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Chair Karl Rhoads and Members of the Judiciary Committee

My name is Gary Yabuta, and I am the Executive Director of the Hawaii High Intensity Drug Trafficking Area (HIDTA)--a grant-funded program of the Office of National Drug Control Policy, Executive Office of the President. The Hawaii HIDTA supports drug interdiction and demand reduction strategies by developing collaborative federal, state, and local enforcement task forces and prevention programs throughout the Hawaii, including the City and County of Honolulu, Hawaii County, Maui County, and Kauai County. I was also the Chief of Police for the Maui Police Department and I have 45 years in law enforcement experience.

I support HB 1980 as this act is a pioneer attempt to criminalize cockfighting in Hawaii, which I know is linked to violent organized crime, gambling abuse, and narcotic trafficking. Local law enforcement cannot curtail cockfighting activity without meaningful laws and authority. This hideous form of inhumane sport will continue under current law.

Sincerely,

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**Testimony of the Office of the Public Defender, State of Hawaii to the Senate
Committee on Judiciary**

3-14-2024

Chair: Sen. Karl Rhoads
Vice Chair: Sen. Mike Gabbard
Honorable Committee Members

The Office of the Public Defender respectfully offers comments on HB 1980, HD 1.

The purpose of this Bill is to create a statutory prohibition against bird fighting that carries a felony penalty. Furthermore, the bill would, in part, prohibit the attendance of said fights by minors, and have an escalating level of penalties for other activities related to said fights. The OPD supports the idea of a statutory prohibition regarding bird fighting, but feels that the first time penalties in the proposed 711-A are too severe (Class C felony). The OPD would instead suggest that the legislature take the same approach as proposed in 711-B, where in, the first offense would be a misdemeanor, and subsequent offenses would escalate to a class C felony. This approach is more sensitive to the generations long participation, and the somewhat quasi-acceptance, in some circles, of this activity. Furthermore, it will give the community time to be educated on the intent of the legislature to ban this activity, and all the tangential problems that it has caused. During any probationary period for first time offenders, the court can order attendance to educational classes designed to educate and change attitudes regarding animal fighting and other cruel practices aimed at animals. This type of approach has far greater opportunity to deter these practices than harsh penalties calling for lengthy jail terms.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on this bill.

increase the penalties for all crimes involving cruelty to animals, in the hope that said increases will deter individuals from committing these crimes. The OPD oppose these types of measures, because there is no established corollary between an increase in penalties and the deterrence of the criminal activity. What does happen, is that our prison populations increase, leading to a further financial burden for the state of Hawaii. Perhaps a more effective mechanism to deter such conduct would be to have enhanced penalties for a repeated violation of such crimes. Thus, when sentenced for the first time, a defendant can be warned of the enhanced penalties for future crimes, which may deter them from committing said future offenses, and they can then benefit from specific terms of probation to modify thinking related to the treatment of animals. To set such serious punishments, such as 10 or 20 years of incarceration for first time offenders equates the crimes herein, to many of our most serious criminal offenses. The OPD shares the belief that cruelty to any sentient being should not be tolerated in any decent society, but to create a cultural change regarding this concept takes more than harsh punishments. Instead, we need reminding that we are not just human beings, but humane beings.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on this measure.

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TESTIMONY ON HOUSE BILL 1980, HOUSE DRAFT 1
RELATING TO ANIMAL CRUELTY
Before the Senate Committee on Judiciary
Thursday, March 14, 2024; 9:30 a.m.
State Capitol Conference Room 016, Via Videoconference
WRITTEN TESTIMONY ONLY

Chair Rhoads, Vice Chair Gabbard, and members of the Committee:

The Department of Law Enforcement (DLE) **supports** House Bill 1980.

This bill establishes criminal penalties relating to the fighting birds to closely mirror laws relating to the illegal fighting of dogs.

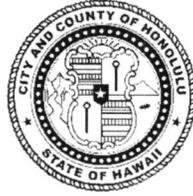
This bill strengthens the criminal penalties for participating in illegal bird fighting as well as allowing a minor to attend these types of fights. Events involving the illegal fighting of animals not only involve the cruelty to the animals pressed into fighting, but typically involve a host of other illegal activities including gambling, promotion of various categories of drugs, and acts of violence. Compounding the problem is the fact that these illegal activities regularly involve various levels and bodies of organized crime thereby further endangering our community and those present.

While some will disregard the penalties of the illegal behavior, this bill will help defer participation in these events by many.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify in support of this bill.

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March 14, 2024

The Honorable Karl Rhoads, Chair
and Members
Committee on Judiciary
State Senate
415 South Beretania Street, Room 325
Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

Dear Chair Rhoads and Members:

SUBJECT: House Bill No. 1980, H.D.1, Relating to Animal Cruelty

I am Mike Lambert, Major of the Narcotics/Vice Division of the Honolulu Police Department (HPD), City and County of Honolulu.

The HPD supports House Bill 1980, H.D.1, Relating to Animal Cruelty.

This bill creates penalties relating to the fighting of birds.

Illegal cock fighting is directly associated with a plethora of other criminal activities such as illegal gambling, illegal drug distribution, illegal firearms possession, endangerment of minors, and crimes of violence. The HPD believes that strengthening existing laws relating to the fighting of birds deters associated crimes. This bill helps create a safer community for everyone.

The HPD urges you to support House Bill 1980, H.D.1, Relating to Animal Cruelty. Thank you for the opportunity to testify.

APPROVED:

Sincerely,



Arthur J. Logan
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Mike Lambert
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Thirty-Second State Legislature
Regular Session of 2024
State of Hawai'i

March 14, 2024

RE: H.B. 1980, H.D. 1; RELATING TO ANIMAL CRUELTY.

Chair Rhoads, Vice Chair Gabbard, and members of the Senate Committee on Judiciary, the Department of the Prosecuting Attorney of the City and County of Honolulu ("Department") submits the following testimony, **supporting** H.B. 1980, H.D. 1.

The purpose of the bill is to establish the separate offense and applicable penalties relating to the fighting of birds in the first and second degrees.

The Department supports the strengthening of existing laws relating to animal cruelty. Illegal chicken fighting is associated with a number of criminal activities, including illegal gambling, acts of violence against others, illegal firearms possession, and drug use and distribution. The felony classification reflects the harm these events bring to communities, and removes the notion that this is simply a sporting event.

Thank you for the opportunity to present testimony on HB 1980, H.D. 1.

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**TESTIMONY ON HB 1980 HD1
RELATING TO ANIMAL CRUELTY**

TO: Honorable Karl Rhoads, Chair
Honorable Mike Gabbard, Vice Chair
Senate Committee on Judiciary

FROM: Department of the Prosecuting Attorney, County of Maui

DATE: March 13, 2024

SUBJECT: SUPPORT OF HB 1980 HD1, RELATING TO ANIMAL CRUELTY

The Department of the Prosecuting Attorney, County of Maui respectfully submits the following comments **in support of H.B. 1980 HD1**, Relating to Animal Cruelty. This measure would strengthen existing laws against animal cruelty by creating new offenses and penalties for the fighting of birds in the first and second degree. We support this measure for the following reasons:

1. This measure is necessary to ensure that the bettors, land owners and other people who provide material support for animal cruelty are held accountable. While existing law has a separate set of offenses allowing prosecution of people who attend, wager on or otherwise provide material support for dog fighting, no clear equivalent exists for bird fighting despite its long history in our community.
2. Eliminating illegal bird fighting has the added benefit of reducing other forms of criminal activity. Illegal gambling and drug trafficking are often present at bird fights, and the underground nature of bird fighting provides organized crime elements a way to quietly maintain a foothold in our community. Allowing prosecution of those who provide venues, organization and other material support for bird fighting is a significant step in reducing other forms of criminal activity.

We also offer the following suggested amendments on this measure:

1. Page 3, lines 5-6 of the Cruelty to Animals by Fighting Birds in the Second Degree

offense prohibits allowing minors to be present at or attend a fight between birds. To avoid potential vagueness issues with the word “allow”, we suggest amending lines 5-6 of page 3 as follows:

(iii) Encourages, facilitates or otherwise assists a minor to be present at or attend a fight between birds.

2. Page 5, line 4 of the Cruelty to Animals by Fighting Birds in the Second Degree offense (gambling on a fight between birds, a petty misdemeanor offense) appears to overlap somewhat with the existing offenses of Gambling (HRS § 712-1223, a misdemeanor offense) or Promoting Gambling in the Second Degree (HRS § 712-1222, a class C felony offense). To avoid potential issues, we suggest removing subsection (1)(a) from page 5, line 4 and inserting that language into the Cruelty to Animals by Fighting Birds in the First Degree offense as subsection (1)(a)(iv) on page 3 as follows:

[...]

(ii) Owns, trains, transports, possesses, buys, sells, transfers, or equips any bird with the intent that the bird be engaged in a fight between birds; or

(iii) Allows any minor to be present at or attend a fight between birds; or

(iv) Gambles on a fight between birds;

[...]

This amendment would also make the penalty for gambling on bird fights consistent with the existing class C felony penalty for wagering on dog fights under HRS § 711-1109.35(1)(a).

In the alternative, the penalty for the Cruelty to Animals by Fighting Birds in the Second Degree offense could be amended to make gambling on a fight between birds a misdemeanor offense as follows:

[...]

(3) Any person who violates this section shall be subject to a fine of no less than \$1,000 or imprisoned no more than thirty days, or both; provided that:

(a) If the person has one prior conviction for the same offense in the preceding five-year period, **or if the offense involves gambling on a fight between birds pursuant to subsection (1)(a)**, the person shall be subject to a fine of no less than \$2,000 or imprisoned no more than one year, or both;

[...]

For the foregoing reasons, the Department of the Prosecuting Attorney, County of Maui supports HB 1980 HD1 and suggest some clarifying amendments. Please feel free to contact our

office at (808) 270-7777 if you have any questions or inquiries. Thank you very much for the opportunity to provide testimony on this bill.



March 14, 2024, 930am

JDC Committee

RE: STRONG SUPPORT HB1980; Relating to Cruelty; Fighting Birds

Dear Chair Rhoads, Vice-Chair Gabbard and Judiciary Committee Members,

The Animal Welfare Institute **strongly supports HB1980 HD1**; which would create first and second degree penalties for the fighting of birds.

This measure is the product of months long discussions and input from the Attorney General, Honolulu Police Department VICE unit, County Prosecutors from Honolulu, Kauai, Hawaii Island and Maui, and statewide animal care and control agencies, to ensure the bill is both effective and enforceable.

A double homicide at a cockfight in Maili in April of 2023, reminds us of the connection between animal fighting and human violence. Unfortunately, this was yet one of many instances of violence that has occurred at these fights over many decades. A cockfight in Kealahou in May of 2023, where an estimated 800 people were in attendance, yielded 3 charges for illegal guns and drugs. Further, the US Attorney, Department of Justice and Drug Enforcement Agency (DEA) are currently prosecuting a years-long illegal cockfighting operation in Waianae (see media list below).

These cases demonstrate what state and federal law enforcement has long recognized-- animal fighting goes hand in hand with illegal gambling, drug trafficking, illegal firearms possession, organized crime and the endangerment of minors. Further, public health and state veterinarians have long recognized that animal fighting creates public and animal health risks associated with the trafficking of birds between properties, whom often carry zoonotic/transmissible diseases which could impact humans, agriculture and other avian species.

Cockfighting is a crime in every state and 42 states penalize it as a felony. It is illegal to be a spectator at fights in 43 states, possess or sell birds for fighting purposes in 39 states and possess animal fighting paraphernalia in 29 states. Cockfighting is a mere misdemeanor in Hawaii and offers no explicit penalties for the afore-mentioned offenses, including allowing children to attend such bloody spectacles.

Animal fighting is a federal felony offense under the Animal Fighting Prohibition Enforcement Act, however, federal law enforcement, is **ONLY** able to intervene on state level animal fighting cases where there is a federal nexus, such as when animals or paraphernalia are involved in interstate or international commerce. When federal agencies become involved, as demonstrated

in the current investigation, it is often only after many years of investigation. Strong state laws are thus critically needed and as noted in the attached statements from the National Association of Prosecuting Attorneys and the National Sheriffs Association.

While Hawaii is one of only a few states that lacks any felony level penalty for cockfighting, our state anti-dogfighting law has been a felony for more than a decade. Thus, HB1980 was modeled after our existing anti dog-fighting law, upgraded to a felony in 2011, and likewise proposes First degree (Class C felony) penalties for the most egregious offenses—those organizing, hosting or promoting a fight, including buying and selling the animals, or those who allow minors to attend the fights. Second degree (misdemeanor) penalties are proposed for those knowingly attending or gambling on a fight or possessing illegal animal fighting devices, and although *all of these offenses* are felonies under our state anti-dogfighting statute.

Please note this bill would **not** prohibit the continued lawful keeping of birds for food production, as pets, or for show purposes. The bill explicitly relates to birds being used for fighting purposes, and as “fight between birds” is defined in this measure. Further, the possession with intent and additional language used throughout this measure has been upheld in multiple 9th Circuit Court decisions over decades.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide testimony on this important bill to protect the safety, health and welfare of our entire community.

Inga Gibson

On behalf of the Animal Welfare Institute

Media sampling of recent cases:

<https://www.justice.gov/usao-hi/pr/six-arrested-conspiracy-and-operation-illegal-cockfighting-gambling-business>

<https://www.hawaiinewsnow.com/2023/11/23/federal-judge-denies-bail-accused-west-oahu-gang-leader/>

<https://apnews.com/article/hawaii-cockfighting-shooting-death-7cfeda7617dabf9e1e1907d3b76cf132>

<https://www.usatoday.com/story/news/nation/2023/04/21/hawaii-cockfight-shooting/11711529002/>

<https://www.civilbeat.org/2023/04/the-battle-against-cockfighting-in-hawaii-lax-enforcement-helps-foster-an-attitude-of-whats-wrong-with-it/>

<https://bigislandnow.com/2023/03/06/800-attend-big-island-cockfight-four-men-charged-with-firearms-drug-offenses/>

<https://www.civilbeat.org/2023/04/hawaiis-cockfight-economy-is-worth-millions-of-dollars-a-year/>



ASSOCIATION OF
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Statement of Principles on Animal Fighting

As a national association dedicated to supporting and enhancing the effectiveness of prosecutors in their efforts to create safer communities, ensure justice, and uphold public safety, the Association of Prosecuting Attorneys (APA) hereby submits this statement of principles regarding the prosecution of animal fighting crimes.

Recognizing animals' capacity to suffer, every state's criminal code and the federal government punish animal fighting at the felony level.

There is a direct link between the criminal acts of animal fighting and other serious felonies, such as illegal firearms and gambling, drug distribution, money laundering, aggravated assaults, child pornography, human trafficking, and gang activity. Experts recognize the need for higher penalties for animal fighting and its associated activities, including the trafficking of animals and being a spectator to a fight. Holding those perpetrators to felony-level penalties would assign more accountability for the damage they have caused to their communities.

Animal fighting is a crime of violence, injuring and killing thousands of animals per year. It is a crime that warrants felony accountability. Animal fighting perpetuates a climate of violence, fear, and intimidation to both those involved as well as witnesses and the larger community.



2021-08

THE NATIONAL SHERIFFS' ASSOCIATION SUPPORTS THE CHILD AND ANIMAL ABUSE DETECTION AND REPORTING ACT

WHEREAS, the nation's sheriffs, as the highest constitutional law enforcement officers in many counties, cities, and parishes throughout the country, are often called out to cases of intimate partner violence (IPV)¹, defined as a "pattern of abusive behavior in any relationship that is used by one partner to gain or maintain control over another intimate partner²;"

WHEREAS, between 3.3 million and 10 million American children were exposed to IPV³, and one-third of children who witness IPV are victims themselves⁴;

WHEREAS, multiple studies have shown that IPV and animal abuse are often co-occurring, with between 49% to 71% of domestic violence victims reporting pets were threatened, harmed, or killed by the perpetrator⁵, while one 2017 study noted 89% of victims reported some form of animal abuse by a domestic violence perpetrator⁶;

WHEREAS, animal abuse is linked to numerous Adverse Childhood Experiences/Events (ACEs), the exposure to which causes biomedical, emotional, and social problems in children, including mental health issues, substance abuse disorders, and diseases like pulmonary lung disease and hepatitis⁷;

¹ A 2009 report by Andrew Klein estimates that between 15% and 50% of calls to law enforcement are domestic violence-related. Practical Implications of Current Domestic Violence Research: For Law Enforcement, Prosecutors and Judges," National Institute of Justice, June 2009, pg. 1, <https://www.ojp.gov/pdffiles1/nij/225722.pdf>

² What is the Definition of Domestic Violence?, FindLaw.com, Oct. 3, 2018, available at <https://www.findlaw.com/family/domestic-violence/what-is-domestic-violence.html>

³ Resource Center on Domestic Violence: Child Protection and Custody, *Rates of Child Abuse and Child Exposure to Domestic Violence*. Retrieved from <https://www.rcdvcpc.org>.

⁴ National Coalition Against Domestic Violence (2015), *Domestic violence and children*. Retrieved from ncavd.org.

⁵ Facts and Myths about Domestic Violence and Animal Abuse, Animal Welfare Institute, <https://awionline.org/content/facts-and-myths-about-domestic-violence-and-animal-abuse>

⁶ The Link Between Cruelty to Animals and Violence Toward Humans, Animal Legal Defense Fund, <https://aldf.org/article/the-link-between-cruelty-to-animals-and-violence-toward-humans-2/>

⁷ Barbara W. Boat, *Connections among adverse childhood experiences, exposure to animal cruelty and toxic stress: what do professionals need to consider?* Retrieved from <https://www.ashlandmhrb.org/>.

Additionally, exposure to animal cruelty at a young age has been shown to increase the likelihood of acts of animal cruelty from adolescence into adulthood, which is a “sentinel indicator and predictor” linked to a higher likelihood of violence towards humans⁸;

WHEREAS, information from child protection agencies may assist law enforcement in detecting cases of child abuse and other forms of interpersonal violence, allowing for a more effective, coordinated response to these threats to public safety; and

WHEREAS, information on exposure to animal abuse by children and adolescents could lead to early intervention and prevention of later acts of animal cruelty and human violence;

WHEREAS, the Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment Act (CAPTA) does not currently include statistics on animal cruelty cases in the national clearinghouse of information on child abuse and neglect; and

WHEREAS, H.R. 763, the “Child and Animal Abuse Detection and Reporting Act”⁹ would amend CAPTA to include animal abuse incidences in the information collected by the national clearinghouse.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the National Sheriffs’ Association recognizes the association between child and animal abuse and supports the passage of H.R. 763, the “Child and Animal Abuse Detection and Reporting Act” to improve public safety measures by curtailing domestic violence.

⁸ National Link Coalition, *What is the link?* Retrieved from <https://nationallinkcoalition.org>.

⁹ GovTrack.us. (2021). H.R. 763 — 117th Congress: Child and Animal Abuse Detection and Reporting Act. Retrieved from <https://www.govtrack.us/congress/bills/117/hr763>



PRESS RELEASE

Six Arrested for Conspiracy and Operation of An Illegal Cockfighting Gambling Business

Wednesday, November 15, 2023

For Immediate Release

U.S. Attorney's Office, District of Hawaii

HONOLULU – Edward Caspino, 46, of Waianae, William Caspino, 48, of Waianae, Lavern Joseph, 71, of Waianae, and Kerilyn Keliinoi, 31, of Waianae were arraigned today on a four-count Indictment returned by a federal grand jury on October 26, 2023. All four pled not guilty, and trial was set for January 17, 2024. Two other defendants, Fauston Aragon, Jr., 65, of Pearl City, and Howard Unebasami, 80, of Waianae, are expected to appear later this week.

Counts 1 and 2 of the Indictment charge all six defendants with conspiracy and the operation of an illegal gambling business. According to the Indictment, the defendants conducted, financed, managed, supervised, directed or owned an illegal gambling business at a property in Waianae. The group allegedly hosted multiple, large-scale chicken fights, called “derbies,” at the property between June 2020 and March 2023, that involved gambling on the fights, as well as other unlawful games of chance. Count 3 charges Edward Caspino with the operation of illegal game rooms.

If convicted, each defendant faces a term of imprisonment of up to five years, a fine of up to \$250,000, and supervised release of up to three years on each of Counts 1, 2, and 3.

Edward Caspino also made an initial appearance today on a separate Criminal Complaint in

which he is charged with three counts of distribution of 50 grams or more of methamphetamine. According to the Criminal Complaint, on three occasions in July 2021, Edward Caspino distributed approximately one pound of methamphetamine to an individual working with federal law enforcement. Each of these counts carries a mandatory minimum sentence of ten years incarceration, a maximum sentence of life in prison, and a fine of up to \$10,000,000.

The charges in the Indictment and Criminal Complaint are merely accusations, and each of the charged individuals is presumed innocent unless and until proven guilty beyond a reasonable doubt in a court of law. In the case of conviction, any sentence would be imposed by a United States District Judge based on the statutory sentencing factors and the advisory United States Sentencing Guidelines.

The charges are the result of a joint investigation conducted by the Drug Enforcement Administration, the Department of Homeland Security – Homeland Security Investigations, the Federal Bureau of Investigation, and the Coast Guard Investigative Service. The cases are being prosecuted by Assistant U.S. Attorney Michael F. Albanese.

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PRESS RELEASE



2023-05

**NATIONAL SHERIFFS' ASSOCIATION ACKNOWLEDGES
THAT ANIMAL CRUELTY IS A CRIME OF VIOLENCE**

WHEREAS, the National Sheriffs' Association has long recognized the seriousness of animal cruelty crimes, and petitioned the FBI to add these crimes as a separate category to the National Incident Based Reporting System (NIBRS); and

WHEREAS, in response to the National Sheriffs' Association, as well as organizations such as the Animal Welfare Institute, the FBI approved adding animal cruelty offenses to NIBRS in 2014, and began collecting data on these crimes in 2016; and

WHEREAS, the FBI defines animal cruelty as “intentionally, knowingly, or recklessly taking an action that mistreats or kills any animal without just cause, such as torturing, mutilation, maiming, poisoning, or abandonment; and

WHEREAS, all 50 states and four territories have enacted felony animal cruelty statutes for first time offenders; and

WHEREAS, the National Sheriff's Association has been working since 2015 to build the capacity of law enforcement agencies to recognize that animal cruelty crimes can serve as a precursor to more violent crimes, as a co-occurring crime to other types of offenses, and as an interrelated crime to offenses such as domestic violence and elder abuse; and

WHEREAS, in 2018 the Joint Counterterrorism Assessment Team recognized that animal cruelty, particularly when premeditated in nature, is a novel aggression warning behavior, and that the reporting, investigating, and prosecuting of animal cruelty cases may help minimize violent acts toward humans, including terrorism;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the National Sheriffs' Association recognizes that animal cruelty is a novel aggression warning behavior and that designating animal cruelty as a “violent crime” or “crime of violence” would improve public safety.

