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**THE HONORABLE GILBERT S.C. KEITH-AGARN, CHAIR**  
**HOUSE COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY**  
**Twenty-sixth State Legislature**  
**Regular Session of 2012**  
**State of Hawai'i**

March 13, 2012

**RE: S.B. 2503, S.D. 1; RELATING TO ANIMAL CRUELTY.**

Chair Keith-Agaran, Vice-Chair Rhoads and members of the House Committee on Judiciary, the Department of the Prosecuting Attorney of the City and County of Honolulu submits the following testimony in support of Senate Bill 2503, Senate Draft 1.

The purpose of S.B. 2503, S.D. 1, is to amend HRS §711-1109.2 to add equine animals to those animals that may be subject to forfeiture in the course an animal cruelty case, prior to final disposition of that case. We note that in 2008, the Legislature amended the offense of Cruelty to Animals in the First Degree (HRS § 711-1108.5) to include "equine animals," which is defined in HRS §711-1100 as "an animal of or belonging to the family of Equidae, including horses, ponies, mules, donkeys, asses, burros, and zebras."

Given that our animal cruelty laws now acknowledge equine animals as companion animals, on-par with other "pet animals" that typically have a special meaning to or relationship with their owners, the Department believes it would be appropriate to update the associated forfeiture law to reflect the same.

For the reasons stated above, the Department of the Prosecuting Attorney of the City and County of Honolulu supports Senate Bill 2503, Senate Draft 1. Thank you for the opportunity to testify on this matter.



**THE HUMANE SOCIETY  
OF THE UNITED STATES**

TO: Honorable Chair Keith-Agaran, Vice-Chair Rhoads and Committee Members

House Judiciary Committee, 3-13-12, 200pm, Rm 325

**RE: Testimony in SUPPORT of SB2503 SD1; Relating to Animal Cruelty, Forfeiture**

Submitted by: Inga Gibson, Hawaii State Director, The Humane Society of the United States,  
P.O. Box 89131, Honolulu, HI 96830, [igibson@hsus.org](mailto:igibson@hsus.org), 808-922-9910

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On behalf of our more than 50,000 members and supporters in Hawaii, we thank the Committee for considering this important measure.

This bill would add important protection for equines and offspring born in custody of a humane society or animal care and control agency during a pending animal cruelty case. The recent case involving the forfeiture of more than 150 dogs on Oahu, many of whom were pregnant when seized and who gave birth while in custody, highlights the need for this law and that protection be extended to those offspring who may be born in custody.

Furthermore, current forfeiture law doesn't protect horses or other equine companions who deserve equal protection to pets in cruelty cases and are covered under both our misdemeanor and felony animal cruelty statutes.

We respectfully urge your support of SB2503 SD1.



## Hawaiian Humane Society

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**To:** Honorable Chair Keith-Agaran  
Vice-Chair Rhoads and Committee Members

House Committee on Judiciary  
March 13, 2012, 2:00 pm, Room 325

**Submitted by:** Natalie Lukashevsky, Community Outreach Coordinator  
Hawaiian Humane Society,  
[nlukashevsky@hawaiianhumane.org](mailto:nlukashevsky@hawaiianhumane.org)

**Date:** March 12, 2012

**RE:** **Support SB2503, SD1;**  
**Relating to Animal Cruelty: Equines**

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Dear Honorable Chair Keith-Agaran, Vice-Chair Rhoads and Committee Members,

The Hawaiian Humane Society supports the passage of this measure to extend the current forfeiture law to apply to horses as well as offspring of forfeited animals in cruelty cases.

In September 2011, after several months of caring for over 200 dogs rescued from a Waimanalo puppy mill, the Humane Society was awarded custody of all dogs in question as well as their 79 offspring. As the current forfeiture law stands, it was not guaranteed that the puppies born after the rescue would be forfeited and were at risk of being returned to their original owner; a corporation charged with hundreds of counts of animal cruelty.

This measure would also allow the petitioner in a forfeiture hearing to recoup attorney's fees which can be considerable in the animal welfare realm; where investigations can be lengthy and extend over many years. In the case of the Waimanalo puppy mill rescue, we incurred attorney's fees of over \$60,000.

Currently, the forfeiture statute also does not include horses that are often held in limbo during cruelty investigations. We feel strongly that they too should be protected under this proposed bill.

Thank you for the opportunity to present to the committee and we respectfully ask for your support of this measure.



