

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

1005

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 03 2023

RE: S.B. No. 1167
S.D. 1

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi
President of the Senate
Thirty-Second State Legislature
Regular Session of 2023
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred S.B. No. 1167, S.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE HAWAII STATE CONSTITUTION TO PROTECT INDIVIDUAL REPRODUCTIVE RIGHTS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to propose an amendment to the Hawaii State Constitution to protect an individual's reproductive freedom in their most intimate decisions, including the right to abortion and contraceptives.

Your Committee received written comments in support of this measure from the Hawaii Civil Rights Commission, Imua Alliance, Education Caucus of the Democratic Party of Hawaii, Stonewall Caucus of the Democratic Party of Hawaii, Save Medicaid Hawaii, and nine individuals.

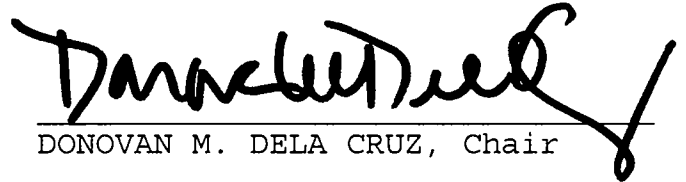
Your Committee received written comments in opposition to this measure from the Hawaii Family Forum, Hawaii Catholic Conference, Hawaii Women Lawyers, and numerous individuals.

Your Committee finds that the constitutional amendment proposed in this measure will serve as a strong reaffirmation of the express right to privacy already guaranteed in the Hawaii State Constitution.



As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Ways and Means that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 1167, S.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Third Reading.

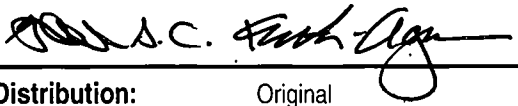
Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Ways and Means,


DONOVAN M. DELA CRUZ, Chair



The Senate
Thirty-Second Legislature
State of Hawai'i

Record of Votes
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| Bill / Resolution No.:* SB 1167 SD1 | Committee Referral: JDC, WAM | Date: 3/1/23 | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> The Committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure. If so, then the previous decision was to: _____ | | | | |
| The Recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312 <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311 <input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310 <input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313 | | | | |
| Members | Aye | Aye (WR) | Nay | Excused |
| DELA CRUZ, Donovan M. (C) | X | | | |
| KEITH-AGARAN, Gilbert S.C. (VC) | X | | | |
| AQUINO, Henry J.C. | X | | | |
| DECOITE, Lynn | X | | | |
| INOUYE, Lorraine R. | X | | | |
| KANUHA, Dru Mamo | X | | | |
| KIDANI, Michelle N. | X | | | |
| KIM, Donna Mercado | X | | | |
| LEE, Chris | X | | | |
| MORIWAKI, Sharon Y. | X | | | |
| SHIMABUKURO, Maile S.L. | X | | | |
| WAKAI, Glenn | X | | | |
| FEVELLA, Kurt | X | | X | |
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| TOTAL | 1314 | | 1 | |
| Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted | | | | |
| Chair's or Designee's Signature:  | | | | |
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