

Honolulu, Hawaii

FEB 28 2019

RE: S.B. No. 1291
S.D. 1

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi
President of the Senate
Thirtieth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2019
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred S.B. No. 1291 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ALTERNATIVE ENERGY RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT FUND,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to fund alternative energy research and development grants to promote technology and innovation jobs in the State.

Your Committee received written comments in support of this measure from the Hawaii Technology Development Corporation; Oceanit Laboratories, Inc.; Makai Ocean Engineering, Inc.; Oahu County Committee on Legislative Priorities of the Democratic Party of Hawaii; and three individuals.

Your Committee finds that this measure will further the State's commitment to renewable energy and strengthen the local economy by supporting high-skill renewable energy research and development in the State.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

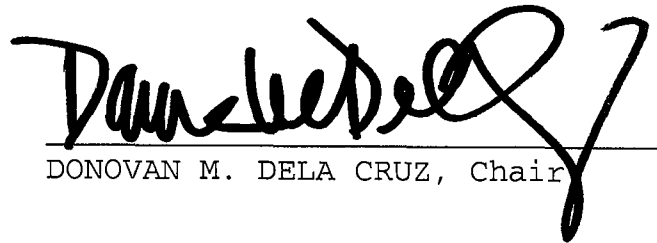
- (1) Changing the appropriation amounts to unspecified amounts;



- (2) Changing the effective date to July 1, 2050, to facilitate further discussion on the measure; and
- (3) Making technical nonsubstantive amendments for the purposes of clarity, consistency, and style.

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 is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 1291, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Third Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 1291, S.D. 1.

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


DONOVAN M. DELA CRUZ, Chair



The Senate
Thirtieth Legislature
State of Hawai'i

Record of Votes
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Bill / Resolution No.:*	Committee Referral:	Date:		
<i>SB1291</i>	<i>EET, WAM</i>	<i>2/19/19</i>		
<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
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M. (C)	X			
KEITH-AGARAN, Gilbert S.C. (VC)	X			
ENGLISH, J. Kalani	X			
HARIMOTO, Breene				X
INOUYE, Lorraine R.	X			
KAHELE, Kaiali'i				X
KANUHA, Dru Mamo	X			
KIDANI, Michelle N.	X			
MORIWAKI, Sharon Y.	X			
RIVIERE, Gil	X			
SHIMABUKURO, Maile S.L.				X
TANIGUCHI, Brian T.				X
FEVELLA, Kurt	X			
TOTAL	<i>9</i>			<i>4</i>
Recommendation:				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature:				
<i>[Signature]</i>				
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