STAND. COM. REP. NO. 3234

Honolulu, Hawaii

APR - 4 2006

S.C.R. No. 2 RE: S.D. 1

Honorable Robert Bunda President of the Senate Twenty-Third State Legislature Regular Session of 2006 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Human Services, to which was referred S.C.R. No. 2 entitled:

"SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO CONDUCT A STUDY AND PROVIDE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR ADDRESSING THE SHORTAGE OF INFANT AND TODDLER CHILD CARE PROVIDERS, FACILITIES, AND SERVICES IN THE STATE,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to request the Department of Human Services to conduct a study and recommend solutions for the current shortage of daycare providers, facilities, and services in the State.

Your Committee received testimony in support of the measure from the Department of Human Services.

Your Committee finds that this measure will enable the Department of Human Services to evaluate the daycare shortage in the State, particularly daycare for infants and toddlers, and to identify methods by which to increase the number of providers, facilities, and services without diminishing their quality.

Your Committee has amended this measure by making a technical, nonsubstantive amendment for the purposes of clarity and style.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Human Services that is attached to this report, your

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Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of S.C.R. No. 2, as amended herein, and recommends its adoption in the form attached hereto as S.C.R. No. 2, S.D. 1.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Human Services,

SUZANNE CHUN OAKLAND, Chair

The Senate Twenty-Third Legislature State of Hawaii

Record of Votes of the Committee on Human Services (Bills and Resolutions)

Measure:*	Committee Referral:		Date:	1-1-	,
SCR 2	HMS		3/21/06		
The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure.					
If so, then the previous decision was to:					
The Recommendation is to:					
Pass, unamended Pass, with amendments Hold Recommit (2312) (2311) (2310) (2313)					
Members	/	Ayes	Ayes(WR)	Nays	Excused
CHUN OAKLAND, Suzanne (C)		V_			
IHARA, Jr., Les (VC)		/			
FUKUNAGA, Carol		Z /v.			V
HOOSER, Gary L.		<i>V</i>			
KOKUBUN, Russell S.					<i></i>
TRIMBLE, Gordon		/			
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Recommendation:					
Adopted			Not Adopted		
Chair's or Designee's Signature:					
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^{*}Do not list more than one measure per Record of Votes.