



EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS
HONOLULU

LINDA LINGLE
GOVERNOR

GOV. MSG. NO. 560

April 27, 2006

The Honorable Robert Bunda, President
and Members of the Senate
Twenty-Third State Legislature
State Capitol, Room 003
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear Mr. President and Members of the Senate:

This is to inform you that on April 27, 2006, the following bill was signed into law:

HB2317

A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO
HEALTH INSURANCE.
(ACT 41)

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Linda Lingle".

LINDA LINGLE

H.B. NO. 2317

A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO HEALTH INSURANCE.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

1 SECTION 1. The purpose of this Act is to make permanent Act
2 118, Session Laws of Hawaii 2004, that requires health insurers
3 to treat a bona fide trade association and its members as a
4 single group at the option of the trade association for the
5 purpose of issuing a health insurance policy.

6 SECTION 2. Act 118, Session Laws of Hawaii 2004, is amended
7 by amending section 5 to read as follows:

8 "SECTION 5. This Act shall take effect upon its approval
9 ~~[and shall be repealed on December 31, 2006]."~~

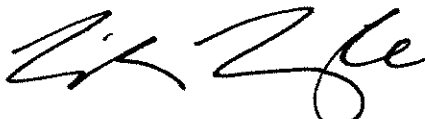
10 SECTION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
11 and stricken.

12 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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14 APPROVED this 27 day of APR , 2006

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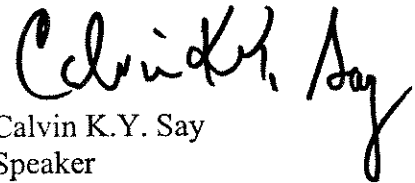
GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

HB No. 2317

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

Date: March 3, 2006
Honolulu, Hawaii

We hereby certify that the foregoing Bill on this day passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives of the Twenty-Third Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2006.



Calvin K.Y. Say
Speaker
House of Representatives




Patricia Mau-Shimizu
Chief Clerk
House of Representatives

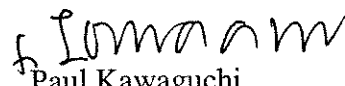
THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

Date: April 11, 2006
Honolulu, Hawaii

We hereby certify that the foregoing Bill on this day passed Third Reading in the Senate of the Twenty-Third Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2006.



Robert Bunda
President of the Senate



Paul Kawaguchi
Clerk of the Senate