

Honolulu, Hawaii

FEBRUARY 10, 2014

RE: H.B. No. 2255

Honorable Joseph M. Souki
Speaker, House of Representatives
Twenty-Seventh State Legislature
Regular Session of 2014
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, to which was referred H.B. No. 2255 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY PERFORMANCE CONTRACTING FOR PUBLIC BUILDINGS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to provide that:

- (1) Agencies entering into energy performance contracts receive budget appropriations and have access to financing options;
- (2) An energy performance contract have a maximum term of 25 years, including the construction period; and
- (3) Agencies implementing performance contracts provide annual reports to the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism.

The Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism; Department of Accounting and General Services; and Sierra Club of Hawaii testified in support of this measure.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 2255 and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

HB2255 HSCR EEP HMS 2014-1753



Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Energy &
Environmental Protection,



CHRIS LEE, Chair



State of Hawaii
House of Representatives
The Twenty-seventh Legislature

Record of Votes of the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection

Bill/Resolution No.: HB 2255	Committee Referral: EEP, FIN	Date: 2/6/14		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended (as is) <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments (HD) <input type="checkbox"/> Hold <input type="checkbox"/> Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)				
EEP Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. LEE, Chris (C)	X			
2. THIELEN, Cynthia (VC)	X			
3. CULLEN, Ty J.K.	X			
4. EVANS, Cindy	X			
5. HANOHANO, Faye P.				X
6. KAWAKAMI, Derek S.K.	X			
7. SAY, Calvin K.Y.	X			
8. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y.	X			
9. LOWEN, Nicole E.	X			
10. FALE, Richard Lee	X			
TOTAL (10)	9			1
The recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. <p style="text-align:center; font-size: small;">committee acronym(s)</p>				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: <i>Cynthia Thielen</i>				
Distribution: Original (White) – Committee Duplicate (Yellow) – Chief Clerk's Office Duplicate (Pink) – HMSO				