

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

1698

Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 27 2015

RE: H.C.R. No. 182

Honorable Donna Mercado Kim
President of the Senate
Twenty-Eighth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2015
State of Hawaii

Madam:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred
H.C.R. No. 182 entitled:

"HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF
TRANSPORTATION TO CONDUCT A TRAFFIC STUDY AND MAKE
RECOMMENDATIONS TO ALLEVIATE TRAFFIC CONGESTION ON KAHEKILI
HIGHWAY FROM THE LIKELIKE HIGHWAY INTERSECTION TO KAMEHAMEHA
HIGHWAY, "

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to request the
Department of Transportation to conduct a traffic study and make
recommendations to alleviate traffic congestion on Kahekili
Highway from the Likelike Highway intersection to Kamehameha
Highway.

Your Committee finds that heavy traffic congestion creates
safety hazards for motorists and avoidable impairments to
residents' quality of life. These include an increased risk for
accidents, longer emergency service response times, larger
quantities of vehicle exhaust being released into the environment,
and the loss of valuable time to motorists. Your Committee also
finds that windward Oahu residents have long expressed concerns
about the levels of traffic congestion on Kahekili Highway. Your
Committee believes that, by conducting a traffic study on Kahekili
Highway, the Department of Transportation will be able to make
recommendations to alleviate the heavy traffic congestion on
Kahekili Highway, and thus lessen the occurrence of the
undesirable situations attributed to traffic congestion.



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. 182, and recommends its adoption.

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

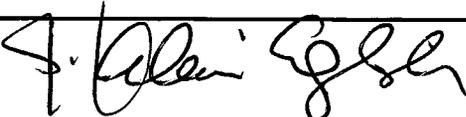


JILL N. TOKUDA, Chair



The Senate
 Twenty-Eighth Legislature
 State of Hawai'i

Record of Votes
Committee on Ways and Means
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Bill / Resolution No.:*	Committee Referral:	Date:		
HCR 182	TRA, WAM	4/23/15		
<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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312 <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311 <input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310 <input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
TOKUDA, Jill N. (C)	/			
KOUCHI, Ronald D. (VC)				/
CHUN OAKLAND, Suzanne	/			
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M.				/
ENGLISH, J. Kalani	/			
GALUTERIA, Brickwood				/
HARIMOTO, Breene	/			
INOUYE, Lorraine R.	/			
RIVIERE, Gil	/			
RUDERMAN, Russell E.	/			
SLOM, Sam	/			
TOTAL	8			3
Recommendation:				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: 				
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