

Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 27 2018

RE: S.B. No. 2619  
S.D. 2  
H.D. 2  
C.D. 1

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi  
President of the Senate  
Twenty-Ninth State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2018  
State of Hawaii

Honorable Scott K. Saiki  
Speaker, House of Representatives  
Twenty-Ninth State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2018  
State of Hawaii

Sirs:

Your Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House of Representatives in S.B. No. 2619, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AERONAUTICS,"

having met, and after full and free discussion, has agreed to recommend and does recommend to the respective Houses the final passage of this bill in an amended form.

The purpose of this measure is to make the penalties for violations of certain categories of airport rules more proportionate to the violation by replacing criminal penalties for certain airport offenses with fines.

Your Committee on Conference finds that under Hawaii's aeronautics laws or certain administrative rules, certain airport offenses are punished with penalties that are excessive and disproportionate to the gravity of the violation. An infraction that would normally be considered a civil violation can be charged as a criminal misdemeanor offense if it occurs at an airport. The criminal misdemeanor offense can remain on a person's record for the



rest of the person's life, and lead to a loss of security clearance or professional licensure. Your Committee on Conference believes these long-lasting consequences are not the intent of the punishments.

Your Committee on Conference has amended this measure by:

- (1) Inserting an effective date of July 1, 2018; and
- (2) Making a technical, nonsubstantive amendment for the purposes of clarity and consistency.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the managers of your Committee on Conference that is attached to this report, your Committee on Conference is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 2619, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Final Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 2619, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1.

Respectfully submitted on behalf  
of the managers:

ON THE PART OF THE HOUSE


ON THE PART OF THE SENATE

  
HENRY J.C. AQUINO  
Co-Chair

  
LORRAINE R. INOUE  
Chair

  
JOY A. SAN BUENAVENTURA  
Co-Chair

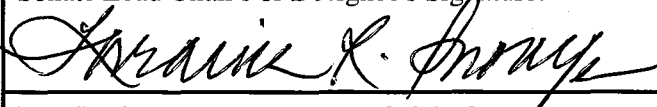
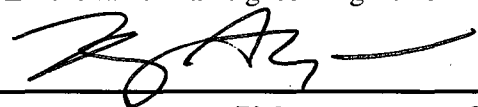
  
BRIAN T. TANIGUCHI  
Co-Chair

  
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Co-Chair

  
GILBERT S.C. KEITH-AGARAN  
Co-Chair



Record of Votes of a Conference Committee

Bill / Concurrent Resolution No.: <b>SB 2619, SD 2, HD 2</b>					Date/Time: 4/27/2018 @ 10:20am						
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The recommendation of the House and Senate managers is to pass with amendments (CD).											
<input type="checkbox"/> The Committee is reconsidering its previous decision.											
<input type="checkbox"/> The recommendation of the Senate Manager(s) is to AGREE to the House amendments made to the Senate Measure					<input type="checkbox"/> The recommendation of the House Manager(s) is to AGREE to the Senate amendments made to the House Measure.						
Senate Managers		A	WR	N	E	House Managers		A	WR	N	E
INOUE, Lorraine R., Chr.		✓				AQUINO, Henry J.C., Co-Chr.		✓			
TANIGUCHI, Brian T., Co-Chr.					✓	SAN BUENAVENTURA, Joy A., Co-Chr.		✓			
KEITH-AGARAN, Gilbert S.C., Co-Chr.		✓				LUKE, Sylvia, Co-Chr.		✓			
						MCDERMOTT, Bob					✓
TOTAL		2			1	TOTAL		3			1
A = Aye		WR = Aye with Reservations			N = Nay		E = Excused				
Senate Recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted					House Recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted						
Senate Lead Chair's or Designee's Signature: 					House Lead Chair's or Designee's Signature: 						
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