

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

1029

Honolulu, Hawaii

March 19, 2013

RE: S.B. No. 454

S.D. 1

H.D. 1

Honorable Joseph M. Souki
Speaker, House of Representatives
Twenty-Seventh State Legislature
Regular Session of 2013
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, to which was referred S.B. No. 454, S.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WATER CONSERVATION,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to enhance water conservation efforts by encouraging the widespread use of gray water for irrigation purposes under certain conditions.

The Department of Health, Department of Land and Natural Resources, Office of Hawaiian Affairs, Hawaii Chapter of the American Society of Landscape Architects, Landscape Industry Council of Hawaii, and numerous concerned individuals supported this measure. The Kula Community Association and a concerned individual opposed this bill. A member of the Maui County Council provided comments.

Your Committee has amended this measure by requiring that gray water usage conform with the State Plumbing Code, Chapter 3-183, Hawaii Administrative Rules, instead of the latest edition of the Uniform Plumbing Code, as copyrighted and published by the International Association of Plumbing and Mechanical Officials.

SB454 HD1 HSCR EEP HMS 2013-2659



As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 454, S.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 454, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, and be referred to the Committee on Water & Land.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Energy &
Environmental Protection,



CHRIS LEE, Chair



State of Hawaii
House of Representatives
The Twenty-seventh Legislature

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection

Bill/Resolution No.: <i>SB 454, SDI</i>	Committee Referral: <i>EEP, WAL</i>	Date: <i>3/12/13</i>		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended (as is) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments (HD) <input type="checkbox"/> Hold <input type="checkbox"/> Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)				
EEP Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. LEE, Chris (C)	X			
2. THIELEN, Cynthia (VC)	X			
3. COFFMAN, Denny	X			
4. CULLEN, Ty J.K.	X			
5. EVANS, Cindy	X			
6. HANOHANO, Faye P.	X			
7. KAWAKAMI, Derek S.K.	X			
8. LOWEN, Nicole E.	X			
9. FALE, Richard Lee	X			
TOTAL (9)	9			
The recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. <div style="text-align: center; font-size: small;">committee acronym(s)</div>				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: <i>Cynthia Thielen</i>				
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