STAND. COM. REP. NO.

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Honolulu, Hawaii

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RE: H.B. No. 1426

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. 1426, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO VALUE-ADDED PRODUCTS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to:

- (1) Establish a food and product innovation network with the Agribusiness Development Corporation; and
- (2) Appropriate funds for food and product innovation facilities on the islands of Molokai, Oahu, and Hawaii as part of the food and product innovation network.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Department of Agriculture, Department of Research and Development of the County of Hawaii, Ulupono Initiative, Hawaiii Farm Bureau, and Hawaii Food Industry Association. Your Committee received comments on this measure from the University of Hawaiii System; Agribusiness Development Corporation; and The Food Basket, Hawaii Island's Food Bank.

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

Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of $H.B.\ No.\ 1426,\ H.D.\ 1,$ and recommends that it pass Third Reading.

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



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Record of Votes of the Committee on Finance

	nittee Referral: R,Fの,FN	Date	2/23/23	
☐ 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)				
FIN Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
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3. AIU, Micah P.K.				
4. CHUN, Cory M.				
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9. KOBAYASHI, Bertrand				
10. LAMOSAO, Rachele F.				。 · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
11. MORIKAWA, Dee				
12. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y.	V	BASE OF COUNTY CAMPAINS OF A STATE OF THE COUNTY		
13. POEPOE, Mahina	V			
14. TAKENOUCHI, Jenna				
15. ALCOS III, David				
16. WARD, Gene				<u>.</u>
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TOTAL (16)	16	U	D	0
The recommendation is: Adopted If joint referral, did not support recommendation. committee acronym(s)				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
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