

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

1280

Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 03 2017

RE: S.C.R. No. 107

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi
President of the Senate
Twenty-Ninth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2017
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health,
to which was referred S.C.R. No. 107 entitled:

"SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION DESIGNATING OCTOBER 13, 2017,
AS METASTATIC BREAST CANCER AWARENESS DAY,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to designate
October 13, 2017, as Metastatic Breast Cancer Awareness Day.

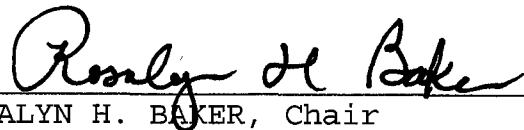
Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure
from the American Cancer Society Cancer Action Network and one
individual.

Your Committee finds that approximately 1,140 women in Hawaii
were diagnosed with breast cancer in 2015, with six percent of
newly diagnosed cases of breast cancer being metastatic at the
time of diagnosis and approximately thirty percent of cases
becoming metastatic or recurrent. Your Committee further finds
that while early detection and improved public awareness have
resulted in significant progress in treatment and improved
survival rates over the past thirty years, there is no cure for
metastatic breast cancer, leaving patients and their families to
bear the enormous burden of treatment costs, family stress, and
loss. Your Committee notes that while this type of cancer remains
incurable, extensive research is underway, which is hopeful for
the many lives and families across the State affected by
metastatic breast cancer.



As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of S.C.R. No. 107 and recommends its adoption.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Commerce, Consumer
Protection, and Health,




ROSALYN H. BAKER, Chair



The Senate
 Twenty-Ninth Legislature
 State of Hawai'i

Record of Votes
Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health
CPH

Bill / Resolution No.:* SCR107	Committee Referral: CPH	Date: 3/28/17		
<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
BAKER, Rosalyn H. (C)	/			
NISHIHARA, Clarence K. (VC)	/			
CHANG, Stanley	/			
ESPERO, Will	/			
IHARA, Jr., Les				/
KIDANI, Michelle N.				/
RUDERMAN, Russell E.				/
TOTAL	4			3
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: 				
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*Only one measure per Record of Votes