Honolulu, Hawaii

March 29

, 2017

RE: H.R. No. 81 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 Judiciary, to which was referred H.R. No. 81 entitled:

"HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL TO ESTABLISH A WORKING GROUP TO STUDY FORENSIC LABORATORIES IN THE STATE,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to request that the Department of the Attorney General establish a working group to study forensic laboratories in the state.

Your Committee has amended this measure by adding that a member of the working group be from the Department of Transportation.

The Department of Transportation and the Department of the Attorney General testified in support of this measure. The Honolulu Police Department provided comments on this measure.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Judiciary that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of H.R. No. 81, as amended herein, and recommends that it be referred to your Committee on Finance in the form attached hereto as H.R. No. 81, H.D. 1.

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

SCOTT Y. NISHIMOTO, Chair

## Record of Votes of the Committee on Judiciary

Bill/Resolution No.: Committee				Date:	:	
HR 81	JUD, FIN			3/23/17		
☐ The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.						
The recommendation is to: Pass, unamended (as is) Pass, with amendments (HD)						
☐ Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)						
JUD Members		Ayes	Ayes (W)	R) Nays	Excused	
1. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y. (C)		//			14.1 19	
2. SAN BUENAVENTURA, Joy A. (VC)						
3. BELATTI, Della Au						
4. BROWER, Tom						
5. JOHANSON, Aaron Ling				·		
6. LEE, Chris						
7. MORIKAWA, Dee						
8. NAKASHIMA, Mark M.						
9. OSHIRO, Marcus R.	**					
10. McDERMOTT, Bob						
11. THIELEN, Cynthia			÷.			
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TOTAL (11)		9			1	
The recommendation is:  Adopted						
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:						
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