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Testimony in SUPPORT of HCR 87

March 8, 2010 9:30 a.m. – Conference Room 312

TO: Representative Joey Manahan, Chair

Representative James Tokioka, Vice Chair

Committee on Tourism, Culture and International Affairs

RE: Testimony in SUPPORT of HCR 87: Designating the week that includes August 24th as surf week in Hawaii

FROM: Roberta Cullen

Mr. Chairman:

I support HCR 87, DESIGNATING THE WEEK THAT INCLUDES AUGUST 24^{TH} AS SURF WEEK IN HAWAII.

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TO:

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RE:

Testimony in SUPPORT of HCR 87: Designating the week that includes August 24th as surf week in Hawaii

FROM: Patrick Dugan, Board Member, Outrigger Duke Kahanamoku Foundation

Aloha Chairman Manahan and Committee Members:

I am sending this e-mail in support of HCR 87, DESIGNATING THE WEEK THAT INCLUDES AUGUST 24TH AS SURF WEEK IN HAWAII.

August 24th is the birth date of Duke Paoa Kahanamoku, Hawaii's greatest athlete ever and the world's most influential waterman in history. Even now, four decades since his passing, Duke's legacy as a surfer, paddler, waterman, and Ambassador of Aloha continues to resonate with today's generations of water sports athletes. These points alone should be reason enough to approve this resolution.

In addition, each year August 24 serves as the trigger point for the annual Duke's OceanFest celebration in Waikiki. Going on its 9th year in 2010, Duke's OceanFest has emerged as Waikiki's premier summer water sports festival, with a week of water sports competitions, events, and special activities that are presented in tribute to Duke's memory and his lasting influence on surfing and water sports in Hawaii and around the world.

The Outrigger Duke Kahanamoku Foundation (ODKF) is a nonprofit foundation whose mission is to financially support individuals and organizations involved in water sports that are perpetuating the spirit and legacy of Duke Kahanamoku. Last year, we awarded \$191,000 in scholarships and grants to Hawaii young people going to college and to Hawaii nonprofit organizations committed to the ideals of water sports competitions.

Approving HCR 87 will only help to bring greater awareness to Duke Kahanamoku, the foundation established in his honor, and the fulfillment of ODKF's mission for Hawaii.

With all this in mind, I encourage you to approve the passing of HCR 87.

Mahalo for your consideration.

Patrick Dugan Board Member 2004-Present Outrigger Duke Kahanamoku Foundation

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TO: Representative Joey Manahan, Chair Representative James Tokioka, Vice Chair Committee on Tourism, Culture and International Affairs

RE: Testimony in SUPPORT of HCR 87: Designating the week that includes August 24th as surf week in Hawaii

FROM: William G Philpotts, Board of Directors, Outrigger Duke Kahanamoku Foundation

Mr. Chairman:

I support HCR 87, DESIGNATING THE WEEK THAT INCLUDES AUGUST 24TH AS SURF WEEK IN HAWAII.

Sincerely, William G Philpotts

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TO: Representative Joey Manahan, Chair Representative James Tokioka, Vice Chair Committee on Tourism, Culture and International Affairs

RE: Testimony in SUPPORT of HCR 87: Designating the week that includes August 24th as surf week in Hawaii

FROM: Earl Pamai Tenn, (Personal Representative of Nadine Kahanamoku)

Mr. Chairman:

I support HCR 87, DESIGNATING THE WEEK THAT INCLUDES AUGUST 24^{TH} AS SURF WEEK IN HAWAII.

With reference to forthWHEREAS, Please change the name Palani to Pualani and Kahalele to Kanahele.

Mahalo nui loa for allowing me to testify.

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