

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

2917

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 30 2010

RE: S.R. No. 93

Honorable Colleen Hanabusa
President of the Senate
Twenty-Fifth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2010
State of Hawaii

Madam:

Your Committee on Human Services, to which was referred S.R. No. 93 entitled:

"SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE AND THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TO AUTHORIZE THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ON AGING IN PLACE TO CONTINUE TO MEET AND CARRY OUT THE WORK OF THE COMMITTEE,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to request that the Senate President and Speaker of the House of Representatives authorize the Joint Legislative Committee on Aging in Place to continue to meet and carry out the work of the Committee that is currently set to terminate on June 30, 2010.

Testimony in support of this measure was submitted by the Association for the Advancement of Retired Persons, the Policy Advisory Board for Elder Affairs, the National Multiple Sclerosis Society, and three individuals. Written testimony presented to the Committee may be reviewed on the Legislature's website.

Your Committee finds that being able to age with dignity in one's own home is a highly coveted idea with members of our community, and that resources should be utilized so that people are allowed to age as long as possible at home. Your Committee also finds that many grandparents in the community are raising their grandchildren or are significant caregivers for them and experience many of the same obstacles that younger caregivers do when in a family setting. Your Committee further finds that despite the economic climate that has eliminated many resources



for these caregivers, the issue of aging in place continues to be very important to members of the community and the work of the Joint Legislative Committee on Aging in Place should continue.

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 S.R. No. 93 and recommends that it be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

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


SUZANNE CHUN OAKLAND, Chair



The Senate
Twenty-Fifth Legislature
State of Hawaii

Record of Votes
Committee on Human Services
HMS

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The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure.
If so, then the previous decision was to: _____

The Recommendation is:

Pass, unamended 2312 Pass, with amendments 2311 Hold 2310 Recommit 2313

Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
CHUN OAKLAND, Suzanne (C)	✓			
IHARA, Jr., Les (VC)	✓			
GREEN, M.D., Josh				✓
HEMMINGS, Fred	✓			
TOTAL	3	0	0	1

Recommendation: Adopted Not Adopted

Chair's or Designee's Signature: *[Handwritten Signature]*

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