STAND. COM. REP. NO.

Honolulu, Hawaii MAR 01 , 2019

RE: H.B. No. 1033 H.D. 2

Honorable Scott K. Saiki Speaker, House of Representatives Thirtieth State Legislature Regular Session of 2019 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred H.B. No. 1033, H.D. 2, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MANDATORY VESSEL INSURANCE COVERAGE,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to ensure that the Department of Land and Natural Resources (DLNR) can recover costs incurred because of boat accidents that cause injury to a person, damage to property, a grounding, or a sinking by:

- Requiring owners of certain vessels that operate in and on state ocean waters to obtain marine insurance coverage of a specific type and minimum coverage amount;
- (2) Providing transient vessels with an exemption from marine insurance coverage requirements for ten days after the transient vessel arrives in state ocean waters; and
- (3) Allowing the DLNR to adopt rules regarding the marine insurance coverage requirement.

The Aloha State Association of the Deaf, Ocean Tourism Coalition, and Calypso Charters submitted testimony in support of



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this measure. The Hawaii Tropical Fish Association and a few individuals submitted testimony in opposition to this measure. DLNR provided comments.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Finance that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 1033, H.D. 2, and recommends that it pass Third Reading.

> Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Finance,

SYLVIA LUKE, Chair



State of Hawaii House of Representatives The THIRTIETH Legislature



Record of Votes of the Committee on Finance

Bill/Resolution No.: HO 1033, H	D2 Committee		FIN Date	2/2.10/19	
The committee is reconsideri	ng its previous decision	on the measure.			
The recommendation is to:	Pass, unamended (Pass short form bil		s, with amendments nmit for future publi		
FIN Memb	ers	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. LUKE, Sylvia (C)			-	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
2. CULLEN, Ty J.K. (VC))	/			
3. ELI, Stacelynn K.M.					
4. GATES, Cedric Asuega		/			
5. HASHIMOTO, Troy N					
6. HOLT, Daniel	and the second	/			
7. KITAGAWA, Lisa			-		
8. KOBAYASHI, Bertran	d				
9. MATAYOSHI, Scot Z.					
10. NAKAMURA, Nadine	К.				
11. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y.	· · · ·				
12. TODD, Chris					
13. WILDBERGER, Tina					
14. YAMASHITA, Kyle T.					
15. McDERMOTT, Bob	1				
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TOTAL (15)		14	Ø	Ø	/
The recommendation is:	Adopted Adopter If joint referral,	Not Adopted did not support recommendation. committee acronym(s)			
Vice Chair's or designee's sign	1	J.L.	·		
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