

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 15 2006

RE: S.C.R. No. 1

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Health, to which was referred S.C.R. No. 1
entitled:

"SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING JANUARY AS CERVICAL
CANCER MONTH IN HAWAI`I,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to broaden awareness and
education of cervical cancer prevention.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure
from the Hawaii Medical Service Association, the American Cancer
Society Hawaii Pacific, Inc., and Merck & Company.

Your Committee finds that cervical cancer is the third most
common cancer affecting women worldwide and is a highly
preventable disease. Early detection of the disease through
screening enables women to receive proper treatment in a timely
manner. If detected early, cervical cancer has a survival rate of
close to ninety-nine percent.

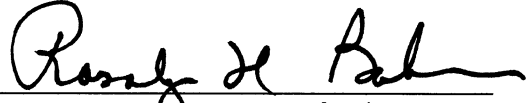
Your Committee further finds that making January Cervical
Cancer month will join together supporters of cervical cancer
prevention to provide the needed awareness and education on the
disease and the importance of screening, regular exams, and early
detection.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your
Committee on Health that is attached to this report, your



Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of S.C.R. No. 1 and recommends its adoption.

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

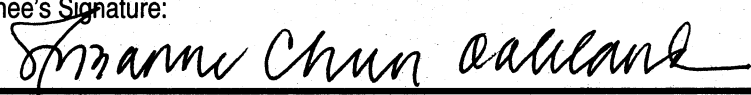


ROSALYN H. BAKER, Chair



The Senate
Twenty-Third Legislature
State of Hawaii

Record of Votes of the
Committee on Health
(Bills and Resolutions)

Measure:* SCR 1	Committee Referral: HTH	Date: 3/8/06		
<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
BAKER, Rosalyn H. (C)	✓			
CHUN OAKLAND, Suzanne (VC)	✓			
HANABUSA, Colleen				✓
TSUTSUI, Shan S.	✓			
WHALEN, Paul				✓
TOTAL	3	0	0	2
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: 				
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*Do not list more than one measure per Record of Votes.