STAND. COM. REP. NO. <u>1868-22</u> Honolulu, Hawaii

, 2022

RE: S.B. No. 2125 H.D. 1

Honorable Scott K. Saiki Speaker, House of Representatives Thirty-First State Legislature Regular Session of 2022 State of Hawaii Sir:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred S.B. No. 2125, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO LIQUOR LICENSES,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to increase the maximum allowable fine for violations of the liquor control laws by a licensee from \$2,000 to \$5,000.

Your Committee received testimony in opposition to this measure from Lanikai Brewing Company, Maui Brewing Company, and Hawaii Food Industry Association.

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. 2125, H.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Third Reading.

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

SYLVIA LUKE, Chair