STAND. COM. REP. NO. 1090-20

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 13 , 2020

RE: S.B. No. 31

S.D. 3 H.D. 1

Honorable Scott K. Saiki Speaker, House of Representatives Thirtieth State Legislature Regular Session of 2020 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Health, to which was referred S.B. No. 31, S.D. 3, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to support healthcare providers acting as preceptors by:

- (1) Improving accessibility for providers to receive the Healthcare Preceptor Tax Credit by amending certain definitions; and
- (2) Including the Director of Health as a member of the Preceptor Credit Assurance Committee.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Department of Taxation, University of Hawaii System, Hawaii State Center for Nursing, Hawaii Pacific Health, Hawaii State Rural Health Association, Hawaii Primary Care Association, Hawaii Association of Professional Nurses, The Queen's Health Systems, Liberty Dialysis-Hawaii, and three individuals.

Your Committee finds that expanding access to the healthcare preceptor tax credit will help to address the State's shortage of

healthcare providers by incentivizing additional persons to offer professional instruction, training, and supervision to students and residents seeking careers as healthcare providers.

Your Committee further finds that the current healthcare workforce must be considered when assessing whether new healthcare facilities are needed.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

- (1) Amending the criteria for certificate of need review to include the relationship to the existing health care system of the area; and
- (2) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for the purposes of clarity, consistency, and style.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Health that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 31, S.D. 3, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 31, S.D. 3, H.D. 1, and be referred to your Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

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

JOHN M. MIZUNO, (C

Chair

State of Hawaii House of Representatives The THIRTIETH Legislature

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Health

Bill/Resolution No.:	Committee R		I	Date: 3-12-2	n	
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☐ The committee is reconsidering its pre	evious decision or	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. MIZUNO, John M. (C)		<i>></i>				
2. KOBAYASHI, Bertrand (VC)						
3. BELATTI, Della Au					-	
4. NAKAMURA, Nadine K.						
5. SAN BUENAVENTURA, Joy	A.					
6. SAY, Calvin K.Y.						
7. TOKIOKA, James Kunane						
8. WARD, Gene			-			
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TOTAL (8)		6	-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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