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**HSRT POLICY STATEMENT**  
**SENATE BILL S. 1197 – CONSUMER ASSURANCE OF RADIOLOGIC**  
**EXCELLENCE ACT OF 2003**  
**AND**  
**HOUSE BILL H.R. 1214 – CONSUMER ASSURANCE OF RADIOLOGIC**  
**EXCELLENCE ACT**

The Hawaii Society of Radiologic Technologists (HSRT) support the strengthening of the current Public Law 97-35 Consumer-Patient Radiation Health and Safety Act of 1981 by amending it to require all states conform to this law and the rules and regulations as promulgated.

HSRT opposes the passage of the Senate Bill S. 1197 Consumer Assurance of Radiologic Excellence Act of 2003 and the House Bill H.R. 1214 Consumer Assurance of Radiologic Excellence Act as written.

Public Law 97-35 Consumer-Patient Radiation Health and Safety Act of 1981 including the rules and regulations as written have defined educational and licensing standards. These standards if required by all states would result in a greater degree of patient safety than S. 1197 and H.R. 1214.

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