

Honolulu, Hawaii

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RE: S.C.R. No. 99

Honorable Donna Mercado Kim
President of the Senate
Twenty-Seventh State Legislature
Regular Session of 2013
State of Hawaii

Madam:

Your Committees on Economic Development, Government Operations and Housing, Agriculture, and Technology and the Arts, to which was referred S.C.R. No. 99 entitled:

"SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 6 THROUGH 13, 2013, AS "HAWAII FISHING AND SEAFOOD WEEK", "

beg leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to support local fishing traditions and seafood production in Hawaii by recognizing the week of October 6 through 13, 2013, as "Hawaii Fishing and Seafood Week", and encouraging the people of Hawaii to recognize and support fishing traditions and seafood production in Hawaii during Hawaii Fishing and Seafood Week.

Your Committees received testimony in support of this measure from the Department of Land and Natural Resources, Fishing Tales, Fresh Catch, Maui Cooperative Fishing Association, Pacific Island Fisheries Group, Waialua Boat Club, and numerous individuals.

Your Committees find that the Hawaii Fishing and Seafood Week, started eight years ago by the Pacific Islands Fisheries Group, is a growing and important celebration of Hawaii's unique fishing traditions and the seafood industry in the State. The week-long activities include keiki participation in an art event; a fishing tournament to benefit charity; and the Hawaii Fishing and Seafood Festival, a fundraiser that brings together Hawaii's fishing and seafood communities and involves vendors, local seafood tastings, and fishing and other demonstrations. Your Committees find that Hawaii Fishing and Seafood Week should be



recognized and supported because it educates the public about the importance of responsible fishing, perpetuates Hawaii's deep-rooted fishing traditions, and promotes the growth of the seafood and culinary industries in Hawaii.

As affirmed by the records of votes of the members of your Committees on Economic Development, Government Operations and Housing, Agriculture, and Technology and the Arts that are attached to this report, your Committees concur with the intent and purpose of S.C.R. No. 99 and recommend its adoption.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committees on Economic Development, Government Operations and Housing, Agriculture, and Technology and the Arts,

Clarence K. Nishihara

CLARENCE K. NISHIHARA, Chair

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| Bill / Resolution No.:* <i>SCR 99</i> | Committee Referral: <i>EGH/AGL/TEC</i> | Date: <i>4/10/13</i> | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure. If so, then the previous decision was to: _____ | | | | |
| The Recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312 <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311 <input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310 <input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313 | | | | |
| Members | Aye | Aye (WR) | Nay | Excused |
| WAKAI, Glenn (C) | / | | | |
| NISHIHARA, Clarence K. (VC) | / | | | |
| GABBARD, Mike | | | | / |
| TOKUDA, Jill N. | | | | / |
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| Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted | | | | |
| Chair's or Designee's Signature: <i>Clarence K. Nishihara</i> | | | | |
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