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## HOUSE RESOLUTION

RECOGNIZING ANGELICA REYES, ALAN A. ARATO, CRISTY ANN LOUDEN AGRES, YVONNE ELLIMAN, AND TOM MOFFATT FOR THEIR WORK WITH THE CROWN C.A.R.E.S. PROGRAM, INCREASING AWARENESS OF THE ISSUE OF BULLYING, TEACHING TOLERANCE, AND PROMOTING BULLY-FREE SCHOOLS IN HAWAII.

1           WHEREAS, the Hawaii State House of Representatives is  
2 always proud to recognize and applaud those individuals and  
3 community organizations that promote and support scholarship and  
4 mentoring programs for Hawaii's young adults; and

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6           WHEREAS, The Crown C.A.R.E.S. Program -- Creating a  
7 Respectful Environment in Schools -- was created under the  
8 auspices of the Pageant Headquarters Scholarship and Mentoring  
9 Program, which serves as a national platform to spread awareness  
10 on one of the most crucial issues facing children and youth  
11 today - bullying, including cyberbullying; and

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13           WHEREAS, The Crown C.A.R.E.S. Program recognizes that  
14 bullying causes anxiety and depression among young children,  
15 erodes their self esteem, and severely impacts their learning  
16 abilities at school; and

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18           WHEREAS, through its advocates and volunteers, The Crown  
19 C.A.R.E.S. Program has collectively provided over 100 hours of  
20 community service through radio broadcasts, regular visits to  
21 care homes, collecting donations to support the Children's  
22 Miracle Network, partnering with Solid Rock Ministries and the  
23 Hawaii Food Bank to help feed the residents of Waikiki Health  
24 Center, working with Crime Stoppers Honolulu, and visiting  
25 various schools statewide to promote the message of kindness and  
26 tolerance among students, as well as many other activities; and

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28           WHEREAS, an accomplished musician who plays five musical  
29 instruments: the piano, ukulele, guitar, clarinet, and violin,



1 ANGELICA REYES was selected as Miss Hawaii High School in 2012;  
2 she soon began advocating for The Crown C.A.R.E.S. program,  
3 working on bullying prevention and intervention programs;  
4 involved in community work since childhood, she remains active  
5 in the community today; she spearheaded a legislative forum at  
6 the State Capitol in 2012, linking the Miss Hawaii High School  
7 Anti-Bullying initiative with State of Hawaii suicide prevention  
8 programs; and  
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10 WHEREAS, ALAN A. ARATO is the Entertainment Director of the  
11 Pageant Headquarters Scholarship and Mentoring Program and The  
12 Crown C.A.R.E.S. Program; with over 30 years in the  
13 entertainment promotions and sales/marketing industry, he has  
14 worked extensively in these fields in Hawaii, Las Vegas, Italy,  
15 Mississippi, Thailand, and Hong Kong; a compassionate and  
16 resourceful leader with strong interpersonal skills, he has been  
17 an integral member of The Crown C.A.R.E.S. Program, having  
18 coordinated various events that promote and advance the  
19 Program's goals and objectives; and  
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21 WHEREAS, CRISTY ANN LOUDEN AGRES has the dedication,  
22 commitment, and passion to serve as State Executive Director for  
23 The Crown C.A.R.E.S. Program; an entrepreneur, model, and  
24 compassionate leader, she has been involved in the model and  
25 talent industry for over 30 years as an American and  
26 international commercial, print, and runway model; the producer  
27 of Starlight Entertainment in Hawaii, she has entered and won  
28 various beauty pageants, including being crowned Mrs. Asia  
29 America in 1991; and  
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31 WHEREAS, renowned singer YVONNE ELLIMAN is an advocate  
32 volunteer for The Crown C.A.R.E.S. Program; her singing career  
33 began in 1969 in London, England, where she performed at various  
34 bars and clubs; in the same year, she got her first big break  
35 after playing Mary Magdalene in the original London production  
36 of "Jesus Christ Superstar"; two years later, in 1971, her first  
37 1971 hit single "I Don't Know How to Love Him" peaked at #28 on  
38 the United States music charts, followed by her hit single "If I  
39 Can't Have You", which gained the #1 spot on the music charts in  
40 the United States and Canada; due to her amazing onscreen  
41 performance in the motion picture "Jesus Christ Superstar", she



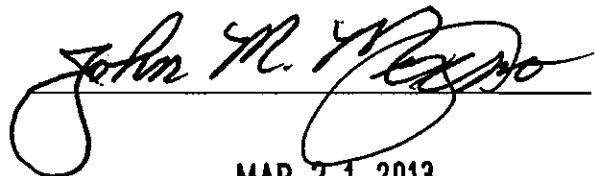
1 also received a Golden Globe nomination for Best Actress in  
2 Music and Comedy; and

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4 WHEREAS, another advocate volunteer for The Crown  
5 C.A.R.E.S. Program is the legendary TOM MOFFATT, who has been a  
6 part of Hawaii's music scene for over 50 years; the illustrious  
7 career of this show business and musical icon of the Pacific  
8 spans radio, album production, concert promotion, television,  
9 and, more recently, column-writing; he brought some of the  
10 biggest names in the entertainment industry to Hawaii, such as  
11 Chuck Berry, the Rolling Stones, Jimmy Hendrix, the Doors, Ray  
12 Charles, Frank Sinatra, Michael Jackson, Janet Jackson, and  
13 Elton John; by bringing the world to Hawaii and Hawaii to the  
14 world, having had an integral role in the Hawaiian Renaissance  
15 of the 1970s and 1980s, he has had a profoundly positive effect  
16 on the cultural life of Hawaii's residents; and

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18 WHEREAS, through the advocacy work of ANGELICA REYES, ALAN  
19 A. ARATO, CRISTY ANN LOUDEN AGRES, YVONNE ELLIMAN, and TOM  
20 MOFFATT, The Crown C.A.R.E.S. Program has successfully played an  
21 active role in increasing the public's awareness of bullying,  
22 spreading the importance of teaching tolerance, and promoting  
23 bully-free schools in Hawaii; now, therefore,

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25 BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the  
26 Twenty-seventh Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular  
27 Session of 2013, that this body hereby recognizes and honors  
28 ANGELICA REYES, ALAN A. ARATO, CRISTY ANN LOUDEN AGRES, YVONNE  
29 ELLIMAN, and TOM MOFFATT for their extraordinary work with The  
30 Crown C.A.R.E.S. Program, and expresses its deep appreciation to  
31 them for increasing awareness about the issue of bullying,  
32 promoting kindness and tolerance, and striving for safe and  
33 bully-free schools.

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