## HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

## URGING THE REPAIR OF CULTURALLY SIGNIFICANT PLACES ON THE GROUNDS OF 'IOLANI PALACE.

WHEREAS, 'Iolani Palace and its surrounding environs, also 1 known as the State of Hawaii Museum of Monarchy History, have 2 long been considered of special historical and spiritual 3 significance to the State, numerous Hawaiian organizations, and 4 individuals; and 5 6 WHEREAS, Hawaiians of many different organizations, as well 7 as individuals, have frequently gathered on the grounds 8 9 throughout the years; and 10 WHEREAS, some organizations and individuals have regularly 11 attended to the cleaning of the burial mound called Pohukaina, 12 as well as the stones in front of and on either side of the 13 Kana'ina Building, or Old Archives; and 14 15 WHEREAS, there is growing concern about the lack of repair 16 and maintenance of these sacred items and places; and 17 18 WHEREAS, the Department of Land and Natural Resources has 19 often expressed concern about the proper use and care of the 20 areas and artifacts within the 'Iolani Palace grounds; now, 21 22 therefore, 23 BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the 24 Twenty-sixth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session 25 of 2011, the Senate concurring, that the Department of Land and 26 Natural Resources, in collaboration with the Friends of 'Iolani 27 Palace, is urged to fund repairs of the wrought iron fence and 28 brick wall surrounding Pohukaina, as well as the placement of 29 signage fronting the Paepaekapu Stone in front of the Kana'ina 30 Building, or Old Archives; and 31 32



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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this
Concurrent Resolution be transmitted to the Chairperson of the
Board of Land and Natural Resources, Friends of 'Iolani Palace,
and the Association of Hawaiian Civic Clubs.

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