



RESOLUTION

URGING THE HAWAII STATE LEGISLATURE TO EXEMPT PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION AGENCIES FROM THE PAYMENT OF FUEL TAXES.

WHEREAS, Chapter 243 of the Hawaii Revised Statutes (HRS) regulates the conditions, applicability, types, exemptions and rates of the types of fuel refined, manufactured, produced, sold or used in the State; and

WHEREAS, HRS Section 243.5 also authorizes the council of each county to determine the amount of the county's fuel tax by resolution; and

WHEREAS, while state statutes authorize the counties to provide public transportation service, county public transportation agencies are not exempted from the state and county fuel taxes for vehicles used in the delivery of public transportation services; and

WHEREAS, an exemption from the state and county fuel taxes would allow county public transportation agencies to operate more economically and to potentially expand and improve services, thereby making public transportation more accessible to residents throughout the state; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City and County of Honolulu that the Hawaii State Legislature is urged to amend HRS Chapter 243, the fuel tax law, to exempt public transportation agencies from the state and county liquid fuel taxes; and

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BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that copies of this Resolution be transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President of the Senate of the Hawaii State Legislature.

INTRODUCED BY
[Handwritten Signature]

DATE OF INTRODUCTION:

JAN 13 2006

Honolulu, Hawaii

Councilmembers

(OCS/010405/ct)

CITY COUNCIL
CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU
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RESOLUTION 06-014

Introduced: 01/13/06 By: DONOVAN DELA CRUZ

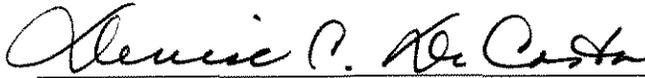
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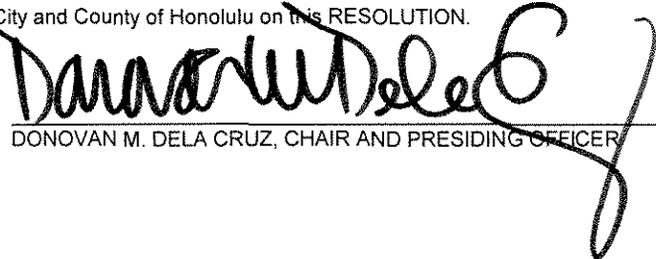
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I hereby certify that the above is a true record of action by the Council of the City and County of Honolulu on this RESOLUTION.


DENISE C. DE COSTA, CITY CLERK


DONOVAN M. DELA CRUZ, CHAIR AND PRESIDING OFFICER