

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

3547

Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 23 2012

RE: H.C.R. No. 178
H.D. 1
S.D. 1

Honorable Shan S. Tsutsui
President of the Senate
Twenty-Sixth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2012
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred
H.C.R. No. 178, H.D. 1, entitled:

"HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A REPORT OF ALL STATE
DEPARTMENT EXPENDITURES RELATING TO ENERGY CONSERVATION
CONTRACTS AND POWER PURCHASE AGREEMENTS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to request each of
the various state departments to report to the Legislature through
the Department of Budget and Finance on their energy conservation
contracts and power purchase agreements.

Additionally, the measure requests the University of Hawaii,
Department of Transportation, Department of Accounting and General
Services, and Department of Education to provide a detailed
analysis to the Legislature through the Department of Budget and
Finance on their power purchase agreements.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure
from the Department of Accounting and General Services and one
individual. The Department of Budget and Finance and the
Department of Education submitted comments on the measure.

Your Committee finds that maintenance contracts help keep
major building facilities in good working order to avoid
disruptions and to ensure safe and secure work places. Your
Committee further finds that the annual cost of maintenance

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agreements throughout all state departments and agencies is substantial. The reports requested by this measure will help the State determine whether it would be financially beneficial for the State to self-insure some or all of these maintenance costs.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

- (1) Clarifying in the title and body that the measure applies to all of the various state departments and the University of Hawaii; and
- (2) Making technical nonsubstantive amendments for the purposes of clarity, consistency, and style.

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 concurs with the intent and purpose of H.C.R. No. 178, H.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends its adoption in the form attached hereto as H.C.R. No. 178, H.D. 1, S.D. 1.

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



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.:* HCR 178, HD1	Committee Referral: WAM	Date: 4-20-12		
<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	/			no mark
ESPERO, Will				/
FUKUNAGA, Carol				/
KIM, Donna Mercado	/			
KAHELE, Gilbert				/
KOUCHI, Ronald D.				/
RYAN, Pohai	/			
TOKUDA, Jill N.	/			
WAKAI, Glenn	/			
SLOM, Sam	/			
TOTAL	9			5
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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*Only one measure per Record of Votes