

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

878

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 02 , 2023

RE: H.B. No. 388
H.D. 1

Honorable Scott K. Saiki
Speaker, House of Representatives
Thirty-Second State Legislature
Regular Session of 2023
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred H.B. No. 388, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to:

- (1) Adopt the National Instructional Materials Accessibility Standard to provide for the timely availability of accessible instructional materials and technology for eligible students; and
- (2) Require the Department of Education to obtain instructional materials in accessible formats for eligible students.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Disability and Communication Access Board, Hawaii State Committee of Blind Vendors, National Federation of the Blind of Hawaii, Hoopono, and ten individuals. Your Committee received comments on this measure from the Department of Education.

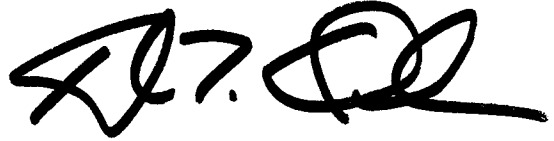
As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Finance that is attached to this report, your

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Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 388, H.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Third Reading.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Finance,



KYLE T. YAMASHITA, Chair



