Honolulu, Hawaii

RE: H.R. No. 161 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.R. No. 161 entitled:

"HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DIRECTOR OF HEALTH TO RECONVENE THE CLEAN AND SOBER HOMES AND HALFWAY HOUSES TASK FORCE,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to enable the resumption of discussions aimed at resolving outstanding issues related to housing for individuals transitioning from institutionalization or residential treatment settings to independent living by reconvening the Clean and Sober Homes and Halfway Houses Task Force that was convened by the Director of Health in response to changes to the criminal justice system due to Acts 139 and 140, Session Laws of Hawaii 2012.

The Hawaii Substance Abuse Coalition supported this measure with amendments.

Upon consideration, your Committee has amended this measure by:

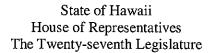
- (1) Changing the term "community home" to "community support home" to reflect generally-used language; and
- (2) Making a technical, nonsubstantive amendment for clarity.

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As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Health that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of H.R. No. 161, as amended herein, and recommends that it be referred to the Committee on Finance in the form attached hereto as H.R. No. 161, H.D. 1.

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

DELLA AU BELATTI, Chair





Record of Votes of the Committee on Health

	e Referral: FIN	Date:	3/27/13	•
☐ 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)	V			
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	V			
TOTAL (8)	6	0	0	2
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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