

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

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Honolulu, Hawaii

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RE: H.C.R. No. 187

Honorable Scott K. Saiki
Speaker, House of Representatives
Thirty-Second State Legislature
Regular Session of 2023
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred H.C.R. No. 187 entitled:

"HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE HAWAII EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY TO INCLUDE IN ALL LIVE AND RECORDED EMERGENCY ALERT SYSTEM VIDEO BROADCASTS, AN ON-SCREEN INTERPRETER DISSEMINATING THE EMERGENCY INFORMATION IN AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE AT ALL TIMES, INCLUDING DURING GRAPHIC PRESENTATIONS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to urge the Hawaii Emergency Management Agency to include in all live and recorded emergency alert system video broadcasts, an on-screen interpreter disseminating the emergency information in American Sign Language at all times, including during graphic presentations.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Finance that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of H.C.R. No. 187 and recommends its adoption.

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

Kyle T. Yamashita for

KYLE T. YAMASHITA, Chair



