

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

1336

Honolulu, Hawaii

March 31, 2015

RE: H.R. No. 39
H.D. 1

Honorable Joseph M. Souki
Speaker, House of Representatives
Twenty-Eighth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2015
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian
Affairs, to which was referred H.R. No. 39 entitled:

"HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AHA MOKU ADVISORY COMMITTEE
TO ENGAGE STAKEHOLDERS IN ORDER TO DEVELOP AND ADOPT RULES
FOR ITS OPERATION AND ADMINISTRATION,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to enable the Aha Moku
Advisory Committee to fulfil its intended statutory functions and
purpose by requesting that the Committee engage with stakeholders
and relevant state agencies to develop and adopt administrative
rules for its own operations and administration.

The Aha Moku Advisory Committee, Po'o-'Aha Kiole o Moloka'i,
Aha Moku O Kahikinui, Aha Moku Hana, Ho'okipa Network - Kauai, and
several individuals submitted testimony in support of this
measure. The Office of Hawaiian Affairs submitted comments.

Your Committee has amended this measure by adding the
Association of Hawaiian Civic Clubs to the entities asked to
assist the Advisory Committee with creating rules for the Advisory
Committee's operations and administration.



As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Ocean, Marine Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of H.R. No. 39, as amended herein, and recommends that it be referred to the Committee on Finance in the form attached hereto as H.R. No. 39, H.D. 1.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Ocean, Marine
Resources, & Hawaiian Affairs,


KANIELA ING, Chair



