

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 1726

Honolulu, Hawaii

April 15, 2011

RE: H.R. No. 263
H.D. 1

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say
Speaker, House of Representatives
Twenty-Sixth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2011
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committees on International Affairs and Agriculture, to which was referred H.R. No. 263 entitled:

"HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE ASIA-PACIFIC ECONOMIC COOPERATION (APEC) HOST COMMITTEE SELECT PRODUCTS UNIQUE TO HAWAII THAT SHOWCASE HAWAII'S EXCELLENCE IN AGRICULTURE,"

beg leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this resolution is to urge the Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation (APEC) to promote, showcase, and offer Hawaii's finest confections filled with locally grown products to the dignitaries of the APEC throughout its conference.

The Department of Agriculture (DOA); the Representative of the 27th District; Malie Kai Chocolates, Inc.; Padovani's Chocolates; Manoa Chocolate; Sweet Paradise Chocolatier; and Special Events Hawaii testified in support of this measure.

Your Committees have amended this measure by:

- (1) Broadening the scope of this measure to include all locally grown agricultural products, including tropical flowers and foliage, vegetables, and fruits and value-added products, rather than specifically cacao;
- (2) Requesting DOA to hold a tasting event featuring locally grown products during the APEC conference; and


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- (3) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for clarity, consistency, and style, including deleting "(APEC)" from its title.

As affirmed by the records of votes of the members of your Committees on International Affairs and Agriculture that are attached to this report, your Committees concur with the intent and purpose of H.R. No. 263, as amended herein, and recommend its adoption in the form attached hereto as H.R. No. 263, H.D. 1.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committees on International
Affairs and Agriculture,



CLIFT TSUJI, Chair



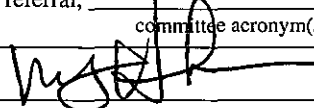
KAREN L. AWANA, Chair



State of Hawaii
House of Representatives
The Twenty-sixth Legislature

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Agriculture

Bill/Resolution No.: HR 263	Committee Referral: INT/AGR	Date: 4/8/11		
<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)				
AGR Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. TSUJI, Clift (C)	✓			
2. HASHEM, Mark J. (VC)	✓			
3. AWANA, Karen L.	✓			
4. BROWER, Tom	✓			
5. CHOY, Isaac W.				✓
6. EVANS, Cindy				/
7. McKELVEY, Angus L.K.				/
8. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y.	/			
9. TOKIOKA, James Kunane	/			
10. MARUMOTO, Barbara C.	/			
11. RIVIERE, Gil				/
TOTAL (11)	7	0	0	4
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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