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The Honorable Rep. Ryan I. Yamane, Chair
The Honorable Rep. Dee Morikawa, Vice Chair

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PLACE OF HEARING: Conference Room 329

TESTIMONY ON HB 2664 RELATING TO HEALTH CARE COORDINATION

By DAYTON M. NAKANELUA,
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My name is Dayton M. Nakanelua and I am the State Director of the United Public Workers, AFSCME, Local 646, AFL-CIO (UPW). The UPW is the exclusive representative for approximately 11,000 public employees, which include blue collar, non-supervisory employees in Bargaining Unit 01 and institutional, health and correctional employees in Bargaining Unit 10, in the State of Hawaii and various counties. The UPW also represents about 1,500 members of the private sector.

The UPW supports HB 2664 that establishes a public-private partnership to research, facilitate, develop, and implement a model and system of collaborative health care delivery in a county with a population between 100,000 and 170,000 that moves patients, including acute care patients, throughout the continuum of care efficiently, appropriately, and cost effectively.

With our ever-growing need for acute care, this would be a viable way to continue long-term care and enhance the quality of patient care for Maui's elderly residents. This measure also provides an opportunity to keep people employed and keep our economy moving in the right direction.

Accordingly, the UPW is in support of HB 2664.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify on this measure.

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