

Honolulu, Hawaii

February 13, 2018

RE: H.B. No. 2535
H.D. 1

Honorable Scott K. Saiki
Speaker, House of Representatives
Twenty-Ninth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2018
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Health & Human Services, to which was referred H.B. No. 2535 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to

- (1) Prohibit smoking in a motor vehicle in which a person under the age of 18 is present; and
- (2) Require the Department of Health to submit a report to the Legislature prior to the Regular Session of 2020 regarding the enforceability of this measure and coordination of related data collection efforts of the respective law enforcement agencies.

The Department of Health, Hawai'i Public Health Institute, Coalition for a Tobacco-Free Hawaii, Hawaii Children's Action Network, and Blue Zones Project supported this measure.

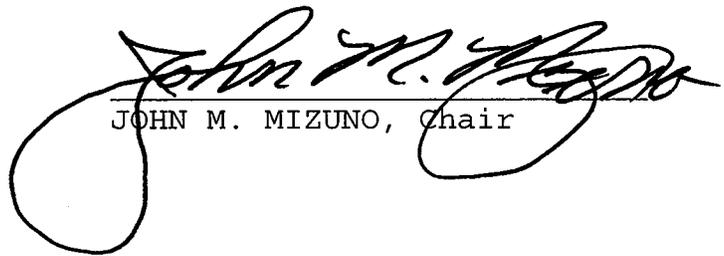
Your Committee has amended this measure by changing its effective date to July 1, 3000, to encourage further discussion.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Health & Human Services that is attached to this



report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 2535, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 2535, H.D. 1, and be referred to your Committee on Judiciary.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Health & Human
Services,


JOHN M. MIZUNO, Chair



