

Honolulu, Hawaii

March 17, 2010

RE: H.C.R. No. 220

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say  
Speaker, House of Representatives  
Twenty-Fifth State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2010  
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Human Services, to which was referred  
H.C.R. No. 220 entitled:

"HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HOUSE COMMITTEE  
ON HUMAN SERVICES TO CONVENE A WORKING GROUP TO FURTHER STUDY  
RECOMMENDATIONS MADE BY THE SR 10 WORKING GROUP COMMITTEES,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this concurrent resolution is to convene a  
working group to further study the recommendations made by the SR  
10 Working Group committees.

The National Association of Social Workers, Hawaii Chapter  
(NASW) and a concerned individual submitted testimony in support  
of this measure.

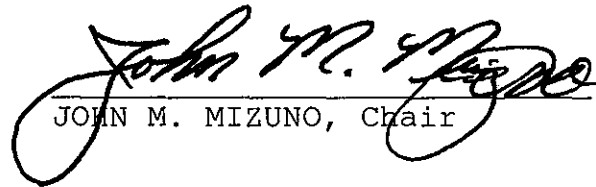
Your Committee notes that the SCR 52 Task Force explored the  
possibilities of making the Hawaii Family Court more efficient,  
accessible, and family-oriented. However, even after the Task  
Force's recommendations, many issues remained unresolved.

Therefore, due to these unresolved issues, your Committee  
urges that a working group continues forward to study issues,  
report, collaborate, and propose legislation regarding the Hawaii  
Family Court system. This new working group will be referred to  
as the Family Court Legal Interventions Working Group.



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. 220 and recommends that it be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

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

  
JOHN M. MIZUNO, Chair



HCR 807-10

Record of Votes of the Committee on Human Services

Bill/Resolution No.: <b>HCR 220</b>	Committee Referral: <b>HUS, JUD, FIN</b>	Date: <b>3/15/10</b>		
<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)				
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>6</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>
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: small;">committee acronym(s)</div>				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: <u>Tom Brower</u>				
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