STAND. COM. REP. NO. 283 -06

Honolulu, Hawaii

Fe 914, 2006

RE: H.B. No. 1843

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Third State Legislature Regular Session of 2006 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committees on Education and Agriculture, to which was referred H.B. No. 1843 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOCATIONAL AGRICULTURE EDUCATION,"

beg leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to ensure a pool of qualified individuals to support and maintain Hawaii's agriculture industry by establishing and appropriating funds for a comprehensive vocational agriculture education program in the public schools.

The Workforce Development Council of the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations, Hawaii State Teachers Association, Hawaii Farm Bureau Federation, Hawaii Crop Improvement Association, and Economic Development Alliance of Hawaii testified in support of this bill. The Department of Agriculture supported the intent of this measure.

As affirmed by the records of votes of the members of your Committees on Education and Agriculture that are attached to this report, your Committees are in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 1843 and recommend that it pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

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Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committees on Education and Agriculture,

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ROY TAKUMI, Chair

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Education

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Committee Referral:	The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.						
The recommendation is to: Pass, unamended	☐ Pass, with amendments						
☐ Hold	☐ Recommit						
EDN Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused			
1. TAKUMI, Roy M. (C)	<i>V</i> ,						
2. BERG, Lyla B., Ph.D. (VC)							
3. ARAKAKI, Dennis A.	V/						
4. CABANILLA, Rida T.R.	. V						
5. CHANG, Jerry L.				V			
6. GREEN, Josh, M.D.							
7. HALE, Heléne H.	V						
8. HARBIN, Bev		Construction of the contract o					
9. KAHIKINA, Michael Puamamo				i V			
10. SHIMABUKURO, Maile S. L.	V						
11. WATERS, Tommy	<u> </u>			V			
12. CHING, Corinne W.L.	V						
13. FINNEGAN, Lynn							
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Record of Votes of the Committee on Agriculture

Bill/Resolution No.:	Date:	1 _ 1	,			
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Committee Referral: EDN/AGR, FIN	☐ The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.					
The recommendation is to: Pass, unamended	☐ Pass, with amendments					
☐ Hold ☐ Recommit						
AGR Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused		
1. ABINSAY, Felipe P., Jr. (C)	\mathcal{V}					
2. TSUJI, Clift (VC)	V					
3. CHANG, Jerry L.						
4. HERKES, Robert N.						
5. KARAMATSU, Jon Riki	V					
6. MAGAOAY, Michael Y.				<u> </u>		
7. WAKAI, Glenn						
8. YAMASHITA, Kyle T.	V					
9. HALFORD, Chris						
10. STONEBRAKER, Bud				V		
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