

# **SCR 150 / SR 92**

REQUESTING THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF  
INVESTIGATION TO REPORT CRIMES OF DOMESTIC  
VIOLENCE UNDER THE UNIFORM CRIME REPORTING  
SYSTEM.

**PSM/JDL**



*25 Years*

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Aloha. Thank you for the Senate's consideration of the establishment of a category for reporting of domestic violence on the Uniform Crime Reporting System.

Incidence of the crime of domestic violence, analysis of resource allocation and community planning are entwined in an important way. We have precious little data that accurately informs our community's approach to managing an effective response to the many crimes committed as part of domestic violence.

With the assistance of the Attorney General and their cooperation with the FBI, perhaps our work will be advanced to make options, resources and statutory reform more meaningful in the future. Data collected, compiled and analyzed holds great promise.

Thank you for allowing this perspective as you consider the development of this piece of the puzzle.

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Peter Thoenen	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments: I have problems with the way domestic violence is defined, prosecuted, and reported and feeding up bogus numbers either makes Hawaii look bad (if the numbers are high) or a false sense of security (if the numbers are low). It will also incentivize politicians to play politics with bunk enforcement to move the numbers in a perceived positive fashion. Reporting these numbers does nothing good for Hawaii or victims of domestic violence.

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