STAND. COM. REP. NO. 719

Honolulu, Hawaii 2013

RE: H.B. No. 417 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. 417 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to address the shortage of primary care providers in the State by appropriating funds for each year of the 2013-2015 fiscal biennium for the interdisciplinary Hawaii Health Systems Corporation Primary Care Training Program at Hilo Medical Center.

The County of Hawaii, Hawaii County Council, University of Hawaii at Hilo College of Pharmacy, University of Hawaii at Manoa School of Nursing and Dental Hygiene, Hawaii Health Systems Corporation, East Hawaii Region of Hawaii Health Systems Corporation and its Board of Directors, The Queen's Health Systems, Hawaii Island Healthcare Alliance, Hilo Medical Foundation Board, Hawaii Medical Association, Hawaii Medical Service Association, Japanese Chamber of Commerce & Industry of Hawaii, Kona-Kohala Chamber of Commerce, Hilo Medical Center Wound Care Team, Hilo Medical Foundation Board, Healthcare Association of Hawaii, Hawaii State Center for Nursing, Hilo Medical Center Foundation, and numerous concerned individuals supported this measure.



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Your Committee has amended this measure by:

- (1) Changing its effective date to July 1, 2050, to encourage 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 Health that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 417, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 417, H.D. 1, and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

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

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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.: Commit HB 417	mmittee Referral: HLT, FIN 2/8/13			
□ 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)				
2. MORIKAWA, Dee (VC)				
3. CABANILLA, Rida T.R.				
4. CARROLL, Mele				
5. JORDAN, Jo	\checkmark			
6. KOBAYASHI, Bertrand				
7. WOODSON, Justin H.				
8. CHEAPE, Lauren Kealohilani				
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TOTAL (8)	8			
The recommendation is: Adopted If joint referral, did not support recommendation.				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
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