STAND. COM. REP. NO. 1261

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 2 0 2019

RE: H.B. No. 1035

H.D. 1 S.D. 1

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi President of the Senate Thirtieth State Legislature Regular Session of 2019 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Water and Land, to which was referred H.B. No. 1035, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE INTERSTATE WILDLIFE VIOLATOR COMPACT,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to authorize the Department of Land and Natural Resources to enter into the Interstate Wildlife Violator Compact or similar agreement for mutual assistance in the enforcement of wildlife laws.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Department of Land and Natural Resources, Hawaiian Humane Society, The Humane Society of the United States, and two individuals.

Your Committee finds that the Interstate Wildlife Violator Compact is a multistate agreement that promotes enforcement of hunting, fishing, trapping, and other wildlife related regulations across jurisdictions and could prevent wildlife violators who have lost their hunting, fishing, trapping, or other wildlife related privileges in other member states from obtaining a hunting license in Hawaii. Your Committee further finds that the Interstate Wildlife Violator Compact is a common sense way for states to share information on violators who have lost their hunting,

fishing, trapping, or other wildlife related privileges and that Hawaii should be participating in this agreement or a similar agreement.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

- (1) Making it effective on July 1, 2019; and
- (2) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for the purposes of clarity and consistency.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Water and Land that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 1035, H.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 1035, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, and be referred to your Committee on Judiciary.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Water and Land,



The Senate Thirtieth Legislature State of Hawai'i

Record of Votes Committee on Water and Land WTL

Bill / Resolution No.:* HBI035, HD1	Committee		3	/13/1	1019
The Committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure.					
If so, then the previous decision was to:					
The Recommendation is:					
Pass, unamended Pass, with amendments Hold Recommit 2312 2311 2310 2313					
Members		Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
KAHELE, Kaialiʻi (C)		X			
KEITH-AGARAN, Gilbert S.C. (VC)		X			
NISHIHARA, Clarence K.		$\stackrel{\leftarrow}{\times}$			
RIVIERE, Gil		X			
FEVELLA, Kurt		<i>'</i>			X
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TOTAL		4			1
Recommendation: Adopted Not Adopted					
Chair's or Designee's Signature:					
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*Only one measure per Record of Votes