STAND. COM. REP. NO.



Honolulu, Hawaii FEB 11 2021

RE: S.B. No. 1333 S.D. 1

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi President of the Senate Thirty-First State Legislature Regular Session of 2021 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Health, to which was referred S.B. No. 1333 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to remove cannabidiol drugs that have been approved by the United States Food and Drug Administration from the list of Schedule V substances for consistency with federal laws.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from Greenwich Biosciences, Inc.

Your Committee finds that section 329—11, Hawaii Revised Statutes, requires that the State's list of controlled substances comport with the list of controlled substances under federal law. Your Committee further finds that Food and Drug Administration recently approved the prescription drug Epidiolex, and generic versions of that drug which is a plant-derived prescription cannabinoid product used to treat seizures associated with certain types of epilepsy, including rare and difficult to treat forms of childhood-onset epilepsy. This measure brings state law in conformity with federal law by removing approved cannabidiol drugs from the State's schedule V list of controlled substances.

Your Committee has amended this measure by 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 Health that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 1333, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 1333, S.D. 1, and be referred to your Committee on Judiciary.

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

RRETT KEOHOKALOLE, Chair

The Senate Thirty-First Legislature State of Hawai'i

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SB 1333	HTH,	JDC		2-8-3	2021
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
KEOHOKALOLE, Jarrett (C)					
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