

Honolulu, Hawaii  
FEB 15, 2008

RE: H.B. No. 2963

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say  
Speaker, House of Representatives  
Twenty-Fourth State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2008  
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs, to which was referred H.B. No. 2963 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO NATURAL DISASTERS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to support recovery efforts from the 2006 earthquake disaster by appropriating funds for structural and nonstructural earthquake recovery and mitigation projects; provided that the projects include measures with a multi-hazard approach to ensure survivability during future disasters.

An individual testified in support of this bill. The Department of Defense supported the intent of this measure.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 2963 and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.



Respectfully submitted on  
behalf of the members of the  
Committee on Public Safety &  
Military Affairs,



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CINDY EVANS, Chair



**Record of Votes of the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs**

<b>Bill/Resolution No.:</b> HB 2963	<b>Committee Referral:</b> PSM, FIN	<b>Date:</b> 02/14/08		
<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)				
<b>PSM Members</b>	<b>Ayes</b>	<b>Ayes (WR)</b>	<b>Nays</b>	<b>Excused</b>
1. EVANS, Cindy (C)	X			
2. HAR, Sharon E. (VC)				X
3. LEE, Marilyn B.				X
4. LUKE, Sylvia				X
5. McKELVEY, Angus L.K.	X			
6. NAKASONE, Bob				X
7. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y.	X			
8. SONSON, Alex M.	X			
9. SOUKI, Joseph M.				X
10. TAKAMINE, Dwight Y.	X			
11. TAKUMI, Roy M.	X			
12. FINNEGAN, Lynn	X			
13. PINE, Kymberly Marcos	X			
<b>TOTAL (13)</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5</b>
<b>The recommendation is:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. _____ committee acronym(s)				
<b>Vice Chair's or designee's signature:</b> _____				
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