

STAND. COM. REP. NO. **203**-26

Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 09 , 2026

RE: S.B. No. 3063
S.D. 1
H.D. 1

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

Madame:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred S.B. No. 3063, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
PROCUREMENT,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to exempt from the Hawaii Public Procurement Code procurements by the Department of Education of any amount of local edible produce and packaged food products that cost no more than five percent more than non-local alternatives.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Department of Education; Hawai'i Farm Bureau; Hawai'i Food+ Policy; Hawai'i Farmers Union United; Agriculture Stewardship Hawai'i; and one individual. Your Committee received comments on this measure from the State Procurement Office.

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 S.B. No. 3063, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Third Reading.

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



CHRIS TODD, Chair



