

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 2422

Honolulu, Hawaii

FEB 14 2014

RE: S.B. No. 2742

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

Madam:

Your Committee on Transportation and International Affairs,
to which was referred S.B. No. 2742 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ESTABLISHMENT OF THE PACIFIC-
ASIA INSTITUTE FOR RESILIENCE AND SUSTAINABILITY,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to initiate a
revolutionary and innovative public and private partnership to be
known as the Pacific-Asia Institute for Resilience and
Sustainability.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure
from the Department of Defense; Global Partnerships Forum of the
United Nations; Solutions Engineering Hawaii; Robertson Foundation
for Government; and nine individuals. Your Committee received
comments on this measure from the State Office of Planning.

Your Committee finds that the Pacific-Asia Institute for
Resilience and Sustainability provides an opportunity for a new
generation of leaders to emerge who have the ability to learn from
emerging trends and meet global challenges. The Institute's
multi-disciplinary and multi-sector approach to community
resilience addresses a blind spot in the global discourse of how
nations and peoples respond to a wave of disruptive change that
permeates the world.

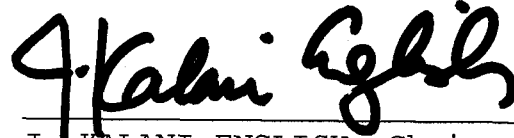
As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your
Committee on Transportation and International Affairs that is
attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the

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intent and purpose of S.B. No. 2742 and recommends that it pass
Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Transportation and
International Affairs,

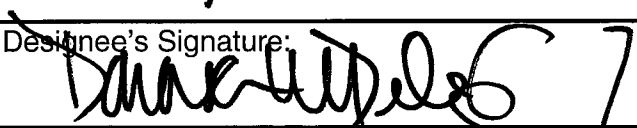


J. KALANI ENGLISH, Chair



The Senate
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Record of Votes
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| Bill / Resolution No.:* | Committee Referral: | Date: | | |
| SB 2742 | TIA, WAM | 02-11-14 | | |
| <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 |
| ENGLISH, J. Kalani (C) | / | | | |
| DELA CRUZ, Donovan M. (VC) | / | | | |
| ESPERO, Will | / | | | |
| GABBARD, Mike | | | | / |
| KAHELE, Gilbert | / | | | |
| KEITH-AGARAN, Gilbert S.C. | / | | | |
| KOUCHI, Ronald D. | | | | / |
| SOLOMON, Malama | / | | | |
| SLOM, Sam | | | / | |
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| Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted | | | | |
| Chair's or Designee's Signature:  | | | | |
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