

Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 26 2013

RE: S.B. No. 680  
S.D. 1  
H.D. 1  
C.D. 1

Honorable Donna Mercado Kim  
President of the Senate  
Twenty-Seventh State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2013  
State of Hawaii

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

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. 680, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOMELAND SECURITY,"

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 establish the operational infrastructure to help ensure the health and safety of the people of Hawaii by:

- (1) Creating a homeland security law and establishing within the State Department of Defense an Office of Homeland Security to be headed by the Director of Homeland Security, who is the Adjutant General;
- (2) Specifying actions the Director of Homeland Security is authorized to make, including preparing comprehensive plans and programs for homeland security and defense;



developing and maintaining a list of critical infrastructure; fostering coordination on security matters with all nations of the Pacific region to the extent permitted under federal law; and soliciting and managing funds; and

- (3) Authorizing the establishment of county organizations for homeland security.

Your Committee on Conference finds that state departments and agencies are currently performing many missions and tasks to combat terrorism and support homeland security requirements without underlying statutory authority. Your Committee on Conference further finds that this measure will establish an office of homeland security to provide a comprehensive program to protect Hawaii's residents, infrastructure, and government from terrorism and attacks.

Your Committee on Conference has amended this measure by inserting an effective date of July 1, 2013.

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. 680, 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. 680, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, C.D. 1.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the managers:

ON THE PART OF THE HOUSE

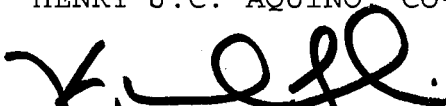
ON THE PART OF THE SENATE



HENRY J.C. AQUINO, Co-Chair



WILL ESPERO, Chair



K. MARK TAKAI, Co-Chair



DAVID Y. IGE, Co-Chair



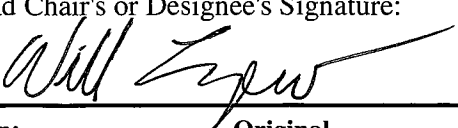
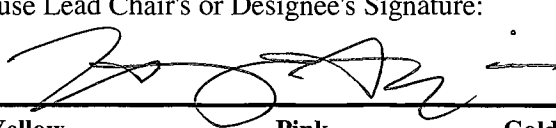
KANIELA ING, Co-Chair



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Bill / Concurrent Resolution No.: <b>SB 680, SD 1, HD 1</b>					Date/Time: <b>4/26/13 4:07</b>						
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Senate Managers		A	WR	N	E	House Managers		A	WR	N	E
ESPERO, Will, Chr.		✓				AQUINO, Henry J.C., Co-Chr.		✓			
IGE, David Y., Co-Chr.		✓				TAKAI, K. Mark, Co-Chr.		✓			
ENGLISH, J. Kalani		✓				ING, Kaniela, Co-Chr.		✓			
KIDANI, Michelle N.					✓	YAMASHITA, Kyle T.		✓			
SLOM, Sam					✓	MCDERMOTT, Bob					✓
TOTAL		3			2	TOTAL		4			1
A = Aye		WR = Aye with Reservations			N = Nay			E = Excused			
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