

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

797

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 01 2013

RE: S.B. No. 1161

S.D. 1

Honorable Donna Mercado Kim  
President of the Senate  
Twenty-Seventh State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2013  
State of Hawaii

Madam:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred S.B. No. 1161, S.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VESSELS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to require the costs associated with the impoundment and disposal of an unauthorized vessel to be borne by the owner of the vessel and to prohibit renewal or transfer of vessel registration under certain circumstances.

Your Committee received written comments in support of this measure from the Department of Land and Natural Resources.

Your Committee finds that under current law, the costs of mooring and impounding an unauthorized vessel are borne by the Department of Land and Natural Resources when the owner does not repossess the vessel prior to disposition. In addition, current law allows for the renewal or transfer of vessel registration even if, for example, the vessel owner has an outstanding balance owed to the Department of Land and Natural Resources or pending citations. This measure will place the financial burden of improper mooring and other delinquencies on the vessel owner.

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 is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 1161, S.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Third Reading.

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

*David Y. Ige*

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DAVID Y. IGE, Chair



The Senate  
Twenty-Seventh Legislature  
State of Hawai'i

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**WAM**

Bill / Resolution No.:* <i>SB1161, SD1</i>	Committee Referral: <i>WTL/TIA, WAM</i>	Date: <i>2-22-13</i>		
<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	✓			
KAHELE, Gilbert	✓			
KEITH-AGARAN, Gilbert S.C.	✓			
KOUCHI, Ronald D.				✓
RUDERMAN, Russell E.	✓			
THIELEN, Laura H.	✓			
TOKUDA, Jill N.	✓			
SLOM, Sam	✓			
<b>TOTAL</b>	<i>12</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>1</i>
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: <i>Michelle N. Kidani</i>				
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