STAND. COM. REP. NO. 1016-18

Honolulu, Hawaii

March 2 , 2018

RE: H.B. No. 1908 H.D. 2

Honorable Scott K. Saiki Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Ninth State Legislature Regular Session of 2018 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, to which was referred H.B. No. 1908, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO FIREARMS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to prohibit the manufacture, importation, sale, transfer, and possession of multiburst trigger activators within the State.

The Mayor of the County of Hawaii, Honolulu Police
Department, League of Women Voters of Hawaii, Oahu County
Committee on Legislative Priorities of the Democratic Party of
Hawaii, Gandhi International Institute for Peace, IMUAlliance,
Young Progressives Demanding Action Hawaii, Progressive Democrats
of Hawaii, Aloha Light Team, Animal Rights Hawaii, and many
individuals testified in support of this measure. The Honolulu
County Republican Party, 2A Hawaii, Institute for Rational and
Evidence-Based Legislation, Hunting Farming and Fishing
Association, Hawaii Rifle Association, National Rifle Association
of America, and numerous individuals testified in opposition.

Your Committee notes that, in the aftermath of the 2017 Las Vegas shooting, public discourse concerning firearms regulations has focused on whether there should be a prohibition on bump fire stocks, the modification devices responsible for increasing the

severity of the shooting. Your Committee further notes that this measure is intended to address the specific modifications and target persons that would pose a serious threat to public safety like the perpetrator in the 2017 Las Vegas shooting. However, testimony provided at the public hearing has questioned whether the language in the measure sufficiently encompasses those modification devices.

Your Committee acknowledges that further discussion and consideration must be given to this measure to ensure its language accomplishes the desired promotion of public safety. As such, your Committee has amended this measure by explicitly listing bump fire stocks and trigger cranks as prohibited devices in addition to multiburst trigger activators.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 1908, H.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Third Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 1908, H.D. 2.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce,

ROY M. TAKUMI, Chair

State of Hawaii
House of Representatives
The Twenty-ninth Legislature

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce

	mittee Referral: UP, CPC	Date:	2/21	118
☐ 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)				
CPC Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. TAKUMI, Roy M. (C)				
2. ICHIYAMA, Linda (VC)				
3. AQUINO, Henry J.C.				z.,
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4. ITO, Ken				
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6. LoPRESTI, Matthew S.				
7. MIZUNO, John M.				
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8. SAY, Calvin K.Y.				
9. TOKIOKA, James Kunane				
7. TORIORA, James Kunane				
10. YAMANE, Ryan I.				
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11. McDERMOTT, Bob			<u>uli iliga a girmata kiri. Sitta ana ana a</u>	
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TOTAL (11)	11	0	0	0
The recommendation is: Adopted I Not Adopted did not support recommendation. committee acronym(s)				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
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