

Honolulu, Hawaii

March 23, 2016

RE: S.B. No. 2972  
S.D. 1  
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 Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian  
Affairs, to which was referred S.B. No. 2972, S.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO BEACH MANAGEMENT FOR THE NORTH  
SHORE OF OAHU,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to direct and provide funding  
to the Sea Grant College Program at the University of Hawaii to  
develop a comprehensive management plan for the northwest-facing  
coastline of Oahu's North Shore.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure  
from the Department of Design and Construction of the City and  
County of Honolulu, Malama Pupukeya-Waimea, Save Sunset Beach  
Coalition, Hawaii Shore and Beach Preservation Association,  
Shoreline Science & Engineering, LLC, and several individuals.  
The Department of Land and Natural Resources, University of Hawai'i  
Sea Grant College Program, and Land Use Research Foundation of  
Hawaii submitted comments.

Your Committee has amended this measure by making technical,  
nonsubstantive amendments for the purpose of clarity and  
consistency.



As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 2972, S.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 2972, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, and be referred to your Committee on Finance.

Respectfully submitted on  
behalf of the members of the  
Committee on Ocean, Marine  
Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs,

  
KANIELA ING, Chair