FEATURES THAT RAISE THE INDEX OF SUSPICION OF ORGANIZED COCKFIGHTING

Cockfighting season usually runs from late November through the beginning of July as birds are not fought during molting, which occurs between late July and mid-November.

Veterinarians may encounter organized cockfighting in one of two ways:

1. Rooster(s) presenting for medical care with medical history findings or physical exam findings suspicious of organized cockfighting that prompts a good faith report to law enforcement.
2. Request from an investigating agency to participate in a scene investigation and/or to render an opinion regarding alterations and/or injuries present on a live or deceased rooster(s) suspected to be involved in organized cockfighting.

Basic Terminology

- **Cock:** male chicken, which has completed its first molt, typically 2 years of age or older
- **Hen:** female chicken
- **Rooster:** male chicken
- **Stag:** young male chicken, which has not yet completed its first molt, typically 18 months of age or younger

Birds associated with organized cockfighting may fall into one of two categories:

1. Breeding
 2. Conditioning/Fighting
- A fighting operation may include only one or any combination of these categories
 - The medical findings (i.e., sex, age, injuries) will vary based on the type of operation

Styles of Cockfighting

- **Knives:** roosters are fought with only one knife, typically attached to the left leg
 - Long knives (may be referred to as Filipino slashers)
 - Short knives (may be referred to as Mexican slashers)
- **Gaffs:** roosters are fought with a pair of gaffs, one on each leg
 - Metal gaff (curved metal blade)
 - Acrylic gaff (about the size of a slightly curved golf tee)
- **Naked heeled:** roosters fought with their natural spurs, which may be sharpened

Scene Investigation

- **Housing**
 - Sexually mature male birds maintained in isolation from other sexually mature male birds
 - May be tethered or housed in an individual enclosure
 - May be housed with hen(s) for breeding purposes
- **More roosters than hens in the population**
- **Paraphernalia associated with organized cockfighting**
 - Pharmaceuticals and nutritional supplements
 - Training and fighting- Sparing muffs, fighting pit (may be disassembled), knives, gaffs, etc.

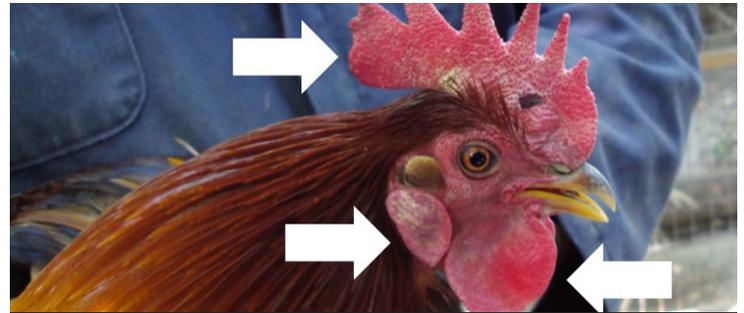


Image 1 – Comb, wattles and earlobes intact



Image 2 – Comb, wattles and earlobes removed



Image 3 – Natural spur



Image 4 – Spur cut down to approx. 1 cm in length



Image 5 – One spur cut down to approx. 1 cm in length (top)

FEATURES THAT RAISE THE INDEX OF SUSPICION OF ORGANIZED COCKFIGHTING

Signalment

- Hybrid strains related to Old English Game, in addition to Oriental Game fowl, such as the American Game are the predominant breed of fighting birds in the U.S.
- Only roosters that have reached sexual maturity are fought
- Roosters will typically begin training/conditioning around 1 year of age or older
- Cocks are typically 4-6 lbs. and well-conditioned (BCS 2-3/3)

Physical Exam Findings

- Removal of all or a portion of the comb, wattles, and ear lobes
- One or both spurs cut down to approximately 1 cm in length (to attach a knife or gaff) or natural spurs may be sharpened
- Dermal Injuries in Roosters that have been fought
 - Primarily located on the head
 - Injured tissue can be edematous and contused, especially peri-orbitally
 - Wounds can also be present on the lateral and ventral aspects of the body, and the legs
 - » Wounds are due to either blunt trauma or sharp trauma
 - » Blunt force injury can be caused by a bird's beak, as it pecks and pulls. Such injuries have been reported to create "hour-glass-like" lesion
 - » Abrasions, also a blunt force injury, can be caused by the bird's claws, natural spurs or acrylic gaff
 - » Sharp force injuries, such as stab or incised wounds can be caused by gaffs or knives
 - Occasionally, if a bird survives a fight, healing wounds or scarring may be observed. This is dependent on the style of fighting, as the use of steel gaffs or knives increases the lethality of the fight
- Bird aggressive and human aggressive behavior
- Permanent or temporary identification (may be used in isolation or in combination):
 - Leg band- Metal band or plastic band placed around one leg of various colors. May contain identifying information, such as a name, identification number, address or phone number. Bird may have more than one leg band present
 - Wing band- Metal band placed through the craniomedial skin of the wing (featherless area). Bands can be various colors and may contain identifying information on one or both sides. Bird may have one or two wing bands present
 - Toe punch- Typically around 5mm in diameter circular skin defect in the interdigital webbing between two toes. One or both feet may be affected, and one or two punches may be present on a single foot. Typically, there is a record of what the toe punches indicate, similar to ear notching in pigs
 - Removal of interdigital webbing- Similar to toe punches, the interdigital skin may also be removed. One or both feet may be affected, and one or two interdigital webbings may be present on a single foot.
 - Tattoo- May occasionally observe a tattoo, typically placed the craniomedial skin of the wing (featherless area), on either the lateral or medial aspect of the wing

Diagnostic Findings

- Anabolic steroids (cocks in training or recently fought)
 - Consider testing if suspected to have been recently fought or being prepared to fight
- Birds maintained for fighting purposes are often infected with a variety of respiratory diseases, some of which may be reportable, including but not limited to:
 - Mycoplasmosis
 - Infectious laryngotracheitis
 - Infectious bronchitis virus
 - Pox virus
- Testing for these and other disease processes, such as Pullorum and Avian Influenza, should be considered and discussed with the State Veterinarian

These are features that may raise your index of suspicion. No one item is indicative of involvement in organized cockfighting, but a closer look into a situation maybe warranted when these findings appear repeatedly or in combination.

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Date: March 12, 2024

To: Chair Sen. Karl Rhoads
Vice Chair Sen. Mike Gabbard
and Members of the Committee on Judiciary

Submitted By: Stephanie Kendrick, Director of Community Engagement
Hawaiian Humane Society, 808-356-2217

RE: Testimony in support of HB 1980, HD1: Relating to Animal Cruelty
Thursday, March 14, 2024, 9:30 a.m., Room 016 & Videoconference

Aloha Chair Rhoads, Vice Chair Gabbard and Committee Members,

On behalf of the Hawaiian Humane Society, thank you for considering our support for House Bill 1980, HD1, which establishes the separate offense and applicable penalties relating to the fighting of birds in the first and second degrees, and takes effect 7/1/3000.

On April 14, Gary Rabellizsa Jr., 34, and Cathy Rabellizsa, 59, were shot to death at a Maili cockfight. Three other men were wounded. According to news reports, the mass shooting may have been the result of rival factions warring over who tipped off the U.S. Department of Justice about an ongoing federal drug case.

Efforts to crack down on cockfighting have failed repeatedly over the years due to strong opposition from those who are making money from these vicious contests. It shouldn't be a surprise that people who are entertained by watching animals slash each other to pieces are also violent toward other human beings. Yet we still have a misdemeanor penalty for cockfighting.

Attempts to frame this as a wholesome family-friendly endeavor are cynical attempts to protect a money-making scheme while training children to abuse animals.

Decades of social science research illustrates why exposing children to cockfighting is particularly concerning.

- Childhood witnessing of animal cruelty results in significantly more risk of adolescent or adult interpersonal violence. (DeGue & DeLillo, 2009)

- Cruelty to animals is one of the earliest symptoms of conduct disorder, showing up at the age of 6-1/2. (Frick et al., 1993)
- 43% of school shooters have histories of animal cruelty. (Verlinden et al., 2000)
- Children who witness or are regularly exposed to acts of violence against pets are traumatized and some may learn to commit animal cruelty themselves. (Currie, 2006)

It is time for a change. These animals are drugged and armed to make the fights as violent and bloody as possible for the entertainment of the crowd. The associated gambling, drug dealing, and illegal weapons are a danger to the entire community. This is not a quaint cultural practice, it is a violent and lucrative criminal enterprise. The state has an urgent interest in shutting it down.

This measure is the result of a collaboration with local law enforcement – including police and prosecutors across the state - with the goal of providing them with more impactful tools to curb this threat to animals and people.

I urge you to pass HB 1980, HD1, to take effect upon approval. Law enforcement needs the tools to punish those who profit off this blood sport in our state, endanger our communities, and desensitize our keiki to cruelty and violence.

Mahalo for your consideration.

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 9:27:29 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Alex Kaea-Pimentel	Testifying for T's farm supply LLC	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

This bill will go against cultural practices and believe of the raising of game fowl and if this bill is past it will severely impact the people of Hawaii that are employed by local feed store. Putting family in danger of loosing their homes and the fact of even being able to support their family

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 11:29:25 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Kevin Cacho	Testifying for Hawaii game breeders association	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose bill 1980

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 1:11:39 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Anson-Drew Hodges	Testifying for Hawaii Game Breeders Association	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

My name is Anson-Drew Hodges and I am a 4th generation American Gamefowl Breeder. Breeding gamefowl has been in my Ohana since the 1950s and I'm planning on carrying the tradition down to my keikis if they have the desire to do so. If this bill passes, it'll end a 70year family tradition on my Chinese side of the family.

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/12/2024 1:12:19 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Marian Hussenbux	Testifying for Animal Interfaith Alliance in Britain	Support	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

HB1980 HD1 Relating to Animal Cruelty increases penalties for the illegal fighting of birds and sets forth nuisance abatement proceedings for chronic offenders. We understand that there has been resistance to similar measures in the past, so it would be a great accomplishment for the State of Hawai'i to pass this measure and see it signed into law.

We are asking that it takes effect upon approval.

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/13/2024 6:46:05 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Chantell Moniz	Testifying for HINA'S LEGACY RESCUE FOUNDATION	Support	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I strongly support this bill.



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Date: March 13, 2024

To: Chair Rhoads, Vice Chair Gabbard and Honorable Members of the
Judiciary Committee

Submitted by: Susan Rhee, Hawaii State Director, Humane Society of
the United States

Re: **Testimony in support of HB 1980**: Relating to Animal Cruelty
Thursday, March 14, 2024, 9:30am, Capitol Room 016

Chair Rhoads, Vice Chair Gabbard and Honorable Committee Members,

On behalf of the Humane Society of the United States and our members, I
am writing to express my **strong support for HB 1980** to establish strong
penalties against cockfighting in Hawaii. Cockfighting is a cruel and barbaric
practice that has no place in a civilized society. It not only inflicts immense
suffering on the animals involved but also fosters a culture of violence and
disregard for the law.

Like dog fighting, cockfighting exists for the purpose of gambling and
entertainment. It is a cruel and inexcusable criminal industry that profits
from violent cruelty to animals. It involves pitting two animals against each
other with sharp metal weapons affixed to their legs to increase suffering
while people who pay to attend the fight wager on which bird will live and
which one will die.

Cockfighting perpetuates and normalizes violence, and desensitizes
individuals, especially children, to the suffering of living beings. If we
tolerate or ignore this cruel practice, we send the message that animal
abuse is acceptable, undermining efforts to promote compassion and
empathy in our society.

Beyond the inherent cruelty inflicted upon the animals, cockfighting also
poses significant risks to public safety. Cockfighting events often attract
criminal elements, including illegal gambling, drug trafficking and money
laundering. These gatherings can become breeding grounds for violence
and organized crime, threatening the safety and well-being of our
communities. In 2023, [Big Island Police Chief Ben Moszkowicz said in an
interview](#), "Almost every single major player on the chicken fighting scene
here is also a major player in terms of illegal narcotic distribution here in
this county".

Cockfighting may also pose risks to public health and the food supply, as it
can facilitate the spread of diseases among birds and potentially to humans.



Close proximity between birds in crowded conditions increases the likelihood of transmitting diseases such as Avian Influenza and virulent New Castle Disease which could devastate the island's poultry and egg production and wild bird population.

While cockfighting may have cultural significance in some communities, societal norms evolve, and practices that inflict harm on animals are increasingly seen as unacceptable. Outlawing cockfighting, just as we've done with dog fighting, reflects a growing recognition of the need to protect animals.

It is imperative that we take decisive action to combat cockfighting and send a clear message that such behavior will not be tolerated in Hawaii. I urge you to support penalties for cockfighting that include strong penalties, a prohibition on trafficking birds for fighting and forfeiture of animals and assets involved in this illegal activity.

Together, we have the power to end the senseless suffering inflicted upon countless animals and uphold the values of compassion, justice, and respect for all living beings. Thank you for considering my testimony and for protecting the welfare of animals in our state.

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/13/2024 8:23:48 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Tiffany Kim	Testifying for Fur-Angel Foundation	Support	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

In support of HB1980 relating to animal cruelty.

Tiffany Kim

Ewa Beach, Hawaii

All
Aloha Senators & House Representatives, JDC Committee

My name is TERRI CAMBRA I reside in Kahalun and I am concerned with how swiftly Bill HB1980 has passed the State Representatives and its JHA committee. As the senator for the district I reside in I humbly request that you review this bill and examine thoroughly how this will impact our communities. As you know many of our neighbor's friends and relatives will become felons if this bill is passed and made law with how it is currently written; many of whom are blue collar, entrepreneurs and working-class people. This bill will negatively impact small businesses who help stimulate economic growth in our islands. It will also dissolve the connections made within families and community with those who maintain small and large-scale chicken farms.

The people that I know who raise chickens are the most loyal to the animal. They purchase feed weekly, purchase medicines, cages, straw, land, and regularly spend at small businesses supporting our local economy. These folks love their fowl so much and they go to great lengths to maintain the healthiest and finest birds (chickens); they are with their fowl every day from when they hatch to when they pass on. They meticulously pay attention to every bird they own, regularly delousing, treating for worms and parasites, trimming beaks and spurs, dubbing combs and waddles, and washing these beautiful birds. Raising fowl is a job in and of its own, but these men, women and children enjoy this and are in adoration of these majestic fowl.

It is extremely unfortunate that there is violence that has been attached to chicken fighting amongst those few indecent people that use the guise of the sport to push other illegal activities. I do not support drug distribution, I do not support game rooms, I do not support gun violence, I do not support dog fights. However, these things should not subject those that truly love raising Game fowl for cultural and heritage reasons to become felons, lose their properties or spend time in prison for truly caring for the rooster.

There are parts of this bill that need expanding on, or needs to be more specific. Especially those areas where it says intent and in regards to possessing, owning, transporting, selling, buying, and transferring birds. This is too general and I would have neighbors, friends and family members become felons if this bill

was passed how it is currently written. Who determines the intent of why the birds are being raised? Another grey area that should be questioned is section 3 subsection (d) through (g): Animals in kennels and transferring animals inhumanely and/or humanely. This area is too generalized and vague. Homeowners who have pets who may be unattended in kennels while they are at work or hunters who possess dogs could be impacted by the wording in this section.

In closing, I am hopeful and I am humbled to be able to voice these concerns that could affect the culture and trajectory of how we live in Hawaii. There are many folks that share the same sentiment for these animals and have differences on what they view is humane and inhumane and what truly is the heinous crimes being committed. It is not the men and women who care for these beautiful animals daily who work hard, pay their taxes and drive our economy forward by spending in small businesses and creating small businesses that should become felons or provoked to become outlaws. Those who push drugs, sell illegal un-registered guns, and commit violent crimes are ruining our islands. Those are the real criminals and should not be confused with the people who truly have great respect for the rooster.

Thank you for your time.

Respectfully,

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Hawaii: Detailed Report on Potential Rights Violations and Concerns with House Bill No. 1580 - Relating to Animal Cruelty

House Bill No. 1580, introduced in Hawaii's Thirty-Second Legislature of 2024



, proposes significantly increasing the penalties associated with various "animal cruelty offenses." This legislative effort aims to create a correlation between animal cruelty and violent crimes against humans, as well as the "rise" in animal cruelty cases within the state. However, the proposed amendments have elicited concerns regarding potential constitutional and civil rights violations, along with practical and ethical implications.

Overview of Bill Provisions

The bill seeks to escalate the criminal penalties for animal cruelty, transforming several offenses into higher-class felonies and introducing stricter prohibitions against owning or possessing animals post-conviction. The legislative intent is evident in its endeavor to mitigate animal cruelty and its perceived linkage to broader societal violence. However, the broad sweep of these changes raises several legal and ethical questions.

Potential Constitutional and Civil Rights Concerns

1. Eighth Amendment - Cruel and Unusual Punishment

- **Disproportionate Sentencing:** The significant increase in penalties may result in sentences that are disproportionate to the nature or severity of the offense, potentially violating the Eighth Amendment. The amendment's protection against cruel and unusual punishment is central to ensuring justice and fairness within the legal system. The proposed classification of animal cruelty offenses into higher-class felonies could lead to excessively harsh sentences that can be deemed unconstitutional.

2. Fourteenth Amendment - Due Process and Equal Protection

- **Due Process Concerns:** The bill's provisions for automatic bans on owning or possessing animals for convicted individuals will infringe upon due process rights under the Fourteenth Amendment. The lack of individualized assessment in imposing these bans may not adequately consider the circumstances of each case, potentially violating principles of fairness and justice.
- **Equal Protection Issues:** The escalated penalties and ownership bans will also raise equal protection concerns. The broad application of these penalties will disproportionately affect certain groups, leading to potential claims of unequal treatment under the law.

3. First Amendment - Freedom of Association

- **Restrictions on Ownership and Association:** The prohibition against owning animals could be interpreted as restricting an individual's freedom of association, a right protected under the First Amendment. This includes the right to engage in certain relationships and activities, including those involving animals, which could be unduly infringed upon by the bill's provisions.

4. Property Rights

- **Confiscation and Ownership Bans:** The automatic bans on animal ownership post-conviction implicate property rights, potentially violating the constitutional guarantee of the right to own property. These provisions do not account for the nature of the offense or the individual's history with animals, raising concerns about arbitrary deprivation of property.

Practical and Ethical Considerations

- **Impact on Rehabilitation:** The focus on punitive measures over rehabilitation could undermine efforts to address the root causes of animal cruelty, such as mental health issues or lack of awareness about animal welfare.
- **Social and Economic Impact:** The increased penalties could lead to higher incarceration rates, straining the criminal justice system and exacerbating social and economic challenges for convicted individuals.

Recommendations for Consideration

1. **Proportional Penalties:** Ensure that the penalties are proportional to the severity of the offenses, aligning with principles of justice and fairness.
2. **Individualized Assessments:** Implement mechanisms for individualized assessment in imposing bans on animal ownership, considering the offender's history and the specifics of the offense.
3. **Focus on Rehabilitation:** Prioritize rehabilitation programs that address the underlying causes of animal cruelty, promoting long-term behavioral change.
4. **Legal Review:** Conduct a thorough legal review of the proposed amendments to assess potential constitutional issues and explore alternatives that achieve the bill's objectives without infringing on rights.

Conclusion

While the objectives of House Bill No. 1580 are commendable in their intent to combat animal cruelty, the bill raises significant constitutional, civil rights, and practical concerns. It is imperative to carefully balance the need to address animal cruelty with the protection of individual rights and freedoms, ensuring that the legislative approach is both practical and just.

PETITION FROM CONCERNED
CITIZENS OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

To the Members of the Hawaii Legislative Senate and House of Representatives:

We, the undersigned residents of Hawaii provide this petition in STRONG OPPOSITION to the bills below that infringe upon our rights as owners of pets and animals.

It is extremely unfortunate that recent acts of criminal violence have been associated with what we do. But, those are isolated incidences, and should not be the reason why new laws get passed which impact us and our animals.

We are deeply concerned that these bills and other proposed legislation seek to provide harsh penalties for activities related to animal rearing and over broadly infringe on otherwise lawful activities for animals owners and people that like to merely observe or be in different social settings.

This issue is of critical importance to me and will affect how I vote in the next election. Even if I am not currently registered to vote, I hope you understand that there are many other citizens who feel the same and we will all be registering and voting to make sure our voices are heard.

This Petition is the voice of your constituents, and we hope that you listen to their VOICES.

The contact person for this petition is,

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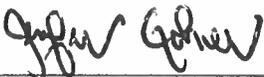
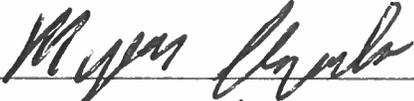
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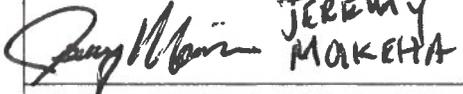
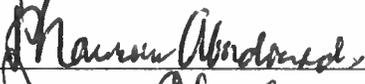
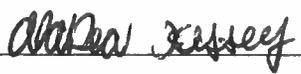
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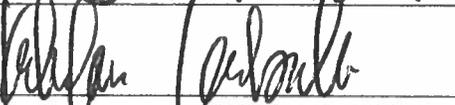
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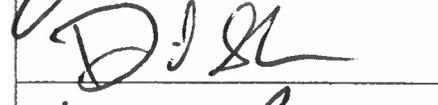
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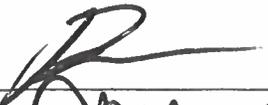
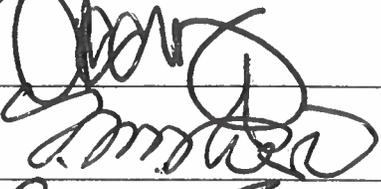
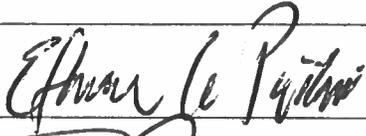
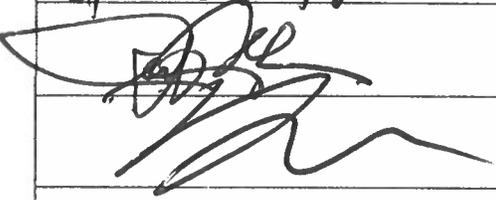
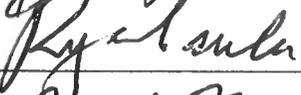
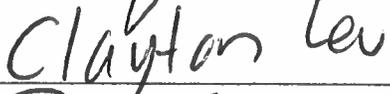
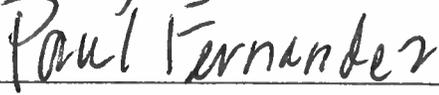
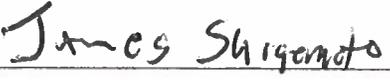
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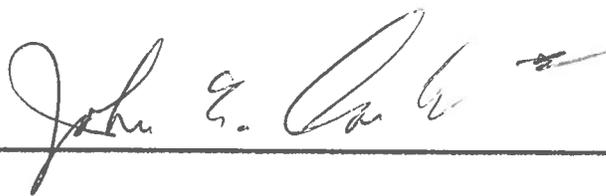
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In closing, I am hopeful and I am humbled to be able to voice these concerns that could affect the culture and trajectory of how we live in Hawaii. There are many folks that share the same sentiment for these animals and have differences on what they view is humane and inhumane and what truly is the heinous crimes being committed. It is not the men and women who care for these beautiful animals daily who work hard, pay their taxes and drive our economy forward by spending in small businesses and creating small businesses that should become felons or provoked to become outlaws. Those who push drugs, sell illegal un-registered guns, and commit violent crimes are ruining our islands. Those are the real criminals and should not be confused with the people who truly have great respect for the rooster.

