

Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 08 2016

RE: H.B. No. 2036
H.D. 1
S.D. 2

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi
President of the Senate
Twenty-Eighth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2016
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred H.B. No. 2036, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled:

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

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to establish an automatic extension of the deadline for a decision by the Department of Land and Natural Resources on a conservation district land use permit application of ninety days beyond the time necessary to complete any required environmental impact statement or contested case hearing regarding the land use.

Your Committee received written comments in support of this measure from the Department of Land and Natural Resources, Chamber of Commerce Hawaii, and Kona-Kohala Chamber of Commerce.

Your Committee finds that this measure ensures that if a contested case hearing or an environmental impact statement is required with respect to a land use permit application in a conservation district, the Department of Land and Natural Resources will have adequate time to make a decision and avoid an automatic default approval of the application.

Your Committee has amended this measure by changing the effective date to July 1, 2050, to facilitate further discussion on the measure.



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 H.B. No. 2036, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Third Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 2036, H.D. 1, S.D. 2.

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

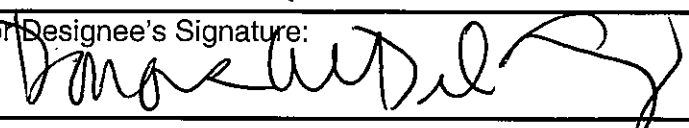


JILL N. TOKUDA, Chair



The Senate
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Record of Votes
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Bill / Resolution No.:*	Committee Referral:	Date:
HB 2036, HDI, SDI	WLA/EET, WAM	3/31/16
<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
TOKUDA, Jill N. (C)	/	
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M. (VC)	/	
CHUN OAKLAND, Suzanne	/	
ENGLISH, J. Kalani		/
GALUTERIA, Brickwood	/	
HARIMOTO, Breene	/	
INOUE, Lorraine R.	/	
RIVIERE, Gil	/	
TANIGUCHI, Brian T.		/
WAKAI, Glenn	/	
SLOM, Sam	/	
		/
TOTAL	9	2
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted		
Chair's or Designee's Signature: 		
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