

Honolulu, Hawaii

February 10, 2006

RE: H.B. No. 2965

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say
Speaker, House of Representatives
Twenty-Third State Legislature
Regular Session of 2006
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Tourism & Culture, to which was referred
H.B. No. 2965 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A COMMISSION TO CELEBRATE 2008
AS THE YEAR OF THE FAMILY,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to strengthen Hawaii's families
by:

- (1) Establishing a temporary commission responsible for
arranging the commemoration of the "Year of the Family"
in 2008;
- (2) Creating a trust fund to be used by the Commission for
the commemoration of the "Year of the Family"; and
- (3) Appropriating \$75,000 for the commission to complete its
tasks.

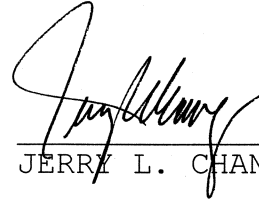
The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints in Hawaii,
Hawaii Family Forum, and The Ohana Project testified in support of
this bill.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your
Committee on Tourism & Culture that is attached to this report,
your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B.
No. 2965 and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be
referred to the Committee on Finance.

HB2965 HSCR TAC HMS 2006-1709



Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Tourism & Culture,




JERRY L. CHANG, Chair



State of Hawaii
House of Representatives
The Twenty-third Legislature

HSCR 185-060

Record of Votes of the Committee on Tourism & Culture

Bill/Resolution No.: HB 2965		Date: 2-7-06		
Committee Referral: TAC, FIN		<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.		
The recommendation is to: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments <input type="checkbox"/> Hold <input type="checkbox"/> Recommit				
TAC Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. CHANG, Jerry L. (C)	/			
2. YAMASHITA, Kyle T. (VC)	-			
3. ABINSAY, Felipe P., Jr.				/
4. KARAMATSU, Jon Riki	/			
5. MAGAOAY, Michael Y.	/			
6. TSUJI, Clift	/			
7. WAKAI, Glenn				/
8. CHING, Corinne W.L.	/			
9. MARUMOTO, Barbara C.	/			
TOTAL	7			2
The recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. committee acronym(s)				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: 				
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