



**TESTIMONY OF JAN K. YAMANE, ACTING STATE AUDITOR,
ON SENATE BILL NO. 423, RELATING TO
IN VITRO FERTILIZATION INSURANCE COVERAGE**

**House Committee on Health
March 13, 2013**

Chair Au Belatti and Members of the Committee:

I am Jan Yamane, Acting State Auditor. Thank you for this opportunity to testify in support of Senate Bill No. 423. Our office requested this bill to make technical, house-keeping amendments in Sections 431:10A-116.5 and 431:1-604, of the Hawai'i Revised Statutes, which incorrectly reference the "American College of Obstetric and Gynecology."

The correct name of the organization that issues guidelines for in vitro fertilization clinics is the "American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists." We discovered this flaw during the course of our work on Report No. 12-09, *Mandatory Health Insurance Coverage for Fertility Preservation Procedures for People of Reproductive Age Diagnosed With Cancer*, submitted to the Legislature in October 2012.

I would be pleased to answer any questions you may have.