STAND. COM. REP. NO. 1556

, 2019

Honolulu, Hawaii

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RE: S.B. No. 97

S.D. 2

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred S.B. No. 97, S.D. 2, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to require:

- (1) Databases containing driver's license and civil identification card information to be electronically accessible by election officials and the statewide voter registration system for election purposes;
- (2) The Office of Elections to join the Electronic Registration Information Center (ERIC); and
- (3) The State and each county to utilize ERIC to verify their respective voter registration rolls.

The Office of Elections, Common Cause Hawaii, O'ahu County Committee on Legislative Priorities of the Democratic Party of Hawai'i, and an individual testified in support. An individual testified in opposition to 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 is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 97, S.D. 2, and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be referred to your Committee on Finance.

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

CHRIS LEE, Chair

State of Hawaii House of Representatives The THIRTIETH Legislature

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Judiciary

Bill/Resolution No.: SB 97 SD2	Committee Referral:	Date:	3/18/19	
☐ 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)				
JUD Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. LEE, Chris (C)				
2. SAN BUENAVENTURA, Joy A.	(VC)			
3. BROWER, Tom				
4. CREAGAN, Richard P.				
5. LOWEN, Nicole E.				
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7. MORIKAWA, Dee				
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11. THIELEN, Cynthia				
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TOTAL (11)	8			3
The recommendation is: Mot Adopted Not Adopted did not support recommendation. committee acronym(s)				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
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