CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REP. NO.

Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 25 , 2025

RE: H.B. No. 736 H.D. 1

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Honorable Nadine K. Nakamura Speaker, House of Representatives Thirty-Third State Legislature Regular Session of 2025 State of Hawaii

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi President of the Senate Thirty-Third State Legislature Regular Session of 2025 State of Hawaii

Madam and Sir:

Your Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House of Representatives to the amendments proposed by the Senate in H.B. No. 736, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WASTEWATER SYSTEMS,"

having met, and after full and free discussion, has agreed to recommend and does recommend to the respective Houses the final passage of this bill in an amended form.

The purpose of this measure is to establish and appropriate funds for a three-year New Wastewater System and Individual Wastewater System Technology Testing Pilot Program within the University of Hawaii Water Resources Research Center.

Your Committee on Conference has amended this measure by:

(1) Inserting an appropriation amount of \$745,325 for fiscal year 2025-2026 to implement the New Wastewater System and Individual Wastewater System Technology Testing Pilot Program within the University of Hawaii Water Resources Research Center;

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- (2) Changing the effective date to July 1, 2025; and
- Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for the (3) purposes of clarity, consistency, and style.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the managers of your Committee on Conference that is attached to this report, your Committee on Conference is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 736, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Final Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 736, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1.

> Respectfully submitted on behalf of the managers:

ON THE PART OF THE SENATE

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CHRIS LEE Co-Chair

ON THE PART OF THE HOUSE

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Hawaii State Legislature

Record of Votes of a Conference Committee

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The recommendation of the House and Senate managers is to pass with amendments (CD).									
The Committee is reconsidering its previous decision.									
The recommendation of the Senate Manager(s) is to AGREE to the House amendments made to the Senate Measure					The recommendation of the House Manager(s) is to AGREE to the Senate amendments made to the House Measure.				
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