Thank you for your time.

Respectfully,



**PETITION FROM THE CONSTITUENTS OF THE STATE
OF HAWAII**

To the Legislative Senate, House members of the state of Hawaii.

We, the undersigned constituents of the state of Hawaii petition the Legislative members and ask that they enact legislation to stop and prevent the harassment of Rural Animal Owners from Animal Rights Activist and or Organizations.

Also, the constituents of Hawaii are opposed to any NEW or AMENDMENTS TO ANIMAL RIGHTS LAWS to be passed in the state of Hawaii.

This Petition is the voice of Hawaii constituents, and their VOICES will be heard through their VOTES.

The contact person for this petition is,

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We note that any petition received maybe publicly available by the Legislative Members unless we specifically advise otherwise.

Specific Legislation for Hawaii 2024

HB1980

SB2684 (Companion legislation to HB1980 with identical verbiage)

HB1580

Bill explanation see attached documentation.

imposes undue restrictions or penalties on the use of animals would be a flagrant disregard for individuals' due process rights. Laws must not be arbitrary nor overly broad, as justice demands that individuals have the right to understand the legal confines within which they operate. Nor does the United States government have the authority to grant itself any additional powers outside of what the Constitution permits.

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Lastly, the principle of not infringing upon an individual's property without just compensation is a cornerstone of our legal system. Restricting animal ownership that ignores their economic value could be a regulatory taking, requiring compensation.

The government has no right to render one's property useless for its intended purpose without providing adequate compensation, as such actions violate the principles of natural law and the rights guaranteed by the Constitution.

We must preserve the foundational liberties and rights that define a free and just society. Do not let them continue infringing upon our individuals' natural rights to property, economic freedom, due process, and the pursuit of happiness. True justice and liberty demand nothing less.

Let us learn from history and rise above propaganda. We must not let the government and special interest groups oppress any group of people. It is up to us to be part of the solution. We can end unconstitutional animal bills by contacting our representatives and standing up for our beliefs. We have the power to make a difference. Let's use it.

Measure Title: RELATING TO ANIMAL CRUELTY.

Report Title: Animal Cruelty; Penalties; Felony; Illegal Animal Fighting; Birds

Description: Creates penalties relating to the fighting of birds.

Companion:

Current Referral: JDC

Introducer(s): TARNAS, BELATTI, EVSLIN, GARRETT, LOWEN, MARTEN, PIERICK, SAYAMA, TAKAYAMA, TAM

3/8/2024SThe committee(s) on JDC has scheduled a public hearing on 03-14-24 9:30AM; Conference Room 016 & Videoconference.

3/7/2024SReferred to JDC.

3/7/2024SPassed First Reading.

3/7/2024SReceived from House (Hse. Com. No. 275).

3/5/2024HPassed Third Reading with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) Cochran, Woodson excused (2). Transmitted to Senate.

2/29/2024HPassed Second Reading as amended in HD 1; placed on the calendar for Third Reading with none voting aye with reservations; none voting no (0) and Representative(s) Aiu, Cochran, Garrett, Holt, Kahaloa, Lowen, Nishimoto, Quinlan, Todd excused (9).

2/29/2024HReported from JHA (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 654-24) as amended in HD 1, recommending passage on Second Reading and placement on the calendar for Third Reading.

2/21/2024HThe committee on JHA recommend that the measure be **PASSED, WITH AMENDMENTS**. The votes were as follows: 10 Ayes: Representative(s) Tarnas, Takayama, Evslin, Ganaden, Holt, Ichiyama, Ilagan, Kong, Miyake, Souza; Ayes with reservations: none; Noes: none; and Excused: none.

2/16/2024HBill scheduled to be heard by JHA on Wednesday, 02-21-24 2:00PM in House conference room 325 VIA VIDEOCONFERENCE.

1/24/2024HReferred to JHA, referral sheet 1

1/22/2024HIntroduced and Pass First Reading.

1/19/2024HPending introduction.

HB-1580 cont.

This could cause a world of collateral damage for people due to the vague wording with no clear definitions attached. (1. Example Recklessly who determines if this was reckless or not this bill if passed will allow you to be prosecuted based on another person's personal opinions and not facts.

2. The AR groups have stated Milking a cow is a form of molesting an animal so are we or our minor children going to be charges for sexual Assault on our cattle if we hand milk them according to this bill 100%, they can try and charge you with Section 8.

Every section in this Bill will make is either a CLASS A, B or C felony along with fines, imprisonment and loss of ownership of an animal for 5 years with the exception of section 7 That will be a misdemeanor.

Summary HB-1980, HB1580,

Given the contentious issue of animal rights and their intersection with constitutional liberties, any legislation extending "rights" to animals infringes upon an individual's natural rights to property and liberty stands in stark opposition to the essence of freedom and natural law that our republic should defend.

In its proper interpretation, the Constitution protects the sanctity of personal property and the individual's liberty. This includes the right to own and utilize animals, not as subjects of rights, but as property through which an individual may pursue economic well-being and personal fulfillment.

The economic liberties afforded by our Constitution, mainly through the lens of the Commerce Clause, make it evident that the framers intended a system that minimally interferes with individual enterprise.

Animal Rights laws are being infringed on the constituents of Hawaii these laws Violate our U.S. Constitution and natural rights and are arbitrary violations which reads:

Absolute and arbitrary power denied. Absolute and arbitrary power over the lives, liberty and property of freemen exists nowhere in a republic, not even in the largest majority.

Arbitrary Definition Law: an arbitrary definition law explains decisions made or actions taken that are not necessarily based on established facts, but instead based in large part on opinions.

Thus, any overzealous regulation of animal-related industries under the guise of animal rights distorts this intent and unjustly encroaches upon the individual's liberty to engage in commerce and trade. When left to its own devices, the market can regulate these matters through voluntary exchange and mutual agreement.

Turning to due process, it is imperative that laws are clear, rational, and justly applied. Legislation that

A. Overdrives, Overloads so with wording if you are working your animal and someone thinks it to rough or lengthy then you could be convicted of this section, working dog working cattle for to long can convict someone under this section.

E. , F. and G. Carries or causes to be carried, in or upon any vehicle or other conveyance, any animal in a cruel or inhumane manner; (f) Confines or causes to be confined, in a kennel or cage, any pet animal in a cruel or inhumane manner; (g) Tethers, fastens, ties, or restrains a dog to a doghouse, tree, fence, or any other stationary object.

With this section if you are on your way to a poultry show and get pulled over and they think you fowl is in a inhumane caring box you can be charged under this section. If your animal is tethered or caged in anyway according to their opinion you can be charged under this section.

There is no definitions on any of this section as to Items that is acceptable in their opinions or on the word confines.

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Measure Title: RELATING TO ANIMAL CRUELTY.

Report Title: Animal Cruelty; Penalties

Description: Amends the criminal penalties for various animal cruelty offenses by increasing the category of offense.

Current Referral: JDC

Introducer(s):KILA, AIU, AMATO, CHUN, EVSLIN, GARRETT, KAHALOA, LAMOSAO, LOWEN, MARTEN, MARTINEZ, MIYAKE, MORIKAWA, NAKASHIMA, NISHIMOTO, POEPOE, TAKENOUCI, TAM, WOODSON

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1/17/2024HIntroduced and Pass First Reading.

1/16/2024HPrefiled

HB1980 cont.

They are trying to use 1 instance that happened in April 2023 to fuel this legislation 100%.

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Section 2

A. Knowingly

1. Owns, trains, transports, possesses, buys, sells, transfers, or equips any bird with the intent that the bird be engaged in a fight between other birds; or Allows any minor to be present at or attend a fight between birds.

Again, who determines this the human society, Animal Task force that is also made up from AR groups people based on their options? Minor has no age listed. This section could very Easily eradicate Gamefowl if the wrong people's opinions are used in determining cruelty because they can say all birds you own are for fighting and you have the Intent to use them for that purpose so there forth no ownership.

B. Recklessly

1. Allows a fight between birds to occur on any property owned or controlled by the person; or (ii) Allows any bird intended to be used for a fight between birds to be kept, trained on, or transported in any property owned or controlled by the person.

This part could be very bad in collateral damage being that if 2 birds get out and begin fighting and someone sees turns you in you would be charged with recklessly fighting your birds again all based on an opinion of the judge even if had no knowledge of the occurrence.

Also, under section 2 #5 there is a cost of care part that means any animal confiscated for a violation of this bill will subject you to paying a fee for care for each individual animal most of the time it between \$25 to \$50 each a day.

Line 4 page 5 of this bill states (c) Possesses any device intended to enhance a bird's fighting ability. (2) For the purposes of this section: "Device" means any object, including but not limited to a slasher, gaff, knife, or muff, that is designed to be attached in place of or to the natural spur of a bird.

Object, including but limited to, being the main wording here they could also say any scissors for trimming, vitamins, medications could also be objects.

Section 3

Bad wording again Intent, knowingly recklessly

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/13/2024 5:44:46 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Fatima	Individual	Support	In Person

Comments:

Aloha, My name is Fatima Abed and I am in strong support of HB1980. Throughout this testimony, I've included links via Aloha Animal Sanctuary that showcase incredible acts of compassion via roosters, hens and humans.

It is, unfortunately, very common to look away from violence when it has to do with animals. However, animals are part of our 'āina and deserve to be treated with love and respect. They bleed, breathe, love and, yes, even cuddle as we do.

They are so much more than we give them credit for.

<https://www.instagram.com/alohaanimalsanctuary?igsh=MnljdGZsbGxhYmJ1>

Being a volunteer with Aloha Animal Sanctuary for the past six years really opened my eyes to the depths of compassion that chickens and roosters truly have towards each other and other animals, including humans. They remember your face, your name and most importantly, how you treat them.

My first interaction at the sanctuary was with a hen named Moana that a little girl rescued. She was raised by the family and loved...and it showed. Moana loved belly rubs, she would coo for more and always wanted to be close to you. She loved to be stroked and held until she would fall asleep in your arms. She would follow you around and get excited when you would arrive, never leaving your side.

Roosters and hens are capable of so much love—more so than I can say for a lot of our human counterparts. And the hardest, yet most bittersweet thing for me, is seeing how forgiving rescues of abuse and cock-fighting can be.

<https://www.instagram.com/reel/CpHrUwovx3H/?igsh=MWPqa2M3dTFjM2hxdw==>

Cock-fighting is an extremely violent act of cruelty.

https://www.instagram.com/reel/Ch8_GOcJ00S/?igsh=MXRhcTk3cGN5NGF5ag==

I come from a culture where cock-fighting was, unfortunately, normalized. It is bloody, demoralizing and no longer a “tradition” that is accepted by those who are healing from

generational trauma. Wounds of colonialism and capitalism that made our ancestors think that we had to fight to survive. It is time we heal those wounds.

No matter how hard our lives can be, we as a society, as a community and as individuals cannot waste our love and compassion by turning our pain into anger and violence.

Charlie, the Roo (has since passed from his injuries)

<https://www.instagram.com/reel/Ccn5a8NFOmd/?igsh=MXVmbXhoYm50OWtmeQ==>

We have to recognize that if we are struggling, our only way forward to heal is by healing others and our ‘āina, and this should include love and respect for ALL living beings.

We should chart a new path forward that abandons outdated traditions that inflict pain and suffering on other living creatures, and toward a future our keiki can be proud of, in which all life is respected and cherished.

Mahalo for the opportunity to provide testimony.

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<https://www.instagram.com/reel/CasKjJ1pGc0/?igsh=YnB6cG9pcGJsmdz>

For more videos and where to apply to volunteer, please feel free to email me.

Bill Number: HB1980 HD1

Bill Name: RELATING TO ANIMAL CRUELTY.

Written By: Makenna Cooley

Chair, Vice Chair, and members of the committee,

I am in support of HB1980. My name is Makenna Cooley, I am in my final semester at Hawai'i Pacific University, although my opinion does not represent that of my school. Animal welfare is such an important issue, especially in Hawai'i. Cockfighting is a cruel and inhuman practice that goes against the values of our community on this island. HB1980 ensures stronger protections for our wildlife and will serve as a deterrent to the inhumane practice of cockfighting.

Birds, like all creatures deserve to be free from harm and exploitation, since they do not have a voice themselves, it is our responsibility to protect them from cruelty. In my studies at Hawai'i Pacific University, I am currently enrolled in an environmental ethics course. In the traditional Western view of moral standing, animals are seen as made for human use, consumption, and exploitation, and humans are the only beings worthy of moral consideration. I would challenge this notion. Animals have value because they exist, not for anything they can give to humans. In this case, we must understand the value that birds have beyond our own uses, beyond the way they have been used in bird fighting rings. With viewing birds as having their own moral standing, it is easy to see why the punishment for bird fighting should be increased, as per the bill in question.

I urge you to support this bill and take a stance against the inhumane treatment of birds on this island.

Thank you for the opportunity to voice my support for this bill,
Makenna Cooley

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/12/2024 10:23:30 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Jonathan Smith	Individual	Oppose	Remotely Via Zoom

Comments:

Don't take are culture away from us.

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/8/2024 5:02:00 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Scott Kidd	Individual	Support	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I support this measure

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/9/2024 6:52:31 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Donton Meinel	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this bill I do not support this bill

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/9/2024 7:13:55 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Rocky ferido	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this bill I do not support this bill

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/9/2024 7:21:07 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Chad	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose hb1980 I do not support this bill

Mahalo

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/10/2024 6:48:24 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Andrew Cuello	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose to HB1980.

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/10/2024 3:22:19 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
lynne matusow	Individual	Support	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I am in strong support. Cockfighting is inhumane, is cruelty to animals, is a blood sport, and must be stopped. News reports in recent years have linked some murders to cockfighting. Please move this bill forward.

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/10/2024 4:22:00 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
kimo kaiama	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this bill Hakamoa its part of my culture as a Kanak

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/10/2024 9:29:26 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Justin	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Strongly oppose hb1980 hd1

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/10/2024 9:29:27 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Roger Pavao	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Strongly oppose HB1980 hd1

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 8:04:48 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
James K. Rzonca	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I totally oppose this bill. This will make criminals out of citizens just for practicing culture. Why does the hawaii legislature want to take away people's lives and throw people in jail over a chicken? Pilau

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 8:27:34 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Duane Lum	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Aloha! My name is Duane Lum and was Born and Raised here in the Island of Oahu and of Filipino Descent!

I oppose HB1980

I don't agree that people should become felons for raising game birds. I don't agree that we should go to jail for it, I don't agree with the word "intent" because it gives room for people to determine based on there own moral compass if someone is or isn't committing a crime. It needs to be more specific. My family and I have been raising Gamefowl as part of our Filipino Heritage and to Practice our Culture and for my Sons to Show them in our Annual Hawaii Game Breeders Poultry Show!

Thank You and God Bless!

Aloha Senator Maile Shimabukuro

My name is Michael Ibanez I reside in Waianae and I am concerned and pressed for time with how swiftly Bill HB1980 has passed the State Representatives and its JHA committee. As the senator for the district I reside in I humbly request that you review this bill and examine thoroughly how this will impact our communities. As you know many of our neighbor's friends and relatives will become felons if this bill is passed and made law with how it is currently written; many of whom are blue collar, entrepreneurs and working-class people. This bill will negatively impact small businesses who help stimulate economic growth in our islands. It will also dissolve the connections made within families and community with those who maintain small and large-scale chicken farms.

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It is extremely unfortunate that there is violence that has been attached to chicken fighting amongst those few indecent people that use the guise of the sport to push other illegal activities. I do not support drug distribution, I do not support game rooms, I do not support gun violence, I do not support dog fights. However, these things should not subject those that truly love raising Game fowl for cultural and heritage reasons to become felons, lose their properties or spend time in prison for truly caring for the rooster.

There are parts of this bill that need expanding on, or needs to be more specific. Especially those areas where it says intent and in regards to possessing, owning, transporting, selling, buying, and transferring birds. This is too general and I would have neighbors, friends and family members become felons if this bill was passed how it is currently written. Who determines the intent of why the birds are being raised? Another grey area that should be questioned is section 3 subsection (d) through (g): Animals in kennels and transferring animals

inhumanely and/or humanely. This area is too generalized and vague. Homeowners who have pets who may be unattended in kennels while they are at work or hunters who possess dogs could be impacted by the wording in this section.

In closing, I am hopeful and I am humbled to be able to voice these concerns that could affect the culture and trajectory of how we live in Hawaii. There are many folks that share the same sentiment for these animals and have differences on what they view is humane and inhumane and what truly is the heinous crimes being committed. It is not the men and women who care for these beautiful animals daily who work hard, pay their taxes and drive our economy forward by spending in small businesses and creating small businesses that should become felons or provoked to become outlaws. Those who push drugs, sell illegal un-registered guns, and commit violent crimes are ruining our islands. Those are the real criminals and should not be confused with the people who truly have great respect for the rooster.

Thank you for your time.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, consisting of a stylized initial 'W' followed by a long horizontal line that tapers to the right.

From: [kainui lopez-walker](#)
To: [JDC Committee](#)
Subject: Bill 1980
Date: Monday, March 11, 2024 10:14:38 AM

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I oppose on the hb1980. I will stand against it for the culture of the state of Hawaii and the breeders associations.

From: [Lisa Esteron](#)
To: [JDC Committee](#)
Subject: Fwd: HB1980
Date: Monday, March 11, 2024 11:38:24 AM

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From: Lisa Esteron <molokaiesteron@gmail.com>
Date: Saturday, March 9, 2024
Subject: HB1980
To: Jdcommittee@capital.hawaii.gov

Aloha,

I oppose BILIL HN1980. This will gravely affect our freedom as citizens to practice our culture and love of Game Fowl. This country is getting worse for our freedom as citizens. How does a group get to judge and regulate how we live, if that's the case, maybe all of you voting for this bill should support us financially, as you like to dictate what we can and cannot do. You're not our parents. And no you don't support us, we pay your salaries. So disappointed in our State of Hawaii.

Lisa Esteron

From: [Pono Esteron](#)
To: [JDC Committee](#)
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I oppose HB 1980, I have been around gamefowl/showfowl my entire life. To take away this would be taking away a part of who I am, I just can't see that.

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Reegan Casio](#)
To: [JDC Committee](#)
Subject: Oppose HB1980
Date: Monday, March 11, 2024 12:27:23 PM

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Aloha,

My name is Reegan Casio of Kahului.

As a 4th generation cocker I have been around gamefowl my whole life. It has taught me respect, responsibility, and has kept me out of trouble since Im always tending to my fowl. I oppose HB1980. This is for our culture that our ancestors passed down to us. The rich heritage that our people worked so hard for.

From: [Laura Valdez](#)
To: [JDC Committee](#)
Subject: HB 1980
Date: Monday, March 11, 2024 1:13:16 PM

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I oppose of this bill HB 1980

From: [Tomme Refamonte](#)
To: [JDC Committee](#)
Date: Monday, March 11, 2024 2:09:53 PM

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I oppose bills HB1980 and HB 1580 thank you

From: [bransen ...](#)
To: [JDC Committee](#)
Subject: Oppose
Date: Monday, March 11, 2024 2:16:29 PM

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I would like to oppose bill HB1980 and HB1580.

Thank you

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Tiffany Medina](#)
To: [JDC Committee](#)
Subject: Written Testimony
Date: Monday, March 11, 2024 2:35:16 PM

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I OPPOSE BILL HB1980 AND HB1580

THIS IS A CULTURE, HOBBY, LIVING, PASSION, INVESTMENT AND SO MUCH MORE! DO NOT TAKE AWAY OUR HEART AND SOUL!!

HERES TO HELPING YOU UNDERSTAND 1% OF OUR PASSION:

- large combs prevent the bird from taking food into its mouth and makes the head so heavy it sinks into the bird's chest. this is the reason for cutting comb.
- chicken spurs point inwards and grow to be naturally sharp. most time it affects the way they walk, we cut the spurs to help them feel more comfortable walking and to protect ourselves from getting hurt by their spurs. we also cut them to ensure the safety of our hens for when they are mating.
- over the years i have never seen or heard of anyone catching a disease from a show bird. owners of show birds take care of their birds. The bill has given false information.
- a lot of people use these birds to bring to shows. shows that REPRESENT culture of their ancestors. taking away our right to raise, travel, buy or sell our birds because of suspicion is unfair to our community. if we possess chickens and this bill passes what are you guys going to do to these amazing birds from our beautiful yard. sad truth is that you will kill them all.

“I began raising birds when I was twelve years old. It was more or less a hobby for years. But by 1977, I was traveling with my birds to states where game fowl harvesting was legal. That, along with construction, was how I made my living. In the late eighties, when the economy was bad, I started a business, Bobby Jones Hatchery. I raised as many birds as the market could stand: Sometimes it was 600 or 700 a year; other times it was 1,500. Soon the birds became my sole source of income. “I began getting invitations to countries where harvesting is widely accepted, like the Philippines, Guam, Saipan, and, of course, Mexico.”

says, Bobby jones

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 9:13:25 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Jonah vierra	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Aloha representatives I would like to strongly oppose this bill on behalf of the breeders and showfowl. It's my concern that my god given rights as a human not just kanaka is being threatened to be taken away from not just me but others and future generations. It's not only a loving factor of the animal it's self but a lot to do with the fact it's been a generational thing for me and my ohana, we've cared and loved the fowl for years and hopefully more to come thank you for your time

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 9:43:38 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Simon blair	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this bill.

