

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

3346

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 23 2022

RE: H.B. No. 2006
H.D. 1
S.D. 1

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi
President of the Senate
Thirty-First State Legislature
Regular Session of 2022
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Water and Land, to which was referred H.B. No. 2006, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PERMITS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to:

- (1) Require the Board of Land and Natural Resources to include as a condition on emergency permits to install sandbags, a requirement for the attachment of identifying information, including the permittee's contact information and the permit number, to the sandbag; and
- (2) Require the Board of Land and Natural Resources to specify the form and manner in which the identifying information is to be attached to the sandbag.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Department of Land and Natural Resources.

Your Committee finds that temporary erosion control devices, commonly known as "sand burritos", have been authorized as a short-term solution for coastal property owners to combat coastal erosion. "Sand burritos" have been utilized as crucial tools in

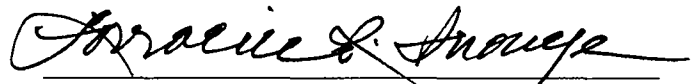


the event of short-term environmental disasters such as floods, tsunami, landslides, and storms. However, as "sand burritos" and other erosion control devices are considered to be temporary solutions, landowners are not required to obtain a disposition from the Board of Land and Natural Resources. Your Committee further finds that debris from torn bags, including unauthorized propylene bags, has washed up on beaches. To protect Hawaii's shorelines, while also preventing harmful debris from entering coastal waters, the addition of identifying information to sandbags utilized for erosion control will allow for greater enforcement and accountability.

Your Committee has amended this measure by inserting an effective date of July 1, 2022.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Water and Land that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 2006, H.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 2006, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, and be referred to your Committee on Judiciary.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Water and Land,


LORRAINE R. INOUYE, Chair



The Senate
 Thirty-First Legislature
 State of Hawai'i

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Bill / Resolution No.:* <i>HB 2006, HD1</i>	Committee Referral: <i>WTL, JDC</i>	Date: <i>3/21/22</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
INOUYE, Lorraine R. (C)	<i>X</i>			
KEITH-AGARAN, Gilbert S.C. (VC)				<i>X</i>
MISALUCHA, Bennette E.	<i>X</i>			
RIVIERE, Gil	<i>X</i>			
FEVELLA, Kurt		<i>X</i>		
TOTAL	<i>3</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>1</i>
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: <div style="text-align:center; font-family: cursive; font-size: 1.2em;"><i>G. Riviere</i></div>				
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