

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

734

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 04 2011

RE: S.B. No. 725  
S.D. 2

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred S.B. No. 725, S.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SOLID WASTE,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to apply the solid waste management surcharge to all solid waste disposal facilities that receive solid waste for ultimate disposal through landfilling, incineration, or through a waste-to-energy facility, whether the waste is disposed of in-state or transferred out-of-state.

Your Committee received written comments in support of this measure from Loretta J. Fuddy, A.C.S.W., M.P.H., Acting Director, Department of Health.

Your Committee received written comments in opposition to the measure from Albert Shigemura, President, PVT Land Company; and the General Contractors Association.

Your Committee received comments on this measure from Gary M. Slovin on behalf of PVT Land Company.

Your Committee finds that with advancements in the field of waste management, Hawaii's solid waste is being disposed of both in-state and out-of-state. The Department of Health is responsible for processing permits for out-of-state waste disposal, but is unable to collect surcharges on that waste. This

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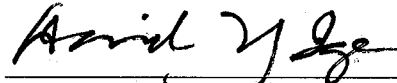


measure enables the State to apply the solid waste disposal surcharge to waste being transferred out of state for disposal, helping to maintain sustainable funding levels for the State's solid waste program.

Your Committee has amended this measure by changing the effective date to July 1, 2050, to facilitate further discussion on the measure.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Ways and Means that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 725, S.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Third Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 725, S.D. 2.

Respectfully submitted on  
behalf of the members of the  
Committee on Ways and Means,



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DAVID Y. IGE, Chair



The Senate  
 Twenty-Sixth Legislature  
 State of Hawai'i

**Record of Votes**  
**Committee on Ways and Means**  
**WAM**

Bill / Resolution No.:* <i>SB 725, SDI</i>	Committee Referral: <i>ENE, WAM</i>	Date: <i>2-25-11</i>		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure. If so, then the previous decision was to: _____				
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
IGE, David Y. (C)	/			
KIDANI, Michelle N. (VC)	/			
CHUN OAKLAND, Suzanne	/			
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M.	/			
ENGLISH, J. Kalani	/			
ESPERO, Will	/			
FUKUNAGA, Carol	/			
KIM, Donna Mercado	/			
KAHELE, Gilbert	/			
KOUCHI, Ronald D.				/
RYAN, Pohai		/		
TOKUDA, Jill N.	/			
WAKAI, Glenn	/			
SLOM, Sam			/	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<i>11</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: <i>Michelle N. Kidani</i>				
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