

1 (c) An executive director shall be selected by the
2 members.

3 (d) Each member shall hold office until the member's
4 successor is appointed and qualified.

5 (e) Three members shall constitute a quorum, whose
6 affirmative vote shall be necessary for all valid actions by the
7 commission.

8 **§ -2 Duties and responsibilities.** (a) The commission
9 shall be responsible for continuing the work of the health care
10 task force that was created by Act 223, Session Laws of Hawaii
11 2005, to develop a plan for health care for all Hawaii
12 residents. (b) The commission shall develop a health plan
13 allowing all individuals in the state, health care coverage.
14 The commission shall specify:

- 15 (1) Eligibility for the health plan;
- 16 (2) All reimbursable services under the plan;
- 17 (3) All approved providers of services under the plan;
- 18 (4) A method to evaluate the health care provided under,
19 and cost effectiveness of all aspects of the plan; and
- 20 (5) A budget for the plan.

21 (c) The commission shall adopt rules pursuant to chapter
22 91 necessary for the purposes of this chapter.



1 (d) The commission shall submit the health plan to the
 2 legislature, including its findings and recommendations, no
 3 later than twenty days prior to the convening of the regular
 4 session of 2008."

5 SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the general
 6 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$200,000 or so much
 7 thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2007-2008 for the
 8 purpose of operating the Hawaii health commission.

9 The sum shall be expended by the department of commerce and
 10 consumer affairs for the purposes of this Act.

11 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2007, and
 12 shall be repealed June 30, 2010.

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