A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO MUTUAL BENEFIT SOCIETIES.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

1	SECTION 1	. (a) The	insurance	commissioner	shall	appoint
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- 2 an independent auditor to conduct a comprehensive financial and
- 3 operational audit of each domestic mutual benefit society formed
- 4 under article 1 of chapter 432, Hawaii Revised Statutes, prior
- 5 to 1950. The audit shall determine the impact of insurance
- 6 reimbursements on the supply of physicians in the state.
- 7 (b) The insurance commissioner shall contract the services
- 8 of an independent certified public accountant, accounting firm,
- $oldsymbol{9}$ or other appropriate entity for the purposes of conducting the
- 10 audit.
- 11 (c) The audit shall be submitted to the legislature and
- 12 the governor not later than twenty days prior to the convening
- 13 of the regular session of 2011.
- 14 SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the general
- 15 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$ or so much
- 16 thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2008-2009 for a
- 17 comprehensive audit of Hawaii's domestic mutual benefit
- 18 societies established prior to 1950.

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- 1 The sum appropriated shall be expended by the department of
- 2 the commerce and consumer affairs for the purposes of this Act.
- 3 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2008.

S.B. NO. 3016 S.D. 1 H.D. 1 PROPOSED

Report Title:

Mutual Benefit Societies; Audit

Description:

Requires the Insurance Commissioner to appoint an independent auditor to conduct a financial and operational audit of mutual benefit societies established in Hawaii prior to 1950. (PROPOSED SB3016 HD1)