

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

**255**

Honolulu, Hawaii

**FEB 19 2015**

RE: S.B. No. 1251

Honorable Donna Mercado Kim  
President of the Senate  
Twenty-Eighth State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2015  
State of Hawaii

Madam:

Your Committees on Water and Land and Transportation, to which was referred S.B. No. 1251 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSIT ORIENTED DEVELOPMENT,"

beg leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to:

- (1) Establish a Transit Oriented Development Coordinator position within the Office of Planning; and
- (2) Make an appropriation to establish the Transit Oriented Development Coordinator position.

Your Committees received testimony in support of this measure from the Office of Planning and one individual.

Your Committees find that the State owns a number of parcels of land along the Oahu rail route and would greatly benefit from having a specialized planner to work with various state agencies who manage lands to coordinate with the Office of Planning. Your Committees further find that the Office of Planning is the appropriate agency to house a planner with specialized expertise in transit oriented development projects to coordinate and develop the State's transit oriented development strategy.

As affirmed by the records of votes of the members of your Committees on Water and Land and Transportation that are attached to this report, your Committees are in accord with the intent and



purpose of S.B. No. 1251 and recommend that it pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Respectfully submitted on  
behalf of the members of the  
Committees on Water and Land  
and Transportation,



CLARENCE K. NISHIHARA, Chair



LAURA H. THIELEN, Chair





The Senate  
 Twenty-Eighth Legislature  
 State of Hawai'i

**Record of Votes**  
**Committee on Transportation**  
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Bill / Resolution No.:*	Committee Referral:	Date:		
<b>SB1251</b>	<b>WTL/TRA, WAM</b>	<b>2/10/15</b>		
<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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312	<input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311	<input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310		
<input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
NISHIHARA, Clarence K. (C)	✓			
HARIMOTO, Breene (VC)	✓			
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M.				✓
ENGLISH, J. Kalani	✓			
ESPERO, Will	✓			
INOUYE, Lorraine R.	✓			
KIDANI, Michelle N.				✓
KOUCHI, Ronald D.				✓
SLOM, Sam				✓
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>5</b>			<b>4</b>
Recommendation:				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <span style="margin-left: 200px;"><input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted</span>				
Chair's or Designee's Signature:				
<i>Breene Harimoto</i>				
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