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Testimony in Support of HR234: REQUESTING THAT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK DEDICATE ITS SCHOOL IN HONOR OF MYRON "PINKY" THOMPSON, BY CHANGING ITS NAME TO THE "MYRON THOMPSON SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK"

Representative Chang, Representative Bertram and Members of the Committee:

Anyone who ever worked with, met, or in any way knew Pinky Thompson would most assuredly be in strong support of this resolution. Pinky was a visionary and an inspiration to us all. His contribution to the health and overall welfare of those in need has been profound, far reaching and lasting. Naming the UH School of Social work in Pinky's honor is the very least we can do to recognize this great man. Please pass this resolution out of Committee and on to House and Senate approval.

Sincerely,

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