STAND. COM. REP. NO. 480

Honolulu, Hawaii

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RE: S.B. No. 1106

Honorable Colleen Hanabusa President of the Senate Twenty-Fourth State Legislature Regular Session of 2007 State of Hawaii

Madam President:

Your Committee on Judiciary and Labor, to which was referred S.B. No. 1106 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE STATE COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to appropriate moneys for the Hawaii state commission on the status of women for programming, travel, and office expenses.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this bill from the Commission on the Status of Women, Kokua Council, the Sex Abuse Treatment Center, and a private individual.

The Commission on the Status of Women explained that these funds were not included in the Executive budget but would provide funds to continue successful programs such as Women's Health Month which began in 1994, the Oral History Project, Women's History Month, Ready 2 Run to help women understand the political process. All of these programs are directed at helping women achieve economic self-sufficiency, the Commission's number one priority.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Judiciary and Labor that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B.

No. 1106 and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Judiciary and Labor,

CLAYTON HEE. Chair

The Senate Twenty-Fourth Legislature State of Hawaii

Record of Votes Committee on Judiciary and Labor JDL

Bill / Resolution No.:* Committee Referral: Date: Date: 13/07				
The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure. If so, then the previous decision was to:				
The Recommendation is:				
Pass, unamended Pass, with amendments Hold Recommit 2312 2311 2310 2313				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
HEE, Clayton (C)				
KOKUBUN, Russell S. (VC)				
INOUYE, Lorraine R.				
NISHIHARA, Clarence K.				
GABBARD, Mike				**************************************
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TOTAL	4			
Recommendation: Adopted Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature:				
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*Only one measure per Record of Votes