Honolulu, Hawaii

February 16, 2018

RE: H.B. No. 2115 H.D. 1

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred H.B. No. 2115, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to appropriate funds to the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations for the operations of the K-12 Agriculture Workforce Development Pipeline Initiative.

The Department of Labor and Industrial Relations, Department of Agriculture, Department of Education, Hawaii State Teachers Association, Land Use Research Foundation of Hawaii, Hawaii Aquaculture and Aquaponics Association, Hawaii Farm Bureau, Oahu County Committee on Legislative Priorities of the Democratic Party of Hawaii, Maui County Farm Bureau, Kona Chapter Hawaii Farmers Union United, Beyond Organic Consulting, Inc., Hawaii Crop Improvement Association, Kamehameha Schools, Hawaii Farmers Union United Farm Apprentice Mentoring Program, and numerous concerned individuals supported this measure. A concerned individual offered comments.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Education that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No.

2115, $\text{H.D.}\ 1$, and recommends that it be referred to your Committee on Finance.

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

USFIN H. WOODSON, Chai

State of Hawaii House of Representatives The Twenty-ninth Legislature

HSCR 573-18

Record of Votes of the Committee on Education

Bill/Resolution No.: HB 2115 HDI (HSCR149-18) Committee Referral: LAB, EDN, FIN			Date: 14 FEB	2018
☐ 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)				
EDN Members	Ayes	Ayes (WI	R) Nays	Excused
1. WOODSON, Justin H. (C)				
2. KONG, Sam Satoru (VC)				
3. CREAGAN, Richard P.		odinal delimina dilan, ili ji ga ak ila 78	449 mineral francis	
4. HASHEM, Mark J.	<u> </u>			
5. ING, Kaniela				
6. LEARMONT, Lei R.	/			
7. McKELVEY, Angus L.K.				
8. OHNO, Takashi				
9. ONISHI, Richard H.K.				
10. QUINLAN, Sean				
11. MATSUMOTO, Lauren Kealohilani				
TOTAL (11)	q			2
The recommendation is: Adopted If joint referral, did not support recommendation. committee acronym(s)				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
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