

Honolulu, Hawaii

April 4, 2006

RE: H.C.R. No. 67

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

Sir:

Your Committee on International Affairs, to which was referred H.C.R. No. 67 entitled:

"HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY AND REQUESTING THE UNITED STATES SENATE TO RATIFY THE CONVENTION ON THE ELIMINATION OF ALL FORMS OF DISCRIMINATION AGAINST WOMEN,"

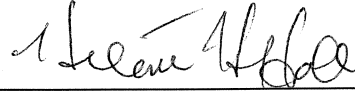
begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this concurrent resolution is to request that the United States Senate demonstrate our nation's commitment to human rights and gender equality by joining 170 other nations in ratifying the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination Against Women.

The Hawaii Chapter American Physical Therapy Association and several concerned individuals testified in support of this concurrent resolution.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on International Affairs that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of H.C.R. No. 67 and recommends its adoption.

Respectfully submitted on  
behalf of the members of the  
Committee on International  
Affairs,



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HELÉNE H. HALE, Chair

