

STAND. COM. REP. NO. **498** -22

Honolulu, Hawaii

FEB 17 , 2022

RE: H.B. No. 1682  
H.D. 1

Honorable Scott K. Saiki  
Speaker, House of Representatives  
Thirty-First State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2022  
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, to which was referred H.B. No. 1682 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST NEXT LEVEL SOLUTIONS GROUP INC,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to authorize the issuance of special purpose revenue bonds to assist Next Level Solutions Group Inc., in developing a waste-to-energy facility.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Next Level Solutions Group Inc.; and one individual. Your Committee received comments on this measure from the Department of Budget and Finance.

Your Committee finds that developing waste-to-energy technology in the State will help to mitigate the effects of climate change by reducing the amount of waste that enters Hawaii's landfills.

Your Committee has amended this measure by changing the effective date to July 1, 2100, to encourage further discussion.

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As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 1682, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 1682, H.D. 1, and be referred to your Committee on Finance.

Respectfully submitted on  
behalf of the members of the  
Committee on Energy &  
Environmental Protection,

*Nicole E. Lowen*

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NICOLE E. LOWEN, Chair



