STAND. COM. REP. NO. 1094 -06

Honolulu, Hawaii

March 23, 2006

RE: S.B. No. 2261 H.D. 1

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Third State Legislature Regular Session of 2006 State of Hawaii

#### Sir:

Your Committees on Health and Public Safety & Military Affairs, to which was referred S.B. No. 2261 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISCLOSURE OF VITAL STATISTICS RECORDS TO LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS FOR CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIONS,"

beg leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to improve the ability of law enforcement officers to conduct thorough criminal investigations by allowing law enforcement officers to inspect and receive certified copies of public health statistics records.

The Department of the Attorney General supported this bill.

Your Committees find that it is important that our law enforcement officers not be hampered in the performance of their duties and should be given the tools they need to ensure our public health and safety.

Your Committees have amended this bill by:

- (1) Changing the effective date to July 1, 2099, to encourage further discussion; and
- (2) Making technical, nonsubstantive changes for clarity, consistency, and style.

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As affirmed by the records of votes of the members of your Committees on Health and Public Safety & Military Affairs that are attached to this report, your Committees are in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 2261, as amended herein, and recommend that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 2261, H.D. 1, and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

KEN ITO, Chair

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committees on Health and Public Safety & Military Affairs,

DENNIS A. ARAKAKI, Chair

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# **Record of Votes of the Committee on Health**

Bill/Resolution No.:	Date: 2/	Date: 3/20/6					
SB 2261 Committee Referral:							
HLT/PSM, JUD		☐ The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.					
The recommendation is to:  Pass, unamended	Pass, with amendments						
☐ Hold	☐ Rec	☐ Recommit					
HLT Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused			
1. ARAKAKI, Dennis A. (C)							
2. GREEN, Josh, M.D. (VC)							
3. CABANILLA, Rida T.R.							
4. HALE, Heléne H.							
5. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y.							
6. SONSON, Alex M.							
7. HALFORD, Chris							
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The recommendation is:  Adopted  If joint referral, did not support recommendation.  committee acronym(s)  Vice Chair's or designee's signature:							
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# **Record of Votes of the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs**

Bill/Resolution No.:  SB 2261 (SSCR 2104)	Date: March 20, 2006					
Committee Referral: HLT/PSM, JUD	☐ The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.					
The recommendation is to: Pass, unamended  Hold	Pass, with amendments  Recommit					
- Hold		Commit				
PSM Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused		
1. ITO, Ken (C)	V					
2. CHONG, Pono (VC)						
3. LEE, Marilyn B. 4. NAKASONE, Bob						
5. SHIMABUKURO, Maile S. L.						
6. SOUKI, Joseph M.						
7. TANAKA, Kameo						
8. YAMANE, Ryan I.		ant t ende staten er til skillet skillet til skillet skil				
9. MOSES, Mark S.						
10. STONEBRAKER, Bud	V-HHILL LAND A L					
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The recommendation is:  Adopted  Not Adopted  If joint referral, did not support recommendation.  committee acronym(s)						
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:						
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