STAND. COM. REP. NO. 1916

Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 0 1 , 2019

RE: S.B. No. 138

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 Judiciary, to which was referred S.B. No. 138 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO REPORTS OF CANDIDATE COMMITTEES,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to provide those who vote by mail the ability to access the most current campaign finance information about a candidate before the voters receive their absentee ballots in the mail by requiring each candidate and candidate committee to file an additional preliminary report on October 1 of a general election year.

The Campaign Spending Commission and O'ahu County Committee on Legislative Priorities of the Democratic Party of Hawai'i testified in support of this measure.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

- (1) Requiring another preliminary report to be filed on April 30 of a general election year; and
- (2) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for clarity, consistency, and style.

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. 138, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 138, H.D. 1, and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

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

CHRIS LEE, Chair

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Judiciary

Bill/Resolution No.: SB 138	Committee Referral: UDD Date			3/18/19	
☐ 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
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2. SAN BUENAVENTURA, Joy A. (VC)					
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4. CREAGAN, Richard P.					
5. LOWEN, Nicole E.		NO DO	5	:	
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8. SAY, Calvin K.Y.					
9. TAKAYAMA, Gregg					
10. YAMANE, Ryan I.		<u> </u>	Santahali di Languaga Bandah	<u> Maria 1912 (19</u> 15)	
11. THIELEN, Cynthia					
TOTAL (11)		7	/		~~
The recommendation is: Adopted If joint referral, committee acronym(s) Adopted did not support recommendation.					
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:					
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