

Honolulu, Hawaii

April 12, 2012

RE: H.C.R. No. 141

H.D. 1

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say  
Speaker, House of Representatives  
Twenty-Sixth State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2012  
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Legislative Management, to which was referred H.C.R. No. 141 entitled:

"HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DIRECTOR OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS TO CONVENE A TASK FORCE ON DOG BREEDING,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to request the Director of Commerce and Consumer Affairs to create a task force to prevent future instances of animal cruelty by large-scale commercial dog breeders and to protect the public from purchasing sick and unhealthy dogs.

The Hawaiian Humane Society, Aloha Labradors and Kona Poodles, Aloha State Sporting Dog Association, American Kennel Club, Cavalier King Charles Spaniel Club of Hawaii, Chihuahua Club of Hawaii, Dachshund Club of Hawaii, Golden Retriever Club of Hawaii, Hawaii Hulacat Club, Hawaiian Chinese Shar-Pei Club, Hawaiian Herding Dog Association, Hawaiian Kennel Club, Hawaiian Terrier Association, Kealoha Kennels, Kerry Blue Terrier Club of Hawaii, Koolau Pets, Leeward Training Club of Hawaii, The Pet Hale, Terriers in Paradise-Hawaii, Shetland Sheepdog Club of Hawaii, Obedience Training Club of Hawaii, Siberian Husky Club of Hawaii, West Oahu Kennel Club, Windward Hawaiian Dog Fanciers Association, and many concerned individuals supported the measure. The Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs and the Humane Society of the United States offered comments on the measure.

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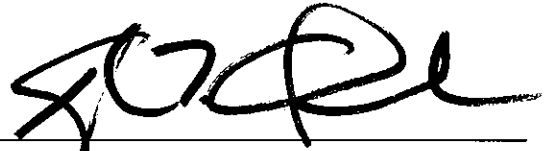


Your Committee has amended this measure by:

- (1) Adding to the task force one representative from the Department of Agriculture and the Department of the Attorney General; and
- (2) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for clarity and consistency.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Legislative Management that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of H.C.R. No. 141, as amended herein, and recommends its adoption in the form attached hereto as H.C.R. No. 141, H.D. 1.

Respectfully submitted on  
behalf of the members of the  
Committee on Legislative  
Management,



KYLE T. YAMASHITA, Chair



State of Hawaii  
House of Representatives  
The Twenty-sixth Legislature

HSCR 1699-12

**Record of Votes of the Committee on Legislative Management**

<b>Bill/Resolution No.:</b> HCR 141	<b>Committee Referral:</b> ERB, LMG	<b>Date:</b> 4/4/12		
<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)				
<b>LMG Members</b>	<b>Ayes</b>	<b>Ayes (WR)</b>	<b>Nays</b>	<b>Excused</b>
1. YAMASHITA, Kyle T. (C)	/			
2. TOKIOKA, James Kunane (VC)	/			
3. MANAHAN, Joey	/			
4. WARD, Gene	/			
<b>TOTAL (4)</b>	4	-	-	-
<b>The recommendation is:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. <small>committee acronym(s)</small>				
<b>Vice Chair's or designee's signature:</b> _____				
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