

Honolulu, Hawaii

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RE: S.B. No. 3121
S.D. 1
H.D. 1
C.D. 1

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

Honorable Joseph M. Souki
Speaker, House of Representatives
Twenty-Seventh State Legislature
Regular Session of 2014
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Madam and Sir:

Your Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House of Representatives in S.B. No. 3121, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LAND,"

having met, and after full and free discussion, has agreed to recommend and does recommend to the respective Houses the final passage of this bill in an amended form.

The purpose of this measure is to require legislative approval of any exchange of public land for private land by majority vote of both houses of the Legislature.

Your Committee on Conference finds that existing law subjects any exchange of public land for private land to disapproval by the Legislature by two-thirds vote of either the Senate or the House of Representatives. Your Committee on Conference believes that by requiring legislative approval rather than disapproval, this measure will require an affirmative action of the Legislature in order to approve any public land exchange.



Your Committee on Conference has amended this measure by changing the effective date to July 1, 2014.


As affirmed by the record of votes of the managers of your Committee on Conference that is attached to this report, your Committee on Conference is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 3121, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Final Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 3121, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1.

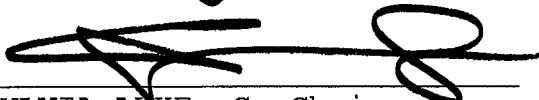
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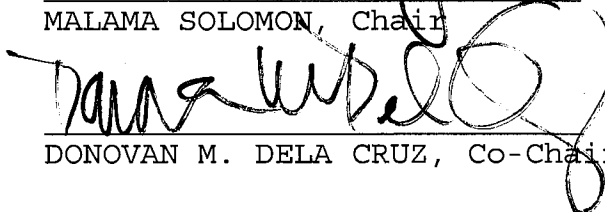
ON THE PART OF THE HOUSE

ON THE PART OF THE SENATE


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