

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

2083

Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 14, 2025

RE: S.C.R. No. 4

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

Madame:

Your Committee on Water & Land, to which was referred S.C.R.
No. 4 entitled:

"SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A
TWENTY-FIVE-YEAR TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING A
PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT KIKIAOLA, KEKAHA, KAUAI,
FOR A SHORELINE PROTECTION STRUCTURE, AND FOR USE, REPAIR,
AND MAINTENANCE OF THE IMPROVEMENTS CONSTRUCTED THEREON,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to authorize the issuance of a
twenty-five-year term, non-exclusive easement covering a portion
of state submerged lands at Kikiaola, Kekaha, Kauai, for a
shoreline protection structure, and for use, repair, and
maintenance of the improvements constructed thereon.

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

Your Committee finds that, pursuant to section 171-53(c),
Hawaii Revised Statutes, the Board of Land and Natural Resources
may lease submerged lands with prior approval of the Governor and
the prior authorization of the Legislature by concurrent
resolution. Your Committee further finds that on September 22,
2023, under agenda item D-3, the Board of Land and Natural
Resources granted a twenty-five-year term, non-exclusive easement

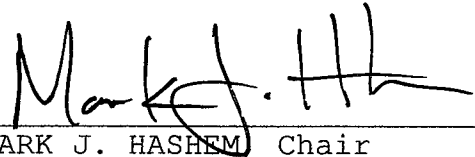
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for the shoreline protection structure identified in this measure, subject to certain conditions. Your Committee concludes that the easement is necessary for the maintenance and repair of the shoreline protection structure, and for use, repair, and maintenance of the improvements constructed thereon.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Water & Land that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of S.C.R. No. 4 and recommends that it be referred to your Committee on Finance.

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



MARK J. HASHEM Chair



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Bill/Resolution No.: SCR 4	Committee Referral: WAL, PIN	Date: 4/10/2025		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended (as is) <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments (HD) <input type="checkbox"/> Hold <input type="checkbox"/> Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)				
WAL Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. HASHEM, Mark J. (C)	✓			
2. LAMOSAO, Rachele F. (VC)	✓			
3. BELATTI, Della Au		✓		
4. ICHIYAMA, Linda				✓
5. IWAMOTO, Kim Coco		✓		
6. MORIKAWA, Dee	✓			
7. POEPOE, Mahina				✓
8. WOODSON, Justin H.				✓
9. SHIMIZU, Garner M.	✓			
10. SOUZA, Kanani		✓		
TOTAL (10)	4	3	0	3
The recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. <div style="text-align: center; font-size: small;">committee acronym(s)</div>				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: _____				
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