

# LATE TESTIMONY



## **Hawaii Rifle Association**

State Affiliate of the National Rifle Association  
Founded in 1857

February 5, 2014  
Testimony on SB2590  
Before PSM/WTL, February 7, 2014, 1:00pm, Rm 225

### **IN SUPPORT**

Hon. Chairs, Vice Chairs, and Members,

We appreciate that our Hawaii law enforcement officers are encouraged to carry their firearms off duty. This is further public service and added responsibility contributing significantly to the public safety. The majority of our officers do not need the reminder contained within this bill, but it needs to be codified.

According to the NRA Rules of safe gun handling, "Alcohol, as well as any other substance likely to impair normal mental or physical bodily functions, must not be used before or while handling or shooting guns."

Thank you for the opportunity to testify on behalf of HRA.

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