

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 1000

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 01 , 2019

RE: H.B. No. 1537
H.D. 1

Honorable Scott K. Saiki
Speaker, House of Representatives
Thirtieth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2019
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred H.B. No. 1537, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF MAUNA KEA MANAGEMENT,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to appropriate funds to the University of Hawaii for an unspecified number of full-time equivalent positions within the Office of Mauna Kea Management to fulfill the mandates of Mauna Kea's Comprehensive Management Plan.

The Office of Mauna Kea Management, Hawaii Leeward Planning Conference, Maunakea Observatories, Kona-Kohala Chamber of Commerce, Hawaii Island Economic Development Board, David S. De Luz, Sr. Enterprises, Inc., Pana'ewa Hawaiian Home Lands Community Association, and many individuals submitted testimony in support of this measure.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Finance that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 1537, H.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Third Reading.



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



SYLVIA LUKE, Chair



