

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

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Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 24 , 2021

RE: H.C.R. No. 154

Honorable Scott K. Saiki
Speaker, House of Representatives
Thirty-First State Legislature
Regular Session of 2021
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs, to which was referred H.C.R. No. 154 entitled:

"HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION CONDEMNING ALL FORMS OF ANTI-ASIAN SENTIMENT AS RELATED TO COVID-19 AND URGING GREATER INVESTMENT IN FEDERAL, STATE, AND LOCAL RESOURCES TO DEVELOP AND SUPPORT COMMUNITY-WIDE SOLUTIONS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to condemn racism towards Asians in light of the COVID-19 pandemic and to encourage federal, state, and local government support in developing solutions.

Your committee received testimony in support of this measure from Common Cause Hawaii; the Democratic Party of Hawaii Education Caucus, Imua Alliance, Hawaii Friends of Civil Rights, LGBT Caucus of the Democratic Party of Hawaii, Planned Parenthood Votes Northwest and Hawaii, and five individuals.

Your committee hopes one day that resolutions like this will not be needed.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of H.C.R. No. 154 and recommends its adoption.

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Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Judiciary &
Hawaiian Affairs,


tv MARK M. NAKASHIMA, Chair



