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Honolulu, Hawaii

, 2025

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RE: H.B. No. 655

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Honorable Nadine K. Nakamura Speaker, House of Representatives Thirty-Third State Legislature Regular Session of 2025 State of Hawaii

Madame:

Your Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, to which was referred H.B. No. 655, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to limit the required payment of certain unpaid motor vehicle taxes and fees and accompanying financial penalties to those incurred during the most recent five consecutive years of delinquency.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from one individual. Your Committee received testimony in opposition to this measure from the Department of Transportation. Your Committee received comments on this measure from Tax Foundation of Hawaii.

Your Committee finds that establishing limitations on the payment of unpaid motor vehicle taxes, fees, and penalties will reduce the financial burden on residents with long-term delinquent vehicle taxes. This measure will also alleviate the administrative burden on government agencies attempting to collect old debts.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs that is attached to this

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report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of $H.B.\ No.\ 655,\ H.D.\ 1$, and recommends that it be referred to your Committee on Finance.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs,

DAVID A. TARNAS, Chair

State of Hawaii



Record of Votes of the Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs

Bill/Resolution No.: HB 655 HD1	Committee Referral: Date: 02/13/2025			
The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: Pass, unamended (as is) Pass, with amendments (HD) Hold Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)				
JHA Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. TARNAS, David A. (C)				
2. POEPOE, Mahina (VC)		######################################		
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10. GARCIA, Diamond				
11. SHIMIZU, Garner M.				
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TOTAL (11)	9	0		
The recommendation is: Adopted If joint referral, did not support recommendation. committee acronym(s)				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
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