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 9:54:26 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Andy Cordero	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose to this bill !! ,

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 10:37:04 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Daniel Reis	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Aloha,

My name is Daniel Reis. I oppose bill HB1980. As a young Hawaiian and Filipino decendant, this bill exceeds our right to farm and raise animals of our own. Majority of people use these animals not to fight or make money off of them but purely as therapy and rehabilitation. I know people who love to spend their time admiring their looks, seeing their progress as they grow, watch their feathers come in after the molt, hear their crow and watch them flourish. As people find comfort in dogs and cats when times are difficult, so do others with chickens. I don't understand the need for such a dramatic penalty in raising a chicken. Hawaii is a beautiful and diverse place with many wonderful and unique things. This is just one unique feature of our home land. Please hear the people. Aloha and thank you for your time. Mahalo

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 11:12:03 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Teresa Parmenter	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose HB1980

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 11:45:15 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Laurie Foster	Individual	Support	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Bird fighting is meant for the sick pleasure of sick humans. It should be stopped.

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 11:56:53 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Nandita Sharma	Individual	Support	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I live on a street with a large number of roosters and hens. I often see groups of young boys, often with adults waiting for them in cars, trying to catch roosters to force them to become fighting roosters.

We have befriended a small group of chickens and one day, a young rooster we named Rojas was kidnapped by someone and made to fight. Six months later, he was back: mangled, hurt, and now isolated from the group of chickens that he was a part of. His claws were cut and he had difficulty walking. He must have been caged somewhere nearby and either escaped or was cast out when no longer useful to those who fight roosters.

We still see young boys (and adults waiting in cars nearby) trying to catch roosters to sell to those organizing making these roosters fight.

Everyone knows this happens. A lot of people participate. The fights are obvious (large numbers of cars parked at a farm). Yet, people get away with it. And the roosters are treated as disposable playthings for people who like blood sports (i.e. watching other living beings attack each other for fun).

Why is this happening when it is illegal? That it is allowed to continue demonstrates the corruption that rots the spirit of life on the islands.

I support this bill relating to Animal Cruelty, even if all it does is to increase penalties for the illegal fighting of birds and sets forth nuisance abatement proceedings for chronic offenders.

Roosters are living beings and must be respected.

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 12:18:27 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Christian garma	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I Christian garma oppose bill HB1980 . I am a 4th generation heratage breeder from the island of Kauai passed on from my great grandpa and now to me!. This bill should not go foward!. Hawaii is one of the main states that alot if these breeds are held and preserved. for heratage breeding it's a lifestyle not just a hobby! We raise fowl to show in bird shows like they ""Hawaii gamefowl show"" which is a big deal for us locals, it offers a chance to represent Hawaii on the main stage and the best breeder in the USA . Bill HB1980 will ruin generations upon generations of heritage here in Hawaii. Kauai due to pass hurricanes released a lot of fowl which are now wild and has been breeding and thriving Ever since the 70's , kauai is one of the islands where chickens are everywhere! And the people don't mind because it's the kauai lifestyle! Please don't let this bill pass!.

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 12:41:41 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Javis	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose HB 1980. I have been around gamefowl/showfowl for as long as I can remember. It's a part of who i am, my life style and culture. If this is taken away, I can't see that with much worse things going on right now in the world.

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 1:00:37 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Reizel Mae Ines Yadao	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Aloha, my name is Reizel Yadao and I oppose HB1980.

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 1:13:35 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Harold Esteron	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Greatly oppose this bill. Please vote no to this bill. Unjust, unfair, communist like rules and not part of our democracy process and being able to practice and do what we believe in and love. We take so much care in our animals, to label us as drug users, criminalist, we are good people and not at all like this bill judges and assumes we are.
thank you,

Harold Esteron

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 1:23:31 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Sterling	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Howzit my name is Sterling Ibanez yes my last name is well known in the game fowl community and I disapprove of this bill. So you telling me I cannot feed my children unbelievable game fowling has been around long time and hasn't been a threat to Hawaii. We gotta protect this tradition and the bloodlines. So no make my Saturday's boring Aloha mahalo 🙌

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 1:30:31 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Richard shiroma	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this bill. You cannot take our rights to raise chickens away.

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 1:42:46 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Natalie Graham-Wood	Individual	Support	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I support HB 1980 HD1. I live Sunset Beach, North Shore, Oahu.

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 2:44:43 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Rodrigo Hilario Jr	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose to Bill HB1980.

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 3:31:49 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Jojo Ragonton	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

To whom it may concern it's been how many years it's like parts of Hawaii what else the government wanna take out from Hawaii island

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 3:49:53 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Deven Tells	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Title: The Case Against Making Cockfighting Illegal

Introduction: Cockfighting, a controversial and age-old practice, has been the subject of much debate regarding its legality and ethical implications. While many argue for its prohibition due to concerns about animal welfare and violence, there are valid reasons to reconsider making cockfighting illegal. This document presents a comprehensive analysis of why cockfighting should not be banned outright.

1. Cultural and Historical Significance:
 - o Cockfighting has deep cultural roots in many societies around the world, dating back centuries. It holds significant cultural and traditional value for numerous communities, often serving as a symbol of heritage and identity.
 - o Banning cockfighting would infringe upon the cultural rights and freedoms of those who participate in or support the practice, potentially leading to cultural erosion and loss of tradition.
2. Personal Freedom and Individual Rights:
 - o Individuals should have the freedom to engage in activities of their choosing, provided they do not infringe upon the rights of others or cause harm. Prohibiting cockfighting restricts the personal freedom of those who willingly participate in the activity.
 - o As long as participants are consenting adults and the activity is conducted in a controlled environment, they should have the right to engage in cockfighting without fear of legal repercussions.
3. Animal Welfare Considerations:
 - o While concerns about animal welfare are valid, it's essential to recognize that not all instances of cockfighting involve cruelty or mistreatment of animals. In regulated environments, roosters are often well cared for and trained, receiving proper veterinary attention and nutrition.
 - o Moreover, roosters have a natural inclination to establish dominance and engage in combat, a behavior that has been observed in various animal species. Cockfighting harnesses this instinctual behavior without resorting to methods that cause unnecessary suffering.
4. Economic Impact:

- Cockfighting can have significant economic benefits for communities where it is practiced. It generates revenue through ticket sales, betting, and associated businesses such as breeding, training, and equipment sales.
 - Banning cockfighting could result in the loss of livelihoods for individuals and businesses reliant on the industry, particularly in rural areas where alternative sources of income may be limited.
5. Fighting roosters, while ultimately destined for combat, are often cared for meticulously by their owners. These birds receive specialized attention, including proper nutrition, veterinary care, and training to enhance their fighting abilities. Owners invest significant time and resources in ensuring the well-being and performance of their roosters.

On the other hand, chickens raised for consumption in industrial farming operations are subjected to crowded and unsanitary conditions. They are often confined to small spaces, living in cramped conditions where they are unable to exhibit natural behaviors. Additionally, the use of hormones to accelerate growth can have adverse effects on their health and welfare.

While both scenarios involve the exploitation of animals, there are notable differences in the level of care and attention given to fighting roosters compared to chickens raised for consumption. Despite the ultimate purpose of fighting roosters, they typically receive more individualized care and attention, whereas chickens raised for meat production are often treated as commodities in a mass-production system focused on efficiency and profit.

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Submitted on: 3/11/2024 3:51:26 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Sean	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose bill HB1980

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 4:14:30 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Melanie Kim	Individual	Support	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Please support this bill of increasing penalties for illegal fighting of birds. Often when offenders are caught illegal cock fighting it's often associated with other criminal activities such as gambling or other instances of animal cruelty such as using other animals(cats come to mind) as bait animals leading to torture, suffering and death for both birds and other animals.

There is a perspective of turning a "blind eye" to these activities perhaps because of cultural tolerance but many cultures are realizing the harm that these activities promote and many are taking steps to reduce these harmful actions.

I support this bill to increase penalties for offenders who engage in illegal bird fighting.

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 4:23:36 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Shane S Tialavea	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I'm against Bill HB1980

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 4:23:43 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Ashton Andrade	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Aloha good afternoon my name is Ashton Andrade from Hilo,Hawaii I would like to thank you for your time in reading this but I am simply coming on here to oppose of this bill HB1980 HD1 stating that it brings cruelty and violence on the fowls and to our community In ways that are considered harmful or dangerous. I would personally have to disagree and I would think many others would agree with me when I say this. But for a lot of families here on the islands of Hawaii including mines this is a lifestyle that holds many different aspects of teaching responsibility, patience, and respect. So for us this is not a sport or about competition. We are breeders simply trying to perserving well sought after bloodlines and preserving many of our traditions passed down from generation to generation this would put many of the people of Hawaii at a risk of job losses and also a chance of their home and farm being taken from them. For this bill I disagree with and I oppose I would like for all of you to think this through before taking action. Thankyou and aloha

- Ashton K. Andrade

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 4:48:45 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Keola Yasso	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Aloha, I am writing to oppose this bill for multiple reasons. First of all you guys claim that animal fighting is directly associated with other illegal activities, such as fire arms and drug distribution. In all honesty many other sanctions and public places conduct illegal activities, like nightclubs, shopping malls, movie theaters etc. You also claim that a double homicide occurred at an illegal chicken fight in Maili. It was a sad situation, but let's compare apples to apples. Within the past 30 years, how many people died at one of these so called illegal cock fights? Now let's compare how many people or innocent kids died in school shootings? There were more school shooting deaths in one month than there were in 30 years at one of these chicken fights. There were more shootings at malls, and movie theaters. Places where we supposedly should be able to go out with our family and feel safe, but we're not. They make it seem that drugs are only found and these illegal events, when in reality they are in our schools, nightclubs, prisons? And the prisons have guards on duty 24-7 and they still find illegal weapons, drugs and paraphernalia.

Next you want to ban us from raising animals on our farm. I have been raising animals since I was a child. It has always been a part of my family. During the Covid times, it was my animals that kept me from going insane. It is my place of solace. I had a place to go to and get out and relieve my stress and anxiety from all this depression. It bought me peace during our world most challenging times. There are far more serious issues out there that we can address, that would make a big impact and this isn't one of them. I strongly oppose this bill.

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 5:17:48 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
John Matteo	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Against

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 5:18:14 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Lois Crozer	Individual	Support	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Now is the time to stop the rooster fighting. I'm sure there are better things for them to do for excitement that isn't a blood sport.

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 5:27:21 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Moses Kauhaahaa	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I MOSES KAUHAAHAA FROM MAUI, HAWAII

I OPPOSE THIS BILL HB1980 HD1.

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 5:51:00 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Mark Sanchez	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Opposed bill 1980

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 5:58:28 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Mark Angelo Cacho	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I opposed this bill 1980

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 6:00:21 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Kara Cabebe	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I KARA CABEBE FROM MAUI, HAWAII I OPPOSE THESE BILLS HB1980 HD1 & HB1580 HD1.

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 6:12:27 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Roland Rabang	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose HB1980

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 6:23:14 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Kyle Ito	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I, KYLE ITO FROM MAUI, HAWAII I OPPOSE THESE BILLS HB1980 HD1 & HB1580 HD1.

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 6:31:02 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
CJ	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this bill I do not support this bill

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 6:35:41 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Joseph Cordero	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose HB1980 HD1

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 6:36:07 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Shaun sumibcay	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Aloha, this bill is ridiculous! I make money selling certain types of gamefowl. I also sell/give away hens to families that want farm fed hens to eat! We been doin this for over 30 years since I was a child. This is one of my incomes to feed my family. I am the only one who works in my family, I have 3 kids and a wife. With this economy so damn expensive how will I feed and support my FAMILY! ITS LIKE YOU ALL TRYING TO TAKE AWAY ONE OF MY SOURCES TO FEED MY KIDS! This is again ridiculous!!

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 6:38:28 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Christopher waters	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I Christopher waters oppose bill HD1980 I raise animals all my life would hate to see our traditions here in the islands disappear, our future generations really need more interactions with animals & being outside rather than only electronics & nonsense on the internet! Raising animals teaches us a lot about life in general. Mahalo!

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 6:46:42 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Ashtyn K Kualaaau	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Aloha Senator Brian Schatz and Mazie Hirono

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Respectfully,

Ashtyn K. Kualaa

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Submitted on: 3/11/2024 7:01:49 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Charles maxwell	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose HB1980

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Submitted on: 3/11/2024 7:35:01 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

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Rhad kualaaau	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

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Respectfully,
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Submitted on: 3/11/2024 7:48:05 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Antonio ELIMA MIGUE Gaison	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Aloha,

I am writing this letter to you to respectfully oppose HB1980. As a taxpaying citizen, it appalls me how this bill have been expedited and passed through its chains. There are people killing their family, alot of people who is fighting homelessness, there are not enough medical care for those with mental illness, alot of our very own are being priced out of paradise and leaving our state, a place where they have called home for generations because it cost too much to live here. Our state are losing money because our visitor numbers and visitor spending are down. These are some issues that I beleive our leaders need to focus on and spend alot of our taxpaying money on. But it seem it is more concerned about a feathered animal. I am not interested or care what people do for their tradition, happiness or success. I am more concerned on what issues our leaders are prioritizing to help make this state the Aloha State again.

Mahalo,

Antonio Gaison

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Submitted on: 3/11/2024 7:49:10 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Luis Antonio Gonzales	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this bill because I've been around show birds for over 38 years. We rare poultry bloods that are almost extinct that I do want to keep going on and preserving for the next generations. Our breeds are for the show birds organization of Hawaii. We raise show birds not for violence but to show our kids responsibilities and to be productive citizens of Hawaii. We shouldn't be letting younger generations spoil the good reputation in the breeders association. Passing this will only cause more crime and violence that is already happening in this world and there will be more cruelty to humanity in this world due to taking away a lot of peoples hard work and passion of raising show birds.

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Submitted on: 3/11/2024 8:01:20 PM

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Paula Kualaa	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

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Respectfully,
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Submitted on: 3/11/2024 8:03:44 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Dillon Moniz	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

on behalf of all gamefowl breeders and owners I oppose this bill. By going thru with this bill it would cause distraught to small business feed store owners and breeders who raised fowl for a living and many passed down thru generations

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 8:33:50 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Chad K Hirata	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose Bill HB1980, I feel there are more important issues our elected officials should be tackling. Examples the high cost of living in Hawaii, rebuilding Lahaina, the chronic homeless issue plaguing the State of Hawaii, invasive pests that make it into the state and reeks environmental and financial damages to the State and how about stopping the illegal flow of fireworks that somehow manages to make it off of the pier. How about enforcing the laws on the books. You politicians have a difficult time legislating the rampant corruption in Hawaii government.

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 8:44:39 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Lando Delacruz	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this bill HB1980.

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Submitted on: 3/11/2024 8:46:32 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Bronson Gambol	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I Strongly oppose HB1980

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Submitted on: 3/11/2024 8:49:59 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Devnn Nishioka	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Oppose this bill HB1980

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Submitted on: 3/11/2024 8:53:46 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Bonnie Gollero	Individual	Support	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

This bill is long overdue. Cockfighters will continue to ravage our neighborhoods as long as lawmakers, and law enforcement, choose to remain either complacent, or even complicit. As predicted, the violence has escalated to where they're killing each other now. We live in fear for our own safety during these, probable drunken and drug infused gun sprees, fear of retribution in reporting this crime.

Aside from the illegal gambling, there is violent carousing, drunkenness, and loud partying, late into the night or early morning; illegal weapons, drugs, selling drugs, exposing children to drugs and drinking, teaching children illegal gambling, organized crime, and everything connected to it - money laundering, tax evasion, prostitution, and corruption.

Cockfighting is not a "cultural heritage". Cockfighting is a gambling addiction. Ancient Hawaiians spiritually revered the rooster for its colorful feathers, offered them as sacrifice in homage to their gods, and only royalty could eat domesticated chickens. Commoners were put to death otherwise.

Cockfighting is not indigenous to Hawaii, or even the Phillipines. It is indigenous to Spain, taught in the Philippines during the Spanish conquest, brought to Hawaii by immigrant plantation workers in early-1800, and has been outlawed here since 1850.

All the chickens that continue to infest our neighborhoods statewide is because of cockfighters. They breed roosters in wooded areas surrounding neighborhoods, in order to go undetected by police. HHS has tested roosters positive for steroids that cockfighters commonly inject them with. We can keep eradicating these exploited chickens over and over, to no avail. Cockfighters will just keep dumping them in the bushes. Ending cockfighting, will concomitantly also end the abandonment of chickens. These birds, that ARE a part of Hawaii's cultural heritage, dating back to the very first ancient Polynesian voyagers, should never be senselessly harmed.

Current laws lack efficacy, are not anywhere near stringent enough, and law enforcement is inconsistent and almost non-existent. This is a multi-million dollar industry, people sell a rooster for \$1,000, for one rooster. So, what is a misdemeanor \$100 fine going to do?

This is an abominable, blood-thirsty, cruel, and violent sport. They mutilate the rooster prior to a fight by cutting off its wattle. Imagine me cutting off your ear, no anesthetic, someone gags you, ties you, holds you down, that's what it would be like.

They strap the razor sharp gaff on, so that the fighting cocks keep slashing one another until they bleed to death. They place them in a narrow dirt pit, so that even if one or both wanted to escape, it couldn't. If we were both given a box cutter, and locked in an elevator, to slash the other to death, that's what it would be like.

I'm sorry if this is graphic, yet I feel the importance of this bill would be minimized or dismissed otherwise. Please support the increased protection these necessary measures would provide.

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Submitted on: 3/11/2024 8:59:32 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Nathaniel Ranchez	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Oppose bill 1980! I love my birds

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 9:02:19 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Charles	Individual	Support	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Feed and Farm supply

dels Feed Store

wai Ulu Feed Store

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Submitted on: 3/11/2024 9:15:06 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
James Kamaka	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Aloha Community Leaders,

I am writing to oppose the expression of my support to maintain the bird show tradition in Hawaii, specifically focusing on breeders and show fowls. This longstanding tradition plays a pivotal role in fostering a sense of community, not only among bird enthusiasts but also within the broader population.

Bird shows serve as a platform for breeders to showcase their dedication, expertise, and the stunning array of avian species they have meticulously raised. These events create a vibrant community where knowledge and experiences are shared, forging connections that extend beyond the aviary.

Growing up, I had the privilege of being part of this community, and the impact on my life has been profound. The bird show tradition instilled in me a deep appreciation for nature and the importance of responsible breeding practices. It taught me patience, dedication, and the joy of nurturing life.

As an adult, I've come to realize the lasting benefits of this hobby. Beyond the enjoyment of observing and interacting with these magnificent creatures, the bird show tradition provides a therapeutic escape from the demands of everyday life. It fosters a sense of responsibility and care, promoting mental well-being and personal growth.

Furthermore, these events contribute significantly to the local economy by attracting and generating interest in aviculture. The cultural richness and diversity of Hawaii are amplified through these showcases, drawing attention to the unique species that thrive in our islands.

In conclusion, preserving the bird show tradition in Hawaii is not merely about maintaining a hobby; it's about sustaining a cultural legacy, fostering community bonds, and promoting personal development from childhood through adulthood. I urge you to consider the profound positive impact that this tradition has on our community and advocate for its continued support.

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Submitted on: 3/11/2024 9:32:05 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Devin Balberdi	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I opposed bill 1980 on Behalf of a Maui citizen

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 9:51:02 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Stephanie McLaughlin	Individual	Support	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Please support this important bill which will help animals in Hawaii.

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 10:09:08 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Ikaika	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

We need to keep raising show fowl. It is our part of life by raising them.

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Submitted on: 3/11/2024 10:17:50 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Thomas K. Beck	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this bill. It will make citizens felons for carrying on a local multi-generational pastime.

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 10:47:00 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
John Foronda	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I John Foronda OPPOSE HB1980

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 10:50:14 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Mason Barroga	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Raising these birds is a tradition passed down from many generations raising birds is what brings people together. Its not about the money its about passion. Having passion for these birds is what makes a lot of these breeders love what they do.

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 10:50:49 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Louie Akoi	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I Louie Akoi from Maui , Hawaii

I oppose this bill HB1980 HD1

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 10:56:26 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Mark Jose	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose bill HB1980 I do not support this bill

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/11/2024 11:59:51 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Keala Sanchez	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Unfair

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/12/2024 12:17:04 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Kehau Lee	Individual	Support	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I support any bill against cockfighting. Because of the lackadaisical attitudes and laws that exist, it seems like more and more people are enticed into this gambling addiction.

Cockfighting is ongoing everywhere, chickens and roosters are everywhere, and a lot of them are showing up with no wattles, only one leg, their toes cut off, just like in the ASPCA photos submitted amongst the prior testimonies.

At the Honolulu Community College campus, my girlfriend who works at the nearby Costco, says there are young males, even kids, who cockfight, right on the school grounds whenever the school is closed on weekends or holidays.

My neighborhood has so many roosters, and you see young kids, snaring the roosters and stuffing them in their backpacks, on an ongoing basis. When I approached two boys one day, (ages 12 and 9?), and told them that cockfighting is illegal, the older boy told me to f*** off, and the younger one said he was going to kill my husband. The submitted testimony, that this violent sport that subjects animals to extreme cruelty, induces children to become violent themselves, is what I experienced first hand.

Most appalling of all, is the written testimony from the public defender. He actually wants to decriminalize cockfighting so that it can be done in the open, anywhere, at any empty parking lot or school campus, any park, in your neighbor's backyard, my neighbor's backyard, so that the police can then supervise the public safety?! How's that supposed to happen? The police are sorely understaffed as it is.

He also supports no jail time for lesser criminal offenses, like domestic violence or DUI, because of prison overcrowding, and a backlog of cases to defend?! Prison overcrowding is a symptom of ineffective laws. If we have EFFECTIVE PUNITIVE LAWS, ENFORCED BY POLICE, people are less motivated to commit crimes.

If the public defender is overwhelmed by the task at hand, then we need to find someone who can do the job. If a persons' presence at a cock fight is "too vague for due process", then we just need to make the laws more succinct.

It is really cruel what is being done to these roosters. Please support what this bill asks, with an immediate effective date upon approval. It is desperately needed, because cockfighting is becoming increasingly disruptive and dangerous to our public safety and well being.

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 12:17:50 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Christian Ruiz	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Aloha. I oppose this bill. I am a third generation show bird organization of Hawaii breeder. I been around show birds for 37 years of my life. I too want to pass on our family tradition and culture to the next generations to come. Not only raising show birds gives us peace, tranquility, and serenity, it teaches our kids responsibility, love, and care not just for our pets but for ourselves also. Raising show birds are also very rewarding. Not only they give us eggs, but they also eliminate scraps, provide fresh fertilizer, and get rid of garden pest. Passing this bill will be a shame to our younger generation. It will break and take away our culture and family tradition for many many years.

