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# HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

URGING THE OFFICE OF ELECTIONS TO NOT TRANSMIT VOTE INFORMATION  
OVER TELEPHONE LINES AND THE INTERNET.

1           WHEREAS, maintaining public confidence in the voting  
2 process is an issue of paramount importance; and

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4           WHEREAS, voting information that is transmitted over  
5 telephone lines or the Internet may be susceptible to tampering;  
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8           WHEREAS, the integrity of the voting process can be  
9 protected by printing the information contained in voting  
10 machines, including automatic tabulating equipment, and placing  
11 the printed information into locked containers for transport to  
12 the State Count Center; and

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14           WHEREAS, where voting machines use electronic storage  
15 devices to record voting information, the security of the  
16 electronic information can be protected by placing the storage  
17 devices in locked containers for transport to the State Count  
18 Center; now, therefore,

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20           BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the  
21 Twenty-fifth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session  
22 of 2009, the Senate concurring, that the Office of Elections and  
23 all county clerks are urged not to authorize, permit, or receive  
24 vote information transmitted over telephone lines and the  
25 Internet; and

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27           BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this  
28 Concurrent Resolution be transmitted to the Chief Election  
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1 Officer, the Chairperson of the Elections Commission, and the  
2 Clerk of each county.

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