STAND. COM. REP. NO. 3443

Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 0 3 2024

RE: S.R. No. 87

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi President of the Senate Thirty-Second State Legislature Regular Session of 2024 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Agriculture and Environment, to which was referred S.R. No. 87 entitled:

"SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAI'I CLIMATE CHANGE MITIGATION AND ADAPTATION COMMISSION TO CONDUCT AN EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM REGARDING THE ACTIVITIES OF INDIVIDUALS THAT CONTRIBUTE TO CLIMATE CHANGE,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to request the Hawaii Climate Change Mitigation and Adaptation Commission to:

- (1) Conduct an educational program regarding the activities of individuals that contribute to climate change; and
- (2) Coordinate with the Department of Health in the implementation of the educational program.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from Citizens' Climate Lobby Hawaii and one individual.

Your Committee finds that there is misleading information regarding how effective certain actions are at mitigating climate change. Your Committee further finds that this may deceive consumers into believing that they are reducing their carbon footprint more than they actually are. This measure will accurately inform the public on the personal activities, habits,

and lifestyle choices that they can make to effectively decrease the rate of global warming.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Agriculture and Environment that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of S.R. No. 87 and recommends its adoption.

> Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Agriculture and Environment,

The Senate Thirty-Second Legislature State of Hawaiʻi

Record of Votes Committee on Agriculture and Environment AEN

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SR 87	Committee Referral: Date: 3/27/24				
The Committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure.					
If so, then the previous decision was to:					
The Recommendation is:					
Pass, unamended Pass, with amendments Hold Recommit 2312 2311 2310 2313					
Members		Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
GABBARD, Mike (C)		V			
RICHARDS, III, Herbert M. "Tim" (VC)					
DECOITE, Lynn		✓			
RHOADS, Karl		V			
AWA, Brenton		, ,			
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Recommendation:					
Adopted Not Adopted					
Chair's or Designee's Signature:					
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