

Honolulu, Hawaii  
March 19, 2014

RE: S.B. No. 2726  
S.D. 2

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Transportation, to which was referred S.B. No. 2726, S.D. 2, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to assist farmers and ranchers in their operations while ensuring highway safety by allowing all-terrain vehicles (ATV) and utility-terrain vehicles (UTV) to be driven on streets; provided that:

- (1) The ATV or UTV is:
  - (A) Used as farm equipment;
  - (B) Driven on streets with no more than two lanes and with posted speed limits of no more than 35 miles per hour;
  - (C) Used to travel between properties zoned for agriculture; and
  - (D) Driven on streets during daylight hours;
- (2) The ATV or UTV operator holds a current category (3) license or a commercial driver's license; and



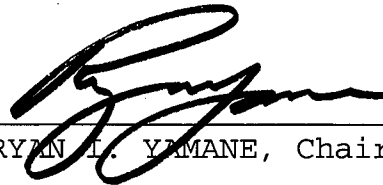
- (3) The ATV or UTV operator and passengers wear safety helmets secured with a chin strap.

This measure also establishes a penalty for a violation.

Hawaii Cattlemen's Council, Inc.; Hawaii Farm Bureau Federation; and the Maui County Farm Bureau testified in support of this measure. The Police Department of the County of Maui testified in opposition to this measure. The Department of Transportation commented on this measure.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Transportation that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 2726, S.D. 2, and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

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



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RYAN L. YAMANE, Chair



State of Hawaii  
House of Representatives  
The Twenty-seventh Legislature

HSCR 1025-14

**Record of Votes of the Committee on Transportation**

<b>Bill/Resolution No.:</b> SB 2726 SD2	<b>Committee Referral:</b> TRN, JUD	<b>Date:</b> 3-12-14		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
<b>The recommendation is to:</b> <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. YAMANE, Ryan I. (C)	✓			
2. TAKAYAMA, Gregg (VC)	✓			
3. AQUINO, Henry J.C.	✓			
4. HAR, Sharon E.				✓
5. ICHIYAMA, Linda	✓			
6. ING, Kaniela	✓			
7. NAKASHIMA, Mark M.	✓			
8. TAKUMI, Roy M.				✓
9. YAMASHITA, Kyle T.	✓			
10. FUKUMOTO, Beth	✓			
<b>TOTAL (10)</b>	8	-	-	2
<b>The recommendation is:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. <div style="text-align: center; font-size: small;">committee acronym(s)</div>				
<b>Vice Chair's or designee's signature:</b> _____ 				
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