

Honolulu, Hawaii

FEB 14 2022

RE: S.B. No. 3087

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental, and Military Affairs, to which was referred S.B. No. 3087 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT ASSISTANCE COMPACT,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to:

- (1) Repeal chapter 128F, Hawaii Revised Statutes, the Emergency Management Assistance Compact; and
- (2) Create a new, appropriately designated chapter in the 127A series of the Hawaii Revised Statutes chapters to reincorporate the Emergency Management Assistance Compact.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Department of Defense and Hawai'i Emergency Management Agency. Your Committee received testimony in opposition to this measure from the Libertarian Party of Hawaii.

Your Committee finds that, through the authority of the Governor, the Emergency Management Assistance Compact is implemented by the Hawaii Emergency Management Agency, which is governed by chapter 127A, Hawaii Revised Statutes. Your Committee believes that moving the Emergency Management Assistance Compact terms and provisions into the emergency management series of



Hawaii Revised Statutes chapters will provide concise, logical organization to the emergency management laws of Hawaii. This measure will align the Hawaii Emergency Management Agency with the best emergency management practices across the country by repealing chapter 128F, Hawaii Revised Statutes, and creating a new, appropriately designated chapter in the 127A series of the Hawaii Revised Statutes chapters to reincorporate the Emergency Management Assistance Compact.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental, and Military Affairs that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 3087 and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be referred to your Committee on Ways and Means.

Respectfully submitted on  
behalf of the members of the  
Committee on Public Safety,  
Intergovernmental, and Military  
Affairs,



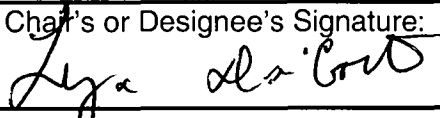
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CLARENCE K. NISHIHARA, Chair



The Senate  
Thirty-First Legislature  
State of Hawai'i

**Record of Votes**  
**Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental, and Military Affairs**  
**PSM**

Bill / Resolution No.:*	Committee Referral:	Date:		
SB 3087	PSM, WAM	2/8/2022		
<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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312 <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311 <input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310 <input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
NISHIHARA, Clarence K. (C)	✓			
DECOITE, Lynn (VC)	✓			
BAKER, Rosalyn H.	✓			
RIVIERE, Gil	✓			
FEVELLA, Kurt	✓			
<b>TOTAL</b>	5	0	0	0
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: 				
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