

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

1785

Honolulu, Hawaii

April 17, 2017

RE: S.C.R. No. 136
S.D. 1

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

Sir:

Your Committees on Health and Human Services, to which was referred S.C.R. No. 136, S.D. 1, entitled:

"SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL, AND JUDICIARY TO INCORPORATE RESEARCH AND STRATEGIES REGARDING ADVERSE CHILDHOOD EXPERIENCES INTO THEIR WORK WITH CHILDREN SUFFERING FROM TRAUMA,"

beg leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to encourage state agencies that educate and provide services to Hawaii's children to incorporate research and evidence-based strategies to address adverse childhood experience into their work with children who have experienced trauma.

Your Committees received testimony in support of this measure from the Department of Health, Stop Abuse Campaign, Blueprint for Change, Mental Health America of Hawaii, IMUAlliance, and several individuals. The Department of Education submitted comments.

As affirmed by the records of votes of the members of your Committees on Health and Human Services that are attached to this report, your Committees concur with the intent and purpose of

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S.C.R. No. 136, S.D. 1, and recommend that it be referred to your
Committees on Education and Judiciary.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committees on Health and Human
Services,



DEE MORIKAWA, Chair



DELLA AU BELATTI, Chair



