMOTO, Beth				✓
TOTAL (9)	6	0	0	3
The recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. <div style="text-align:center; font-size: small;">committee acronym(s)</div>				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: <u><i>Linda Ichiyama</i></u>				
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