STAND. COM. REP. NO. 949-18

Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 06 , 2018

RE: S.B. No. 2783 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 Judiciary, to which was referred S.B. No. 2783 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to align the Hawaii Public Housing Authority's prohibition on smoking law with the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development's "smoke-free" policy. Specifically, this measure increases, from 20 to 25 feet:

- (1) The smoke-free zone around certain areas and buildings, including administrative office buildings, of the public housing project, elder or elderly housing, or state lowincome housing project; and
- (2) The minimum setback for designated smoking areas.

The Hawaii Public Housing Authority, Department of Health, Hawai'i Public Health Institute, and Oahu County Committee on Legislative Priorities of the Democratic Party of Hawai'i testified in support of this measure. Hawaii Smokers Alliance and an individual testified in opposition.

Your Committee has amended this measure by changing its effective date to July 1, 2050, to encourage further discussion.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Judiciary that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 2783, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Third Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 2783, H.D. 1.

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

SCOTT Y. NISHIMOTO, Chair

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## Record of Votes of the Committee on Judiciary

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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)				
JUD Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y. (C)				
2. SAN BUENAVENTURA, Joy A.	(VC)	n n al verdelika Gerek		
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4. LEE, Chris				
5. MORIKAWA, Dee				
6. TAKAYAMA, Gregg				
7. McDERMOTT, Bob				
7. WEDERWOTT, BOD				
8. THIELEN, Cynthia				
TOTAL (8)	(0			2
The recommendation is:    Description   Desc				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
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