

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

1603

Honolulu, Hawaii

April 10, 2015

RE: S.B. No. 661  
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 Finance, to which was referred S.B. No. 661, S.D. 2, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO UNMANNED AERIAL SYSTEMS TEST SITES,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to support the development and operation of an unmanned aerial systems test site in Hawaii. Among other things, this measure:

- (1) Establishes the Hawaii Unmanned Aerial Systems Test Site Advisory Board as a subcommittee of the Hawaii Aerospace Advisory Committee, to oversee the planning and operation of the Hawaii Unmanned Aerial Systems Test Site;
- (2) Establishes the position of the Hawaii Unmanned Aerial Systems Test Site Chief Operating Officer within the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism to, among other things, serve on the Pan-Pacific Unmanned Aerial Systems Test Range Complex Management Team; and
- (3) Appropriates moneys for the purpose of staffing and operating Hawaii's unmanned aerial systems test site activities.

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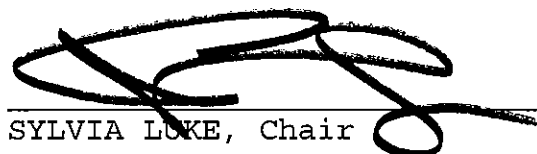
The Department of Transportation, Department of Defense, Hawaii Aerospace Advisory Committee, and an individual provided testimony in support of this measure. The Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism provided comments.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

- (1) Deleting its purpose section;
- (2) Inserting an appropriation amount of \$1, to encourage further discussion; and
- (3) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for clarity, consistency, and style.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Finance that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 661, S.D. 2, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Third Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 661, S.D. 2, H.D. 1.

Respectfully submitted on  
behalf of the members of the  
Committee on Finance,

  
SYLVIA LUKE, Chair



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Bill/Resolution No.: SB 661, SD2		Committee Referral: EDB, FIN		Date: 4/9/15
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended (as is) <input checked="" 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)				
FIN Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. LUKE, Sylvia (C)	/			
2. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y. (VC)	/			
3. CACHOLA, Romy M.	/			
4. CULLEN, Ty J.K.	/			
5. DeCOITE, Lynn	/			
6. JOHANSON, Aaron Ling	/			
7. JORDAN, Jo	/			
8. KEOHOKALOLE, Jarrett	/			
9. KOBAYASHI, Bertrand	/			
10. LOWEN, Nicole E.	/			
11. ONISHI, Richard H.K.	/			
12. TOKIOKA, James Kunane	/			/
13. YAMASHITA, Kyle T.	/			
14. POUHA, Feki	/			
15. WARD, Gene	/			
TOTAL (15)	14			1
The recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. committee acronym(s)				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: _____				
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