H.B. NO. 2949

A Bill for an Act Relating to Children.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Hawaii:

SECTION 1. The legislature finds that the youth of Hawaii are an important human resource and represent the future of the State. As such there should be a week honoring the State's youth and reinforcing the ongoing programs for and community efforts in educating and rearing them. The purpose of this Act is to establish a day and a week honoring the State's children.

SECTION 2. Chapter 8, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated and to read as follows:

"§8- Children's Day and Week. The first Sunday in October shall be known and designated as "Children's Day", and the following week shall be known and designated as "Children's Week". This day and week are not and shall not be construed to be state holidays."

SECTION 3. New statutory material is underscored.¹

SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 1994.

(Approved June 29, 1994.)

Note

1. Edited pursuant to HRS §23G-16.5.