

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

1243

Honolulu, Hawaii

March 30, 2015

RE: H.R. No. 126

Honorable Joseph M. Souki
Speaker, House of Representatives
Twenty-Eighth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2015
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Veterans, Military, & International
Affairs, & Culture and the Arts, to which was referred H.R. No.
126 entitled:

"HOUSE RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE JAPANESE WOMEN'S SOCIETY
FOUNDATION FOR CREATING THE "ADOPT-A-MOM" PROGRAM AND
ENCOURAGING ALL FAMILIES AND AGENCIES WORKING WITH THE
ELDERLY OF HAWAII TO PLACE "ADOPT-A-MOM" DAY ON THEIR
CALENDARS, AS THE THIRD SUNDAY OF MAY, IN OBSERVANCE OF THE
ELDERLY WOMEN OF HAWAII WHO DESERVE TO BE CHERISHED AND
APPRECIATED FOR THE INVALUABLE ROLE THEY PLAY AS THE MOTHERS
OF OUR KEIKI O KA AINA,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to recognize the Japanese
Women's Society Foundation and its President Lillian Yajima for
creating the "Adopt-a-Mom" program, which provides women in care
homes who have given much to their families and society but who
would not otherwise receive visitors on Mother's Day with
recognition, honor, and the opportunity to celebrate this
important day.

The Japanese Women's Society Foundation and several concerned
citizens testified in support of this measure.

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As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of H.R. No. 126 and recommends that it be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Veterans,
Military, & International
Affairs, & Culture and the
Arts,



KEN ITO, Chair



State of Hawaii
House of Representatives
The Twenty-eighth Legislature

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Veterans, Military, & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts

Bill/Resolution No.: HR 126	Committee Referral: VMI, PIN	Date: 3/23/15		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended (as is) <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments (HD) <input type="checkbox"/> Hold <input type="checkbox"/> Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)				
VMI Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. ITO, Ken (C)	✓			
2. TOKIOKA, James Kunane (VC)	✓			
3. BROWER, Tom	✓			
4. CACHOLA, Romy M.	✓			
5. CHOY, Isaac W.				✓
6. DeCOITE, Lynn	✓			
7. KAWAKAMI, Derek S.K.	✓			
8. KONG, Sam Satoru	✓			
9. OHNO, Takashi	✓			
10. ONISHI, Richard H.K.	✓			
11. TSUJI, Clift	✓			
12. WOODSON, Justin H.	✓			
13. MATSUMOTO, Lauren Kealohilani	✓			
14. WARD, Gene				✓
TOTAL (14)	12			2
The recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. <small style="margin-left: 100px;">committee acronym(s)</small>				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: _____				
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