STAND. COM. REP. NO.

Honolulu, Hawaii April 25, 2013 RE: S.C.R. No. 149 S.D. 1

Honorable Joseph M. Souki Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Seventh State Legislature Regular Session of 2013 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred S.C.R. No. 149, S.D. 1, entitled:

"SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING HAWAII RESIDENTS AND BUSINESSES TO COMPLY WITH THE CONVENTION ON INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN ENDANGERED SPECIES OF WILD FAUNA AND FLORA AND NOT TO BUY OR SELL IVORY OF UNKNOWN ORIGIN THAT MAY HAVE BEEN ILLEGALLY SMUGGLED INTO THE STATE, "

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to urge Hawaii residents and businesses to comply with the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora by having them not buy or sell ivory of unknown origin that may have been illegally smuggled into the State.

The Department of Land and Natural Resources, Humane Society of the United States, and one concerned individual supported this measure.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Judiciary that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of S.C.R. No. 149, S.D. 1, and recommends its adoption.



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

KARL RHOADS, Chair



State of Hawaii House of Representatives The Twenty-seventh Legislature



Record of Votes of the Committee on Judiciary

Bill/Resolution No.: SCR 149 SD	Committee Referral: JUD			Date: 04/23/13	
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)					
JUD Members		Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. RHOADS, Karl (C)		\checkmark			
2. HAR, Sharon E. (VC)		,			7
3. BELATTI, Della Au		\checkmark			
4. BROWER, Tom					
5. CABANILLA, Rida T.R.		\checkmark			
6. CARROLL, Mele		•			~
7. ITO, Ken		. /			
8. KAWAKAMI, Derek S.K.					
9. LEE, Chris		\checkmark			
10. TSUJI, Clift		/			
11. WOOLEY, Jessica					
12. MCDERMOTT, Bob		/			
13. THIELEN, Cynthia		/			
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TOTAL (13)		Ð			Ĉ
The recommendation is: Adopted I Not Adopted If joint referral, did not support recommendation.					
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:					
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