

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

659

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 01 2013

RE: S.B. No. 406  
S.D. 2

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. 406, S.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRAINING,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to require members of certain state councils, boards, and commissions to complete a training course administered or approved by the Office of Hawaiian Affairs relating to native Hawaiian and Hawaiian rights.

Your Committee received written comments in support of this measure from the Office of Hawaiian Affairs and one individual. Your Committee received written comments in opposition to this measure from the Land Use Research Foundation. The Department of Land and Natural Resources submitted written comments.

Your Committee finds that certain state councils, boards, and commissions administer public trust resources and programs that directly impact native Hawaiian and Hawaiian traditional and customary rights, natural resource protection and access rights, and the public trust. Your Committee believes that the training course required by this measure will provide relevant guidance to certain state appointees to assist them in fulfilling their duties and responsibilities relating to native Hawaiian and Hawaiian rights in a culturally responsive manner.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

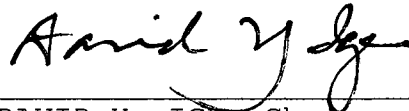
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- (1) Authorizing the Office of Hawaiian Affairs to offer abbreviated training courses directly to state agencies, as well as councils, boards, and commissions; and
- (2) Making technical nonsubstantive amendments for the purposes of clarity, consistency, and style.

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. 406, S.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Third Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 406, S.D. 2.

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



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DAVID Y. IGE, Chair



The Senate  
 Twenty-Seventh Legislature  
 State of Hawai'i

**Record of Votes**  
**Committee on Ways and Means**  
**WAM**

Bill / Resolution No.:* SB 406, SD 1	Committee Referral: THA/JDL, WAM	Date: 2-22-13		
<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 type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312 <input checked="" 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>	10	1	0	2
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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