STAND. COM. REP. NO. 1405 Honolulu, Hawaii , 2013 S.B. No. 327 RE: S.D. 1 H.D. 1

Honorable Joseph M. Souki Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Seventh State Legislature Regular Session of 2013 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred S.B. No. 327, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to support healthy living initiatives by amending the Hawaii State Planning Act to include policy provisions which encourage:

- State residents, businesses, and governmental bodies to purchase and use Hawaii-grown food and food products for greater self-sufficiency; and
- (2) State residents and visitors to support Hawaii's farmers by purchasing Hawaii-grown food and food products.

The Office of Planning and two concerned individuals submitted testimony in support of this measure. The Department of Agriculture and Hawaii Farm Bureau Federation offered comments.

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. 327, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Third Reading.



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

SYLVIA LUKE, Chair



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Record of Votes of the Committee on Finance

Bill/Resolution No.: SB327 SD1 HD1	Committee Referral: AGR/EDB, FIN	3/28/13	<u> </u>	
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
1. LUKE, Sylvia (C)				
2. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y. (VC)				
3. JOHANSON, Aaron Ling (VC)				
4. CULLEN, Ty J.K.				
5. HASHEM, Mark J.				
6. ING, Kaniela				
7. JORDAN, Jo				
8. KOBAYASHI, Bertrand				
9. LOWEN, Nicole E.				
10. MORIKAWA, Dee				••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••
11. ONISHI, Richard H.K.				
12. TAKAYAMA, Gregg				
13. TOKIOKA, James Kunane				
14. WOODSON, Justin H.				
15. YAMASHITA, Kyle T.				······
16. FUKUMOTO, Beth				
17. WARD, Gene			0. 00.0 gra	
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TOTAL (17)	15		- / 201 / 2 / 1	2
The recommendation is: Adopted I Not Adopted				
If joint referral, did not support recommendation.				
committee acronym(s)				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature.				
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