STAND. COM. REP. NO. 745 -22

Honolulu, Hawaii

, 2022

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RE: H.B. No. 1582

H.D. 1

Honorable Scott K. Saiki Speaker, House of Representatives Thirty-First State Legislature Regular Session of 2022 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Health, Human Services, & Homelessness, to which was referred H.B. No. 1582 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHILD CARE,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to require child care providers, including persons who are otherwise exempt from the State's child care laws, licensed child care providers, and employees of licensed child care providers, to provide certain information to the Department of Human Services each year.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from Hawaii Children's Action Network Speaks!. Your Committee received comments on this measure from the Department of Human Services and Executive Office on Early Learning.

Your Committee finds that the Department of Human Services' Early Childhood Registry is optional for family child care providers. Since the registry does not collect information from all child care providers, the State lacks the data necessary to understand its child care workforce. This in turn hinders the ability to create strategic policy to address the critical child care provider workforce shortage. Your Committee further finds that making the Early Childhood Registry required for a greater share of child care providers and requiring information to be

updated annually will provide more robust information necessary for the implementation of programs and services that impact young children and their adult caregivers.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

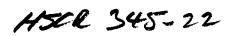
- (1) Changing the effective date to July 1, 2060, to encourage further discussion; and
- (2) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for the purposes of clarity, consistency, and style.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Health, Human Services, & Homelessness that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 1582, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 1582, H.D. 1, and be referred to your Committee on Finance.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Health, Human Services, & Hom<u>eles</u>sness,

1. AMANE, Chair

State of Hawaii House of Representatives The Thirty-first Legislature



Record of Votes of the Committee on Health, Human Services, & Homelessness

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HB 1582					
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)					
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