

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

1548

Honolulu, Hawaii

March 30, 2017

RE: H.C.R. No. 35
H.D. 1

Honorable Joseph M. Souki
Speaker, House of Representatives
Twenty-Ninth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2017
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Higher Education, to which was referred
H.C.R. No. 35 entitled:

"HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF
HAWAII CENTER ON AGING TO CONVENE A TASK FORCE TO ASSESS
CURRENT ELDER AND KUPUNA CARE SERVICES AND THE ANTICIPATED
DEMAND FOR THOSE SERVICES IN ORDER TO IMPROVE THOSE SERVICES
AND MEET ANTICIPATED DEMAND,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to request the University of
Hawaii Center on Aging to convene a task force to:

- (1) Review the current elder and kupuna care services
situation and anticipated demand for those services and
determine requirements for adequate training, workforce
expansion, service expansion, and financing to correct
the current situation and meet anticipated demand; and
- (2) Submit a report of its findings and recommendations to
the Legislature prior to the convening of the Regular
Session of 2018.

The University of Hawaii Myron B. Thompson School of Social
Work, AARP, and a concerned individual supported this measure.
The Executive Office on Aging submitted comments.

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Your Committee has amended this measure by:

- (1) Requesting the Center on Aging to invite the Dean of the University of Hawaii Myron B. Thompson School of Social Work, or the Dean's designee, to become a member of the task force; and
- (2) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for clarity, consistency, and style.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Higher Education that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of H.C.R. No. 35, as amended herein, and recommends its adoption in the form attached hereto as H.C.R. No. 35, H.D. 1.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Higher Education,



ANGUS L.K. MCKELVEY, Chair



