

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

3096

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 30 2012

RE: S.R. No. 70

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 Agriculture, to which was referred S.R. No. 70 entitled:

"SENATE RESOLUTION CONVENING AN AGRICULTURE POLICY TASK FORCE TO REVIEW AGRICULTURAL POLICIES FROM OTHER STATES IN PROVIDING FOR HAWAII'S AGRICULTURE INDUSTRY,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to convene an agricultural policy task force to review agricultural policies from other states to assist with the development of Hawaii's agricultural industry.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Hawaii Farm Bureau Federation and Hawaii Cattlemen's Council. Your Committee received comments on this measure from the Department of Agriculture.

Your Committee finds that the task force established by this measure will be beneficial to Hawaii's agricultural industry by helping to craft a comprehensive agricultural plan for the State based on good agricultural practices.

Your Committee has amended this measure by making technical, nonsubstantive amendments, including amendments to the title, for the purposes of clarity and consistency.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Agriculture that is attached to this report, your

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Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of S.R. No. 70, as amended herein, and recommends that it be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, in the form attached hereto as S.R. No. 70, S.D. 1.

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

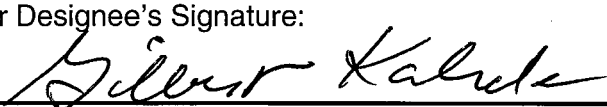


CLARENCE K. NISHIHARA, Chair



The Senate
 Twenty-Sixth Legislature
 State of Hawai'i

Record of Votes
Committee on Agriculture
AGL

Bill / Resolution No.:*	Committee Referral:	Date:		
SR 70	AGL, WAM	3/27/12		
<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
NISHIHARA, Clarence K. (C)	✓			
KAHELE, Gilbert (VC)	✓			
CHUN OAKLAND, Suzanne	✓			
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M.				✓
KOUCHI, Ronald D.	✓			
SHIMABUKURO, Maile	✓			
TOKUDA, Jill N.				✓
WAKAI, Glenn	✓			
SLOM, Sam				✓
TOTAL	6	0	0	3
Recommendation:				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature:				
				
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