STAND. COM. REP. NO. 654

Honolulu, Hawaii

February 15 , 2019

RE: H.B. No. 343 H.D. 1

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Economic Development & Business, to which was referred H.B. No. 343 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A SMALL CRAFT BEER PRODUCER TAX CREDIT,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to encourage and expand the growth of the small craft beer industry in Hawaii by establishing a small craft beer producer income tax credit.

REAL gastropub/Bent Tail Brewing Company, Kauai Beer Company, Hawaiian Craft Brewers Guild, Honolulu BeerWorks, Maui Brewing Co., Waikiki Brewing Company, Kaua'i Island Brewing Company, Inu Island Ales, and a few individuals supported this measure. The Department of Taxation, Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism, and Tax Foundation of Hawaii provided comments.

Your Committee has amended this measure by changing its effective date to July 1, 2112, to encourage further discussion.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Economic Development & Business that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 343, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 343, H.D. 1, and be referred to your Committee on Finance.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Economic Development & Business,

ANGUS L.K. McKELVEY, Chair

## State of Hawaii House of Representatives The THIRTIETH Legislature



## Record of Votes of the Committee on Economic Development & Business

Bill/Resolution No.: HB343	Committee Referral: EDB, FIN	Dat	e: 2-8-10	7
☐ 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)				
EDB Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. McKELVEY, Angus L.K. (C)				
2. KITAGAWA, Lisa (VC)				
3. ELI, Stacelynn K.M.				
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4. ICHIYAMA, Linda				
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5. JOHANSON, Aaron Ling				
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6. QUINLAN, Sean	<b>√</b>			
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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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