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 4:17:59 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Delmar Agtina	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this bill as this is a tradition for my family to raise this dying breed of fowl. We are honest, hardworking, taxpayers who just enjoy the hobby of raising these beautiful creatures. We are neither crooks or criminals. All this efforts should be put towards stopping the drug trafficking and drug abuse in Hawaii that is poisoning our people.

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/12/2024 4:19:36 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Daniel Castro	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Im from the island of guam, third generation gamefowl breeder, from my grandfather down to me have been preserving our gamefowl bloodlines. This is my culture and lively hood in jeopardy. I humbly ask to not strip us of our identity and our culture. But most of our lively hood

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/12/2024 5:32:02 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Roland keliioomaluu	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Aloha I oppose this Bill as I have been breeding and raising chickens my whole life my kids now do it and will be the 3rd generation to do it they love it keeps them outta trouble most importantly it teaches them responsibility.

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 5:46:12 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Justin tolentino	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this bill, because passing this bill would mean we would lose our culture, local feed stores would go out of business. Our next generation will not know the feeling of having the responsibility of raising gamefowl and also the joy of gamefowl. Raising gamefowl brings joy to many people near and far and if this bill passes, that joy will be gone.

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 5:47:03 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Marvin Tumpap	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this bill My family has been raising all types of animals cow goats pigs chickens ducks u name we tried it from my grand parents to my nieces n nephews it continues and it's the same for many other families in Hawaii its a culture for many

it a shame what Hawaii has to fight for

its people,language,land,culture

pls help our people of beautiful Hawaii keep its culture

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/12/2024 6:19:52 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
shayden	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

aloha, i oppose this bill.

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 7:08:24 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Allen austria	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this bill. I do not support it

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/12/2024 7:22:46 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Jim Mateo II	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose the bill.. don't take away raising our fowl

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/12/2024 7:50:18 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Elijah Simmons	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Raising gamefowl is my passion and I don't want my gamefowls that I've raised throughout these past years to be taken away from me. I've been taught and spent a lot of time and money on these birds and took me a long time to make a breed I always wanted to have. If my birds get taken away from me, I will be left miserable and be sad with not much to do here at my home. Raising these gamefowls have taught me a lot on raising animals, being responsible, and very much taught me how to be very passionate about doing things that I normally don't do. Please don't take these birds away from me as it is my passion to raise and take care of beautiful gamefowl.

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 7:57:20 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Fred Villa	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

These gamefowls are my passion and I've been in this life for about 5 years. I am young and already have a passion for gamefowl at the age of 20. I work very hard for mine and for my gamefowl. I've spent a lot of time, money, and effort on these birds just to make them how I like. I've seen a lot of people on instagram with beautiful birds and I wanted my birds to be like theirs 5 years ago. Here I am now with the birds I've dreamed of. I can't imagine any police or vice would come and take my gamefowls away from me because taking care of and raising gamefowl taught me so much. Taking care of gamefowl taught me how to be responsible, passionate, and taught me how to put in as much as I can into something. I fell in love with gamefowl when I went with my dad to my cousins house he had these beautiful gamefowl chickens. I wanted to have some birds like that in my yard. 5 years ago today is the date that I started taking care of the chickens that my dad had. I spent money on them that I worked very hard for and took care of them. Don't take them away from me, I love these chickens.

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/12/2024 8:02:31 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Kaedyn Makekau	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I think that we should be able to continue raising chickens we treat them with respect and we have good care for them. I have been raising chickens my whole life and it has never been a problem I worked so hard for these chickens build them coops feed and water everyday. But that doesn't make me wanna quit or stop because this is my passion and I'm proud to have it!

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/12/2024 8:10:43 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Patrick Asuncion Jr	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

For many it's been tradition others a lifestyle it a sport where we learn and educate each other.

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 8:16:58 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Aenoi Nakhoun	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I opposed to this bill I I been raising chickens to feed my family ever since I moved to Hawaii in 1990s

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/12/2024 8:24:19 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
John Montayre Teves	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Aloha I John oppose this bill . I'm the 4th generation chicken farming and I would be dishonored to see this tradition disappear . Thank you aloha

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/12/2024 8:26:27 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Pono Fabella	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I been raising my fowl since the 6th grade I'm 24yo now this is something my family passed down to me I still have my uncles line I first started off with I take better care of my chickens then I do myself I don't harm or abuse them I love them

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/12/2024 8:31:28 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Codie miyake	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I codie miyake-bautista of Maui,HI oppose this bill HB1980

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 8:31:29 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Kapena Waikiki	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

One thing you must understand is that chickens fight against their own will. It's their natural instinct. I oppose this bill because one of it's CULTURE none of you on this board can't say this but put a smile on when you see the younger generation chasing chickens in the neighborhood. Like I said it's culture many was born into it also many have been thought by some of the most and best gamefowl breeders around the world. Parents use to say if you want to learn you need an education. Well many have travelled to foreign countries to learn about chickens. You can never teach your chicken to fight when it's in their genes. But you can condition them to be better at what they do. There's a whole aspect in the Philippines where they train roosters as if was boxers. Today peta calls it JUICING the roosters with chemicals well do you take vitamins? Do you go on a strict diet to make weight like fighters do? So I oppose this bill and catch the bigger problems out there. Let the chicken culture live. Aloha

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 8:37:30 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Jaylen Medeiros	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I Oppose this Bill from Makawao, Maui. GameFowl is part of our Culture and Heritage and History dating back to Old Hawaii. Also I don't think it will be Easy to remove all the chickens from Hawaii especially the Pharaoh GameFowl that Fight on the streets Daily.

Mahalo for your Time and Concideration Aloha

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 8:48:45 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Rory Souza	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Its a lifestyle

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 9:02:48 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Mark Ruiz	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Taking away our culture . Been taking care of chickens from when I was a child . It's a big part of my family .

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 9:19:13 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Rodney Robello jr	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this bill hb1980 .

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 9:29:28 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Ola Asato	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose to the following bill HB1980. We have more serious issues going on right now in the state of hawaii that should take priority over this bill. Especially for domestic abuse and child abuse.

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 10:05:39 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Rodney Robello Sr	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

My Name Is Rodney Robello Sr Im A 1st Generation Generation Breeder I Been With Gamefowl for Over 40 Years This My Passion.

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 10:07:53 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Austin DePeralta	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this bill

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 10:13:11 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Zachary Lasco	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I Zachary Lasco of Lahaina Maui, Hawaii

I oppose this bill HB1980 HD1.

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 10:28:14 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Carole R. Richelieu	Individual	Support	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

support increasing penalties for the illegal fighting of birds and setting forth nuisance abatement proceedings for chronic offenders , as well as effective date of upon approval.

Hawaii Kai

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 10:34:49 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Sasha Kaupu	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose bill HB1980

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 10:51:29 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Renee Rabb	Individual	Support	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I am writing in support HB1580 by Rep. Kila, which increases penalties for animal cruelty. Animal cruelty only causes more violence in society, as sick individuals turn their anger towards vulnerable people including their family members. Since animal cruelty is not often prosecuted, the instances that do go to trial should be taken very seriously.

Let's do what we can to show aloha to the animals who are the victims of abuse.

Mahalo,

Renee Rabb

Hawaiian Paradise Park

Keaau, HI 96749

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 10:54:34 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Dominic Ventura-souza	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

It's a tradition and something I grew up love doing

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 11:14:31 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Bryson	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

If this bill is passed, it'll ruin a lot of family. Businesses and they will be forced to shut down a lot of people will lose there jobs. Raising game fowl for breeding purposes has been in our family's for a very long time and has kept me out of trouble and many other people do plz keep our tradition going

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 11:32:47 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Jonah Ballesteros Endriga	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

A'ole, This my culture

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 11:50:27 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Russell strong	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I am against Bill1980 as it goes against the culture i practice since I was 5 years old thank you

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 11:55:48 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Shane Medeiros	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Hello I am a third generation gamefowl breeder these birds are more than animals too us they are a connection to our previous ancestors who passed knowledge and bloodlines down from generation to generation these birds provide for our families from egg production to fertilizer to endless amounts of pest control...It provides a structure for our children to also learn responsibility and a hard work ethic to take this culture away from our future generations would be an absolute let down for our culture thank you for taking the time to hear our concerns Mahalo!!

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 12:05:35 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Rex Kamakana	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this bill HB1980

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 12:28:33 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Toby Krause	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Aloha

my name is Toby Krause, I am submitting this testimony today to say that I oppose this bill. I myself have been raising fowl for several years now and have been using it as a way to keep me sober of drugs and alcohol. I take pride in keeping my birds happy and healthy and find solitude and peace when at my farm just me and my birds. You take my birds away you take away my peace of mind.

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 12:38:05 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Charles Naone	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose HB1980

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 12:48:30 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Shelby Davis	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose HB1980 and do not support HB1980. Passage of HB 1980 would jeopardize preserving rare fowl breeds and its existence. Passing this bill will result in sever consequences by affecting business's who support traditions being under threat by passage of this bill. This will affect employment of these business and their families they support. Preserving rare fowl breeds would support our cultural existence and identity. Mahalo

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 12:58:49 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
David Beudet	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose hb1980. I'm 76yrs old and have had roosters for 58 hrs. I don't sell drugs and don't own a gun.

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 12:59:53 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Keanu betonio	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Aloha, I oppose this bill, I am a third generation show bird organization of Hawaii breeder. I been around show bird my whole life, And I want to pass on this generation culture to the next generation to come, raising birds show us peace and teaches us responsibility, raising show birds are also very rewarding, not only they give us eggs, but they eliminate scrap and provide fresh fertilizer and get rid of garden pest, passing this bill would be a shame, mahalo

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/12/2024 1:01:28 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Jeremy kuratsu	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

This is a waste of tax payers money,simple,why don't we focus on the housing problems,drug problems,an fight against stop sending people from the mainland here to create more of a homeless problem that hawaii already faces,there is killings happening everyday in hawaii,so is it cool to say cock fighting is the cause of all the killings,let's have some common sense an use out tax paying money to focus on the real problems in hawaii

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 1:07:36 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
William HK Davis	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose HB1980. Passage of HB1980 would jeopardize the preservation of rare fowl breeds and its existence. Passing this bill will result in severe consequences by affecting business's who support these traditions threatened by passage of this bill. This will affect employers and business's and their families they support. Preserving rare fowl breeds would support our cultural existence and identity. Mahalo

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 1:16:20 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Hampton K. Davis	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose HB 1980 and do not support HB 1980. Limits rare fowl breeding and traditional cultural practices.

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 1:26:33 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Arnold Joseph Duldulao	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this bill, I don't support this bill.

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/12/2024 1:38:38 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
CharnalleLynn	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I Oppose.

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/12/2024 1:38:46 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Kaeo Mainaupo	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose Bill HB1980.

Aloha,

We are writing in support of HB1980 Relating to Animal Cruelty. The purpose of this Act is to strengthen existing laws relating to the fighting of birds to more closely mirror those of existing state dogfighting laws, and to deter such illegal activity and its associated crimes, for the protection of human and animal health, welfare, and public safety.

I am writing this testimony with my 11 year old son who has found great comfort in raising chickens on Oahu. He has Autism and often has trouble making human friends. When he discovered chickens made useful pets, he began to learn more about how to raise and protect them. We are part of a local group, Hawaii Chicken Rescue, who rescue, treat, and rehabilitate chickens and roosters across the state. My son has learned how to treat and triage wounds on chickens from animal attacks and even dumped roosters from game fighting. People who fight roosters often dump the "loser" rooster on the road in poor health and bleeding from wounds. Their combs are cut off, they often have knives attached to their spurs, and strings around their feet. If we are lucky to catch the rooster in time, we help rehabilitate them to the best of our abilities. Fighting roosters causes much suffering to these animals. We often see children baiting and catching roosters to fight in neighborhoods because they are taught that this violent behavior is okay. Animal cruelty must stop, and we must teach our keiki to respect all living things.

Not only do we rescue chickens, but we have formed bonds with our local neighborhood flock. My son raised an abandoned chick named Nugget. Nugget was a beautiful rooster at 8 months old, fat and happy often coming indoors to learn to play piano with my son. Yes, my son was trying to teach Nugget to play. One day, a neighbor's camera caught two men with a pickup truck and cages in the back with roosters. They stole our Nugget from the front yard, probably to go fight in illegal rooster fighting. My son was heartbroken his pet was stolen from him. Chickens are important to our Hawaiian culture. We have mo'olelo and stories of our Moa (chicken) who came here on canoes with other native plants and species, providing sustenance and companionship to our people. It is our kuleana to mālama and care for our moa.

As a former educator, I have learned of the various research publications linking animal cruelty to other forms domestic abuse, neglect, and trauma in a [household](#). Animal abuse can lead to other forms of antisocial behavior in [children](#), and children who watch [animal cruelty](#) may suffer from compromised social emotional well-being.

Please harshen the laws and provide education and enforcement to officers who cite these violations. Once offenders see that officers will cite illegal activity and that the city will prosecute, we may have less incidences of illegal rooster fighting. Animal cruelty is wrong. Once we enforce illegal activities, adults will hopefully teach their children to treat animals with respect. Our keiki are watching us and are learning from our behavior. What shall we teach them? Mahalo for this opportunity to testify.

Me ka ha'aha'a,

Mai Hall, M.Ed.

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 2:11:45 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Kaiolohia Funes Smith	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

This is our culture, our tradition! Oppose HB 1980

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 2:16:55 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Clement Reyes Jr	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I, Clement Reyes Jr oppose bill HB1980.

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 3:08:40 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
JOANNE PARKER	Individual	Support	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Please support this bill.

Cruelty of any kind should be punished. We must take a stand on any and all animal fighting, especially since this is a sport. It promotes every type of illegal gaming, drugs and brings out the absolute worst in those that participate.

Again, please support this bill.

Mahalo

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/12/2024 3:18:18 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Roy Fukushima	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Aloha I opposed this bill HB1980 thank you for reading

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 3:48:48 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Ayven	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this bill don't like it all .

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 3:55:57 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Mark Branden Maon	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I Mark Branden Maon Oppose bills hb1980 and hb1050 am from maui.

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 4:00:55 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Donald Willets	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Why do you guys want to band cock fighting? They're called gamefowl for a reason it wouldn't matter if they're wild or not. Also, without us the chickens would probably go extinct because they wouldn't reproduce and wouldn't have as many chicks as we do while they're out in the wild. We take care of them from eggs to they're grown, we give them antibiotics when they're sick, give them snacks as in fruits and veggies. Another thing is that we been doing it for so long that it's not a hobby because it's a lifestyle.

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 4:56:05 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Matthew moniz	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Simple it's not right!

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 5:48:58 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Blake Soares	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 6:48:16 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Dustin Wamar	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose HB-1980. This bill targets all of the gamefowl community unfairly! A lot of us breed and raise gamefowl for the love of the breed itself! Gamefowl are very honorable creatures. To be around them and have the pleasure to interact with them on a daily basis is truly a pleasure. This bill needs to be re-written at best! Punishing those who raise and breed them as if we are criminals is just like criminalizing a child playing with sparklers because Ariel fireworks are illegal. I strongly oppose this bill!

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 6:50:30 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Dhavin Spencer-Basa	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 6:59:56 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Kaipo	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I appose hb1980 I am a third generation farmer. Raising fowl have got us out of a lot of finical situations and food problems. We to to fowl for food source meat,eggs fertilizer it's one of our source of income... they are great for the inviorment there dropping are a great source of nitrogen for all our other plants in our garden it's the best natural fertilizer you could get

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 7:05:36 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Cherish quiocho	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

My name is Cherish Quiocho. I oppose this bill HB1980 HD1. This is my testimony opposing the bill that puts foul breeders at risk. I speak on behalf of all of those who own, raise and breed foul. Chickens have played a huge role in my life, teaching me great work ethics, discipline and how to show up every single day for something other than myself. I wake up everyday, go to work, then hurry home and take care of all the birds till it gets dark. From my childhood days I never had the time to get in trouble, I was always busy on the farm. It doesn't matter if I'm sick, tired or having a bad day, I show up for them.

This bill mentions animal cruelty but these birds are cared for like they are human beings. They're fed daily, wormed monthly while provided with all other necessities to stay happy and healthy. We do our best to give every single one of them a happy/healthy life which makes it obscured that raising and owning foul is a thought to be illegal. On the other hand it's okay for industries to inject foul with supplements to accelerate there growth while living in inhumane conditions so they can be culled at an early age and sold for a quick buck to eateries/stores. I stand up for what I believe in which is why I am speaking. This bill is a complete nightmare. I respect the fact that everyone is entitled to their own opinions but imagine something you truly have a passion for be stripped away. Thank you for your time, it is greatly appreciated.

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 7:23:11 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Noah dewan	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this bill because raising Show Fowl has been a generational tradition for me, my elders and the newer generation, and that speaks for a mass volume of Hawaii, I would like to be able to keep our hobby and passion of raising these beautiful animals in peace, mahalo.

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 7:39:42 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
joey aruda	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I have raised & bred gamefowl for well over 50 years and have shown them not only in the hawaii game breeders annual shows but in the U.S as well and strive for the perpetuation & preservation of these bloodlines of American gamefowl for future generations to carry on for this reason I oppose bill HB1980

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 7:43:07 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Kristie Hernandez	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

To whom it may concern,

Opposing this bill. We are supposed to be living in a free state, world!!! Feel like everything is being controlled these days and there is no freedom or rights to do what we want as individuals. Some people raise fowls because it is there form of living in Hawaii where it is too expensive to live. Raising fowls produces businesses for stores, it brings revenue from all over the world. If you take away raising fowls then how will businesses stay open. People here in Hawaii already have a hard time and if you take this away from the people you will be taking away the lives of their families, their families families and so forth!!! You can't take away peoples livelihoods and lives!!!

no one ever takes into consideration that it's already expensive to be in this state, there are more important matters that need to help this state thrive, to bring back ALOHA, bring back the word FAMILY...to bring back Hawaiians, Locals to be able to afford living !!! So please don't approve this bill because having fowl is what UNiTEs my OHANA- it's teamwork, brings us together and it makes us live here in the ISLANDS!!! we don't want to move from a place we call HOME!!!

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 8:01:27 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Lenny GALBAN	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose to billHB1980 HDI

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 8:17:46 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Kaui	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose of the bill

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 8:21:52 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Elan	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose if the bill HB1980

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/12/2024 8:27:08 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
malie kalani kualaaau	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Aloha Senator Brian Schatz and Mazie Hirono

My name is..Mālie-Kalani,Kualā’auI reside in Maui, HI. and I am concerned and pressed for time with how swiftly Bill HB1980 has passed the State Representatives and its JHA committee. As the senator for the district I reside in I humbly request that you review this bill and examine thoroughly how this will impact our communities. As you know many of our neighbor’s friends and relatives will become felons if this bill is surely passed and made law with how it is currently written; many of whom are blue collar, entrepreneurs and working-class people. This bill will negatively impact small businesses who help stimulate economic growth in our islands. It will also dissolve the connections made within families and community with those who maintain small and large-scale chicken farms.

The people that I know who raise chickens are the most loyal to the animal. They purchase feed weekly, purchase medicines, cages, straw, land, and regularly spend at small businesses supporting our local economy. These folks love their fowl so much and they go to great lengths to maintain the healthiest and finest birds(chickens); they are with their fowl every day from when they hatch to when they pass on. They meticulously pay attention to every bird they own, regularly delousing, treating for worms and parasites, trimming beaks and spurs, dubbing combs and waddles, and washing these beautiful birds. Raising fowl is a job in and of its own, but these men, women and children enjoy this and are in adoration of these majestic fowl.

It is extremely unfortunate that there is violence that has been attached to chicken fighting amongst those few indecent people that use the guise of the sport to push other illegal activities. I do not support drug distribution, I do not support game rooms, I do not support gun violence, I do not support dog fights. However, these things should not subject those that truly love raising Game fowl for cultural and

heritage reasons to become felons, lose their properties or spend time in prison for truly caring for the rooster.

There are parts of this bill that need expanding on, or needs to be more specific. Especially those areas where it says intent. In regards to possessing, owning, transporting, selling, buying, and transferring birds. This is too general and I would have neighbors, friends and family members become felons if this bill was passed how it is currently written. Who determines the intent of why the birds are being raised? Another grey area that should be questioned is section 3 subsection (d) through (g). Animals in kennels and transferring animals inhumanely and or humanely. This area is too generalized and vague. Homeowners who have pets who may be unattended to in kennels while they are at work or hunters who possess dogs could be impacted by the wording in this section. In closing.

I am hopeful and I am humbled to be able to voice these concerns that could affect the culture and trajectory of how we live in Hawaii. There are many folks that share sentiment for these animals and have differences on what they view is humane and inhumane and what truly is the heinous crimes being committed. It is not the men and women who care for these beautiful animals daily who work hard, pay their taxes and drive our economy forward by spending in small businesses and creating small businesses that should become felons or provoked to become outlaws. Those who push drugs, sell illegal un-registered guns, and commit violent crimes are ruining our islands. Those are the real criminals and should not be confused with the people who truly have great respect for the rooster.

Thank you for your time.

Respectfully,
Mālie Kalani Kualaa
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Mkualaa@gmail.com

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 8:38:13 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Rel	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I'm a 3rd generation in raising gamefowl show birds and I oppose this bill. Gamefowl birds in Hawaii are a beautiful and fascinating breed that are highly valued by enthusiasts for their beauty, intelligence, and unique characteristics.

Gamefowl farming is a labor of love, a reflection of the spirit and determination of those who are willing to put in the work to achieve greatness. The work of a gamefowl farmer is not for the faint of heart, but for those with the courage and tenacity to do whatever it takes to raise the best birds in the world. Being a gamefowl farmer is not just a job, it's a way of life, a commitment to the farm, birds and the community.

The art of raising gamefowl requires a combination of science, experience, intuition, as each bird must be cared for with the utmost love and attention. A gamefowl rooster is not just a bird, it is a reflection of the fighting spirit within us all, reminding us that we too can overcome any obstacle and rise through greatness.

Despite this, gamefowl birds still remains a deeply ingrained part of Hawaiian culture and is still practiced informally in some parts of the state.

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 9:08:07 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Lilly Pulido	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

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Thank you for your time.

