STAND. COM. REP. NO. 1967

Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 04 ' 2025

RE: S.B. No. 15.02

S.D. 1 H.D. 1

Honorable Nadine K. Nakamura Speaker, House of Representatives Thirty-Third State Legislature Regular Session of 2025 State of Hawaii

Madame:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred S.B. No. 1502, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to appropriate funds for the College of Social Sciences at the University of Hawaii at Manoa and the Business Administration Program at the University of Hawaii West Oahu to establish positions and fund operating expenses for workforce development programs that support the defense sector of the State's economy.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Hawaii Military Affairs Council; Chamber of Commerce Hawaii; Kapolei Chamber of Commerce; and one individual. Your Committee received testimony in opposition to this measure from the Malu 'Aina Center for Non-violent Education & Action; Kauai Women's Caucus; Academic Labor United; Greenpeace Hawaii; and five individuals. Your Committee received comments on this measure from the University of Hawaii at Mānoa; University of Hawaii-West Oʻahu; and University of Hawaii Professional Assembly.

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 S.B. No. 1502, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Third Reading.

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

KYLE T. YAMASHITA, Chair

State of Hawaii House of Representatives The Thirty-third Legislature

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Finance

SB1502, SD1, HD1 Committee SB1502, SD1, HD1 HF	e Referral:	Date	4 1 25	
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)				
FIN Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
 YAMASHITA, Kyle T. (C) TAKENOUCHI, Jenna (VC) 				
3. GRANDINETTI, Tina Nakada				
4. HOLT, Daniel 5. HUSSEY, Ikaika				
6. KEOHOKAPU-LEE LOY, Sue L.				
7. KITAGAWA, Lisa 8. KUSCH, Matthias				
9. LAMOSAO, Rachele F.				
10. LEE, Mike 11. MIYAKE, Tyson K.				
12. MORIKAWA, Dee 13. TEMPLO, Shirley Ann				
14. ALCOS III, David				Communication of the Artist Co
15. REYES ODA, Julie				
TOTAL (16), IS	19	0	0	1
The recommendation is: Adopted If joint referral, did not support recommendation. committee acronym(s)				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature.				
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