Honolulu, Hawaii

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RE: S.B. No. 2670

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Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi President of the Senate Thirty-First State Legislature Regular Session of 2022 State of Hawaii

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

## Sirs:

Your Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House of Representatives in S.B. No. 2670, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII STATE LESBIAN, GAY, BISEXUAL, TRANSGENDER, QUEER, PLUS COMMISSION,"

having met, and after full and free discussion, has agreed to recommend and does recommend to the respective Houses the final passage of this bill in an amended form.

The purpose of this measure is to establish the Hawaii State Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Queer, Plus Commission to provide for a statewide program, on a permanent and continuing basis, on the status of lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer, plus individuals in Hawaii.

Your Committee on Conference finds that individuals of the lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer, plus (LGBTQ+) community are at elevated risks of bullying, suicide, and ostracism. Your Committee on Conference further finds that the creation of a

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commission, as provided by this measure, will advance equity and is an important step to meet the needs of Hawaii's LGBTQ+ community.

Your Committee on Conference has amended this measure by making it effective upon its approval.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the managers of your Committee on Conference that is attached to this report, your Committee on Conference is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 2670, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Final Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 2670, S.D. 2, H.D. 2, C.D. 1.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the managers:

ON THE PART OF THE HOUSE

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Co-Ch

ADRIĀN K. TAM

Co-Chair

ON THE PART OF THE SENATE

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Co-Chair

MAILE S.L. SHIMABUKURO

Co-Chair

## Hawai'i State Legislature

## Record of Votes of a Conference Committee

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The Committee is reconsidering its previous decision.									
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