STAND. COM. REP. NO. 291

Honolulu, Hawaii

Feb 15, 2011

RE: H.B. No. 411 H.D. 1

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Sixth State Legislature Regular Session of 2011 State of Hawaii

## Sir:

Your Committee on Health, to which was referred H.B. No. 411 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HOME HEALTH AGENCIES,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to support consumers of health care services by:

- (1) Defining "home health agency"; and
- (2) Requiring the Department of Health (DOH) to license home health agencies.

Healthcare Association of Hawaii testified in support of this measure. DOH opposed this measure.

Your Committee has amended this bill by:

- (1) Changing the effective date of the bill to July 1, 2050, to facilitate continued discussion on the bill; and
- (2) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for clarity.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Health that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 411, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 411, H.D. 1, and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

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

Chair

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## **Record of Votes of the Committee on Health**

AB 411	Committee Referral:	Date:	2/8/201	
☐ 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)				
HLT Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. YAMANE, Ryan I. (C)	<b>√</b>			-
2. MORIKAWA, Dee (VC)				
3. BELATTI, Della Au				$\sqrt{}$
4. HANOHANO, Faye P.	$\checkmark$			
5. JORDAN, Jo	V			
6. LEE, Chris				
7. MIZUNO, John M.				
8. WOOLEY, Jessica		*****		
9. CHING, Corinne W.L.				-
10. PINE, Kymberly Marcos				
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TOTAL (10)	9			1
The recommendation is:  Adopted  If joint referral, did not support recommendation.  committee acronym(s)				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
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