STAND. COM. REP. NO.

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 28 , 2018

RE: H.R. No. 158

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.R. No. 158 entitled:

"HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING SCHOOL ADMINISTRATORS, TEACHERS, PARENTS, AND STUDENTS TO BE EDUCATED ABOUT THE POTENTIAL HEALTH IMPACTS OF HEAVY BACKPACKS AND TO TAKE PROACTIVE MEASURES TO AVOID INJURY, "

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to urge school administrators, teachers, parents, and students to be educated about the potential health impacts of heavy backpacks and to take proactive measures to avoid injury caused by these backpacks by urging:

- The Board of Education to develop policies and procedures to allow licensed chiropractors to conduct interval scoliosis exams on children in schools; and
- Schools to work with their parent-teacher associations (2) to assess the extent to which students use overweight backpacks and to promote innovative strategies to lessen the impact of these backpacks on students.

An individual testified in support of this measure.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Education that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of H.R. No. 158 and recommends that it be referred to your Committee on Finance.

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

for

JUSTIN H. WOODSON, Chair

State of Hawaii House of Representatives HSC/2 1563-18 The Twenty-ninth Legislature

Record of Votes of the Committee on Education

Bill/Resolution No.: HR 158	Committee Referral:	Date:	1RCH 21.	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 (WR)	Nays	Excused	
1. WOODSON, Justin H. (C)				· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
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3. CREAGAN, Richard P.					
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6. LEARMONT, Lei R.					
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10. QUINLAN, Sean	The state of the second st				
11. MATSUMOTO, Lauren Kealohi	ilani				
TOTAL (11)	9			2	
The recommendation is: Adopted Not Adopted					
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Vice Chair's or designee's signature:					
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