

Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 06 2017

RE: S.R. No. 88

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred S.R. No. 88 entitled:

"SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO ASSIST THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS IN PROVIDING AN EASEMENT TO THE AGRIBUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION FOR WATER IRRIGATION INFRASTRUCTURE,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to request the Department of Land and Natural Resources to assist the Office of Hawaiian Affairs in providing an easement to the Agribusiness Development Corporation for water irrigation infrastructure on certain property owned by the Office of Hawaiian Affairs.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Agribusiness Development Corporation.

Your Committee received testimony in opposition to this measure from the Department of Land and Natural Resources.

Your Committee received comments on this measure from the Office of Hawaiian Affairs.

Your Committee finds that this measure is intended to address the irrigation of state-owned agricultural lands in the Central Oahu and North Shore areas. Your Committee further finds that the maximum agricultural use of those prime agricultural lands depends



on an adequate supply of irrigation water. Accordingly, your Committee acts favorably on this 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 concurs with the intent and purpose of S.R. No. 88 and recommends its adoption.

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

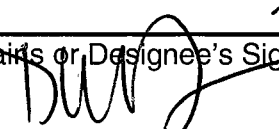


JILL N. TOKUDA, Chair



The Senate
 Twenty-Ninth Legislature
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Record of Votes
Committee on Ways and Means
WAM

Bill / Resolution No.:* SR 08	Committee Referral: WAM	Date: 4/4/17		
<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 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
TOKUDA, Jill N. (C)	/			
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M. (VC)	/			
ENGLISH, J. Kalani	/			
GALUTERIA, Brickwood	/			
HARIMOTO, Breene	/			
INOUYE, Lorraine R.	/			
KAHELE, Kaiali'i	/			
RIVIERE, Gil	/			
SHIMABUKURO, Maile S.L.	/			
TANIGUCHI, Brian T.	/			
WAKAI, Glenn	/			
TOTAL	11			
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