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# HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

URGING THE UNITED STATES FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION TO  
EXPEDITE THE APPROVAL OF NEW NONPRESCRIPTION SUNSCREEN  
ACTIVE INGREDIENTS FOR USE IN THE UNITED STATES.

1           WHEREAS, currently there is a limited number of approved  
2 nonprescription sunscreen active ingredients in the United  
3 States; and  
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5           WHEREAS, there are pending Time and Extent Applications  
6 filed by the sunscreen industry that seek approval by the United  
7 States Food and Drug Administration of use of nonprescription  
8 sunscreen active ingredients that are and have been used  
9 globally; and  
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11           WHEREAS, as of the date of introduction of this measure,  
12 the United States Food and Drug Administration has not approved  
13 any of the applications submitted for nonprescription sunscreen  
14 active ingredients, despite the demonstrated safe and effective  
15 global use of these ingredients; and  
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17           WHEREAS, this delay in approval has hampered the ability of  
18 the sunscreen industry to innovate and bring alternative  
19 ingredients to the United States market; now, therefore,  
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21           BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the  
22 Twenty-ninth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session  
23 of 2018, the Senate concurring, that the United States Food and  
24 Drug Administration is urged to expedite the approval of new  
25 nonprescription sunscreen active ingredients and to work  
26 collaboratively with all relevant stakeholders to achieve  
27 approval of ingredients that provide consumers with more access  
28 and choice in sunscreen products while providing the sunscreen  
29 industry with the ability to innovate; and  
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31           BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this  
32 Concurrent Resolution be transmitted to the United States



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1 Commissioner of Food and Drugs, Majority Leader of the United  
 2 States Senate, Speaker of the United States House of  
 3 Representatives, members of Hawai'i's congressional delegation,  
 4 and each of the presiding officers of the legislative bodies of  
 5 each state of the United States of America.

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<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Present at Hearing</b>
Melodie Aduja	Oahu County Committee on Legislative Priorities of the Democratic Party of Hawai'i	Support	No

Comments:

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Kelli Lundgren	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments:

March 21, 2018

RE: Hawaii State Legislature Bill HCR147

Dear Hawaii State Legislators:

I oppose this bill as an individual who has volunteered at Ä€hihi-KÄ«na'u for three years. This bill does not explicitly list specific ingredients and ingredients such as Avobenzene, Avobenzine, Ethylhexl, Homosalate, Octocrylene, et. al., all patented, have very similar chemical compounds as the known Oxybenzone and Octinoxate chemical compounds that have been researched and found to be harmful to Hawaii's reefs. I ask you to not allow companies to expedite these chemicals through the FDA.

The reason Avobenzene et. al. have not been listed with Oxybenzone and Octinoxate in the ban in 2063 (SB2571 S2) is that they have not been thoroughly tested yet. However, research has been completed on these chemicals that find them harmful to Hawaii's reefs.

Please do not pass this bill until further research from all entities has been completed. Hawaii's reefs deserve this chance.

Best Regards,

Kelli Lundgren

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