

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 829

Honolulu, Hawaii
March, 2007

RE: H.B. No. 419
H.D. 1

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say
Speaker, House of Representatives
Twenty-Fourth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2007
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Water, Land, Ocean Resources & Hawaiian Affairs, to which was referred H.B. No. 419 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to promote and sustain recreational and educational land uses by:

- (1) Allowing the Board of Land and Natural Resources to acquire private property adjacent to public land through gifting or exchange; and
- (2) Exempting the acquired lands from the requirements of conservation district, land use, coastal zone management, and county zoning and subdivision laws, if the acquired land is dedicated to recreational and educational uses in conjunction with adjoining public lands.

The Royal Order of Kamehameha Ekahi, Moku o Kona Chapter, supported this bill. The Department of Land and Natural Resources and the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism supported the intent of this bill.

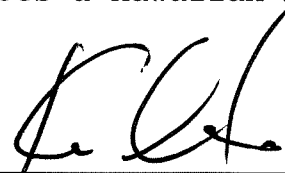
Your Committee has amended this bill by changing its effective date to July 1, 2050, to encourage further discussion.

HB419 HD1 HSCR WLH HMS 2007-2719



As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Water, Land, Ocean Resources & Hawaiian Affairs that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 419, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 419, H.D. 1, and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Water, Land, Ocean
Resources & Hawaiian Affairs,



KEN ITO, Chair



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Record of Votes of the Committee on Water, Land, Ocean Resources & Hawaiian Affairs

<p>Bill/Resolution No.: HB 419</p>	<p>Date: February 27, 2007</p>
<p>Committee Referral: WLH</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.</p>

The recommendation is to:

Pass, unamended Pass, with amendments
 Hold Pass, with amendments, for recommittal for further consideration

WLH Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. ITO, Ken (C)	X			
2. CHONG, Pono (VC)	X			
3. CARROLL, Mele	X			
4. MAGAOAY, Michael Y.	X			
5. MORITA, Hermina M.				X
6. SAGUM, Roland D., III	X			
7. SAIKI, Scott K.	X			
8. THIELEN, Cynthia				X
TOTAL	6			2

The recommendation is:

Adopted
 Not Adopted

If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation.
 committee acronym(s)

Vice Chair’s or designee’s signature:

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