STAND. COM. REP. NO. 622

Honolulu, Hawaii

Fabruary 17

, 2017

RE: H.B. No. 1587

H.D. 1

Honorable Joseph M. Souki Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Ninth State Legislature Regular Session of 2017 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Transportation, to which was referred H.B. No. 1587 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to replace the state vehicle weight tax with a tax based on the assessed value of a vehicle.

The Department of Transportation supported the intent of this measure. The Hawaii Transportation Association and Ho'omana Pono, LLC., opposed this measure. The Tax Foundation of Hawaii and Hawaii Automobile Dealers Association provided comments.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

- (1) Changing its effective date to July 1, 2050, to encourage further discussion; and
- (2) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for clarity, consistency, and style.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Transportation that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 1587, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second

Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 1587, H.D. 1, and be referred to your Committee on Finance.

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

HENRY J. C. AOUINO, Chair

## State of Hawaii House of Representatives The Twenty-ninth Legislature



## **Record of Votes of the Committee on Transportation**

Bill/Resolution No.: HB 1587	Committee Referral:	Date:	02/15/1	7
θ The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: θ Pass, unamended (as is) % Pass, with amendments (HD) θ Hold θ Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)				
TRN Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. AQUINO, Henry J.C. (C)				
2. QUINLAN, Sean (VC)				
3. BROWER, Tom				
4. HASHEM, Mark J.				
Madalliva, Italia J.				
5. NAKAMURA, Nadine K.				
6. SAN BUENAVENTURA, Joy A.			oppgagapptilletti (för stadt för sinne en tal av	
7. McDERMOTT, Bob			V	
TOTAL (7)	5	į	1	Ø
The recommendation is:  Adopted  If joint referral, did not support recommendation.  committee acronym(s)				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
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