STAND. COM. REP. NO.

Honolulu, Hawaii

March 2

S.B. No. 589 RE:

> S.D. 2 H.D. 1

Honorable Joseph M. Souki Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Eighth State Legislature Regular Session of 2015 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Public Safety, to which was referred S.B. No. 589, S.D. 2, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to help current and future homeowners who reside in lava zone areas in Hawaii County to obtain and renew property insurance by requiring the renewal of certain property insurance policies in areas where a state of emergency has been declared due to the threat of lava flow and lifting the moratorium on issuing new property insurance policies in these same areas.

The Hawaii Insurers Council supported this measure. Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs offered comments.

Your Committee has amended this measure by making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for clarity, consistency, and style.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Public Safety that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 589, S.D. 2, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 589, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

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Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Public Safety,

GREG TAXAYAMA, Chair

State of Hawaii House of Representatives

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Public Safety

Bill/Resolution No.:	Committee Referral:	Date		-
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☐ The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: Pass, unamended (as is) Pass, with amendments (HD) Hold Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)				
PBS Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. TAKAYAMA, Gregg (C)			.	
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2. YAMASHITA, Kyle T. (VC)				
3. AQUINO, Henry J.C.				
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4. HAR, Sharon E.				
5. ICHIYAMA, Linda	<u> </u>			
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6. JOHANSON, Aaron Ling			a ara sa	
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7. KEOHOKALOLE, Jarrett			<u> </u>	
8. NAKASHIMA, Mark M.				
9. SAN BUENAVENTURA, Joy A.				
10. TAKUMI, Roy M.				
10. TAKUMI, KUYMI.				
11. TUPOLA, Andria P.L.		17.		
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TOTAL (11)	9			2
The recommendation is: Adopted If joint referral, did not support recommendation. committee acronym(s)				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
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