

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 2992

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 23 2016

RE: H.B. No. 2403
H.D. 1
S.D. 1

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi
President of the Senate
Twenty-Eighth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2016
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committees on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health and Transportation and Energy, to which was referred H.B. No. 2403, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE MEDICAL ADVISORY BOARD,"

beg leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to amend the composition of the Medical Advisory Board.

Your Committees received testimony in support of this measure from the Department of Transportation.


Your Committees find that under existing law, the Medical Advisory Board must consist of one psychiatrist, one neurologist, one orthopedic surgeon, one ophthalmologist or optometrist, and one specialist in cardiovascular disease. However, efforts to recruit physicians in certain specialties to serve on the Board have been unsuccessful. Inability to recruit physicians with these specific specialties also make it difficult for the Board to obtain quorum for decision making purposes. This measure addresses these concerns by adjusting the composition of the Medical Advisory Board to more broadly include five physicians with an interest in psychiatry, neurology, orthopedics, ophthalmology or optometry, endocrinology, geriatrics, or addiction medicine.



Your Committees have amended this measure by amending its effective date to upon approval.

As affirmed by the records of votes of the members of your Committees on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health and Transportation and Energy that are attached to this report, your Committees are in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 2403, H.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommend that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 2403, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committees on Commerce,
Consumer Protection, and Health
and Transportation and Energy,


LORRAINE R. INOUE, Chair


ROSALYN H. BAKER, Chair



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Bill / Resolution No.:* HB 2403, HD 1	Committee Referral: CPH/TRE	Date: 3-18-14		
<input type="checkbox"/> The Committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure. If so, then the previous decision was to: _____				
The Recommendation is: <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: flex-start;"> <div style="text-align: center;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312 </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311 </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310 </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313 </div> </div>				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
BAKER, Rosalyn H. (C)	✓			
KIDANI, Michelle N. (VC)	✓			
ESPERO, Will	✓			
IHARA, Jr., Les	✓			
NISHIHARA, Clarence K.	✓			
RUDERMAN, Russell E.	✓			
SLOM, Sam	✓			
TOTAL	7			
Recommendation: <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; margin-top: 5px;"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted </div>				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: <div style="text-align: right; font-family: cursive; font-size: 1.2em; margin-top: 10px;"> Michelle N. Kidani </div>				
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Bill / Resolution No.:* HB2403, HD1	Committee Referral: CPH/TRE	Date: 03-18-16		
<input type="checkbox"/> The Committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure. If so, then the previous decision was to: _____				
The Recommendation is: <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: flex-start;"> <div style="text-align: center;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312 </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311 </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310 </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313 </div> </div>				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
INOUE, Lorraine R. (C)	✓			
GABBARD, Mike (VC)				✓
CHUN OAKLAND, Suzanne				✓
ENGLISH, J. Kalani				✓
KIDANI, Michelle N.	✓			
NISHIHARA, Clarence K.	✓			
SLOM, Sam	✓			
TOTAL	4			3
Recommendation: <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; margin-top: 5px;"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted </div>				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: 				
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