

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

635

Honolulu, Hawaii

Feb 25, 2009

RE: H.C.R. No. 38
H.D. 1

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say
Speaker, House of Representatives
Twenty-Fifth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2009
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Human Services, to which was referred
H.C.R. No. 38 entitled:

"HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING OCTOBER 2009 AS
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AWARENESS MONTH,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this concurrent resolution is to raise public
awareness of domestic violence and its consequences by recognizing
October 2009 as Domestic Violence Awareness Month.

The Hawaii State Coalition Against Domestic Violence and
several concerned individuals testified in support of this
measure.

Domestic violence, which includes intimate partner violence,
has devastating psychological, emotional, and physical
consequences that can last well after the actual abuse has
stopped.

Your Committee commends the organizations and individuals
that have come forward to offer advice and support services to
victims of domestic violence and encourages increased efforts to
raise public consciousness in a concerted effort to prevent future
abuse.

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Your Committee has amended this concurrent resolution by:

- (1) Removing the year designation to recognize Domestic Violence Awareness month in October of every year; and
- (2) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for clarity, consistency, and style.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Human Services that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of H.C.R. No. 38, as amended herein, and recommends its adoption in the form attached hereto as H.C.R. No. 38, H.D. 1.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Human Services,


JOHN M. MIZUNO, Chair



State of Hawaii
House of Representatives
The Twenty-fifth Legislature

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Human Services

Bill/Resolution No.: HCR 38	Committee Referral: HUS	Date: 02/19/69		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended (as is) <input checked="" 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)				
HUS Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. MIZUNO, John M. (C)	/			
2. BROWER, Tom (VC)	/			
3. BELATTI, Della Au				/
4. BERTRAM, Joe, III	/			
5. CARROLL, Mele				/
6. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y.				/
7. SHIMABUKURO, Maile S.L.	/			
8. YAMANE, Ryan I.				/
9. WARD, Gene	/			
TOTAL (9)	5			4
The recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. <div style="text-align: center; font-size: 0.8em;">committee acronym(s)</div>				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: John M. Mizuno				
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