STAND. COM. REP. NO. 1483

Honolulu, Hawaii

March 29

, 2017

RE: H.R. No. 67 H.D. 1

Honorable Joseph M. Souki Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Ninth State Legislature Regular Session of 2017 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, to which was referred H.R. No. 67 entitled:

"HOUSE RESOLUTION CALLING ON THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT AND STATES TO LOWER COSTS FOR CONSUMERS, CREATE MORE JOBS, AND REDUCE THE IMPACTS OF CLIMATE CHANGE ON THE ECONOMY BY REPLACING FOSSIL FUELS WITH RENEWABLE ENERGY,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to encourage the federal government and all states to lower costs for consumers, create more jobs, and reduce the impacts of climate change on the economy by replacing fossil fuels with renewable energy.

An individual supported this measure. The Division of Consumer Advocacy of the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs provided comments.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

(1) Further encouraging the federal government and all states to assist with retraining and meaningful support for workers in the fossil fuel sector to ensure their future as the market transitions from fossil fuels to cheaper renewable energy; and

(2) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for clarity, consistency, and style.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of H.R. No. 67, as amended herein, and recommends that it be referred to your Committee on Finance in the form attached hereto as H.R. No. 67, H.D. 1.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection,

Mide & Lau for CHRIS LEE, Chair

State of Hawaii House of Representatives The Twenty-ninth Legislature



Record of Votes of the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection

Bill/Resolution No.:	Committee Referral:	Date:	3/21/17		
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)					
EEP Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused	
1. LEE, Chris (C)					
2. LOWEN, Nicole E. (VC)					
2 CHIEN TO IV					
3. CULLEN, Ty J.K.					
4. EVANS, Cindy			· 88/24		
5. ICHIYAMA, Linda	Section and Committee and Comm				
6. KONG, Sam Satoru					
7. SAY, Calvin K.Y.					
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8. YAMANE, Ryan I.					
9. FUKUMOTO, Beth					
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TOTAL (9)	- 7			2	
The recommendation is:	opted	ted			
If joint referral, did not support recommendation. committee acronym(s)					
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:					
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