

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

658

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 01 2013

RE: S.B. No. 1135
S.D. 2

Honorable Donna Mercado Kim
President of the Senate
Twenty-Seventh State Legislature
Regular Session of 2013
State of Hawaii

Madam:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred S.B. No. 1135, S.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO RECYCLING,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to expand the electronic device recycling program by establishing requirements for recordkeeping, reporting, and registration for collectors of electronics. This measure also amends penalties and establishes recycling percentage goals.

Your Committee received written comments in support of this measure from the Ulupono Initiative, Department of Health, and two individuals. The Custom Electronic Design and Installation Association submitted written comments in opposition to this measure. Your Committee received written comments on this measure from the Consumer Electronics Association, Retail Merchants of Hawaii, and State and Local Government Affairs and Political Compliance.

Your Committee finds that the amount of electronic waste is expected to increase in the future and that establishing an efficient recycling program will help the people of Hawaii both economically and environmentally.

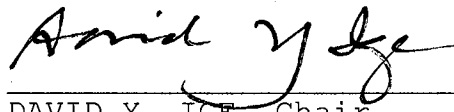
Your Committee has amended this measure by:



- (1) Changing the percentages for the recycling goals to unspecified amounts;
- (2) Changing the effective date to July 1, 2050, to encourage further discussions on the measure;
- (3) Making numerous technical nonsubstantive amendments for 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 is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 1135, S.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Third Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 1135, S.D. 2.

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



DAVID Y. IGE, Chair



The Senate
 Twenty-Seventh Legislature
 State of Hawai'i

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Bill / Resolution No.:* SB 1135, SD1	Committee Referral: ENE/JDL, WAM	Date: 2-22-13		
<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	✓			
KAHELE, Gilbert	✓			
KEITH-AGARAN, Gilbert S.C.	✓			
KOUCHI, Ronald D.				✓
RUDERMAN, Russell E.	✓			
THIELEN, Laura H.	✓			
TOKUDA, Jill N.	✓			
SLOM, Sam			✓	
TOTAL	11	0	1	1
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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