

Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 03 2019

RE: S.C.R. No. 118
S.D. 1

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi
President of the Senate
Thirtieth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2019
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred
S.C.R. No. 118, S.D. 1, entitled:

"SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF
AGRICULTURE TO DESIGNATE AREAS IN EACH COUNTY FOR DAIRY
OPERATIONS AND DEVELOP INCENTIVES TO INCREASE DAIRY
OPERATIONS IN THE STATE,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to request the
Department of Agriculture to explore ways to support Hawaii's
dairy industry by designating areas in each county for dairy
operations and developing incentives to increase dairy operations
in the State.

Your Committee received written comments in support of this
measure from the Department of Agriculture, Hawaii Farm Bureau,
and one individual.

Your Committee received written comments in opposition to
this measure from Animal Rights Hawaii, Keiko Conservation, Aloha
Animal Advocates, Pele Lani Farm LLC, and four individuals.

Your Committee finds that this measure addresses the decline
in dairy operations in the State, aims to reduce reliance on
imported dairy products, and aligns with the statewide goal of
increasing local food production.



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 S.C.R. No. 118, S.D. 1, and recommends its adoption.

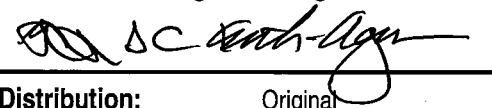
Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Ways and Means,


DONOVAN M. DELA CRUZ, Chair



The Senate
Thirtieth Legislature
State of Hawai'i

Record of Votes
Committee on Ways and Means
WAM

Bill / Resolution No.:* SCR 118, SD 1	Committee Referral: AEN/PSM, WAM	Date: 4/2/19		
<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
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M. (C)	X			
KEITH-AGARAN, Gilbert S.C. (VC)	X			
ENGLISH, J. Kalani				X
HARIMOTO, Breene				X
INOUYE, Lorraine R.	X			
KAHELE, Kaiali'i	X 6/1			X
KANUHA, Dru Mamo	X			
KIDANI, Michelle N.	X			
MORIWAKI, Sharon Y.	X			
RIVIERE, Gil	X			
SHIMABUKURO, Maile S.L.	X			
TANIGUCHI, Brian T.				X
FEVELLA, Kurt	X			
TOTAL	9			4
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: 				
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*Only one measure per Record of Votes