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COMMITTEE ON HEALTH Senator David Y. Ige, Chair

Senator Carol Fukunaga, Vice Chair

MEASURES DEFERRED TO TUESDAY, MARCH 20, 2007 1:15 p.m.

DATE:

Tuesday, March 20, 2007

TIME:

1:15 p.m.

PLACE:

Conference Room 016

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

DECISION MAKING ON THE FOLLOWING MEASURE(S):

(Deferred from Tuesday, March 20, 2007 10:00 a.m.)

HB 367

RELATING TO SUBSTANCE ABUSE.

HTH/EDU/CPH.

WAM

HD1

(HSCR924)

Ensures appropriate alcohol and drug abuse screening and counseling is offered to a patient when an examining physician in a primary care or emergency room setting has good reason to suspect substance abuse by the patient, and appropriates unspecified funds to establish a

screening, brief intervention, and referral to substance abuse treatment pilot program in the State of Hawaii. Effective July 1, 2020. (HB367

HD1)

HB 56

RELATING TO HEALTH.

HTH/CPH, WAM

HD3

Establishes the Hawaii Health Commission to develop a health plan to provide healthcare coverage for all individuals in the state. Effective (HSCR1155)

July 1, 2020. (HB56 HD3)

HB 223

RELATING TO HEALTH CARE SERVICES.

HTH/CPH, WAM

HD3 (HSCR1173) Appropriates general funds to support Hawaii's trauma system, statewide aeromedical evacuation programs, rural hospitals, Hawaii Childrens' Health Care Program, and support services for people

without health insurance. (HB223 HD3)

HB 1359 HD1

RELATING TO THE STATE PHARMACY ASSISTANCE

HTH/CPH, WAM

PROGRAM.

(HSCR1175)

Creates a Hawaii State Pharmacy Assistance program by merging the current State Pharmacy Assistance program which coordinates the Medicare Part D drug benefit and the Hawaii Rx plus program under a single comprehensive Hawaii State Pharmacy Assistance program umbrella. Requires the Department of Human Services to take all steps necessary to enable participation in joint prescription drug purchasing agreements with any other health benefits plan or

organization within or outside of this state that agrees to participate in

a joint purchasing agreement. (HB1359 HD1)

No testimony will be accepted.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL THE COMMITTEE CLERK AT 808-586-6230.

