

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

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Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 17, 2023

RE: S.C.R. No. 88

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Human Services, to which was referred
S.C.R. No. 88 entitled:

"SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE OFFICE OF
WELLNESS AND RESILIENCE ESTABLISH THE MALAMA OHANA WORKING
GROUP TO IDENTIFY, DESIGN, AND RECOMMEND TRANSFORMATIVE
CHANGES TO THE STATE'S CHILD WELFARE SYSTEM,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to request the Office of
Wellness and Resilience establish the Malama Ohana Working Group
to identify, design, and recommend transformative changes to the
Child Welfare System.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure
from Hawai'i Youth Services Network and the Office of Wellness and
Resilience. Your Committee received comments on this measure from
the Department of Human Services.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your
Committee on Human Services that is attached to this report, your
Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of S.C.R. No. 88 and
recommends that it be referred as is to your Committee on Finance.

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Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Human Services,



JOHN M. MIZUNO, Chair



