STAND. COM. REP. NO. 1706

Honolulu, Hawaii

, 2019

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RE: H.B. No. 1485 H.D. 2

Honorable Scott K. Saiki Speaker, House of Representatives Thirtieth State Legislature Regular Session of 2019 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred H.B. No. 1485, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VOTER REGISTRATION,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to increase voter participation and encourage civic engagement in Hawaii's schools by establishing a process for the automatic preregistration and registration of public school-enrolled students who are at least 16 years old.

The Office of Elections; Hawaii Government Employees
Association, AFSCME Local 152, AFL-CIO; League of Women Voters of
Hawaii, Hawaii Appleseed Center for Law & Economic Justice, Sierra
Club of Hawaii, O'ahu County Committee on Legislative Priorities
of the Democratic Party of Hawaii, Young Progressives Demanding
Action, and several individuals submitted testimony in support of
this measure. An individual submitted testimony in opposition to
this measure. The Department of Education provided comments.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

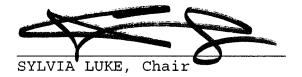
(1) Changing its effective date to July 1, 2030, to encourage further discussion; and

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(2) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for clarity, consistency, and style.

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. 1485, H.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Third Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 1485, H.D. 2.

> Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Finance,



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Record of Votes of the Committee on Finance

Bill/Resolution No.: HB1485, HD1 Committee Referral: Date: 2/240/19				
☐ 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. ELI, Stacelynn K.M.				
4. GATES, Cedric Asuega				
5. HASHIMOTO, Troy N.				
6. HOLT, Daniel				
7. KITAGAWA, Lisa				
8. KOBAYASHI, Bertrand				
9. MATAYOSHI, Scot Z.				
10. NAKAMURA, Nadine K.				
11. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y.				
12. TODD, Chris				
13. WILDBERGER, Tina				
14. YAMASHITA, Kyle T.				
15. McDERMOTT, Bob				
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TOTAL (15)	15	Ø	Ø	9
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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