

STAND. COM. REP. NO. **3701**

Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 20 2006

RE: H.C.R. No. 120

Honorable Robert Bunda
President of the Senate
Twenty-Third State Legislature
Regular Session of 2006
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Education and Military Affairs, to which was referred H.C.R. No. 120 entitled:

"HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE BUSH ADMINISTRATION AND THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO FULLY RESTORE THE BUDGET CUTS TO THE EQUIPMENT AND PERSONNEL BUDGET OF THE ARMY NATIONAL GUARD AND AIR NATIONAL GUARD OF THE UNITED STATES,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to request that the President and the United States Congress fully restore the funding that has been cut from the Army and Air National Guard equipment and personnel budgets.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the State Department of Defense, the Armed Services Committee of The Chamber of Commerce of Hawaii, the Hawaii National Guard Association, and the Hawaii National Guard Enlisted Association.

Your Committee finds that the Army National Guard budget alone has been reduced by \$11 billion, which will have an impact on its operations at home and overseas. Your Committee is concerned that this troop reduction will cause states to come up short in disaster preparedness at home.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Education and Military Affairs that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of H.C.R. No. 120, and recommends its adoption.

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Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Education and
Military Affairs,

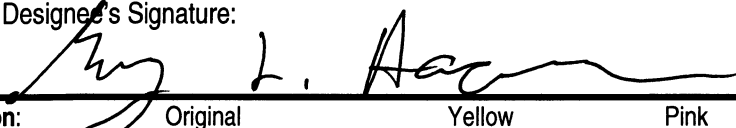
Norman Sakamoto

NORMAN SAKAMOTO, Chair



The Senate
Twenty-Third Legislature
State of Hawaii

Record of Votes of the
Committee on Education and Military Affairs
(Bills and Resolutions)

Measure:*	Committee Referral:	Date:		
HER 120	EDM	04/17/06		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure. If so, then the previous decision was to: _____				
The Recommendation is to:				
<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	Ayes	Ayes(WR)	Nays	Excused
SAKAMOTO, Norman (C)	✓			
HOOSER, Gary L. (VC)	✓			
CHUN OAKLAND, Suzanne	✓			
NISHIHARA, Clarence K.	✓			
TSUTSUI, Shan S.				✓
HOGUE, Bob	✓			
TOTAL	5			1
Recommendation:				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature:				
				
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