

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

2810

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 02 2018

RE: S.B. No. 2752
S.D. 2

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi
President of the Senate
Twenty-Ninth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2018
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred S.B. No. 2752, S.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ENERGY EFFICIENCY,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to encourage state agencies and departments to perform energy-efficiency retrofitting of their facilities.

Specifically, this measure creates a sub-fund under the green energy market securitization loan fund to be used as a revolving line of credit for state agencies and departments to finance energy-efficiency measures.

Your Committee received written comments in support of this measure from the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism; Hawaii Green Infrastructure Authority; Ulupono Initiative; and OCC Legislative Priorities Committee, Democratic Party of Hawai'i.

Your Committee received comments on this measure from the Tax Foundation of Hawaii.

Your Committee finds that although the Hawaii green infrastructure special fund is already being used to finance the installation of energy-efficient lighting and other energy-



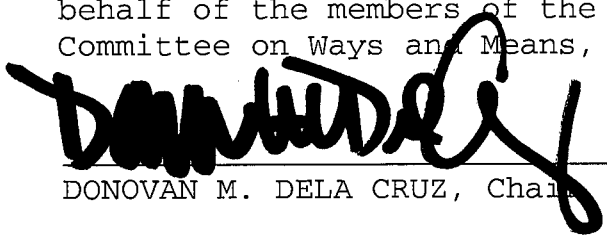
efficiency measures in public schools, this measure will expand this use of the special fund to other state agencies and departments.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

- (1) Clarifying that the sub-fund shall be created under the Hawaii green infrastructure special fund;
- (2) Codifying requirements and procedures for state departments or agencies applying for financing from the sub-fund;
- (3) Clarifying that a department or agency shall meet with the public benefits fee administrator of the Public Utilities Commission prior to the launch of the project planning phase;
- (4) Changing the appropriation and the amount of the revolving line of credit to unspecified amounts;
- (5) Changing the effective date to July 1, 2050, for the purpose of facilitating further discussion on the measure; and
- (6) Making technical nonsubstantive changes for the purposes of 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. 2752, S.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Third Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 2752, S.D. 2.

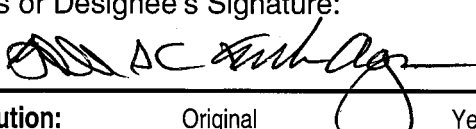
Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Ways and Means,


DONOVAN M. DELA CRUZ, Chair



The Senate
 Twenty-Ninth Legislature
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Bill / Resolution No.:*	Committee Referral:	Date:
SB 2752, SD1	TRE/CPH, WAM	2/28/18
<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	
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M. (C)	X	
KEITH-AGARAN, Gilbert S.C. (VC)	X	
ENGLISH, J. Kalani	X	
GALUTERIA, Brickwood	X	
HARIMOTO, Breene	X	
INOUYE, Lorraine R.	X	
KAHELE, Kaiali'i	X	
KIDANI, Michelle N.	X	
RIVIERE, Gil	X	
SHIMABUKURO, Maile S.L.	X	
WAKAI, Glenn	X	
TOTAL	11	
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted		
Chair's or Designee's Signature: 		
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