STAND. COM. REP. NO. 2903

Honolulu, Hawaii

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RE: S.B. No. 2768

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi President of the Senate Thirtieth State Legislature Regular Session of 2020 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health, to which was referred S.B. No. 2768 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SPORTS MEDICINE,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to exempt out-ofstate physicians who accompany a sports team to a specific sporting event in Hawaii or are invited to provide services at a national sport training center, event, or competition in Hawaii, from state licensure requirements if certain conditions, including providing notice, are met.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Hawaii Medical Board.

Your Committee finds that amateur, collegiate, and professional sports teams regularly have an affiliated physician who travels with the team to provide ongoing and emergency medical care. However, existing law does not provide a narrowly tailored exemption from licensure requirements for these physicians. This measure will promote the safety of out-of-state athletes by enabling an affiliated, out-of-state physician to provide medical services to their sports team while within the State for sports-related events.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health that is

attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 2768 and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health,

ROSALYN H. BAKER, Chair

The Senate Thirtieth Legislature State of Hawai'i

Record of Votes Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health CPH

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SB2768	CPH			2/19/20	
The Committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure.					
If so, then the previous decision was to:					
The Recommendation is:					
Pass, unamended Pass, with amendments Hold Recommit 2312 2311 2310 2313					
Members		Aye	Aye (W	R) Nay	Excused
BAKER, Rosalyn H. (C)		<u>/</u>			
CHANG, Stanley (VC)		/			
NISHIHARA, Clarence K.					7
RUDERMAN, Russell E.		/			
THIELEN, Laura H.					
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Chair's or Designee's Signature:					
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