To: Honorable Chair Keith-Agaran  
Vice-Chair Rhoads and Committee Members  
House Committee on Judiciary  
March 13, 2012, 2:00pm, Room 325

Submitted by: Donna Whitaker, Executive Director  
Hawaii Island Humane Society

Date: March 13, 2012

RE: Support SB 2503, SD1  
Relating to Animal Cruelty: Equines

Dear Honorable Chair Keith Agaran Vice-Chair Rhoades and Committee Members:

The Hawaii Island Humane Society joins with the Hawaiian Humane Society in support the passage of this measure to extend the current forfeiture law to apply to horses as well as offspring of forfeited animals in cruelty cases.

This measure will allow our local animal protection agencies to better protect the animals, and their offspring, who have already faced nameless cruelty. This measure will also allow those animal protection agencies to recoup attorney's fees and court costs incurred in lengthy forfeiture cases. And lastly, including horses in this measure will afford these animals better protection under the law.

Thank you for the opportunity to present to the committee and we respectfully ask for your support of this measure.

CatFriends



**CatFriends**

PO Box 240052  
Honolulu, HI 96824-0052  
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**To:** Honorable Chair Keith-Agaran, Vice-Chair Rhoads and Committee Members

Committee on Judiciary, 03-13-12 2:30pm, Room 325

**Submitted By:** Kelly Carrington, Vice President, CatFriends,  
[hicatfriends@gmail.com](mailto:hicatfriends@gmail.com)

**Date:** 03-12-12

**Re:** Testimony in SUPPORT of SB2503 SD 1; Relating to Animal  
Cruelty: Equine animals

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Although CatFriends main objective is to improve the lives of abandoned and feral cats on Oahu, we strongly believe that every animal deserves to be legally protected from cruelty. For this reason, we strongly support the passage of SB2503 SD 1. This measure will protect equine animals from cruelty by including them in the current forfeit law.

We also strongly support the addition of allowing the petitioner of a forfeited animal to recoup fees associated with the forfeit of the animal. Legal fees are high as are the costs of caring for animals especially those with a history of neglect and abuse. Recouping these fees will allow animal welfare organizations to focus their resources to help more animals in need.

Your support of SB2503 SD 1 will strengthen Hawaii's animal laws. Thank you for the opportunity to provide testimony in Support of SB2503 SD 1.

Sincerely Yours,

Kelly Carrington  
Vice President  
CatFriends  
[hicatfriends@gmail.com](mailto:hicatfriends@gmail.com)

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Conference room: 325

Testifier position: Support

Testifier will be present: No

Submitted by: Shari Au, Ph.d.

Organization: Individual

E-mail: aus008@yahoo.com

Submitted on: 3/9/2012

Comments:

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Conference room: 325

Testifier position: Support

Testifier will be present: No

Submitted by: Torun and David Almer

Organization: Individual

E-mail: starfire-retreat@hawaii.rr.com

Submitted on: 3/9/2012

Comments:

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Testifier position: Support  
Testifier will be present: No  
Submitted by: Elizabeth Fraize  
Organization: Individual  
E-mail: oahuliz@yahoo.com  
Submitted on: 3/10/2012

Comments:



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Testifier position: Support

Testifier will be present: No

Submitted by: STEPHANIE MCLAUGHLIN

Organization: Individual

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Submitted on: 3/10/2012

Comments:

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Conference room: 325

Testifier position: Support

Testifier will be present: No

Submitted by: Margaret Sueoka

Organization: Individual

E-mail: feathers03@me.com

Submitted on: 3/10/2012

**Comments:**

please grant these animals some measure of "pet" status. Horses in our society are companion animals.

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Conference room: 325

Testifier position: Support

Testifier will be present: No

Submitted by: Rosemary Karlsson

Organization: Individual

E-mail: rosemarykarlsson@gmail.com

Submitted on: 3/10/2012

Comments:

Please support. Horses are pets, too, and deserve to be protected.

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Conference room: 325

Testifier position: Support

Testifier will be present: No

Submitted by: Naomi Egami

Organization: Individual

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Submitted on: 3/10/2012

Comments:

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Conference room: 325

Testifier position: Support

Testifier will be present: No

Submitted by: Becky Robison

Organization: Individual

E-mail: beckyrl2p@gmail.com

Submitted on: 3/10/2012

**Comments:**

Thank you so much for passing this measure! It's so important that we start thinking and acting for the animals.

