STAND. COM. REP. NO. 1562

Honolulu, Hawaii

Meah 29, 2007

RE: H.C.R. No. 84

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Fourth State Legislature Regular Session of 2007 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on International Affairs, to which was referred H.C.R. No. 84, entitled:

"HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING ENDORSEMENT OF THE EARTH CHARTER AND ADOPTION OF ITS CENTRAL PRINCIPLES AS PART OF THE FRAMEWORK FOR SUSTAINABLE PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this concurrent resolution is to:

- (1) Assert the State of Hawaii's endorsement of the Earth Charter as part of a framework for sustainable planning and development; and
- (2) Urge the Governor, mayors, county councils, and the Hawaii 2050 Sustainability Task Force to adopt and utilize Earth Charter as part of a framework for sustainable planning.

The United Nations Association Hawaii Division, Hawaii's Thousand Friends, League of Women Voters of Hawaii, and a concerned individual testified in support of this measure.

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. 84, and recommends that it be referred to the Committee on Economic Development & Business Concerns.

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

RIDA T.R. CABANILLA, Chair



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## Record of Votes of the Committee on International Affairs

| Bill/Resolution No.:  HCR 84   | Date:  | -21-07   |      |  |
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| Committee Referral:  | ☐ The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure. |  |      |  |
| The recommendation is to: Pass, unamended                                      | ☐ Pass, with amendments  |  |      |  |
| ☐ Hold   | Pass, with amendments, for recommittal for further consideration       |  |      |  |
| INT Members  | Ayes   | Ayes (WR)  | Nays | Excused  |
| 1. CABANILLA, Rida T.R. (C)  |  |  |      |  |
| 2. TOKIOKA, James Kunane (VC)  |  |  |      |  |
| 3. BELATTI, Della Au   |  |  |      |  |
| 4. BERTRAM, Joe, III   |  |  |      | 1  |
| 5. GREEN, Josh, M.D.   |  |  |      |  |
| 6. MIZUNO, John  | 1  |  |      |  |
| 7. RHOADS, Karl  |  |  |      |  |
| 8. SHIMABUKURO, Maile S. L.  |  | and the second of the second o |      | Tarangan da da Anganan |
| 9. TAKAI, K. Mark  |  |  |      |  |
| 10. AWANA, Karen Leinani 11. WARD, Gene, Ph.D.                                 |  |  |      |  |
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| The recommendation is: Adopted   |  |  |      |  |
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| ☐ Not Adopted  |  |  |      |  |
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| Vice Chair's or/designee's signature:  |  |  |      |  |
| Signature.   |  |  |      |  |
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