STAND. COM. REP. NO. **18333**-18

Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 05' 2018

RE: H.C.R. No. 65

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred H.C.R. No. 65 entitled:

"HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENTS OF HEALTH AND PUBLIC SAFETY TO EVALUATE THE APPROPRIATENESS OF RESCHEDULING CANNABIS AT THE STATE LEVEL FROM SCHEDULE I TO SCHEDULE III,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to request the departments of Health and Public Safety to evaluate the appropriateness of rescheduling cannabis at the state level from a schedule I to schedule III.

The Hawaii Medical Association, and the Oahu County Committee on Legislative Priorities of the Democratic Party of Hawaii testified in support of this measure. The Department of Public Safety, and one individual testified in opposition to this measure.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Judiciary that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of H.C.R. No. 65 and recommends its adoption.



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

SCOTT Y. NISHIMOTO, Chair

State of Hawaii House of Representatives The Twenty-ninth Legislature

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Judiciary

Bill/Resolution No.: HCR b5	Committee Referral: HHS, JUD		Date: 04/04/18		
☐ 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)					
JUD Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused	
1. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y. (C)					
2. SAN BUENAVENTURA, Joy A.	. (VC)				
3. BROWER, Tom					
4. LEE, Chris					
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5. MORIKAWA, Dee					
6. TAKAYAMA, Gregg					
7. McDERMOTT, Bob			group give a region of the second of the sec		
8. THIELEN, Cynthia					
TOTAL (8)	. 1			<u> </u>	
The recommendation is: Adopted					
committee acronym(s)					
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:					
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