Honolulu, Hawaii

March 4 , 2

RE: H.B. No. 1987 H.D. 1

Honorable Joseph M. Souki Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Eighth State Legislature Regular Session of 2016 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred H.B. No. 1987, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO YOUTH GANGS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to address the problem of youth gangs in the State by appropriating funds for:

- (1) The Office of Youth Services to provide and develop prevention and intervention services and programs statewide for youth at risk; and
- (2) The police departments of the City and County of Honolulu and the Counties of Hawaii, Kauai, and Maui to monitor gang activities and establish new gang prevention strategies and projects.

The Kalihi Community Youth Violence and Gang Prevention and Intervention Task Group testified in support of this measure. The Office of Youth Services and Adult Friends for Youth commented on this measure.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Finance that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 1987, H.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Third Reading.

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Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Finance,

SYLVIA LUKE, Chair

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Finance

| Bill/Resolution No.: Com HB1987 HD1 | | mmittee Referral: HUS/EDN, JUD, FIN | | Date: 03/01/16 | | |
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| ☐ 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) | | | | | | |
| FIN Members | | Ayes | Ayes (W | R) | Nays | Excused |
| 1. LUKE, Sylvia (C) | | 1/ | | | | |
| 2. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y. (VC) | | // | | | | |
| 3. CACHOLA, Romy M. | | 1, | | | | |
| 4. CULLEN, Ty J.K. | | 1/ | | | | |
| 5. DeCOITE, Lynn | | | | | | |
| 6. JOHANSON, Aaron Ling | | 7 | | | | |
| 7. JORDAN, Jo | | | | | | ••• |
| 8. KEOHOKALOLE, Jarrett | | | | | | |
| 9. KOBAYASHI, Bertrand | | | | | | |
| 10. LoPRESTI, Matthew S. | | // | | | | |
| 11. LOWEN, Nicole E. | | | | | | |
| 12. ONISHI, Richard H.K. | | | | | | |
| 13. TOKIOKA, James Kunane | | | | | | |
| 14. YAMASHITA, Kyle T. | | | | | | |
| 15. POUHA, Feki | | | | | | |
| 16. WARD, Gene | | | | 1 | - | |
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| 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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