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Honolulu, Hawaii

Planton 4 , 2013

RE: H.B. No. 379 H.D. 1

Honorable Joseph M. Souki Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Seventh State Legislature Regular Session of 2013 State of Hawaii

## Sir:

Your Committee on Health, to which was referred H.B. No. 379 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES," begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to appropriate funds to establish a twenty-four-hour, seven-days-a-week special emergency medical response vehicle unit based in Maalaea, Maui, including for the acquisition of a vehicle, purchase of equipment, and personnel costs for staffing by a paramedic trained in advanced life support.

The Department of Health commented on this measure.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

- (1) Changing references to "paramedic trained in advanced life support" to "state-licensed paramedic";
- (2) Changing the effective date to July 1, 2050, to facilitate further discussion; and
- (3) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for clarity, consistency, and style.

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. 379, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 379, H.D. 1, and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

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

DELLA AU BELATTI, Chair

State of Hawaii
House of Representatives
The Twenty-seventh Legislature

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

Bill/Resolution No.: HB379	Committee Referral:			
☐ 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. BELATTI, Della Au (C)	<b>/</b>			
2. MORIKAWA, Dee (VC)				
3. CABANILLA, Rida T.R.				
4. CARROLL, Mele				
5. JORDAN, Jo				V
6. KOBAYASHI, Bertrand	V			
7. WOODSON, Justin H.	V			
8. CHEAPE, Lauren Kealohilani	V			
TOTAL (8)	6			2
The recommendation is:  M Adopted  If joint referral, did not support recommendation.  committee acronym(s)				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
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