
HOUSE RESOLUTION

REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES TO
CONSIDER RESURFACING THE FLOORS OF THE STATE CAPITOL TO
ADDRESS SAFETY CONCERNS.

1 WHEREAS, the State Capitol was built in 1967 and the
2 original physical features that have not been replaced or
3 refurbished are nearly forty years old and may pose a safety
4 concern; and

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6 WHEREAS, the common area concrete floor surfaces of the
7 State Capitol could be considered unsafe under certain
8 conditions, such as when the surfaces are wet or newly-buffed;
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11 WHEREAS, there have been instances and reports of people
12 slipping and falling at the State Capitol due to loss of balance
13 while walking on the common area floor surfaces; and

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15 WHEREAS, the Legislature is concerned about the safety of
16 people walking on the concrete floor surfaces of the chamber
17 level and the first, second, third, and fourth floors of the
18 State Capitol; now, therefore,

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20 BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the
21 Twenty-third Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session
22 of 2006, that the Department of Accounting and General Services
23 is requested to consider resurfacing the concrete surfaces on
24 the chamber level and the first, second, third, and fourth
25 floors of the State Capitol to address safety concerns; and

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27 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this
28 Resolution be transmitted to the Governor and the Comptroller.

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OFFERED BY: _____

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