

Honolulu, Hawaii

Feb 16, 2006

RE: H.B. No. 3217
H.D. 1

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred H.B. No. 3217 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO KUPUNA RECOGNITION DAY,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to recognize our kupuna's significant role in Hawaii's culture, history, and traditions by establishing the fourth Saturday of July as "Kupuna Recognition Day."

The Maui County Office of Aging and several concerned individuals testified in support of this bill.

Your Committee has amended this bill by:

- (1) Changing the effective date to July 1, 2020, to encourage further discussion; and
- (2) Making technical changes for clarity, consistency, and style.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Judiciary that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 3217, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 3217, H.D. 1, and be referred to the Committee on Finance.



Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Judiciary,

[Signature]
for SYLVIA LUKE, Chair



