

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 1321

Honolulu, Hawaii

March 30, 2009

RE: H.C.R. No. 4  
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 Committees on Human Services and Health, to which was referred H.C.R. No. 4 entitled:

"HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION DESIGNATING THE FIRST WEEK IN FEBRUARY 2010 AS HAWAII TEEN DATING VIOLENCE AWARENESS AND PREVENTION WEEK,"

beg leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this concurrent resolution is to increase awareness about dating violence among teens by designating the first week in February 2010 as "Hawaii Teen Dating Violence Awareness and Prevention Week."

A concerned individual testified in support of this measure.

Your Committees recognizes that violence in teenage relationships happens more often than not. It has been shown that one in five teenagers in a serious relationship reports having been hit, slapped, or pushed by a partner.

Furthermore, your Committees find that the severity of intimate partner violence has been observed to be greater in cases in which a pattern of violence has been established in adolescence. The first step in reducing intimate partner violence among teens is to raise awareness about the issue and educate the public that teen dating violence does occur. By educating the youth about this issue, hopefully, we can prevent adult domestic violence from occurring in the future.


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Your Committees have amended this concurrent resolution by removing the year 2010.

As affirmed by the records of votes of the members of your Committees on Human Services and Health that are attached to this report, your Committees concur with the intent and purpose of H.C.R. No. 4, as amended herein, and recommend its adoption in the form attached hereto as H.C.R. No. 4, H.D. 1.

Respectfully submitted on  
behalf of the members of the  
Committees on Human Services  
and Health,



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BRIAN I. YAMANE, Chair



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JOHN M. MIZUNO, Chair




State of Hawaii  
House of Representatives  
The Twenty-fifth Legislature

HSCR 1721

**Record of Votes of the Committee on Human Services**

<b>Bill/Resolution No.:</b> <b>HCR 4</b>	<b>Committee Referral:</b> <b>HUS /HLT</b>	<b>Date:</b> <b>03/16/09</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
<b>The recommendation is to:</b> <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	/			
<b>TOTAL (9)</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>The recommendation is:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. <div style="text-align: center; font-size: small;">committee acronym(s)</div>				
<b>Vice Chair's or designee's signature:</b> <u>Tom Brower</u>				
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6. CARROLL, Mele				/
7. MIZUNO, John M.	/			
8. SHIMABUKURO, Maile S.L.				/
9. FINNEGAN, Lynn				/
<b>TOTAL (9)</b>	6			3
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