

Honolulu, Hawaii
February 16, 2016

RE: H.B. No. 2235
H.D. 1

Honorable Joseph M. Souki
Speaker, House of Representatives
Twenty-Eighth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2016
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Water & Land, to which was referred H.B. No. 2235 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HONOKOHAU SMALL BOAT HARBOR,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to:

- (1) Authorize the Board of Land and Natural Resources to transfer the operation, administration, management, and maintenance of Honokohau small boat harbor to a community-based board of Hawaii County, a public-private partnership, or a private organization; and
- (2) Appropriate funds for repairs and maintenance of the Honokohau small boat harbor.

Aha Moku, Blue Ocean Mariculture, Hawaii Fishing & Boating Association, and numerous individuals testified in support of this measure. The Department of Land and Natural Resources, Pursuit Sportfishing, and several individuals provided comments on this measure.

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

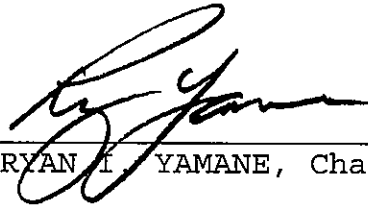
As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Water & Land that is attached to this report, your

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Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 2235, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 2235, H.D. 1, and be referred to your Committee on Finance.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Water & Land,



RYAN I. YAMANE, Chair



