

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 565-22

Honolulu, Hawaii
FEB 18, 2022

RE: H.B. No. 1880
H.D. 1

Honorable Scott K. Saiki
Speaker, House of Representatives
Thirty-First State Legislature
Regular Session of 2022
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Government Reform, to which was referred
H.B. No. 1880 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONEERING
COMMUNICATIONS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to require a person to file a
statement of information with the Campaign Spending Commission
within twenty-four hours of every expenditure for an
electioneering communication.

Your Committee received testimony in opposition to this
measure from one individual. Your Committee received comments on
this measure from the Campaign Spending Commission and Common
Cause Hawaii.

Your Committee finds that eliminating the spending threshold
that would trigger the requirement that a person file a statement
of information with the Campaign Spending Commission for an
electioneering communication further increases transparency and
accountability in the elections process.

Your Committee has amended this measure by changing its
effective date to July 1, 2112, to encourage further discussion.

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As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Government Reform that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 1880, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 1880, H.D. 1, and be referred to your Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Government Reform,



ANGUS L.K. McKELVEY, Chair



