Honolulu, Hawaii

February 9

, 2018

RE: H.B. No. 2303 H.D. 1

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

Sir:

Your Committees on Energy & Environmental Protection and Agriculture, to which was referred H.B. No. 2303 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE PESTICIDE USE REVOLVING FUND,"

beg leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to allow the Department of Agriculture to maintain consistent funding to meet its statutory mandate under the State's pesticide program, including registration and licensing, certification and education, and compliance monitoring, and to provide pesticide regulation with informed and educated studies by increasing the cap on the Pesticide Use Revolving Fund from \$250,000 to \$1,000,000.

The Department of Agriculture, Hawaii Crop Improvement Association, GMO Free Kaua'i, West Hawaii CHC, Cuddle Party, Oahu County Committee on Legislative Priorities of the Democratic Party of Hawaii, Hawai'i Alliance for Progressive Action, Hawai'i Farm Bureau, IMUAlliance, DuPont Pioneer, Hawaii Cattlemen's Council, Inc., and a number of concerned individuals supported this measure.

Your Committees have amended this measure by changing its effective date to January 28, 2045.

As affirmed by the records of votes of the members of your Committees on Energy & Environmental Protection and Agriculture that are attached to this report, your Committees are in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 2303, as amended herein, and recommend that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 2303, H.D. 1, and be referred to your Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committees on Energy & Environmental Protection and Agriculture,

RICHARD P. CREAGAN, Chair

CHRIS LEE, Chair

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection

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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)							
EEP Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused			
1. LEE, Chris (C)		-					
2. LOWEN, Nicole E. (VC)							
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3. CULLEN, Ty J.K.	VILLE SOURCE STATE	jeda v jakov					
4. KONG, Sam Satoru							
5. McKELVEY, Angus L.K.			<u></u>	5. See a standing and see a second of the determine to the second of			
6. TODD, Chris							
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7. YAMANE, Ryan I.							
8. MCDERMOTT, Bob							
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Record of Votes of the Committee on Agriculture

Bill/Resolution No.: 2303	Committee Referral: EEP/AGR, C/O	C, FIN Date:	2-8-18	>		
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AGR Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused		
1. CREAGAN, Richard P. (C)						
2. DeCOITE, Lynn (VC)			MEET STORY DE			
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3. GATES, Cedric Asuega						
4. ING, Kaniela						
5. SAY, Calvin K.Y.						
6. TAKAYAMA, Gregg						
7. THIELEN, Cynthia						
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