STAND. COM. REP. NO. 1735

Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 08 ' 2021

RE: S.C.R. No. 186 S.D. 1

Honorable Scott K. Saiki Speaker, House of Representatives Thirty-First State Legislature Regular Session of 2021 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection, to which was referred S.C.R. No. 186, S.D. 1, entitled:

"SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION DESIGNATING APRIL AS TREE AWARENESS MONTH IN THE STATE OF HAWAII,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to designate April as Tree Awareness Month in the State.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from Trees for Honolulu's Future and two individuals.

Your Committee finds that trees have been identified as an important tool to combat global climate change, reduce society's carbon footprint, and help communities become healthier. This measure builds awareness of the many benefits of trees and provides community building and educational and economic opportunities through related events.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of S.C.R. No. 186, S.D. 1, and recommends that it be referred to your Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs.

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Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection,

MICOLE E. LOWEN, Chair

State of Hawaii House of Representatives The Thirty-first Legislature

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection

Bill/Resolution No.: SCR 186 SD1	Committee Referral:	Date	4/6/21	
☐ The committee is reconsidering its previous	EEP, JHA		1/0/24	
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)				
EEP Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. LOWEN, Nicole E. (C)				
2. MARTEN, Lisa (VC)				
3. HASHEM, Mark J.				
4. MATAYOSHI, Scot Z.				
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5. PERRUSO, Amy A.		Militar No. 1 July 18		
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6. TODD, Chris	in the second se			
7. TOKIOKA, James Kunane				
8. MATSUMOTO, Lauren				
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TOTAL (8)	6			2
The recommendation is: Adopted If joint referral, committee acronym(s) Not Adopted did not support recommendation.				
Vice Chair's or designee's signaturg:				
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