

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

1451

Honolulu, Hawaii

April 9, 2015

RE: H.R. No. 87  
H.D. 2

Honorable Joseph M. Souki  
Speaker, House of Representatives  
Twenty-Eighth State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2015  
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred H.R. No. 87,  
H.D. 1, entitled:

"HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY  
TO FORM A WORKING GROUP TO EXAMINE SMARTER SENTENCING TO  
IMPROVE THE QUALITY AND RELIABILITY OF STATE CRIMINAL  
SENTENCING PRACTICES,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to request the Department of  
Public Safety to form a working group to examine smarter  
sentencing in order to improve the quality and reliability of  
state criminal sentencing practices.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

(1) Inserting language to include the Sex Abuse Treatment  
Center representation in the working group;

(2) Inserting language to include representation of a  
domestic violence advocacy group, such as the Hawaii State  
Coalition Against Domestic Violence, in the working group; and

(3) Inserting language to include the Mothers Against Drunk  
Driving representation in the working group.



As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Finance that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of H.R. No. 87, H.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends its adoption in the form attached hereto as H.R. No. 87, H.D. 2.

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

  
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SYLVIA LUKE, Chair