Respectfully,
Lilly Pulido
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pulidlil000@gmail

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 9:09:26 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
rayna estrella	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I Joel Estrella oppose bill HB1980 and bill HB 1580... I been raising show birds since I was 10 years old... raising an breeding show birds has thought me a lot in life an it's a culture an passion that drives me everyday to take responsibility on raising,breeding an feeding these show birds... It has also caused a lot of balance in my life before work I tend to them and after work. Trying to preserve this culture an pass it on to my grandson

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/12/2024 9:39:21 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Devin	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Aloha my name is Devin Rieta and I oppose this bill!;

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 9:41:50 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Josiah ChongTim	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Aloha,

My name is Josiah ChongTim and I oppose HB1980. Breeding, raising, and owning fowl offers lots of life lessons. For me owning chickens has shaped my work ethics and taught me responsibility. No matter how rough of a day I have I always find peace caring for my fowl doing all that I can to make them feel comfortable and keeping them healthy. So much passion and time goes into a days work on the farm that there is no time for trouble to find me. My farm is like my home, it's my safe place, my getaway when I need time alone. Alongside breeders and owners of fowl, feed stores will be affected. On a monthly basis I visit 3 feed stores and the majority of the feed and products they carry are for chickens. Imagine the decrease in revenue if this bill goes passes and everyone gets rid of their chickens and farms. Land owners who rent out their land to chicken farmers will lose a stream of income. What if that is their only stream of income. The amount of money spent on chicken feed, rent for farms, and the proper necessities to keep a chicken healthy supports the economy here in the islands. This bill is a nightmare. I can only hope that my kids will get to learn life lessons from raising and showing fowl as I. I appreciate you for your time. Mahalo!

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 9:44:51 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Michael	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Aloha , I oppose this bill because show bird is my passion. I love this culture and everything about it. It's been a family tradition. I cant see this bill pass it will brake my heart Family's who do this everyday will be broken. every single person in Hawaii will not feel the same. KEEP THE CULTURE !

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/12/2024 10:11:30 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Lewin chartrand jr.	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I appose HB1980.

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 10:11:51 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Ashly L. Rzonca	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this bill.

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Submitted on: 3/12/2024 10:35:03 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Sherry Pollack	Individual	Support	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Strong support!

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/12/2024 10:45:21 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
DUSTIN DEPONTE	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

PLEASE, ke 'olu'olu, do not continue turning the people, na po'e o HAWAII, into FELONS, deep dive into the reason why we live in HAWAII, if we forget our CULTURE, we lose who we are as PEOPLE of HAWAII...

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/13/2024 3:26:30 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Breen Paakaula	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose this bill. Farmers are good law abiding citizens who aren't crooks like drug dealers

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Submitted on: 3/13/2024 5:05:51 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Christian Vetea David	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

It's crazy how strong you guys feel about this because at the end you kill them all claiming can't find anyone they're too aggressive? It's ridiculous it's one of the oldest hobbies in the world just like pigeons. You're just Americanizing punishment. Now if I walk by or see a game farm I'm automatically charged?. you guys need to reconsider this bill.

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Submitted on: 3/13/2024 7:31:56 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Jason botelho	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I strongly oppose hb 1980, as a member of the community who grew up around farming, ranching, and animal husbandry, the measure has many, many pieces in it that will take away from, criminalize, and turn normal, every day people into criminals just for owning and taking care of their animals in a traditional way. What you describe as "cruelty" has been practiced for hundreds of years on farming, ranching, and animal farms with little ill effect.

By allowing this measure to pass you would not be protecting any animals, rather you would be criminalizing the people who raise them, care for them, and make their living, as well as others so enjoy them recreationally.

I strongly oppose.

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Submitted on: 3/13/2024 7:52:10 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Jennifer Chiwa	Individual	Support	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Aloha Chair Senator Rhoads, Vice Chair Senator Gabbard and Members of the Committee on Judiciary.

Please support HB 1980 HD1 which increases penalties for fighting of birds. A segment of Hawaii's population claims fighting of birds is a part of their culture. Hawaii has its own culture, too. As a state, we uphold everyone's right to safety and health, and generally, the state has been a leader in animal welfare. The fighting of birds is detrimental to safety and health, and in no way contributes to animal welfare when birds are trained to slash each other apart for the enjoyment of spectators. The language of the bill clearly states the problems of allowing fighting of birds, and I absolutely agree with these statements. Please help Hawaii join the other 42 states which, to my understanding, have a felony penalty for the fighting of birds. Furthermore, it's my understanding that law enforcement - police and prosecutors across the state - collaborated on this bill to provide them with more strength in curbing the threat to people and animals on this issue.

Please support the people in law enforcement who dedicate their lives to our safety by voting to pass HB 1980 HD 1.

Mahalo.

Jennifer Chiwa

Makiki

SENATE COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY
Sen. Karl Rhodes, Chair
Sen. Mike Gabbard, Vice Chair

HB1980 - RELATING TO ANIMAL CRUELTY.

- DATE: Wednesday, March 14, 2024
- TIME: 9:30 AM
- PLACE: State Capitol Conference Room 016 & Videoconference.

In Support

Thank you for the opportunity to articulate my support for this important bill. I am a private citizen always interested in initiatives that protect our children and animals. I firmly believe that anyone harming or injuring a defenseless creature must be investigated and held accountable for their behavior. I applaud the intent of this bill to amend current criminal penalties for various animal cruelty offenses by increasing the categories of offenses. This action is long overdue particularly with respect to rooster and dog fighting.

This bill will begin to address a long-neglected and serious shortfall in law enforcement - it will provide our police and prosecutors with measures to more effectively charge and prosecute individuals associated with these terrible crimes.

Once passed and enacted, this measure will ultimately lead to a safer and more humane Hawai'i by reducing this threat to our animals and people. I hope each of you will strongly support this measure and make it effective upon approval.

I stand in support of the position of the Hawaiian Humane Society on this Bill.

Anne Forshey/annejforshey@gmail.com/Ewa Beach, HI 96706

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Submitted on: 3/13/2024 8:15:41 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Kekoa Agamata-Pakele	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I, Kekoa Agamata-Pakele. Oppose of bill HB1980

that is in play for senate hearing tomorrow Thursday
March 14, 2024.

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/13/2024 8:34:52 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Ryan Sonoda	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I strongly oppose HB 1980

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Submitted on: 3/13/2024 8:56:11 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
JOHNNY KELLY	Individual	Support	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Fighting poor defenseless for sport is an example of how low our society has fallen! I don't care about the old stupid excuses we hear of "it's our sport, our tradition, is just a bunch of dumb birds, who cares anyway?, it's our countries favorite pastime, our race has been fighting birds for generations." All lot of ridiculous dumb excuses! Not in my country! If people want to see a horrible spectacle like this, they can leave my country and go wherever it is legal!

From: [W.Allen Burchett](#)
To: [JDC Committee](#)
Subject: Oppose HB1980
Date: Tuesday, March 12, 2024 8:45:24 AM

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I would like to oppose this bill i find it to be unconstitutional

From: [jarrod lee](#)
To: [JDC Committee](#)
Subject: HB1980
Date: Tuesday, March 12, 2024 12:21:50 PM

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Im opposing Bill HB1980 Mahalo

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Im opposing Bill HB1980 Mahalo

From: [Kenneth Bounlangsy](#)
To: [JDC Committee](#)
Subject: HB 1980
Date: Tuesday, March 12, 2024 12:27:32 PM

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Aloha,
My name is Kenneth Bounlangsy. I'm humbly asking you to reject and oppose HB 1980.
Thank you so much!
Sincerely,
Kenneth Bounlangsy
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Submitted on: 3/13/2024 9:17:23 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Brad Lung	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I have been raising gamefowl for 22 years. It is a part of our culture.

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Submitted on: 3/13/2024 9:27:32 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Bryson Porter	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Aloha my name is Bryson Porter of Pukalani, Maui and I am submitting this testimony in opposition to HB1980.

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Submitted on: 3/13/2024 9:34:00 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Kolby Acosta	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Aloha

My name is Kolby Acosta, and I Oppose HB 1980. I have raise gamefowl over 20 years. Gamefowl has taught me discipline, from feeding everyday, giving fresh water, an cleaning up after them since I was 8 years old.

Raising gamefowl has saved my life. After my son Khai passed I fell into a deep depression. I was thinking the worst. The only way I could clear my mind was to go to my farm an be around them. Cleaning, feeding an just being around my gamefowl cleared my mind. If it wasn't for my game fowl I don't know where I would be.

Mahalo Kolby

From: [ka wena](#)
To: [JDC Committee](#)
Subject: HB1980
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I kawena Esperas oppose HB1980

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Submitted on: 3/13/2024 9:41:31 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Lamaku Pana	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

DON'T TAKE OUR CULTURE AWAY

From: [kinaolebuilders](#)
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I oppose bill 1980

Sent from my T-Mobile 5G Device

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Submitted on: 3/13/2024 11:20:47 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Taurie Kinoshita	Individual	Support	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

To the Honorable Committee,

I am writing in strong support of HB 1980.

Animals should not be forced to fight, animal cruelty is immoral and unethical. Please protect the helpless animals who cannot protect themselves and pass this bill.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Taurie Kinoshita

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/13/2024 11:40:15 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
peyton pana	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

As a member of poultry farming and a dedicated advocate for sustainable living, I wholeheartedly endorse the invaluable contributions of chickens to our lives and communities. Chickens are not only remarkable creatures but also integral members of our agricultural ecosystems, offering a plethora of benefits that deserve recognition and appreciation.

First and foremost, chickens are exceptional providers of high-quality protein in the form of eggs and meat. With their efficient conversion of feed into nutritious products, they play a pivotal role in addressing global food security challenges, especially in regions where access to affordable protein sources is limited. Furthermore, the versatility of chicken products makes them accessible and adaptable to diverse culinary preferences and dietary needs, enriching the culinary landscape worldwide.

Beyond their culinary contributions, chickens offer multifaceted environmental benefits. As adept foragers and natural pest controllers, they assist in maintaining ecological balance by reducing insect populations and controlling weed growth. Their manure serves as a valuable organic fertilizer, enriching soil fertility and promoting healthy plant growth. Through responsible chicken husbandry practices, such as rotational grazing and free-range management, farmers can harness the regenerative potential of chickens to enhance soil health and biodiversity on their farms.

Moreover, chickens possess endearing and personable traits that endear them to countless individuals. From their curious and inquisitive nature to their distinct vocalizations and colorful plumage, chickens exhibit a charm and charisma that captivate hearts and minds alike. As companions and educational ambassadors, they foster connections between people and the natural world, fostering empathy, responsibility, and stewardship among both young and old.

In conclusion, the remarkable attributes of chickens underscore their significant and multifaceted contributions to our lives, communities, and environments. By recognizing and celebrating the virtues of chickens, we can cultivate a deeper appreciation for these beloved creatures and embrace sustainable practices that honor their well-being and welfare. Let us continue to champion the role of chickens in fostering resilience, nourishment, and harmony in our interconnected world.

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Submitted on: 3/13/2024 11:43:00 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Bill Dixon	Individual	Support	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I strongly support HB 1980, which increases penalties for the illegal fighting of birds and sets forth nuisance abatement proceedings for chronic offenders. I urge you to approve this measure and advocate for it.

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/13/2024 11:47:59 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Hannah	Individual	Support	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

The state needs to crack down on cockfighting in Hawaii. As the bill mentions, cockfighting is related to a plethora of other violent, illegal activities that endangers our local communities. Those who oppose this bill are driven by their own self interests; either to continue selling cockfighting birds for profit or to continue profiting off of illegal gambling/cockfighting activity. I ask our state leaders to act in accordance with what is best for the health and safety of our communities; to support bill HB1980. I have personally experienced increased violence and danger in local neighborhoods due to the prevalence of the cockfighting industry in Hawaii, to which we have turned a blind eye for far too long. We should not allow this nonsensical violence and corruption to continue. Please do the right thing and support this bill to put an end to the violence.

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Submitted on: 3/13/2024 12:46:30 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Makaha	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Oppose

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Submitted on: 3/13/2024 2:24:54 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Jonette Kaahui-Knight	Individual	Support	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

The lives that are destroyed from chicken fighting, not only for animal but also humans. Anything we can to stop this kind of practices should be done.

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Submitted on: 3/13/2024 3:30:54 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Sierra	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Aloha,

My name is Sierra Silva a born and raised native of this land. I **oppose** bill **HB1980** reason being we are loosing one more of our cultural practices. Raising, breeding and cultivating fowl is a livelihood that has been going on for generations and till this day practiced around the world. To follow through with this bill is yet again taking our identity and Heritage away. This is my testimony opposing bill HB1980.

Mahalo,

Sierra Silva

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/13/2024 4:25:26 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
mikyla nakila	Individual	Support	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I am in support of bill HB1980 because I firmly believe animal cruelty is inhumane and unacceptable in any aspect and directly correlates with one's mental health. It desensitizes people to violence and objectifies the animals that are involving in the fighting whether chickens or dogs. Even in the instance of acquiring food through hunting there must be respect when regarding any form of life. People's actions in how they treat any life especially innocents like animals, shows the type of people they are.

HB-1980-HD-1

Submitted on: 3/13/2024 4:29:16 PM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Lori Okumura	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Criminal Activity. The large majority of those who raise game fowl are hardworking, tax-paying, voting citizens, and have some relationship with farming. The criminal activity mentioned in the bill was not associated with the illegal activity; during the crime, no illegal chicken fights occurred. What is in the bill is inaccurate?

Does the penalty fit the crime, at the current level, maybe, as a felony, it does not. Criminal activity over the past decades has not occurred.

It has been reported that King Kalakaua owned game fowl and it is part of the Hawaii culture. We ask multiple cultures to come to Hawaii to work on the plantations and build our roads, homes, and businesses and when others come to our home, they want us to assimilate into their ways, I say that we have sovereign rights to our own culture.

Many businesses rely on our farmers, especially livestock feed stores, and they will go away, creating additional burdens on our stressed economy.

Courts. Should we be spending time on this level of activity when our courts are overburdened with more severe criminal activity (assaults on our Kupuna, homeless criminal activity, drugs, and ethnic violence to mention a few?

Police/Law Enforcement. We have a shortage of police officers, and having them chase down, chicken people is a poor use of law enforcement.

Cruelty, if this is the argument, then what is next on your agenda - cowboys, fishermen, horse racing, hunters?

Killing of chickens. Tyson, KFC, and all the chickens that are consumed around the world amount to a million times more than game fowl.

Game fowl can be beneficial to our society as a whole. It lead me to become a successful and contributing member of society. Many of the skills and advantages in my life have been a direct result of cockfighting. It taught me accountability, responsibility, flexibility, reliability, and integrity. The animals were treated as prized members of our family environment. The structure within my family home was the envy of many of my friends because we did things together. The

chickens provided that backdrop for our closeness. We had a great moral fabric within our household because of the life lessons taught as a result of having the chickens.

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Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Kristy Salley	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I am writing in opposition to this bill.

First and foremost, this bill assumes that the individuals who take part in raising gamefowl are bad and cruel people. They are not. Most of the people who take part in this activity are hard working, law abiding, tax paying, and moral individuals. These individuals are community serving and supporting. They are the ones the community relies on to get the job done because of the governments lack of doing. These are the same individuals who give up their time and money to make sure that the keiki are supported in extra curricular activities (pop warner, little league, etc). These are the same individuals who make up for the lack of the government's duty to make the communities safe for all.

Secondly, this bill insinuates that criminal activity is correlated to the act of raising gamefowl. There is no correlation- no cause/effect- no relation whatsoever. That is like saying that raising dogs equals being a criminal. What's next? Is every horse owner a criminal too?

Many businesses rely on the individuals who raise gamefowl. This is their livelihood that this bill is trying to destroy. The economy is already in trouble and this would only add to the burden of the people. Is that not a matter we wish to discuss? Do we enjoy pushing our people out of their livelihood? Do we enjoy pushing our people out of Hawaii?

This is a part of our culture- OUR HAWAIIAN CULTURE! Our ancestors have owned and raised gamefowl and this legacy should not be broken. Other cultures that make up our heritage here in the islands also have centuries of gamefowl owners. This is who we are and who we have always been.

Why are you spending time and money on this? Are there not more important and severe issues that should have your focus, time and energy? There is a huge drug problem here that should have your focus. There is a huge child trafficking issue that should have you focus. How has this become a priority over the endangerment of our people and keiki?

Thank you for taking the time to listen to my thoughts about this. Let's keep our people in mind before making a decision that can completely alter their lives. There are more important things that should be focused on. Keep Hawaii for the culture of Hawaii. Keep Hawaii for the people of Hawaii. Keep Hawaii, Hawaii.

HB 1980

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I stop or oppose HB1980, protect our culture

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OPPOSITION OF HB1980

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Aloha,

The purpose of this email is to state my opposition of HB1980. Gamefowl have been in everyone's ancestors and cultures since the Roman days and maybe even before. I am an owner of gamefowl, but neither do I fight or bet on my fowl. Gamefowl are naturally territorial and will fight without provocation, regardless if they are in a pit or in the backyard. Gamefowl enthusiasts have great pride in their flock as would any parent of their child and as any coach preparing their athlete for a competition. Much is devoted to the care of these fowl not like the poultry bred for eating. Money, time, nutrients, vitamins, housing, and so forth are poured into these fowl. The Hawaii Game Breeders Association is devoted to reviving the appreciation and love for these fowl outside of what the media portrays of the fowl, which is negative. There is so much more to say, but bottom line is, we as enthusiasts should not be restricted from raising or owning the gamefowl as we have done for centuries. I, Shaun Dydasco, oppose HB1980.

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To Committee

I oppose HB1980

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Hi

I'm here writing to you guys today to oppose this bill HB1980 I've been around raising fowl all my life and it's my passion to raise them from out the egg to full grown beautiful rooster's these just aren't chickens these are bloodlines of fowls that's being preserved for decades if this bill passes it will leave a lot of local feed stores around the island jobless and eventually bankrupt and will have no choice but to close their doors for good I believe us fowl breeders play a big role in these local feed stores it's only going to bring more harm to our island than good in reality

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I oppose HB1980

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I oppose HB 1980

Written Testimony

H.B. No. 1980: Relating to breeding and raising of show fowl.

Breeding and raising show fowl in Hawaii is a huge part of many cultures. Especially to our enormous Filipino community. Hawaii is the home of so many whose families migrated here from the Philippines to work on the plantations. The people who come from the Philippines to Hawaii are some of the hardest working people, determined to create a better life for themselves and their families. Many of them bring their culture with them, and one of their most treasured traditions of breeding and raising fowl.

I myself married into a Filipino family, some of my in-laws migrated to Hawaii from the Philippines. The passion and work I see these people put into raising their fowl is amazing. It is sad that some unfortunate incidents have happened at illegal chicken fights and have now put a risk to all Hawaii breeders. I strongly feel that passing H.B. No. 1980 will only cause more illegal activity as people will be forced to go into more underground and unsafe situations to continue doing what they love and practicing their culture in which they grew up doing and have been a part of for generations.

Passing this bill and putting breeders at risk of losing their farms also plays a huge part in keeping local businesses open and thriving. Many feed stores in Hawaii depend so heavily on the breeders to continue buying feed and medications. Passing this bill would likely result in many local businesses shutting down and local people losing their jobs. We should always do what we can to support local businesses and local people.

Unfortunately, many who support this bill do not know enough about the program and good, hardworking people that put everything into their fowl. They only see what's on the TV and social media when something bad happens. Gun violence and illegal drugs are everywhere and passing this bill is not the answer to creating a safer community and is unfair to those who are not a part of the drugs and violence.

I Oppose bill hb1980

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I oppose HB 1980 and HB 1580

Re: Opposition for HB1980

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Aloha Senators,

I am writing to express my opposition to the current HB1980, our communities, our people and our culture will be greatly affected by this bill, and we would like for you folks to consider our voices. I have attached a resent petition that we put together for our concerns, currently we have 1302 signatures of community members that also oppose HB1980 (please see attached PDF).

We are asking you folks to please re-consider HB1980 as it directly impacts are lively hoods, communities, small businesses, and cultural practices.

Here is a copy of our Online Petition for your review:



Started by [Jeneen Hoopai](#)

Our communities are under a huge threat. The proposed bill HB1980 stands to transform many of our friends, relatives, and neighbors into felons overnight. These are not hardened criminals but hardworking blue-collar individuals, entrepreneurs, and working-class people who contribute significantly to our local economy.

Small businesses form the backbone of our economic growth here in the Islands. Yet this bill threatens their very existence with its current wording. It's not just about economics though; it's about preserving the fabric of our community. Many families maintain small and large-scale chicken farms which foster connections within families and across communities.

If passed as it currently stands, bill HB1980 will dissolve these connections that have been built over generations. This is more than just a legal issue; it's a personal one that affects each one of us directly or indirectly.

We cannot stand by while this happens to our community. We must make sure that those in power understand the full implications of this bill on ordinary people like us before they cast their votes.

Let us stand together against Bill HB1980! Let us protect our small businesses, preserve family traditions and maintain the strong bonds within our community that we the people have built over the years!! Sign this petition now to show your opposition against Bill HB1980!

Please allow our voices to be heard, our communities to continue to support each other and grow as unit in our cultural practices.

Thank you for your time.

