STAND. COM. REP. NO.

Honolulu, Hawaii

Much 2, 2007

RE: H

H.B. No. 1047

H.D. 3

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred H.B. No. 1047, H.D. 2, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPISTS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to include marriage and family therapy among the mental illness, alcohol, and drug dependence benefits required within the hospital and medical coverage offered under accident and sickness insurance policies and similar insurance products.

The Bobby Benson Center, Hawaii Psychological Association, Mental Health America of Hawaii, Hawaii Association of Marriage and Family Therapy, Hale Ipu Kukui Alaka'i, Mental Health Association in Maui County, Mental Health Kokua, The Salvation Army Addiction Treatment Services, Marriage and Family Therapy Program at Argosy University Hawaii Campus, and numerous concerned individuals supported this bill. The Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs submitted comments.

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Your Committee has amended this bill by:

- (1) Changing the effective date to July 1, 2020, to promote further discussion; and
- (2) Making technical, nonsubstantive changes for clarity, consistency, and style.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Finance that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 1047, H.D. 2, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Third Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 1047, H.D. 3.

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

MARCUS R. OSHIRO, Chair

State of Hawaii House of Representatives The Twenty-fourth Legislature



Record of Votes of the Committee on Finance

Bill/Resolution No.: HB 1047 HDa	2 Date:	2/23	107	
Committee Referral: HCT, CPC, FIR	The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.			
The recommendation is to: Pass, unamended	Pass, with amendments			
☐ Hold	Pass, with amendments, for recommittal for further consideration			
FIN Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. OSHIRO, Marcus R. (C)				
2. LEE, Marilyn B. (VC)				
3. BELATTI, Della Au				
4. BROWER, Tom				
5. CARROLL, Mele	/			
6. CHONG, Pono				
7. HANOHANO, Faye P.				
8. HAR, Sharon E.				
9. MAGAOAY, Michael Y.				
10. MANAHAN, Joey				
11. MIZUNO, John				
12. NAKASONE, Bob				
13. RHOADS, Karl				
14. SAGUM, Roland D., III				×
15. TOKIOKA, James Kunane				×
16. AWANA, Karen Leinani				
17. MEYER, Colleen Rose		X		
18. WARD, Gene, Ph.D.				
TOTAL	15	1	0	2
The recommendation is: Adopted				
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☐ Not Adopted				
If joint referral,		did not suppo	ort recommendation	
committee acronym(s)				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:	uf :	dee	·····	
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