

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 1615

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 27 2019

RE: S.R. No. 35  
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 Water and Land, to which was referred S.R. No. 35 entitled:

"SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE BOARD OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO TRANSFER MANAGEMENT OF ALL SUBMERGED LANDS, THE BOAT LAUNCH RAMP, AND ANY RELATED BOAT LAUNCH RAMP FACILITIES LOCATED AT THE WAHIAWA FRESHWATER STATE RECREATION AREA FROM THE DIVISION OF AQUATIC RESOURCES TO THE DIVISION OF BOATING AND OCEAN RECREATION,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to urge the Board of Land and Natural Resources to transfer management of all submerged lands, the boat launch ramp, and related boat launch ramp facilities located at the Wahiawa Freshwater State Recreation Area located at tax map key (1) 7-6-001:006, from the Division of Aquatic Resources to the Division of Boating and Ocean Recreation.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Department of Land and Natural Resources.

Your Committee finds that the submerged lands, boat launch ramp, and related boat launch ramp facilities at the Wahiawa Freshwater State Recreation Area are managed by the Department of Land and Natural Resources' Division of State Parks and Division of Aquatic Resources. However, the Division of Aquatic Resources' mission is to manage, conserve, and restore the State's unique



aquatic resources and ecosystems for present and future generations, not to manage property associated with boating. Therefore, your Committee finds that the Division of Boating and Ocean Recreation is better suited to manage all submerged lands and the boat launch ramp and related facilities at the Wahiawa Freshwater State Recreation Area.

Your Committee has amended this measure by directing that a certified copy of this measure be transmitted to the President of Dole Food Company, Inc.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Water and Land that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of S.R. No. 35, as amended herein, and recommends that it be referred to your Committee on Ways and Means, in the form attached hereto as S.R. No. 35, S.D. 1.

Respectfully submitted on  
behalf of the members of the  
Committee on Water and Land,




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KAIALII KAPELE, Chair



The Senate  
Thirtieth Legislature  
State of Hawai'i

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**Committee on Water and Land**  
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Bill / Resolution No.:*	Committee Referral:	Date:		
<i>SR 35</i>	<i>WTL, WAM</i>	<i>5/18/19</i>		
<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"/> <sup><i>WMS</i></sup> 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
KAHELE, Kaiali'i (C)	X			
KEITH-AGARAN, Gilbert S.C. (VC)	X			
NISHIHARA, Clarence K.				X
RIVIERE, Gil	X			
FEVELLA, Kurt				X
<b>TOTAL</b>	<i>3</i>			<i>2</i>
Recommendation:				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature:				
				
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