Mahalo,
Jeneen Hoopai

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Julz Tyrell	Wahiawa	HI	96789 US	3/12/2024
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Kyle Kauai	Honolulu	HI	96819 US	3/12/2024
Cu Dao	Honolulu	HI	96822 US	3/12/2024
Federico Lorenzo	Honolulu	HI	96819 US	3/12/2024
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Lance Fukuzono	South Gate	CA	90280 US	3/12/2024
Jeramie Mcneeley	Honolulu	HI	96816 US	3/12/2024
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Dallas Lewi	Honolulu	HI	96817 US	3/12/2024
Masen Silva	Honolulu	HI	96822 US	3/12/2024
Kawiki Coelho	Honolulu	HI	96792-3214 US	3/12/2024
Jeric Bautista	Maui	HI	96793 US	3/12/2024
Kentucky Gamefowl		KY	US	3/12/2024
Amber Makino	Hilo	HI	96720 US	3/12/2024
Jeffrey Tacto	Waimānala	HI	96795 US	3/12/2024
Teva Caraballo	Keaau	HI	96749 US	3/12/2024

KeaweWai Lincoln	Kailua-Koni	HI	96740 US	3/12/2024
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Alexis Delos santos hoops	Aiea	HI	96701 US	3/12/2024
KYLE Enanoria	Waimanalo	HI	96795 US	3/12/2024
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Byron Hernandez	Honolulu	HI	96819 US	3/12/2024
Leinaala LaBatte	Honolulu	HI	96822 US	3/12/2024
Tavon Ascino	Honolulu	HI	96819 US	3/12/2024
Christopher Babas	Honolulu	HI	96819 US	3/13/2024
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Travis Siobal	Waimanalo	HI	96795 US	3/13/2024
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Isaiah Isagawa	Los Angeles	CA	90060 US	3/13/2024
zion oana	Honolulu	HI	96822 US	3/13/2024
Toi Nofoa	Honolulu	HI	96819 US	3/13/2024
Russell Mascoto	Honolulu	HI	96822 US	3/13/2024
Cresente Renon	Honolulu	HI	96817 US	3/13/2024
NADINE GLUSHENKO	Waianae	HI	96792 US	3/13/2024
Vincent Molina-Gamponi	Honolulu	HI	96706 US	3/13/2024
Alston Thomas	Kailua-Koni	HI	96740 US	3/13/2024
halii iaea	Honolulu	HI	96817 US	3/13/2024
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Francis Maduro	Kauai	HI	96766 US	3/13/2024
Greg Alisna	Kapaa	HI	96746 US	3/13/2024
Vernon Yoshida	Lihue	HI	96766 US	3/13/2024
Kannon Banquel	Kauai/Lihue	HI	96766 US	3/13/2024
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Chad Kekauoha	Honolulu	HI	96822 US	3/13/2024

Darwin Bukoski	Kalāheo	HI	96741 US	3/13/2024
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Roger Tabac	Honolulu	HI	96818 US	3/13/2024
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Romy Laeda	Honolulu	HI	96814 US	3/13/2024
Albert Zuniga	Pahoa	HI	96778 US	3/13/2024
Christian DelaCruz	Kauai	HI	96769 US	3/13/2024
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Tomme Refamonte	Lihue	HI	96766 US	3/13/2024
Derrick Choi	Honolulu	HI	96822 US	3/13/2024
Mark Dacuycuy	Waipahu	HI	96797 US	3/13/2024
Taylor Calaro	Mililani To	HI	96789 US	3/13/2024
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Harley Kāneakua- de la C	Waialua	HI	96791 US	3/13/2024
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alessi apuna	Kilauea	HI	96754 US	3/13/2024
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Rj Samio	Kapaa	HI	96746 US	3/13/2024
Nickles Dano	'Ewa Beach	HI	96706 US	3/13/2024

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kaulu Montizor	kaneohe	HI	96744 US	3/13/2024
Maikah Wisneski	Honolulu	HI	96814 US	3/13/2024
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Eddie Bisquera	'Ewa Beach	HI	96706 US	3/13/2024
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elesia suarez	Hilo	HI	96720 US	3/13/2024
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Tanika Nihipali-Franchey	Pahoa	HI	96778 US	3/13/2024
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Garry Kaina	South Gate	CA	90280	US	3/13/2024
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Michael Acoba	Honolulu	HI	96822	US	3/13/2024
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Joey Lopez Jr.	Tamuning		96931	Guam	3/13/2024
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Tristy-lee Paiva	Hilo	HI	96720	US	3/13/2024
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Carl Rufo	Mililani To	HI	96789	US	3/13/2024
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Verald Burdett	Anahola	HI	96703	US	3/13/2024
KALEI Kendrick	Hilo	HI	96720	US	3/13/2024
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MAKANI GUSHIKEN-BAN	Honolulu	HI	96814 US	3/13/2024
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Taliyah Makio-Medeiros	Hilo	HI	96720 US	3/13/2024
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Kainoa Dotimas	Honolulu	HI	96814 US	3/13/2024
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Sam Juayang	Pahoa	HI	96778 US	3/13/2024
Bronson Gambol	Honolulu	HI	96819 US	3/13/2024
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Michael Medeiros	Honolulu	HI	96822 US	3/13/2024
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Lorin Torree	Kurtistown	HI	96760 US	3/13/2024
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Koby Tabuyo-kahele	Keaau	HI	96749 US	3/13/2024

Rodman Roman	Kapolei	HI	96707 US	3/13/2024
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Daniel Reis	Honolulu	HI	96817 US	3/13/2024
Sid Etrata	Hilo	HI	96720 US	3/13/2024
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Natasha Radona	Honolulu	HI	96705 US	3/13/2024
Ryan Benz	Mililani To	HI	96789 US	3/13/2024
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Kalei Moses-acia	Pepeekeo	HI	96783 US	3/13/2024
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makana nihoa	Hilo	HI	96720 US	3/13/2024
wena t	Honolulu	HI	96819 US	3/13/2024
Robert Fukushima	Las Vegas	NV	89183 US	3/13/2024
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Treysten Carvalho	Honolulu	HI	96819 US	3/13/2024
Marc Punzalan	Kahului	HI	96732 US	3/13/2024
Elijah-carl Ahue	Waianae	HI	96792 US	3/13/2024
Dale Tubon	Honolulu	HI	96819 US	3/13/2024
Cody Castillo	Phoenix	AZ	85015 US	3/13/2024
Jessica Mihara	Honolulu	HI	96817 US	3/13/2024
Shawn Hagmoc	Honolulu	HI	96819 US	3/13/2024
jordan kealoha	wailuku	HI	96793 US	3/13/2024
Jeremy Jose	Seattle	WA	98188 US	3/13/2024
Moriguchi Ashlie	Honolulu	HI	96814 US	3/13/2024
Daniel Camba	Pahala	HI	96777 US	3/13/2024
Louie Akoi	Washington	DC	20009 US	3/13/2024
Dean poscablo	Honolulu	HI	96817 US	3/13/2024
Terrance Borges	Wahiawa	HI	96786 US	3/13/2024
John Mattos	Kekaha	HI	96752 US	3/13/2024
Gene Juan	Kamuela	HI	96743 US	3/13/2024
Shon Muña	Barrigada	Guam		3/13/2024
Kathy Ursulum	Honolulu	HI	96819 US	3/13/2024

Codey Fabinal	Honolulu	HI	96814	US	3/13/2024
Souljah Ahuna	Honolulu	HI	96819	US	3/13/2024
Shane Paulo	Richmond	VA	23234	US	3/13/2024
Micah Paulo	Kaneohe	HI	96744	US	3/13/2024
Travis Caberto	Lihue	HI	96766	US	3/13/2024
Bryan DelaCruz	Honolulu	HI	96819	US	3/13/2024
Stephanie Stewart	Hanalei	HI	96714	US	3/13/2024
Calvert Aragosa	Honolulu	HI	96822	US	3/13/2024
Deborah Martinez	Kaneohe	HI	96744	US	3/13/2024
Jadelynn Tubon		HI		US	3/13/2024
Joeal Lalim	Kaunakakai	HI	96748	US	3/13/2024
Darwin Bukoski	Honolulu	HI	96814	US	3/13/2024
Lei Ancheta	Honolulu	HI	96819	US	3/13/2024
katelyn comer	Hilo		96720	US	3/13/2024
Tatiana Santos Hernandez	Hilo	HI	96720	US	3/13/2024
Dave Manmano	Honolulu	HI	96797	US	3/13/2024
Shari Manuel	Lihue	HI	96766	US	3/13/2024
dylan Vasco	Honolulu	HI	96817	US	3/13/2024
Mahela Namahoe	Wailuku	HI	96793	US	3/13/2024
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Jetta Wong	Lihue	HI	96767	US	3/13/2024
Kenneth Mohica	Hilo	HI	96720	US	3/13/2024
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Joseph Cordero	Kahului	HI	96732	US	3/13/2024
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Brad M	Hilo	HI	96720	US	3/13/2024
Charles Naone	Waianae	HI	96792	US	3/13/2024
Ronnie Sunio III	Honolulu	HI	96706	US	3/13/2024
Rosalyn A	Wahiawa	HI	96786	US	3/13/2024
Keith Crespo	Honolulu	HI	96819	US	3/13/2024
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Jake Mendonza	Honolulu	HI	96819	US	3/13/2024
Rocco Mico-talon	Keaâau	HI	96749	US	3/13/2024
robert kainoa	Waianae	HI	96792	US	3/13/2024
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Patrick Untalan	Honolulu	HI	96814	US	3/13/2024
Aulani Masaoka	Makawao	HI	96768	US	3/13/2024
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Ljohn Borges	Wahiawa	HI	96786	US	3/13/2024
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Raycen Isa	Hilo	HI	96720	US	3/13/2024
Uriah Demello	Honokaa	HI	96720	US	3/13/2024
Bryson Dela Cruz	Honolulu	HI	96819	US	3/13/2024
Kekai Iokia	Kapolei	HI	96707	US	3/13/2024
Ricky Javar jr	South Gate	CA	90280	US	3/13/2024
Larry Carvalho	Honolulu	HI	96822	US	3/13/2024

Jamie Javar	Ocean View	HI	96737	US	3/13/2024
Iokepa Kanaina	Keaau	HI	96749	US	3/13/2024
Confessor Vargas	Maui	HI	96732	US	3/13/2024
Michael AhSing	Honolulu	HI	96819	US	3/13/2024
Kendric Nishioka	Hilo	HI	96720	US	3/13/2024
Jeremy Irorita	Waipahu	HI	96797	US	3/13/2024
Mae Prengit	'Ewa Beach	HI	96706	US	3/13/2024
Kilihaulani Beebe	Honolulu	HI	96717	US	3/13/2024
Brennon Abad	Waialua	HI	96791	US	3/13/2024
Enzo Ferrari	Honolulu	HI	96819	US	3/13/2024
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Kira Ann ChongTim-Hoop	Waianae	HI	96792	US	3/13/2024
Thyson Cenido	Honolulu	HI	96813	US	3/13/2024
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Robert Cabanting	Honolulu	HI	96819	US	3/13/2024
William Parke				Guam	3/13/2024
Chris Gentry	Kapahulu	HI	96816	US	3/13/2024
Lily Bachiller	Honolulu	HI	96819	US	3/13/2024
Micah Kanehailua	Waipahu	HI	96797	US	3/13/2024
Ilihia Takahashi	Waipahu	HI	96797	US	3/13/2024
albert john parke				Guam	3/13/2024
Dysen Park	Oakland	HI	96720	US	3/13/2024
Fred Villa	Hilo	HI	96720	US	3/13/2024
Jayden Delatori	Honolulu	HI	96819	US	3/13/2024
Hawana Kaaihue	Honolulu	HI	96793	US	3/13/2024
Gene Ansagay	Los Angeles	CA	90059	US	3/13/2024
Asher Tokuoka	Maui	HI	96793	US	3/13/2024
Blaine Isabel	Hawi	HI	96719	US	3/13/2024
Maribel Dela Cruz	Honolulu	HI	96818	US	3/13/2024
Ashton Andrade	Hilo	HI	96720	US	3/13/2024
Savili-Hiapo Castillo	Honolulu	HI	96814	US	3/13/2024
Jr. Orcino	Keaâau	HI	96749	US	3/13/2024
Austin Renaud	Fairfield	CA	94533	US	3/13/2024
Xailah Kaohu	Honolulu	HI	96819	US	3/13/2024
Kelsie Ebanes	Waimanalo	HI	96795	US	3/13/2024
Cheryl Ganitano	Rancho Cucamonga	CA	91701	US	3/13/2024
Kaipo Arruda	Kailua-Kona	HI	96743	US	3/13/2024
Jacob Macawile	Kaneohe	HI	96744	US	3/13/2024
Jessejames Moniz	Honolulu	HI	96819	US	3/13/2024
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Dexter Ambe	Honolulu	HI	96825	US	3/13/2024
Kapena Ramos	Honolulu	HI	96814	US	3/13/2024
Chasey Valdez	'Ewa Beach	HI	96706	US	3/13/2024
Alex Raymondo Jr	Honolulu	HI	96822	US	3/13/2024
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jerry cabuslay	âAiea	HI	96701	US	3/13/2024
Rj Tadeo	Honolulu	HI	96819	US	3/13/2024

Larry Rojo	Hilo	HI	96720 US	3/13/2024
Caleb Rodriguez	Cleveland	TX	77327 US	3/13/2024
Treystan Une	Hilo	HI	96720 US	3/13/2024
Tayven Kahaulelio	Honolulu	HI	96817 US	3/13/2024
Caren Gamponia	Wahiawa	HI	96786 US	3/13/2024
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Kawika Rogers	Honolulu	HI	96814 US	3/13/2024
Rex Kamakana	Kaunakakai	HI	96748 US	3/13/2024
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Wade Espejo	Pāhala	HI	96777 US	3/13/2024
Michael Longboy	Honolulu	HI	96826 US	3/13/2024
esar ventura	Waipahu	HI	96797 US	3/13/2024
Jason Botelho	Kailua-Kona	HI	96740 US	3/13/2024
Joshua Howser	Honolulu	HI	96819 US	3/13/2024
Wyland Tabar	Mililani Town	HI	96789 US	3/13/2024
Chaz Ciacci	Kaneohe	HI	96744 US	3/13/2024
jameson villiarimo	Keaau	HI	96749 US	3/13/2024
Emmanuel Vargas	Chelan	WA	98816 US	3/13/2024
Ben Puu	Honolulu	HI	96819 US	3/13/2024
Natasha Quiocho	Hilo	HI	96720 US	3/13/2024
Richard Pangelinan	Barrigada	Guam		3/13/2024
Jesse-James Pacheco	Chandler	AZ	85286 US	3/13/2024
Calvin Tolentino	'Ewa Beach	HI	96706 US	3/13/2024
Cherish Quiocho	Hilo	HI	96720 US	3/13/2024
Makana Correia	Kailua	HI	96734 US	3/13/2024
Zack Zack	Kalaheo	HI	96741 US	3/13/2024
Godfrey Alfonso-Gonzalez	Hilo	HI	96720 US	3/13/2024
Clifford Nii	Honolulu	HI	96822 US	3/13/2024
Chasen Caraballo	Keaau	HI	96749 US	3/13/2024
Adam Gomes	Honolulu	HI	96814 US	3/13/2024
Gregorio Dayanan	'Ewa Beach	HI	96706 US	3/13/2024
Kyle Vincent Castillo	Honolulu	HI	96819 US	3/13/2024
Patrick Roman		Guam		3/13/2024
Gail Kim-Moe	Kailua	HI	96734 US	3/13/2024
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CLEORA PERRELLS	Honolulu	HI	96819 US	3/13/2024
Anthony Keopha	Honolulu	HI	96819 US	3/13/2024

Mason Barroga	Honolulu	HI	96822 US	3/13/2024
Santiago Cortez Ramos	Yucaipa	CA	92399 US	3/13/2024
Moses Kauhaahaa	Wailuku	HI	96793 US	3/13/2024
Dylan Lopez	Honolulu	HI	96819 US	3/13/2024
Shyna Eusebio	Kahului	HI	96732 US	3/13/2024
Luis Gonzales	Hilo	HI	96720 US	3/13/2024
Howard Silva	Pahala	HI	96777 US	3/13/2024
Mana Silva	Keaâau	HI	96749 US	3/13/2024
Gary Sales-Andersen	Kailua-Kona	HI	96740 US	3/13/2024
Alisa West	Ewa Beach	HI	96706 US	3/13/2024
Glenn Deponte	Hilo	HI	96720 US	3/13/2024
Brandon Cabico	Keaau	HI	96749 US	3/13/2024
Toney Samson	Waianae	HI	96792 US	3/13/2024
Michael Santos - Anderson	Keaâau	HI	96749 US	3/13/2024
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Blaize Cabinatan higa	Waianae	HI	96792 US	3/13/2024
Kody Lee Lopes-poomaih	Kaneohe	HI	96744 US	3/13/2024
Salvecho Templa	Honolulu	HI	96819 US	3/13/2024
Jonathan Yam	Lihue	HI	96766 US	3/13/2024
Kalson Bondaug	Keaau	HI	96749 US	3/13/2024
Eric Piena	âAiea	HI	96701 US	3/13/2024
Kepa Lind	Hana	HI	96713 US	3/13/2024
clayson duclayan	Lihue	HI	96766 US	3/13/2024
Wendell Fernandez	Waikoloa	HI	96738 US	3/13/2024
June Ganir	Honolulu	HI	96819 US	3/13/2024
Victor Magana	Honolulu	HI	96817 US	3/13/2024
Leighton Balbin	Pahoa	HI	96778 US	3/13/2024
Teuina Talamoa	Keaâau	HI	96749 US	3/13/2024
Travis Yokotake	Wahiawa	HI	96786 US	3/13/2024
Kai Fukunaga	Pahoa	HI	96778 US	3/13/2024
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Spencer yamada	Hilo	HI	96720 US	3/13/2024
Jaren Cabaccang	Honolulu	HI	96818 US	3/13/2024
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Peterson Balubar	'Ewa Beach	HI	96706 US	3/13/2024
Dustin Ancheta-maeda	Mililani To	HI	96789 US	3/13/2024
Grant Tom	Honolulu	HI	96818 US	3/13/2024
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Vance Scott	Honolulu	HI	96819 US	3/13/2024
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Jian Ballesteros	Lihue	HI	96766 US	3/13/2024
Kaienaena Ka'auwai	Kihei	HI	96753 US	3/13/2024
Guilros Padilla	Keaau	HI	96749 US	3/13/2024
Jon Inwood	Brooklyn	NY	11226 US	3/13/2024
Omega Rubin	Honolulu	HI	96819 US	3/13/2024
Henry Doro	Honolulu	HI	96786 US	3/13/2024

Rex Oshiro	Kapaa	HI	96746 US	3/13/2024
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Micah Manandic-Kapu	Honolulu	HI	96819 US	3/13/2024
Mikayla Rogers	Gulfport	MS	39503 US	3/13/2024
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Michael Ragudo	Hilo	HI	96720 US	3/13/2024
Tanner Puahi	Pearl City	HI	96782 US	3/13/2024
Lenny GALBAN	Wahiawa	HI	96786 US	3/13/2024
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Wallace Pamo	Honolulu	HI	96814 US	3/13/2024
Edward Cardoza	Kailua	HI	96734 US	3/13/2024
Lauren Faith Roldan	Honolulu	HI	96818 US	3/13/2024
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Lylle Salcedo	Mililani Town	HI	96789 US	3/13/2024
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Jasye Lalim-Rillon	Molokai	HI	96757 US	3/13/2024
Alika Balbas	Honolulu	HI	96819 US	3/13/2024
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Nicole Victor	Honolulu	HI	96817 US	3/13/2024
Dennis Tabladillo	Honolulu	HI	96819 US	3/13/2024
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Mikayla Tabbal	Waipahu	HI	96797 US	3/13/2024
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Kaliko Sellesin	Mililani Town	HI	96789 US	3/13/2024
Roddy Sugui	Mililani Town	HI	96789 US	3/13/2024
Chris Balcita	Lahaina	HI	96761 US	3/13/2024
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Junya Ramos	Lihue	HI	96766 US	3/13/2024
William Barretto	Lihue	HI	96766 US	3/13/2024
Kalihiwai Thompson	Anahola	HI	96703 US	3/13/2024
Aizon Kahana	'Ewa Beach	HI	96706 US	3/13/2024
Jomar Isidro	Honolulu	HI	96819 US	3/13/2024
Aleka Rincon	Hilo	HI	96720 US	3/13/2024
Paige Hagen	Honolulu	HI	96813 US	3/13/2024
Sharon Sanchez	Honolulu	HI	96819 US	3/13/2024
Tiare Kawasaki	Honolulu	HI	96819 US	3/13/2024
Alvin Ilaban	Waimea	HI	96743 US	3/13/2024
Charles Molina	Waipahu	HI	96797 US	3/13/2024
Asa Arios	âAiea	HI	96701 US	3/13/2024

Chase Villegas	'Ewa Beach	HI	96706	US	3/13/2024
Tyvan Goodwin	Lihue	HI	96766	US	3/13/2024
Keahi Dias	Honolulu	HI	96822	US	3/13/2024
Andrew Agor	Waipahu	HI	96797	US	3/13/2024
Kaala Wales	Pahoa	HI	96778	US	3/13/2024
Thomas Prieto	Santa Ana	CA	92706	US	3/13/2024
Logan Ho	Honolulu	HI	96743	US	3/13/2024
ALFRED Ramos	'Ewa Beach	HI	96706	US	3/13/2024
Josh Moku	Hilo	HI	96720	US	3/13/2024
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Henry Torres	Hilo	HI	96720	US	3/13/2024
Robert Iiams	Kihei	HI	96753	US	3/13/2024
Terry Rosete	Pahoa	HI	96778	US	3/13/2024
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Shadwick Pia-Lemmon	Pahoa	HI	96778	US	3/13/2024
Xyrus Lum	Kapaa	HI	96746	US	3/13/2024
Richard Silva jr	Kaneohe	HI	96744	US	3/13/2024
Erika Rikhiram	Clermont	FL	34711	US	3/13/2024
Kevin Rapozo	Kilauea	HI	96754	US	3/13/2024
Derek Castillo hopu	Pearl City	HI	96782	US	3/13/2024
Troy Jones	Waianae	HI	96792	US	3/13/2024
Vic Cabison	Hilo	HI	96720	US	3/13/2024
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Rudy Botardo	Honolulu	HI	96819	US	3/13/2024
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Dane Urpanil	Honolulu	HI	96814	US	3/13/2024
Allan Semillano	Kahului	HI	96732	US	3/13/2024
Harold Dumayas	Honolulu	HI	96815	US	3/13/2024
Kazu Heffernan-kojima	Kailua	HI	96734	US	3/13/2024
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Richard Rivera	Kaneohe	HI	96744	US	3/13/2024
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Kaimana Turalde	Coolidge	AZ	85128	US	3/13/2024
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Braydon torres	Honolulu	HI	96819	US	3/13/2024

