

Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 02 , 2026

RE: H.R. No. 116

Honorable Nadine K. Nakamura
Speaker, House of Representatives
Thirty-Third State Legislature
Regular Session of 2026
State of Hawaii

Madame:

Your Committee on Housing, to which was referred H.R. No. 116
entitled:

"HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME
LANDS TO EXPAND AND STRENGTHEN FINANCIAL LITERACY, CREDIT
READINESS, AND HOMEOWNERSHIP PREPAREDNESS PROGRAMS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to request the Department of
Hawaiian Home Lands to expand and strengthen programs that improve
financial literacy, credit readiness, and homeownership
preparedness for beneficiaries, supporting long-term housing
stability and generational wealth.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure
from the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands, Hawaiian Council, and
one individual.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your
Committee on Housing that is attached to this report, your
Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of H.R. No. 116 and
recommends that it be referred to your Committee on Judiciary &
Hawaiian Affairs.



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

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LUKE A. EVSLIN, Chair



