

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

986

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 22 2017

RE: H.B. No. 1305
H.D. 1
S.D. 1

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi
President of the Senate
Twenty-Ninth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2017
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Transportation and Energy, to which was referred H.B. No. 1305, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to alleviate congestion on the H-1 freeway in the westbound direction for drivers traveling in Leeward Oahu from Kunia to Kualakai Parkway during peak hours by appropriating funds for the construction of a shoulder lane in the westbound direction between the Kunia/Waipahu/Ewa (Exit 5) off-ramp and the Kualakai Parkway on-ramp.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Department of Transportation and Ho'omana Pono, LLC.

Your Committee finds that the H-1 freeway on the west side of the Island of Oahu is notorious for traffic congestion, particularly in the westbound direction. By funding the construction of a shoulder land between the Kunia/Waipahu/Ewa off-ramp and the Kualakai Parkway on-ramp, this measure would provide some relief for drivers headed westbound on the H-1 freeway.



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

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Transportation and Energy that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 1305, H.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 1305, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, and be referred to your Committee on Ways and Means.

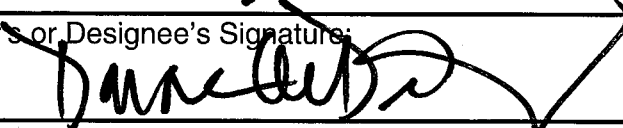
Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Transportation and
Energy,


LORRAINE R. INOUYE, Chair



The Senate
Twenty-Ninth Legislature
State of Hawai'i

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Bill / Resolution No.:* HB 1305, HDI	Committee Referral: TRE, WAM	Date: 3/15/17		
<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
INOUYE, Lorraine R. (C)	//			
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M. (VC)	//			
ENGLISH, J. Kalani				/
HARIMOTO, Breene	//			
SHIMABUKURO, Maile S.L.	//			
TOTAL	4			1
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: 				
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*Only one measure per Record of Votes