

STAND. COM. REP. NO. **2733**

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 02 2018

RE: S.B. No. 2493
S.D. 2

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi
President of the Senate
Twenty-Ninth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2018
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred S.B. No. 2493, S.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to delay the implementation until January 1, 2020, of the producer licensing requirements amended by Act 152, Session Laws of Hawaii 2017.

Your Committee received written comments in support of this measure from the Hawaii Insurers Council and the National Association of Insurance and Financial Advisors - Hawaii.

Your Committee received comments on this measure from the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs.

Your Committee received written comments in opposition to this measure from one individual.

Your Committee finds that Act 152, Session Laws of Hawaii 2017, conforms the State's producer licensing requirements to the National Association of Insurance Commissioners' Producer Licensing Model Act by eliminating producer-to-producer appointments. Due to the large number of independent producers in Hawaii and the number of contracts between insurers and independent producers that need to be finalized, however, a delay

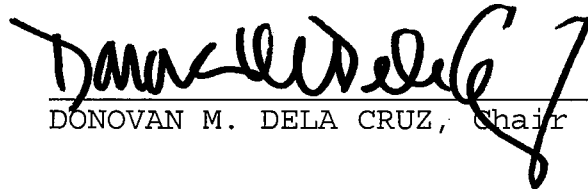


in implementation of the producer licensing requirements is needed in order to ensure full compliance.

Your Committee has amended this measure by making technical nonsubstantive changes for purposes of clarity, consistency, and style.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Ways and Means that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 2493, S.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Third Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 2493, S.D. 2.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Ways and Means,


DONOVAN M. DELA CRUZ, Chair



The Senate
Twenty-Ninth Legislature
State of Hawai'i

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Bill / Resolution No.:* <div style="font-size: 1.2em; font-family: cursive;">SB 2493, SDI</div>	Committee Referral: <div style="font-size: 1.2em; font-family: cursive;">CPH, WAM</div>	Date: <div style="font-size: 1.2em; font-family: cursive;">2/23/18</div>												
<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										
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M. (C)	X													
KEITH-AGARAN, Gilbert S.C. (VC)	X													
ENGLISH, J. Kalani	X													
GALUTERIA, Brickwood	X													
HARIMOTO, Breene	X													
INOUE, Lorraine R.	X													
KAHELE, Kaiali'i	X													
KIDANI, Michelle N.	X													
RIVIERE, Gil	X													
SHIMABUKURO, Maile S.L.				X										
WAKAI, Glenn	X													
TOTAL	10			1										
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="font-size: 1.2em; font-family: cursive; margin-top: 5px;"> </div>														
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