

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

2551

Honolulu, Hawaii

FEB 28 2014

RE: S.B. No. 2113

Honorable Donna Mercado Kim
President of the Senate
Twenty-Seventh State Legislature
Regular Session of 2014
State of Hawaii

Madam:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred S.B. No. 2113 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A CONTRACT BETWEEN COUNTY OF KAUAI AND KAUAI HUMANE SOCIETY,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to repeal the requirement that the County of Kauai contract with the Kauai Humane Society for the seizure and impoundment of unlicensed dogs and related actions.

Your Committee received written comments in support of this measure from two Kauai County Council Members and Animal Haven.

Your Committee finds the County of Kauai is mandated by section 146-16, Hawaii Revised Statutes, to contract with the Kauai Humane Society regarding the seizure and impoundment of unlicensed dogs. However, compliance with section 146-16, Hawaii Revised Statutes, has become increasingly difficult due to a decrease in operational hours at the Kauai Humane Society as a result of budget constraints. Accordingly, this measure will avert statutory violations by repealing the requirement that the County of Kauai contract with the Kauai Humane Society.

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. 2113 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, Chair



The Senate
 Twenty-Seventh Legislature
 State of Hawai'i

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Bill / Resolution No.:* SB 2113	Committee Referral: PSM, WAM	Date: 2-19-14		
<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	✓			
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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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