



GOV. MSG. NO 1174

EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS
HONOLULU

NEIL ABERCROMBIE
GOVERNOR

April 25, 2012

The Honorable Shan Tsutsui, President
and Members of the Senate
Twenty-Sixth State Legislature
State Capitol, Room 409
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

The Honorable Calvin Say, Speaker
and Members of the House
Twenty-Sixth State Legislature
State Capitol, Room 431
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear President Tsutsui, Speaker Say and Members of the Legislature:

This is to inform you that on April 25, 2012, the following bill was signed into law:

HB2133

RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE.
Act 073 (12)

Sincerely,

NEIL ABERCROMBIE
Governor, State of Hawaii

A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE.

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

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 8, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended
2 by adding a new section to be appropriately designated and to
3 read as follows:

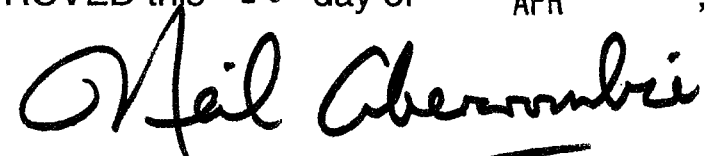
4 "§8- Domestic violence awareness month. The month of
5 October shall be known and designated as "Domestic Violence
6 Awareness Month" to promote public awareness of domestic
7 violence as a significant societal, public health, and criminal
8 justice problem. This month is not and shall not be construed
9 as a state holiday."

10 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.

11 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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APPROVED this 25 day of APR, 2012


GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

