STAND. COM. REP. NO. <u>1478</u> Honolulu, Hawaii

RE: H.B. No. 1525

H.D. 1 S.D. 1

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi President of the Senate Thirtieth State Legislature Regular Session of 2019 State of Hawaii Sir:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred H.B. No. 1525, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII STATE PUBLIC LIBRARY SYSTEM BUDGET," begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to appropriate or authorize funds for programs of the Hawaii State Public Library System for the 2019-2021 fiscal biennium.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Hawaii State Public Library System, **@**€~ahu County Committee on Legislative Priorities of the Democratic Party of Hawaiâ€~i, and one individual.

Your Committee finds that this measure expresses programs or positions, maximum sums appropriated or authorized, or means of financing indicated for programs of the Hawaii State Public Library System to be incorporated into the General Appropriations Act of 2019, or other appropriate legislative vehicle, or to be adopted separately.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

- (1) Deleting the program appropriations and inserting the program appropriations related to the Hawaii State Public Library System (EDN407) from S.B. No. 37, S.D. 1 (Regular Session 2019); and
  - (2) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for the purposes of clarity and consistency.

Your Committee requests that if your Committee on Ways and Means passes this measure that it consider incorporating the items in this measure into the appropriate legislative vehicle or amend this measure to include any provisions necessary to effectuate its purpose and intent.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Education that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 1525, H.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 1525, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, and be referred to your Committee on Ways and Means.

Respectfully Education,	y submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on
	MICHELLE N. KIDANI, Chair