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# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE.

**BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:**

1           SECTION 1. (a) There is established a joint legislative  
2 task force to clearly identify near-term solutions that more  
3 effectively address domestic violence in Hawaii.

4           (b) The task force shall consist of ten members as  
5 follows:

6           (1) Two members of the house of representatives appointed  
7 by the speaker of the house of representatives with  
8 one member serving as co-chair of the task force;

9           (2) Two members of the senate appointed by the president  
10 of the senate with one member serving as co-chair of  
11 the task force;

12           (3) Four members representing organizations providing  
13 services to victims of domestic violence, two of whom  
14 shall be appointed by the speaker of the house of  
15 representatives and two of whom shall be appointed by  
16 the president of the senate; and

17           (4) Two members who are domestic violence victim  
18 advocates, one of whom shall be appointed by the



1 speaker of the house of representatives and one of  
2 whom shall be appointed by the president of the  
3 senate.

4 (c) Members of the task force shall serve without  
5 compensation and shall receive no reimbursement for expenses.

6 (d) All proceedings and records of the task force shall be  
7 exempt from chapter 92, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

8 (e) The task force shall submit a report of its findings  
9 and recommendations, including any proposed legislation, to the  
10 legislature no later than twenty days prior to the convening of  
11 the regular session of 2011.

12 (f) The task force shall cease to exist on June 30, 2012.

13 SECTION 2. This Act shall take effect on January 1, 2050.



**Report Title:**

Domestic Violence; Task Force

**Description:**

Establishes a legislative task force to clearly identify solutions that more effectively address domestic violence in Hawaii. Effective January 1, 2050. (HB1884 HD1)

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