STAND. COM. REP. NO.

853

Honolulu, Hawaii

March 3

, 2017

RE: H.B. No. 891 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. 891, 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 require the Office of the Governor and the Department of Agriculture to develop a strategic plan outlining benchmarks to achieve the Governor's goal of doubling food production by 2020 and to submit a report to the Legislature.

The Hawaii Farm Bureau supported this measure. The Department of Agriculture 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 H.B. No. 891, 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.:  HB 891, HD1	Committee Referral:	Date	2-24-	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)		-		
2. CULLEN, Ty J.K. (VC)				
3. CACHOLA, Romy M.				
4. CHOY, Isaac W.				
5. DeCOITE, Lynn				
6. GATES, Cedric Asuega				
7. HOLT, Daniel			· .	·
8. KEOHOKALOLE, Jarrett				
9. KOBAYASHI, Bertrand		·		
10. LoPRESTI, Matthew S.				
11. LOWEN, Nicole E.		·		<u> </u>
12. NAKAMURA, Nadine K.				
13. TOKIOKA, James Kunane				
14. QUINLAN, Sean				
15. YAMASHITA, Kyle T.				
16. TUPOLA, Andria P.L.				<u></u>
17. WARD, Gene		·	:	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
TOTAL (17)	/6	Ø	Ø	/
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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