

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 3361

Honolulu, Hawaii

**MAR 23 2022**

RE: S.R. No. 41  
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 Hawaiian Affairs, to which was referred  
S.R. No. 41 entitled:

"SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAIIAN HOMES COMMISSION  
TO CONDUCT A FEASIBILITY STUDY ON THE CREATION OF AN  
ENFORCEMENT DIVISION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME  
LANDS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to request that the  
Hawaiian Homes Commission conduct a feasibility study for the  
creation of an enforcement division with police powers within the  
Department of Hawaiian Home Lands.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure  
from the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands and one individual.

Your Committee finds that the Department of Hawaiian Home  
Lands has an enforcement section to investigate complaints  
regarding trespassing and other misuses of Hawaiian home lands.  
Despite duties requiring the section to initiate actions to evict  
trespassers and curtail illegal activities, it must rely on county  
police to enforce any action. This resolution requests a  
feasibility study for the creation of an enforcement division with  
police powers within the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands.



Your Committee has amended this measure by requesting the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands to conduct the study instead of the Hawaiian Homes Commission.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Hawaiian Affairs that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of S.R. No. 41, as amended herein, and recommends its adoption in the form attached hereto as S.R. No. 41, S.D. 1.

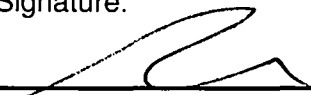
Respectfully submitted on  
behalf of the members of the  
Committee on Hawaiian Affairs,

  
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MAILE S.L. SHIMABUKURO, Chair



The Senate  
 Thirty-First Legislature  
 State of Hawai'i

**Record of Votes**  
**Committee on Hawaiian Affairs**  
**HWN**

Bill / Resolution No.:*	Committee Referral:	Date:		
SR 41	HWN	3/15/22		
<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
SHIMABUKURO, Maile S.L. (C)	X			
KEOHOKALOLE, Jarrett (VC)	X			
ACASIO, Laura		X		
IHARA, Jr., Les				X
FEVELLA, Kurt		X		
<b>TOTAL</b>	2	2		1
Recommendation:				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <span style="margin-left: 200px;"><input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted</span>				
Chair's or Designee's Signature:				
				
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