STAND. COM. REP. NO. **957**

Honolulu, Hawaii

March 6, 2009

RE: H.B. No. 1567 H.D. 2

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Fifth State Legislature Regular Session of 2009 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred H.B. No. 1567, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SKILLED NURSING FACILITIES,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to encourage the establishment of health care facilities in underserved areas of the state by adding skilled nursing facilities to the businesses that may qualify for benefits under the State Enterprise Zones law.

Avalon Health Care, Inc., and a concerned individual supported this bill. The Department of Taxation opposed this measure. The Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism and the Tax Foundation of Hawaii submitted comments.

Your Committee has amended this bill by:

- (1) Changing its effective date to July 1, 2020, to encourage further discussion; and
- (2) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for clarity 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.

HB1567 HD2 HSCR FIN HMS 2009-2859



1567, H.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Third Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 1567, H.D. 2.

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

MARCUS R. OSHIRO, Chair

State of Hawaii House of Representatives The Twenty-fifth Legislature

Record of Votes of the Committee on Finance

Bill/Resolution No.: Committee Referral: Date: HB 1567, HD1 HUS/HLT, EBM, FIN March 5, 2009				
☐ The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: Pass, unamended (as is) Pass, with amendments (HD) Hold Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)				
FIN Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. OSHIRO, Marcus R. (C)	V			
2. LEE, Marilyn B. (VC)	V			
3. AQUINO, Henry J.C.	V			
4. AWANA, Karen Leinani	4m			~
5. BROWER, Tom	~			
6. CHOY, Isaac W.	-			
7. COFFMAN, Denny	レ			
8. HAR, Sharon E.	٧			
9. KEITH-AGARAN, Gilbert S.C.				
10. LEE, Chris	~			
11. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y.				
12. SAGUM, Roland D., III	~			
13. TOKIOKA, James Kunane	~			
14. WOOLEY, Jessica	\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \			
15. YAMASHITA, Kyle T.	-			
16. PINE, Kymberly Marcos	~			
17. WARD, Gene				
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TOTAL (17)	15	0	0	2
The recommendation is: Adopted				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: Marily B. Lol				
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