STAND. COM. REP. NO. 3082

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 24 2006

RE: H.B. No. 2192

H.D. 2 S.D. 1

Honorable Robert Bunda President of the Senate Twenty-Third State Legislature Regular Session of 2006 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Health, to which was referred H.B. No. 2192, H.D. 2, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to ensure that the definitions in chapter 329, Hawaii Revised Statutes, are consistent with federal law, to establish central fill pharmacies, to clarify the requirements of a controlled substance prescription, and to allow the sharing of controlled substance prescription information with other state monitoring systems.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Department of Public Safety, Kaiser Permanente, the Hawaii Pharmacists Association, and Longs Drugs.

Your Committee finds that the Uniform Controlled Substances Act needs to be up-to-date and to conform with current federal law. Your Committee further finds that the central fill prescription system will allow for centralization of pharmacy operations, use the latest information technology, make the processing of legal controlled substances more efficient, and continue to protect medical information from being illegally disseminated.

Your Committee has adopted the suggestions of the Department of Public Safety and Longs Drugs and has amended this measure by:

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- (1) Deleting the separate definitions of "long-term" and
 "short-term" and including them under one definition of
 types of detoxification treatment;
- (2) Deleting "drug" from the definition of "prescribe";
- (3) Replacing the defective effective date to become "effective upon its approval"; and
- (4) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for the purposes of clarity and style.

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 intent and purpose of H.B. No. 2192, H.D. 2, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 2192, H.D. 2, S.D. 1, and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Hawaiian Affairs.

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

Kasaly H. Baker, Chair

The Senate Twenty-Third Legislature State of Hawaii

Record of Votes of the Committee on Health (Bills and Resolutions)

Measure:* HB 2884 HD 2	Committee R		Date:	3/22/06	
The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure. If so, then the previous decision was to:					
The Recommendation is to:					
Pass, unamended Pass, with amendments Hold Recommit (2312) (2311) (2310) (2313)					
Members		Ayes	Ayes(WR)	Nays	Excused
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WHALEN, Paul					
TOTAL		3	0	0	2
Recommendation: Adopted Not Adopted					
Chair's or Designee's Signature: Syranne Chun Calland					
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^{*}Do not list more than one measure per Record of Votes.