Thomas Leopoldino	Hilo	HI	96720 US	3/13/2024
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John Matteo	Kahului	HI	96732 US	3/13/2024
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James Lavin	Keaâau	HI	96778 US	3/13/2024
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Austin Castillo	Hilo	HI	96720 US	3/13/2024
Howard Gomes III	'Ewa Beach	HI	96706 US	3/13/2024
Jairae Aceret-ipac	Hawaii	OR	96796 US	3/13/2024
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Isahn Ulanday	Phoenix	AZ	85007 US	3/13/2024
Danmar Mendoza	Waipahu	HI	96797 US	3/13/2024
Lot Kawaauhau	Kailua-Kona	HI	96740 US	3/13/2024
Jakob Arruiza	Wailuku	HI	96793 US	3/13/2024
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Christiana Alcosiba	Honolulu	HI	96817 US	3/13/2024
jensey Pakele	Honolulu	HI	96819 US	3/13/2024
Christian Ganal	Keaau	HI	96749 US	3/13/2024
Justin Aquino	Ewa Beach	HI	96706 US	3/13/2024
John Johnson	Kapaa	HI	96746 US	3/13/2024
Julien Quiocho	Hilo	HI	96720 US	3/13/2024
Brian Pineda	Honolulu	HI	96822 US	3/13/2024
Calvin Schlitzkus-Lopez	Keaau	HI	96749 US	3/13/2024
Christine Rawlins	kaunakakai		96748 US	3/13/2024
Leo Dela rosa	Hilo	HI	96720 US	3/13/2024
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Pete Odasco	Honolulu	HI	96822 US	3/13/2024
Layla Remiticado	'Ewa Beach	HI	96706 US	3/13/2024
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Josiah Souza-pave	Waianae	HI	96792	US	3/13/2024
Keldon Borges	Wahiawa	HI	96786	US	3/13/2024
Jeffrey Enriques-Ikeda	Hilo	HI	96720	US	3/13/2024
Michael Faraon	Honolulu	HI	96819	US	3/13/2024
Leander Paia	Honolulu	HI	96825	US	3/13/2024
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Dan Marquez	Honolulu	HI	96817	US	3/13/2024
Brian Lorenzo	Hilo	HI	96720	US	3/13/2024
Joel Daniels	Kaneohe	HI	96744	US	3/13/2024
Rollin Nahulu	Honolulu	HI	96786	US	3/13/2024
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Floyd Sugimura	Kalaheo	HI	96741	US	3/13/2024
Preston Nakagawa	Mililani Toi	HI	96789	US	3/13/2024
Jason shinn	Lynwood	HI	96746	US	3/13/2024
Travis Freitas jr	Kalaheo	HI	96741	US	3/13/2024
Ryiden Guzman	Pearl City	HI	96782	US	3/13/2024
Hector Medina				Guam	3/13/2024
Rendan Dadez	Kihei	HI	96753	US	3/13/2024
willy cadinutz	Honolulu	HI	96817	US	3/13/2024
Austinn Nagao	Wahiawa	HI	96786	US	3/13/2024
Kelly Cabanting	Kaunakakai	HI	96748	US	3/13/2024
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Bryson Avilla	Waianae	HI	96792	US	3/13/2024
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Jerose Seei	Kailua	HI	96734	US	3/13/2024
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Paul Bactista, Jr	âPearl City	HI	96782	US	3/13/2024
Zachary Vicente	Waipahu	HI	96797	US	3/13/2024
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damien butac	Lihue	HI	96766	US	3/13/2024
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Kale Naehu	Kapolei	HI	96707	US	3/13/2024
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Ricky Morris jr	Kaunakakai	HI	96748	US	3/13/2024
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Jonah Cobb-adams Quioc	Honolulu	HI	96819	US	3/13/2024
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Kameaola Taniguchi Butler	Honolulu	HI	96819	US	3/13/2024
Chad Kalani Cataluna	Honolulu	HI	96814	US	3/13/2024
Donovan Bicoy	Maunaloa	HI	96770	US	3/13/2024
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Paea Taliauli	Wahiawa	HI	96786	US	3/13/2024
Lori Dudoit	Kaunakakai	HI	96748	US	3/13/2024
Jonalyn Fernandez	Hilo	HI	96720	US	3/13/2024
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Joemar Agtarap	Honolulu	HI	96825	US	3/13/2024
Leslie Medeiros	Paia	HI	96779	US	3/13/2024
Tony laborte	Koloa	HI	96756	US	3/13/2024
Precious Jaramillo	Honolulu	HI	96822	US	3/13/2024
Elmer Andres	Honolulu	HI	96822	US	3/13/2024
Kyle Hanson	Keaâau	HI	96749	US	3/13/2024
Ryder Kama	waiialua	HI	96791	US	3/13/2024
Tasia Kamoku	Wailua	HI	96746	US	3/13/2024
Riley Silva-sale	Waimanalo	HI	96795	US	3/13/2024
Kristen Galanto	Mililani Town	HI	96789	US	3/13/2024
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Kahea Menza	Waianae	HI	96792	US	3/13/2024
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Kainalu Fejeran	Honolulu	HI	96817	US	3/13/2024
Baylor Benavides	Wailuku	HI	96793	US	3/13/2024
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Alex Bernardo	Kapaa	HI	96746	US	3/13/2024
Justin Tolentino	Mililani Town	HI	96789	US	3/13/2024
Donovan Hashimoto	Naalehu	HI	96772	US	3/13/2024
Jerome Apostol	Waipahu	HI	96797	US	3/13/2024
Kasey Nishihira	Maunaloa	HI	96770	US	3/13/2024
Ivan Rivera	Waipahu	HI	96797	US	3/13/2024
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Jonah Tubon	Honolulu	HI	96817	US	3/13/2024
Brayze Akina	Kailua	HI	96717	US	3/13/2024

Logan Williams	Waianae	HI	96792 US	3/13/2024
Cj Dauz	Honolulu	HI	96819 US	3/13/2024
Joe Salazar			US	3/13/2024
Michael Lindo	Haleiwa	HI	96712 US	3/13/2024
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Dreven Agustin	Waipahu	HI	96797 US	3/13/2024
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lexton ybarra	Honolulu	HI	96818 US	3/13/2024
Darryllynn Dudoit	Kapolei	HI	96707 US	3/13/2024
Allen Agustin	Honolulu	HI	96819 US	3/13/2024
Mariah Cabrerros	Mililani Town	HI	96789 US	3/13/2024
Kaeo Tupou	Kapaa	HI	96746 US	3/13/2024
salvator giacobbi	Hilo	HI	96720 US	3/13/2024
keegan goeas	Honolulu	HI	96819 US	3/13/2024
Bradley Cabico	Honolulu	HI	96822 US	3/13/2024
James Lancaster	Honolulu	HI	96825 US	3/13/2024
Jaylen Uyemura-Lee	Kaneohe	HI	96744 US	3/13/2024
Ty Nishiyama	Kapaa	HI	96746 US	3/13/2024
Trinnity Lima	Kaunakakai	HI	96748 US	3/13/2024
Malu Ralston	Honolulu	HI	96814 US	3/13/2024
Tina Afele	Aiea	HI	96701 US	3/13/2024
Justin Lopes	Kaneohe	HI	96744 US	3/13/2024
Wendel Icarl	Hilo	HI	96720 US	3/13/2024
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Landan Ke	Honolulu	HI	96817 US	3/13/2024
Dane Alfapada	Kapolei	HI	96707 US	3/13/2024
Austin DePeralta	Honolulu	HI	96822 US	3/13/2024
Ikaika Queen-cordero	Hilo	HI	96720 US	3/13/2024
Boogz Joseph	Honolulu	HI	96817 US	3/13/2024
Paul Apilado	Honolulu		96805 US	3/13/2024
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Rowan Puaa	Kaunakakai	HI	96748 US	3/13/2024
Randy Huron	Natalia	TX	78059 US	3/13/2024
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Steven Castro	Kahului	HI	96732 US	3/13/2024
Kaulike Frank	Kapolei	HI	96707 US	3/13/2024
Jaden Delos Reyes	Lihue	HI	96766 US	3/13/2024
Mark Tumpap	Lihue	HI	96766 US	3/13/2024
Jordan Cezar	Las Vegas	NV	89123 US	3/13/2024
Lawrence Ortiz	Honolulu	HI	96789 US	3/13/2024
Jelyn Ferido	Honolulu	HI	96819 US	3/13/2024
Ardeeh Salcedo-Williams	Kissimmee	FL	34759 US	3/13/2024
Daniel Ponce	Chicago	IL	60639 US	3/13/2024
Lando Delacruz	Wailuku	HI	96793 US	3/13/2024
Lejhend Rayno	Waipahu	HI	96797 US	3/13/2024
Shawn Cullen	Waipahu	HI	96797 US	3/13/2024
Makalii Nahinu	Honolulu	HI	96826 US	3/13/2024
Wade Ishibashi jr	Hilo	HI	96720 US	3/13/2024
Jayson Calaro	Mililani Town	HI	96789 US	3/13/2024
Mikie Phillips	Honolulu	HI	96819 US	3/13/2024
Dustin Bishaw	Kaunakakai	HI	96748 US	3/13/2024
Rishelei Morris	Maunaloa	HI	96770 US	3/13/2024
Jayden Akau-Ponce	Kahului	HI	96732 US	3/13/2024
Jake Dela Cruz	Honolulu	HI	96813 US	3/13/2024
Hunter Manaba	Honolulu	HI	96814 US	3/13/2024
Stevie Lutz	Kilauea	HI	96754 US	3/13/2024
Jacelyn Ragragola	Honolulu	HI	96819 US	3/13/2024
Maegan Kansana	Hilo	HI	96720 US	3/13/2024
Martin Anderson	Martinsville	IN	46151 US	3/13/2024
Eduardo Herrera	Detroit	MI	48235 US	3/13/2024
Alex Kowtun	Hornell	NY	14843 US	3/13/2024
Dae Segundo	Las Vegas	NV	89139 US	3/13/2024
David Subee	Honolulu	HI	96819 US	3/13/2024
Lyn Sales	Kapaau	HI	96755 US	3/13/2024
Kelvin Fukushima	Honolulu	HI	96817 US	3/13/2024
Kaomea Inouye	Honolulu	HI	96819 US	3/13/2024
John Lembo	Corpus Chr	TX	78418 US	3/13/2024
Luis Serna	Paramount	CA	90723 US	3/13/2024
Kage Correa	Hilo	HI	96720 US	3/13/2024
Edmund Mortera	Aiea	HI	96701 US	3/13/2024
Wylen kahele-aku	Honolulu	HI	96819 US	3/13/2024
zaeden reyes	Waipahu	HI	96797 US	3/13/2024
Chase Keawe	Honolulu	HI	96822 US	3/13/2024
Clifford Castillo	Waipahu	HI	96797 US	3/13/2024
Mark Skevofilax	Dallas	PA	18612 US	3/13/2024

Brenda Martin	North Pole	AK	99705	US	3/13/2024
Rayven Kahana	Waipahu	HI	96797	US	3/13/2024
Joshua Kihe	Hilo	HI	96720	US	3/13/2024
Reynell Sialana	Maui	HI	96793	US	3/13/2024
Moses Vargas	Waipahu	HI	96797	US	3/13/2024
Chucky Nunes	Hilo	HI	96720	US	3/13/2024
Rason Cabais	Honolulu	HI	96819	US	3/13/2024
John Macayan	Hilo	HI	96720	US	3/13/2024
Laakea Kahookele	Honolulu	HI	96822	US	3/13/2024
Cody Biscocho	Los Angeles	CA	90060	US	3/13/2024
Tommie Jenkins	Baton Rouge	LA	33024	US	3/13/2024
Tiana Endosumic	Waipahu	HI	96797	US	3/13/2024
Randal Rodrigues	Lynwood	CA	90262	US	3/13/2024
Jarret Viado	Kauai	HI	96756	US	3/13/2024
Eugene Lapina	Honolulu	HI	96819	US	3/13/2024
Rickley John Vinoya	New York	NY	10027	US	3/13/2024
Joey Balai	Honolulu	HI	96826	US	3/13/2024
Branden Medeiros	Kapolei	HI	96707	US	3/13/2024
Diana beth	griffith	IN	46319	US	3/13/2024
Eha Hoopii	Kahului	HI	96732	US	3/13/2024
Mina Craig	Kailua Kona	HI	96740	US	3/13/2024
Joshua Cordero	Waianae	HI	96792	US	3/13/2024
Logan Lauti	Honolulu	HI	96817	US	3/13/2024
Benjamin Cinquanto	Soddy-Daisy	TN	37379	US	3/13/2024
Jay Torralva	Waipahu	HI	96797	US	3/13/2024
Taylen Luis	Lihue	HI	96766	US	3/13/2024
Teigan Sloan	Seattle	WA	98121	US	3/13/2024
J F		NY		US	3/13/2024
Nathan Auelua Naki	Honolulu	HI	96819	US	3/13/2024
Alan Kekauaula	Keaau	HI	96749	US	3/13/2024
Brytan Stevens	Kamuela	HI	96743	US	3/13/2024
Aaron Cacho	Hilo	HI	96720	US	3/13/2024
Bria Swagerty	McAllen	TX	78501	US	3/13/2024
Jasmin Comilang	Honolulu	HI	96797	US	3/13/2024
Luke Maghanoy	Wailuku	HI	96793	US	3/13/2024
Chelsea Balon	'Ewa Beach	HI	96706	US	3/13/2024
Scot Nobriga	Honolulu	HI	96813	US	3/13/2024
Myah maafala	Mililani Town	HI	96789	US	3/13/2024
Kaiana Kekaha	Kahului	HI	96732	US	3/13/2024
Andrew Kaiwi	Wailuku	HI	96793	US	3/13/2024
Dayton Timbresa	Hilo	HI	96720	US	3/13/2024
Isaac Maynes-ceno	Honolulu	HI	96813	US	3/13/2024
Marvin Manglicmot	Makawao	HI	96768	US	3/13/2024
Jarro Lee	Kaneohe	HI	96744	US	3/13/2024
Ricky Morris	Maunaloa	HI	96770	US	3/13/2024
Ezekiel Pira	Honoka'a	HI	96727	US	3/13/2024
Eddie Chang	Honolulu	HI	96819	US	3/13/2024

Berdius Ostermann	Honolulu	HI	96819 US	3/13/2024
Ben Flores	Honolulu	HI	96822 US	3/13/2024
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Briana Graves	Kailua	HI	96734 US	3/13/2024
Zaydon Pasion	Waipahu	HI	96797 US	3/13/2024
Keanu Betonio	Honolulu	HI	96817 US	3/13/2024
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Myles Oga	Kurtistown	HI	96760 US	3/13/2024
Ryder faye	Honolulu	HI	96817 US	3/13/2024
Renielle Tadena	Lahaina	HI	96761 US	3/13/2024
Hunter Paredes	Waipahu	HI	96797 US	3/13/2024
Chad Layosa	Lihue	HI	96766 US	3/13/2024
Kai Kelly	Nashville	TN	37214 US	3/13/2024
Gino J	Kapolei	HI	96707 US	3/13/2024
Kainoah Tacang-gragas	Kahului	HI	96732 US	3/13/2024
Earl Hoshida	Hawi	HI	96719 US	3/13/2024
Kurt Caldito	Kahului	HI	96732 US	3/13/2024
Edward morishige	Lihue	HI	96766 US	3/13/2024
N Price	Kerrville	TX	78028 US	3/13/2024
Joshua Silva	Phoenix	AZ	85009 US	3/13/2024
Sheldon Bernabe-Tabag	Waianae	HI	96792 US	3/13/2024
David Main	Washington	DC	20019 US	3/13/2024
Dennis Yabes	Kilauea	HI	96754 US	3/13/2024
Richard Perrells	Waimanalo	HI	96795 US	3/13/2024
Izeyah Membrado	Honolulu	HI	96763 US	3/13/2024
Konahiki Lavarias-vierra	Waianae	HI	96792 US	3/13/2024
Colby Ilae	Waipahu	HI	96797 US	3/13/2024
Makekai	Kahului	HI	96732 US	3/13/2024
Po'i Davis	Kaunakakai	HI	96748 US	3/13/2024
Laka Wilkins	Hau'ula	HI	96717 US	3/13/2024
jaeston serikaku	waipahu	HI	96797 US	3/13/2024
James Nipp	Wahiawa	HI	96786 US	3/13/2024
Daven Ferreira	Hilo	HI	96720 US	3/13/2024
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Austin Eli-kia	Kapolei	HI	96707 US	3/13/2024
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blake soares	Kaneohe	HI	96744 US	3/13/2024
Robert Kahana	Honolulu	HI	96819 US	3/13/2024
joshua Gonda	Honolulu	HI	96817 US	3/13/2024

Cheyne Kaleo Gambill	Waimea	HI	96743	US	3/13/2024
Gerald Rivera	Honolulu	HI	96819	US	3/13/2024
Aidden Fcknboi	Honolulu	HI	96814	US	3/13/2024
Andrew Yogi	Kaneohe	HI	96744	US	3/13/2024
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Royce Wong	Honolulu	HI	96821	US	3/13/2024
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Antonio Toetuu	Honolulu	HI	96816	US	3/13/2024
Louis Freitas	Honolulu	HI	96816	US	3/13/2024
Sheldon Respicio	Honolulu	HI	96822	US	3/13/2024
Kruz Kaaihue-Egdamin	Waimea	HI	96743	US	3/13/2024
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Patrick Bustamante	Waipahu	HI	96797	US	3/13/2024
Joshua Curphey	Peterborough	PE7		US	3/13/2024
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Shannell Pila Kekawa	Honolulu	HI	96819	US	3/13/2024
Eaton Beck	Pahoa	HI	95	US	3/13/2024
Bobby Samosky	Beckley	WV	25801	US	3/13/2024
Donton Meinel	Honolulu	HI	96816	US	3/13/2024
Crispulo Aki	Honolulu	HI	96822	US	3/13/2024
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Michael Fernandez	Mt.view	HI	96771 US	3/13/2024
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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Jesika H.	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

As a Kama'aina and Kanaka of Hawaii I oppose this bill because it will negatively affect those who work tirelessly to afford living in the most expensive place in the United States. It will not only affect the chicken farmers themselves but it will also affect feedstores and other companies that support this way of life. Not all chicken farmers participate in cock fighting, many families simply enjoy breeding different types of roosters that have been passed down for generations. This bill could potentially cause innocent people to be criminally charged for nothing. I oppose this bill.

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Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Cj Hernandez	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

To the committee,

My name is CJ Hernandez and am opposed to this bill. For me and my family this is our livelihood. I was born into chickens and dogs. Growing up I lived on a farm with only chickens and dogs, no water accept the one coming from a hose and electricity coming from a generator. This taught me responsibility, it taught me life, it taught me how to appreciate because animals are 365 day responsibility. As we have these animals the stores, feed stores make money as well because we have to buy feed every couple weeks to feed our animals.

if you take away a right to have fowl then your stopping the stores from making ends meat as well cuz we help them to make their business.

it's not cruelty we take care of them and you can tell a happy rooster by it making noises, dancing. Jumping up and down from a perch.

Everyday there is something worse going on in our islands and it's not fowl to blame or chicken fights or dogs being tied up.

We have to take into consideration that it's hard here in Hawaii some people are barely making it with all the rising cost of things here from gas, feed, food, groceries we are all fighting a battle and the battle making having gamefowl a felon that is not even going to make things better in Hawaii it will make things worse. people will be forced to leave Hawaii if you pass this Bill. It will cause families to part, it will cause the elders to lose momentum in life. When you make people stop what they love to do they age faster and pass sooner because there is nothing left for them to do. There won't be anything for them to look forward to.

Please I humbly oppose this bill and hope you find it in all your hearts to take into consideration of everything and how having chickens plays a role in our economy.

Mahalo

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Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Byron Hernandez	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Aloha, I oppose this bill it our culture and tradition. I have been breeding fowl since I was a little kid and this has been passed down from my father and now I have been teaching my son how to breed and raise fowl, learn to have a good work ethic, being responsible, and have a passion connection with his late grandpa. Since my father passed away 5yrs ago and I wanted to honor my Father's legacy and continue our families tradition. My son is looking forward to entering a fowl show like I did as a kid when it was held at Farrington High School and won my first ribbon. We definitely had a set back to enter a show due to hunting dogs breaking into our farm lot up Kunia Loa Ridge and killed all of our livestock was devastating watching my son cry and looking at all his fowl wiped out. So last year we worked and bred and got his livestock striving and hoping to enter the next show and hopefully he can win a category and take home a ribbon. My Wife loves that we farm our own eggs for our family to eat and helps with one less thing to get from the grocery store because cost of living is high in Hawaii. So please don't pass this Bill. This my testimony Mahalo and Aloha for your time.

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Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Ashley Marie Ganir	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I oppose HB1980.

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Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Alana Kekaulua	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

As businessman and registered voter, I would like to oppose the bill HB1980 due to the economical effects of my business and cultural practices this bill targets. I'm a wholesaler of legal products related to this agricultural industry. Passing this bill, will greatly impact my small business. There will be so many hardworking people being negatively affected by what is proposed this bill.

I strongly feel time, effort, and our tax dollars should be spent elsewhere in these tough times. There are so much inconsistencies listed, there must be a money driven agenda behind this debacle. So, I would suggest recalling this bill and research how much tax revenue legalizing cultural sports will generate. Look at places like Guam and Philipines where legal controlled events are held. Events, Suppliers, Tourism are all positively impacted. Give the cultural practices back as it was in the days of the hawaiian kingdom and boost Hawai'i's economy at the same time.

But that's a small part of why I oppose this bill. The sections referring to containing dogs and the ridiculous limitations that is listed; will undoubtedly be hard to enforce and manage. Not all dogs are properly trained not to mention a large part of dogs being affected by the isolation the pandemic imposed. How can the county properly protect the community and property from loose animals that will certainly become an issue over time? Is the humane society exempt from the limitations listed?

Long story to say, I OPPOSE this bill. Find other ways to generate tax dollars. Spend our tax dollars on issues that matter.

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Submitted on: 3/14/2024 2:22:23 AM

Testimony for JDC on 3/14/2024 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Niccole Griffin	Individual	Support	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Good morning and thank you to the committee chair and members for reviewing my written testimony in support for 1980 HB relating to animal cruelty. My name is Niccole Griffin and I volunteer with Aloha Animal Sanctuary. I'm in support of this bill because I believe the practice of cockfighting is inexcusable and deplorable. Cockfighting at its core is animal cruelty in the highest form. It is a blood sport in which two roosters are placed beak to beak in a small ring and encouraged to fight to the death. These roosters endure things such as: cutting off their wattles (the combs below the beak), their feathers plucked from the lower body, even "ear lobes" are cut off preemptively so the opponent cannot tear them off during the fight. Sharp objects such as knives, razor blades, even professionally made spurs are fixed to their legs to gouge or sometimes remove the opponents limbs or head. Besides being unfair and cruel, cockfighting is famously associated with other criminal activities such as gambling, drugs, or other acts of violence.

Volunteering at the sanctuary I get to spend time with cockfight survivors. These animals, like many of the other residents at the sanctuary who have been abused, abandoned or neglected all show a range of emotions, needs and wants. These residents ask to be held, petted, or cuddle up to only requesting our love and affection. They are individuals with lots of personality and heart who were only shown cruelty in their previous lives. Daily I see children and teenagers in my neighborhood walking down the street with a rooster under their arm or in a park searching for one. I have witnessed small impromptu cockfights among adults and have heard of large cockfighting rings tucked away in neighborhood areas you would not think to find them.

These people who inflict pain, permanent damage, and suffering currently are considered misdemeanor offenders carrying a MAXIMUM sentence of 1 year in prison and up to \$2,000 in fines. These individuals often times won't change their ways and will go back to cockfighting the first chance they get. Being born and raised in Honolulu and being native Hawaiian I have witnessed this being portrayed as our culture and therefore to be accepted to be practiced among locals. If you need a visual representation of this fact there is a cock fighting mural on the side of a main building when driving through the main road in Wahiawa. Seeing one animal inflict misery on another for sport or personal gain is considered a felony in 42 states not including Hawai'i. For these reasons I ask the committee chair and members to support and pass 1980 HB relating to animal cruelty. Mahalo to the committee for their time, consideration and this opportunity to testify.