STAND. COM. REP. NO.

Honolulu, Hawaii MAR 28 , 2023

RE: H.R. No. 207

Honorable Scott K. Saiki Speaker, House of Representatives Thirty-Second State Legislature Regular Session of 2023 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Human Services, to which was referred H.R. No. 207 entitled:

"HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES' MED-QUEST DIVISION TO TAKE STEPS NECESSARY TO ENSURE THAT ADEQUATE PROVIDER RATES ARE ESTABLISHED FOR APPLIED BEHAVIOR ANALYSIS SERVICES,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to request The Department of Human Services' Med-Quest Division to take steps necessary to ensure that adequate provider rates are established for Applied Behavior Analysis services.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from Behavior Analysis No Ka Oi, Inc., Hawaii Association of Behavior Analysis, BAYADA, Council of Autism Providers, and eleven individuals. Your Committee received comments on this measure from the Department of Human Services.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Human Services that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of H.R. No. 207 and recommends that it be referred to your Committee on Finance.



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Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Human Services,

MIZUNO, Chair Foid Μ.



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Record of Votes of the Committee on Human Services

Bill/Resolution No.:	Committee Referral: <i>HUS</i> , FIN		I	Date: 3/23/23	
The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.					
The recommendation is to:  Image: Pass, unamended (as is)  Image: Pass, with amendments (HD)  Image: Hold    Image: Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)					
HUS Members		Ayes	Ayes (WR)	) Nays	Excused
1. MIZUNO, John M. (C)					
2. AMATO, Terez (VC)			_		
3. BELATTI, Della Au					
4. ILAGAN, Greggor					
5. KOBAYASHI, Bertrand					
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6. TAKENOUCHI, Jenna		~			
7. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y.					
8. GARCIA, Diamond					
TOTAL (8)		7			1
The recommendation is:  Adopted  Not Adopted    If joint referral,					
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:					
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