

Honolulu, Hawaii

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RE: S.B. No. 165
S.D. 1

Honorable Shan S. Tsutsui
President of the Senate
Twenty-Sixth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2011
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committees on Public Safety, Government Operations, and Military Affairs and Economic Development and Technology, to which was referred S.B. No. 165 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AEROSPACE DEVELOPMENT,"

beg leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to:

- (1) Extend the sunset date of the advisory committee created under Act 161, Session Laws of Hawaii 2009, to assist the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism in developing a statewide starlight reserve strategy; and
- (2) Appropriate funds for the Office of Aerospace Development to carry out its duties to identify and promote opportunities for expanding and diversifying aerospace-related industries in the State.

Your Committees received testimony in support of this measure from one state department, eleven entities, and six individuals. Your Committees received testimony in opposition to this measure from one individual.

Your Committees find that the aerospace industry presents a timely opportunity for strategic investment in a growth industry that can realize Hawaii's potential as a major contributor to and beneficiary of global space enterprise. Hawaii has hosted a broad



range of nationally-funded programs in planetary geosciences, satellite communications, space-based remote sensing and environmental monitoring, deep-space surveillance, and other aerospace-related activities sponsored by the University of Hawaii, the United States military, and numerous private interests. Major national aerospace companies are already established in the State and are poised to expand their operations in Hawaii as a means of creating a bridge to larger Asian and Pacific markets.

Your Committees further find that the aerospace industry is demonstrably a dynamic growth industry in which strategic investment will produce returns to alleviate the State's economic malaise. Aerospace development is a sustainable project that will reward relatively modest up-front investment with increasing long-term scientific, educational, and economic returns.

Your Committees have amended this measure by making a technical, nonsubstantive amendment for the purposes of clarity and consistency.

As affirmed by the records of votes of the members of your Committees on Public Safety, Government Operations, and Military Affairs and Economic Development and Technology that are attached to this report, your Committees are in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 165, as amended herein, and recommend that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 165, S.D. 1, and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committees on Public Safety,
Government Operations, and
Military Affairs and Economic
Development and Technology,



CAROL FUKUNAGA, Chair



WILL ESPERO, Chair



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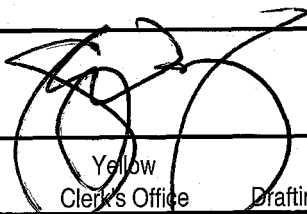
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Committee on Public Safety, Government Operations, and
Military Affairs
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Bill / Resolution No.:* SB 165	Committee Referral: PGM/EDT, WAM	Date: 2-10-11		
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The Recommendation is: <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311 <input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310 <input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
ESPERO, Will (C)	/			
KIDANI, Michelle N. (VC)	/			
BAKER, Rosalyn H.				/
RYAN, Pohai	/			
SLOM, Sam				/
TOTAL	3			2
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: <div style="text-align:center; font-family: cursive; font-size: 1.2em;">Michelle N. Kidani</div>				
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Bill / Resolution No. :* SB1165	Committee Referral: PAM/EDT, WAM	Date: 2/19/11				
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The Recommendation is:						
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<input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313						
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused		
FUKUNAGA, Carol (C)	✓					
WAKAI, Glenn (VC)	✓					
BAKER, Rosalyn H.				✓		
SOLOMON, Malama	✓					
SLOM, Sam				✓		
TOTAL	3	0	0	2		
Recommendation:			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted		<input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted	
Chair's or Designee's Signature:						
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