

Honolulu, Hawaii

March 28, 2008

RE: H.R. No. 158

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say
Speaker, House of Representatives
Twenty-Fourth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2008
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committees on Health and Human Services & Housing, to which was referred H.R. No. 158 entitled:

"HOUSE RESOLUTION CALLING ON THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO CONVENE A TASK FORCE TO ESTABLISH A PROTOCOL AND TRAINING PROGRAM FOR FIRST RESPONDERS IN CHILD PROTECTIVE AWARENESS SKILLS,"

beg leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this resolution is to ensure that all first responders are able to identify children who may be victims or who are at risk for abuse in order to be prepared to set the proper protective protocols in motion by calling on the Department of Human Services to convene a task force to establish a protocol and training program for first responders in child protective awareness skills.

A concerned individual submitted testimony in support of this resolution. The Department of Human Services supports the intent of this resolution.

As affirmed by the records of votes of the members of your Committees on Health and Human Services & Housing that are attached to this report, your Committees concur with the intent and purpose of H.R. No. 158 and recommend that it be referred to the Committee on Public Safety & Military Affairs.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the



Committees on Health and Human
Services & Housing,



MAILE SHIMABUKURO, Chair



JOSHUA B. GREEN, M.D., Chair



Record of Votes of the Committee on Health

Bill/Resolution No.: HR 158	Committee Referral: HLT/HSH, PSM	Date: 3-25-08		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended (as is) <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments (HD) <input type="checkbox"/> Hold <input type="checkbox"/> Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)				
HLT Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. GREEN, Josh, M.D. (C)	✓			
2. MIZUNO, John (VC)	✓			
3. AWANA, Karen Leinani	✓			
4. BELATTI, Della Au				✓
5. BERTRAM, Joe, III	✓			
6. CABANILLA, Rida T.R.	✓			
7. RHOADS, Karl	✓			
8. SHIMABUKURO, Maile S. L.	✓			
9. TOKIOKA, James Kunane				✓
10. WARD, Gene, Ph.D.				✓
TOTAL (10)	7			3
The recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. committee acronym(s)				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: <u>John M. Mizuno</u>				
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Record of Votes of the Committee on Human Services & Housing

Bill/Resolution No.: HR 158	Committee Referral: JLT/HSH, FIN	Date: March 25, 2008		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended (as is) <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments (HD) <input type="checkbox"/> Hold <input type="checkbox"/> Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)				
HSH Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. SHIMABUKURO, Maile S. L. (C)	/			
2. RHOADS, Karl (VC)	/			
3. AWANA, Karen Leinani	/			
4. BELATTI, Della Au				/
5. BERTRAM, Joe, III	/			
6. CABANILLA, Rida T.R.	/			
7. GREEN, Josh, M.D.	/			
8. MIZUNO, John	/			
9. TOKIOKA, James Kunane				/
10. WARD, Gene, Ph.D.				/
TOTAL (10)	7	0	0	3
The recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. committee acronym(s)				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: _____				
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