Honolulu, Hawaii

Feb 14, 2006

RE: H.B. No. 3139 H.D. 1

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Third State Legislature Regular Session of 2006 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Health, to which was referred H.B. No. 3139 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to effectuate its title.

H.B. No. 3139 was introduced as a short-form bill, which is sometimes referred to as a "vehicle" bill primarily used to introduce a bill containing only a general idea as to the purpose of the bill without specific details in the long form.

Your Committee has amended the bill to provide the substantive contents of the bill in long form so that a public hearing may be properly held on its substantive contents.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Health that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the action to report out H.B. No. 3139, as amended herein, and recommends that it be recommitted to the Committee on Health, for the purpose of holding a public hearing thereon, in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 3139, H.D. 1.

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Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Health,

DENNIS A. ARAKAKI, Chair

State of Hawaii House of Representatives The Twenty-third Legislature

Record of Votes of the Committee on Health

Committee Referral: HLT, FIN	
HLT Members Ayes (WR) Nays	
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	Excused
1. ARAKAKI, Dennis A. (C)	
2. GREEN, Josh, M.D. (VC)	
3. CABANILLA, Rida T.R.	
4. HALE, Heléne H.	
5. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y.	
6. SONSON, Alex M.	
7. HALFORD, Chris	
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The recommendation is: Adopted Not Adopted If joint referral, did not support recommendation. committee acronym(s) Vice Chair's or designee's signature:	
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