

Honolulu, Hawaii

April 4, 2014

RE: S.B. No. 2274
S.D. 1
H.D. 1

Honorable Joseph M. Souki
Speaker, House of Representatives
Twenty-Seventh State Legislature
Regular Session of 2014
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred S.B. No. 2274, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SUSTAINABLE LIVING,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to authorize certain counties to issue Sustainable Living Research Permits that exempt sustainable living research sites that promote sustainable living through renewable fuel and energy generation, provision of water, sewage treatment, organic food production, and shared living situations from otherwise applicable county development and occupancy requirements.

The Hawaii County Planning Department and an individual opposed this measure. The Office of Planning commented on this measure.

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 S.B. No. 2274, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Third Reading.



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



SYLVIA DUKE, Chair



Record of Votes of the Committee on Finance

Bill/Resolution No.: SB 2274, SD1, HD1	Committee Referral: WAL, FIN	Date: 4/3/14
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The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.

The recommendation is to: Pass, unamended (as is) Pass, with amendments (HD) Hold
 Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)

FIN Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. LUKE, Sylvia (C)	/			
2. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y. (VC)	/			
3. JOHANSON, Aaron Ling (VC)	/	/		
4. CULLEN, Ty J.K.	/	/		
5. HASHEM, Mark J.	/	/		
6. ING, Kaniela	/	/		
7. JORDAN, Jo	/	/		
8. KOBAYASHI, Bertrand	/	/		
9. LOWEN, Nicole E.	/	/	/	
10. MORIKAWA, Dee	/	/		
11. ONISHI, Richard H.K.	/	/		
12. TAKAYAMA, Gregg	/	/		
13. TOKIOKA, James Kunane	/	/		
14. WOODSON, Justin H.	/	/		/
15. YAMASHITA, Kyle T.	/	/		
16. FUKUMOTO, Beth	/	/		
17. WARD, Gene	/	/		/
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The recommendation is: Adopted Not Adopted
If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation.
committee acronym(s)

Vice Chair's or designee's signature: _____