STAND. COM. REP. NO. 1660-22

Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 01 , 2022

H.R. No. 88 RE: 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.R. No. 88 entitled:

"HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO EXAMINE ISSUES AND BARRIERS TO ENFORCEMENT TO REDUCE NOISE FROM TWO-STROKE ENGINES, MOPEDS AND SMALL OFF-ROAD ENGINES AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE LEGISLATURE REGARDING CHANGES TO STATUTES, RULES, AND OTHER GUIDANCE NEEDED TO HELP REDUCE NOISE FROM THESE SOURCES,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to request the Department of Health to examine issues and barriers to enforcement to reduce noise from two-stroke engines, mopeds, and small off-road engines.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from Climate Protectors Hawai'i. Your Committee received testimony in opposition to this measure from one individual.

Your Committee finds that noise pollution is a serious, prevalent, and increasing problem affecting quality of life in all areas of the State. Your Committee further finds that existing regulations are not effectively enforced and do not adequately address noise pollution emitted from two-stroke engines, mopeds, and small off-road engines. This measure addresses ongoing enforcement issues by requesting the Department of Health to

2022-2700 HR88 HD1 HSCR HMSO  examine issues and barriers to enforcement of noise control regulations.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

- (1) Removing the President of the Senate and Speaker of the House of Representatives from the list of individuals who will receive a certified copy of this measure;
- (2) Making technical amendments to its title; and
- (3) 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 concurs with the intent and purpose of H.R. No. 88, as amended herein, and recommends its adoption in the form attached hereto as H.R. No. 88, H.D. 1.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Health, Human Services, & Homelessness,

RYAN I. YAMANE, Chair

## State of Hawaii House of Representatives The Thirty-first Legislature



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

Bill/Resolution No.:	Committee Referral:	Date:		
HR 88	HHH	03-29-2022		
☐ 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)				
HHH Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays Excused	
1. YAMANE, Ryan I. (C)				
2. TAM, Adrian K. (VC)				
3. GATES, Cedric Asuega				
4. HAR, Sharon E.				
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5. KAPELA, Jeanne		 		
6. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y.				
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7. WARD, Gene				
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TOTAL (7)	- 7			
The recommendation is:  Adopted  If joint referral,  committee acronym(s)  Adopted  did not support recommendation.				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
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