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Testifier position: Support

Testifier will be present: No

Submitted by: Tina Bounds

Organization: Individual

E-mail: care4petservices@yahoo.com

Submitted on: 3/11/2012

Comments:

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Testifier position: Support

Testifier will be present: No

Submitted by: Christin Matsushige

Organization: Individual

E-mail: cnc3@hawaii.edu

Submitted on: 3/11/2012

Comments:

Thank you for supporting this bill.

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Testifier position: Support

Testifier will be present: No

Submitted by: Rene Umberger

Organization: Individual

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Submitted on: 3/12/2012

Comments:



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Testifier position: Support

Testifier will be present: No

Submitted by: Roland Shanklin

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Conference room: 325

Testifier position: Support

Testifier will be present: No

Submitted by: Ginny Tiu

Organization: Individual

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Submitted on: 3/12/2012

Comments:

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Testifier position: Support

Testifier will be present: No

Submitted by: Pamela Irie

Organization: Individual

E-mail: pamirie@hotmail.com

Submitted on: 3/12/2012

**Comments:**

I urge the committee to please pass this bill; Mahalo for helping protect the animals!

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Testifier position: Support

Testifier will be present: No

Submitted by: Jane Shiraki

Organization: Individual

E-mail: inspirevision@aol.com

Submitted on: 3/12/2012

**Comments:**

Dear Legislators:

Please pass SB2503. Equine animals and their offspring deserve protection from cruelty as much as any other pet animal. These types of protections are long overdue. Mahalo to all in advance for choosing compassion and mercy, over indifference, neglect and cruelty.

Mahalo,  
Jane Shiraki  
Honolulu

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Testifier position: Support

Testifier will be present: No

Submitted by: Orianna Skomoroch

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Testifier position: Support

Testifier will be present: No

Submitted by: Elizabeth Frank

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Testifier position: Support

Testifier will be present: No

Submitted by: Leanne Hong

Organization: Individual

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Testifier position: Support

Testifier will be present: No

Submitted by: joanna milo

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Testifier position: Support

Testifier will be present: No

Submitted by: Bonnie Osaki

Organization: Individual

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Conference room: 325

Testifier position: Support

Testifier will be present: No

Submitted by: Jacqueline Just

Organization: Individual

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Comments:

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Testifier position: Support

Testifier will be present: No

Submitted by: Charlyn Ontai

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Comments:

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Conference room: 325

Testifier position: Support

Testifier will be present: No

Submitted by: Allan Schildknecht

Organization: Individual

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Submitted on: 3/12/2012

Comments:

We urge you to support this bill

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Conference room: 325

Testifier position: Support

Testifier will be present: No

Submitted by: Fenina Buttler

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Testifier position: Support

Testifier will be present: No

Submitted by: caroline viola

Organization: Individual

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Testifier position: Support

Testifier will be present: No

Submitted by: Sandra M Weinrich

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Conference room: 325

Testifier position: Support

Testifier will be present: No

Submitted by: Lisa Fowler

Organization: Individual

E-mail: lfowler@hawaiianhumane.org

Submitted on: 3/12/2012

Comments:



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Conference room: 325

Testifier position: Support

Testifier will be present: No

Submitted by: Barbara Yoshimura

Organization: Individual

E-mail: Manoawinds@rocketmail.com

Submitted on: 3/12/2012

Comments:

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Conference room: 325

Testifier position: Support

Testifier will be present: No

Submitted by: Suyin Phillips

Organization: Individual

E-mail: suyin@hawaii.edu

Submitted on: 3/12/2012

**Comments:**

Please include horses and their offspring in the protection of innocent animal victims of pets in cruelty cases. Horses are animal companions to many of us, including myself!

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Testifier position: Support

Testifier will be present: No

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Comments:

PLEASE SUPPORT THESE BILLS!

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Testifier will be present: No

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Testifier position: Support

Testifier will be present: No

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Testifier will be present: No

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Submitted on: 3/13/2012

**Comments:**

I, Frances Pueo, support SB2503,SD1 which extends procedures for impoundment and forfeiture for cruelty to animal offense to equine animals to the same extent as pet animals. This is a good law to protect these animals, and too our Humane Society/Community and resources. Animal abusers look for loop-holes to do what they. So lets get this bill passed, and make this state come into the 21st Century.

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Comments:



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Testifier will be present: No

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Comments: