

### February 25, 2017

To: Senator Rosalyn H. Baker, Chair Senator Clarence K. Nishihara, Vice Chair Committee of Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health

> Senator Jill N. Tokuda, Chair Senator Donovan M. Dela Cruz, Vice Chair Committee on Ways and Means

- From: Deborah Zysman, Executive Director Hawaii Children's Action Network
- Re: SB 748 Relating to Child Care Facilities Hawaii State Capitol, Room 211, February 28, 2017, 9:30 AM

# On behalf of Hawaii Children's Action Network (HCAN), we are writing to support SB 748 – Relating to Child Care Facilities

HCAN supports the intention to provide safe, regulated childcare. By providing transparency of the inspections through posting them online and a legislative report, the public can make better-informed choices. To post online in a public-friendly manner, the reports need to be searchable and up to date.

#### For these reasons, HCAN respectfully requests that the committee vote to pass this bill.

HCAN is committed to building a unified voice advocating for Hawaii's children by improving their safety, health, and education. Last fall, HCAN convened input in person and online from more than 50 organizations and individuals that came forward to support or express interest for a number of issues affecting children and families in our state that resulted in the compilation of 2017 Hawai'i Children's Policy Agenda, which can be accessed at <a href="http://www.hawaii-can.org/2017policyagenda">http://www.hawaii-can.org/2017policyagenda</a>.

# **CPH Testimony**

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## **SB748**

Submitted on: 2/27/2017 Testimony for CPH/WAM on Feb 28, 2017 09:30AM in Conference Room 229

Submitted By	Organization	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Present at Hearing</b>
Christina Leopold	Individual	Support	No

Comments: I am a Puna resident and voter. I strongly support SB748 with regards to licensed day care records of complaint being available to the public, and in an annual report to the legislature. It is imperative that parents have the opportunity to find complaints against providers, and decide whether a daycare is suitable for their children. We cannot make the best decisions for our children without this information. Sincerely, Christina Leopold, Puna resident

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Submitted By	Organization	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Present at Hearing</b>
Roy N Morioka	Individual	Support	No

Comments: I strongly support this bill as submitted in my earlier testimony. Mahalo for this opportunity to testify. Respectfully, Roy Morioka

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