

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

1054

Honolulu, Hawaii

**MAR 03 2023**

RE: S.B. No. 1417  
S.D. 1

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi  
President of the Senate  
Thirty-Second State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2023  
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred S.B. No. 1417, S.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CLIMATE CHANGE,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to promote climate resiliency within the Kakaako and Kalaeloa Community Development Districts.

Specifically, this measure requires the Hawaii Community Development Authority to consider the impacts of climate change, sea level rise, and climate resilient development in the design and siting of buildings in the Kakaako and Kalaeloa Community Development Districts.

Your Committee received written comments in support of this measure from the Hawaii Community Development Authority, Office of Planning and Sustainable Development, Climate Protectors Hawaii, Hawaii's Thousand Friends, and three individuals.

Your Committee received written comments in opposition to this measure from one individual.

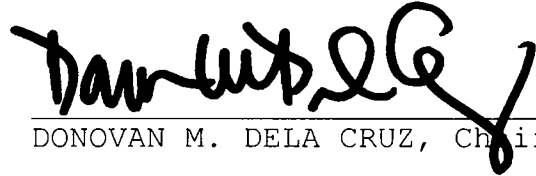
Your Committee finds that the Kakaako Community Development District is threatened by the effects of climate change, including sea level rise, king tides, and heavy rainfall. Your Committee



further finds that the lack of drainage infrastructure in the Kalaeloa Community Development District makes that district vulnerable to heavy rainfall and other effects of climate change. Accordingly, your Committee finds that development within these districts must recognize and plan for these impacts.

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. 1417, S.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Third Reading.

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

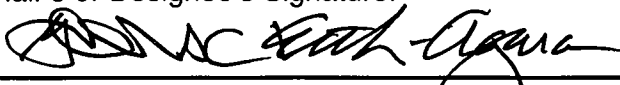


DONOVAN M. DELA CRUZ, Chair



The Senate  
Thirty-Second Legislature  
State of Hawai'i

**Record of Votes**  
**Committee on Ways and Means**  
**WAM**

Bill / Resolution No.:* <b>SB1417, SD1</b>	Committee Referral: <b>AEN/WTL, WAM</b>	Date: <b>2/22/23</b>		
<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"/> <b>Pass, unamended</b> 2312 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <sup>GNA</sup> <b>Pass, with amendments</b> 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			
AQUINO, Henry J.C.	X			
DECOITE, Lynn	X			
INOUYE, Lorraine R.	X			
KANUHA, Dru Mamo	X			
KIDANI, Michelle N.	X			
KIM, Donna Mercado	X			
LEE, Chris	X			
MORIWAKI, Sharon Y.	X			
SHIMABUKURO, Maile S.L.	X			
WAKAI, Glenn	X			
FEVELLA, Kurt	X			
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>13</b>			
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: 				
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