

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

1148

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 23 , 2021

RE: H.C.R. No. 144

Honorable Scott K. Saiki
Speaker, House of Representatives
Thirty-First State Legislature
Regular Session of 2021
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Transportation, to which was referred
H.C.R. No. 144 entitled:

"HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF
TRANSPORTATION TO DESIGNATE THE REEF RUNWAY AS THE FRANK T.
OKIMOTO REEF RUNWAY,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to request the Department of
Transportation to designate the Reef Runway as the Frank T.
Okimoto Reef Runway.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure
from four individuals.

Your Committee finds that in 1977, the Reef Runway was built
to alleviate the aircraft noise patterns over Honolulu and the
surrounding area. The Reef Runway was the world's first major
runway built entirely offshore and won two national awards due to
its engineering and design. Your Committee further finds that the
project engineer for the Reef Runway was the late Frank T.
Okimoto. Your Committee believes that designating the Reef Runway
as the Frank T. Okimoto Reef Runway is an appropriate way to
recognize Frank T. Okimoto and his achievements in engineering the
Reef Runway.

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As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Transportation that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of H.C.R. No. 144 and recommends that it be referred to your Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Transportation,


HENRY J. S. AQUINO, Chair



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Record of Votes of the Committee on Transportation

Bill/Resolution No.: HCR 144	Committee Referral: TRN, JHA	Date: 3/19/21		
<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)				
TRN Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. AQUINO, Henry J.C. (C)	X			
2. ILAGAN, Greggor (VC)	X			
3. DeCOITE, Lynn	X			
4. HASHIMOTO, Troy N.	X			
5. KITAGAWA, Lisa	X			
6. NAKAMURA, Nadine K.	X			
7. TAKUMI, Roy M.	X			
8. MATSUMOTO, Lauren	X			
TOTAL (8)	8			
The recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. <div style="text-align: center; font-size: 0.8em;">committee acronym(s)</div>				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: _____				
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