

Honolulu, Hawaii

Feb 13, 2007

RE: H.B. No. 528
H.D. 1

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say
Speaker, House of Representatives
Twenty-Fourth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2007
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committees on Human Services & Housing and Health, to
which was referred H.B. No. 528 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MINORS,"

beg leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to allow a minor who is not under
the care or custody of a parent or other guardian to consent to
the provision of primary medical care and services.

The Hawaii Primary Care Association, Waikiki Health Center,
Hale Kipa, National Association of Social Workers Hawaii Chapter,
Hawaii Family Forum, Roman Catholic Church in the State of Hawaii,
Hawaii Medical Association, Hawaii Youth Services Network, Kaiser
Permanente, Queen's Medical Center, and many concerned individuals
testified in support of this bill. The Hawaii Medical Service
Association supported the intent of this measure.

Your Committees have amended this bill by:

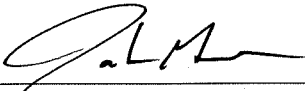
- (1) Specifying that health care practitioners are not liable
for treating a minor patient who misrepresented
themselves as a minor without support;
- (2) Inserting provisions pertaining to confidential
communications under the federal Health Insurance
Portability and Accountability Act; and



- (3) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for clarity, consistency, and style.

As affirmed by the records of votes of the members of your Committees on Human Services & Housing and Health that are attached to this report, your Committees are in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 528, as amended herein, and recommend that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 528, H.D. 1, and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committees on Human Services &
Housing and Health,



JOSHUA B. GREEN, M.D., Chair



MAILE SHIMABUKURO, Chair



State of Hawaii
House of Representatives
The Twenty-fourth Legislature

Record of Votes of the Committee on Human Services & Housing

Bill/Resolution No.: <div style="font-size: 1.2em; font-family: cursive;">HB 528</div>	Date: <div style="font-size: 1.2em; font-family: cursive;">2/5/07</div>			
Committee Referral: <div style="font-size: 1.2em; font-family: cursive;">HSH / HLT, JUD</div>	<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.			
The recommendation is to: <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 5px;"> <div> <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended <input type="checkbox"/> Hold </div> <div> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments, for recommitment for further consideration </div> </div>				
HSH Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. SHIMABUKURO, Maile S. L. (C)	X			
2. RHOADS, Karl (VC)	X			
3. BELATTI, Della Au				X
4. BERTRAM, Joe, III	X			
5. CABANILLA, Rida T.R.				X
6. GREEN, Josh, M.D.	X			
7. MIZUNO, John	X			
8. TAKAI, K. Mark	X			
9. TOKIOKA, James Kunane	X			X
10. AWANA, Karen Leinani	X			
11. WARD, Gene, Ph.D.	X			
TOTAL	9			2
The recommendation is: <div style="display: flex; align-items: center; margin-top: 5px;"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted </div> <div style="display: flex; align-items: center; margin-top: 5px;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted </div> <div style="margin-top: 10px;"> If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. <div style="font-size: 1.2em; font-family: cursive; margin-left: 100px;">Karl Rhoads</div> <div style="margin-left: 350px;">committee acronym(s)</div> </div>				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
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HLT Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. GREEN, Josh, M.D. (C)	✓			
2. MIZUNO, John (VC)	✓			
3. BELATTI, Della Au				✓
4. BERTRAM, Joe, III	✓			
5. CABANILLA, Rida T.R.				✓
6. RHOADS, Karl	✓			
7. SHIMABUKURO, Maile S. L.	✓			
8. TAKAI, K. Mark	✓			
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TOTAL	9			2

The recommendation is: ☒ Adopted
 ☐ Not Adopted

If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation.
 committee acronym(s)

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