STAND. COM. REP. NO. 915

Honolulu, Hawaii

March 3 , 2017

RE: H.B. No. 1544

H.D. 1

Honorable Joseph M. Souki Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Ninth State Legislature Regular Session of 2017 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred H.B. No. 1544, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LOCAL FOOD PRODUCTION,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to add increasing the production of food intended for human consumption that is produced and sold in the State to the list of acts that the Department of Agriculture (DOA) must undertake as part of its statutorily-established responsibility of administering a program of agricultural planning and development.

An individual testified in support of this measure. DOA commented on this measure.

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 H.B. No. 1544, 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 DOKE. Chair

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## **Record of Votes of the Committee on Finance**

Bill/Resolution No.: Co	ommittee Referral: AGR, F	Date	3-1-	2017
☐ 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)		1.43%		
2. CULLEN, Ty J.K. (VC)				
3. CACHOLA, Romy M.				
4. CHOY, Isaac W.				
5. DeCOITE, Lynn				
6. GATES, Cedric Asuega				
7. HOLT, Daniel			* <del></del>	
8. KEOHOKALOLE, Jarrett				
9. KOBAYASHI, Bertrand		·		
10. LoPRESTI, Matthew S.				
11. LOWEN, Nicole E.				
12. NAKAMURA, Nadine K.				
13. TOKIOKA, James Kunane				
14. QUINLAN, Sean				
15. YAMASHITA, Kyle T.				
16. TUPOLA, Andria P.L.				
17. WARD, Gene				
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TOTAL (17)	14	Ø	Ø	3
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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