STAND. COM. REP. NO.

Honolulu, Hawaii

, 2012

RE: H.B. No. 1915 H.D. 1

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Sixth State Legislature Regular Session of 2012 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Human Services, to which was referred H.B. No. 1915 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO MEDICAID,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to bring more transparency into the operations of the Medicaid program in Hawaii by:

- (1)Requiring the Department of Human Services to notify the Legislature of any proposed changes to the Medicaid program in Hawaii and state plan amendments; and
- (2) Clarifying that the Legislature may enact law to require the Department of Human Services to make changes to the Medicaid program in Hawaii or submit a state plan amendment.

The Healthcare Association of Hawaii, Consumer Family and Youth Alliance, and a concerned individual supported this measure. The Hawaii Primary Care Association supported the intent of this measure. The Department of Human Services opposed this measure.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

(1)Changing its effective date to July 1, 2050, to promote further discussion; and

(2) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for clarity, consistency, and style.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Human Services that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 1915, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 1915, H.D. 1, and be referred to the Committee on Legislative Management.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Human Services,

State of Hawaii House of Representatives The Twenty-sixth Legislature



Record of Votes of the Committee on Human Services

Bill/Resolution No.: HB 1916	Committee Referral: HUS, LMG7, FIN	Date:	AN 30,	2012	
☐ 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)					
HUS Members	Ayes Ay	yes (WR)	Nays	Excused	
1. MIZUNO, John M. (C)					
2. JORDAN, Jo (VC)					
3. BELATTI, Della Au					
4. HANOHANO, Faye P.					
5. LEE, Chris			n		
6. MORIKAWA, Dee					
7. WOOLEY, Jessica					
8. YAMANE, Ryan I.				_	
9. CHING, Corinne W.L.					
10. PINE, Kymberly Marcos					
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TOTAL (10)	8			2	
The recommendation is: Adop If joint re	•	did not support recommendation.			
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:					
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