

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 1470

Honolulu, Hawaii

File 6, 2009

RE: H.C.R. No. 25
H.D. 1

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say
Speaker, House of Representatives
Twenty-Fifth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2009
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committees on Hawaiian Affairs and Human Services, to which was referred H.C.R. No. 25 entitled:

"HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO ADOPT, AMEND, OR REPEAL RULES IN ORDER TO RECOGNIZE AND RESPECT THE HAWAIIAN SYSTEM OF HANAI DURING THE LICENSING OF FOSTER PARENTS,"

beg leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this concurrent resolution is to recognize and respect the Hawaiian system of hanai by requesting the Department of Human Services (DHS) to adopt, amend, or repeal rules to integrate the hanai system with foster parent licensing procedures.

DHS commented on this concurrent resolution.

Your Committees have amended this concurrent resolution by adding making technical, nonsubstantive changes for clarity, consistency, and style.

As affirmed by the records of votes of the members of your Committees on Hawaiian Affairs and Human Services that are attached to this report, your Committees concur with the intent and purpose of H.C.R. No. 25, as amended herein, and recommend that it be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, in the form attached hereto as H.C.R. No. 25, H.D. 1.

HCR25 HD1 HSCR HAW-HUS HMS 2009-2494



Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committees on Hawaiian Affairs
and Human Services,



JOHN M. MIZUNO, Chair



MELE CARROLL, Chair



State of Hawaii
House of Representatives
The Twenty-fifth Legislature

Record of Votes of the Committee on Human Services

Bill/Resolution No.: HCR 25	Committee Referral: HAW / HUS	Date: 02/25/09
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The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.

The recommendation is to: Pass, unamended (as is) Pass, with amendments (HD) Hold
 Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)

HUS Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. MIZUNO, John M. (C)	/			
2. BROWER, Tom (VC)	/			
3. BELATTI, Della Au				/
4. BERTRAM, Joe, III	/			
5. CARROLL, Mele	/			
6. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y.	/			
7. SHIMABUKURO, Maile S.L.	/			
8. YAMANE, Ryan I.	/			
9. WARD, Gene				/
TOTAL (9)	7	0	0	2

The recommendation is: Adopted Not Adopted
 If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation.
 committee acronym(s)

Vice Chair's or designee's signature: Tom Brower

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