

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

2767

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 18 2010

RE: H.B. No. 2661
H.D. 2
S.D. 1

Honorable Colleen Hanabusa
President of the Senate
Twenty-Fifth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2010
State of Hawaii

Madam:

Your Committee on Health, to which was referred H.B.
No. 2661, H.D. 2, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ANATOMICAL GIFTS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to reinforce that any response by a person or persons authorized to amend or revoke a decision to make an anatomical gift that is not an express refusal will prohibit the amendment or revocation of the anatomical gift.

Your Committee received testimony in support of the intent of this measure with amendments from one individual. Written testimony presented to the Committee may be reviewed on the Legislature's website.

Your Committee finds that Hawaii's low organ donation rate results in unnecessary deaths and expense for desperately ill Hawaii residents. This measure reinforces that only an express refusal by an authorized person can revoke an anatomical gift post-mortem.

Your Committee has amended this measure by changing its effective date to December 1, 2050, to encourage further discussion of how to encourage anatomical gifts.

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

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Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 2661, H.D. 2, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 2661, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Health,

David V. Ige

DAVID V. IGE, Chair



The Senate
Twenty-Fifth Legislature
State of Hawaii

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Bill / Resolution No.:* <div style="font-size: 1.2em; font-family: cursive;">HB 2661, HD2</div>	Committee Referral: <div style="font-size: 1.2em; font-family: cursive;">HTH, J60</div>	Date: <div style="font-size: 1.2em; font-family: cursive;">3/15/10</div>		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure. If so, then the previous decision was to: _____				
The Recommendation is: <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: flex-start;"> <div style="text-align: center;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312 </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311 </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310 </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313 </div> </div>				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
IGE, David Y. (C)	✓			
GREEN, M.D., Josh (VC)	✓			
BAKER, Rosalyn H.	✓			
ESPERO, Will	✓			
NISHIHARA, Clarence K.	✓			
HEMMINGS, Fred				✓
TOTAL	5	0	0	1
Recommendation: <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; margin-top: 10px;"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted </div>				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: <div style="font-size: 1.5em; font-family: cursive; text-align: center;">J. L. H.</div>				
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