

Honolulu, Hawaii

, 2024

APR 04

RE: H.C.R. No. 5

Honorable Scott K. Saiki
Speaker, House of Representatives
Thirty-Second State Legislature
Regular Session of 2024
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, to which was referred H.C.R. No. 5 entitled:

"HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING RETAIL STORES AND PHARMACIES DOING BUSINESS IN THE STATE TO ADOPT A POLICY ON A NATIONAL AND LOCAL LEVEL GUARANTEEING AN INDIVIDUAL'S UNHINDERED ACCESS TO ALL UNITED STATES FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION-APPROVED CONTRACEPTIVES,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to urge retail stores and pharmacies doing business in the State to adopt a policy on a national and local level guaranteeing an individual's unhindered access to all United States Food and Drug Administration-approved contraceptives.

Your Committee received testimony in support from Save Medicaid Hawaii; Hawaii State Democratic Women's Caucus; AlohaCare; and five individuals.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of H.C.R. No. 5 and recommends its adoption.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the



Committee on Consumer
Protection & Commerce,

for 
MARK M. NAKASHIMA, Chair



Record of Votes of the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce

Bill/Resolution No.: HCR5	Committee Referral: HLT, CPC	Date: April 2, 2024		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended (as is) <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments (HD) <input type="checkbox"/> Hold <input type="checkbox"/> Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)				
CPC Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. NAKASHIMA, Mark M. (C)	X			
2. SAYAMA, Jackson D. (VC)	X			
3. AMATO, Terez				X
4. BELATTI, Della Au	X			
5. HASHEM, Mark J.				X
6. HUSSEY-BURDICK, Natalia				X
7. GATES, Cedric Asuega				X
8. LOWEN, Nicole E.	X			
9. ONISHI, Richard H.K.	X			
10. TAM, Adrian K.	X			
11. PIERICK, Elijah	X			
TOTAL (11)	7	0	0	4
The recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. <div style="text-align:center; font-size: small;">committee acronym(s)</div>				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
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