STAND. COM. REP. NO. 334

Honolulu, Hawaii

Feb 16 , 2011

RE: H.B. No. 602

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Sixth State Legislature Regular Session of 2011 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Health, to which was referred H.B. No. 602 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR CERVICAL AND BREAST CANCER SCREENING."

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to reach more women who are eligible to be screened for breast and cervical cancer under the Hawaii Breast and Cervical Cancer Control Program, which makes screening services available to low-income, uninsured, and underserved women, by making an appropriation for such screening.

Planned Parenthood of Hawaii, the Hawaii Chapter of the American Physical Therapy Association, the American Cancer Society, Healthy Mothers Healthy Babies Coalition and numerous individuals supported this bill. The Department of Health supported the intent of the measure.

Your Committee finds that women who live in poverty as well as racial and ethnic minorities have a higher rate of cancer-related deaths due to a variety of barriers including economic. Early detection through screening is critical in saving lives.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Health that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 602

and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

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

RAN I JAMANE, Chair

State of Hawaii House of Representatives The Twenty-sixth Legislature

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Health

HB 602	Committee L1 LT	Referral:		Date:	5/25/1	
☐ 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)						
HLT Members		Ayes	Ayes (W	R)	Nays	Excused
1. YAMANE, Ryan I. (C)					-	
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2. MORIKAWA, Dee (VC)						
3. BELATTI, Della Au						
4. HANOHANO, Faye P.		\checkmark				"
5. JORDAN, Jo		V				
6. LEE, Chris						
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7. MIZUNO, John M.		<u> </u>				
8. WOOLEY, Jessica					_	
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9. CHING, Corinne W.L.		V				
10. PINE, Kymberly Marcos						
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TOTAL (10)		9				1
The recommendation is: Adopted If joint referral, did not support recommendation. committee acronym(s)						
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:						
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