Testimony of the Board of Acupuncture

Before the Senate Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection Monday, March 25, 2024 9:00 a.m. Conference Room 229 and Videoconference

On the following measure: G.M. 504, SUBMITTING FOR CONSIDERATION AND CONFIRMATION TO THE BOARD OF ACUPUNCTURE GUBERNATORIAL NOMINEE, MARTA REBELLA FOR A TERM TO EXPIRE 6-30-2027

Chair Keohokalole and Members of the Committee:

My name is Risé Doi and I am the Executive Officer of the Board of Acupuncture (Board). The Board supports the confirmation of Ms. Marta Rebella's reappointment to the Board.

Ms. Rebella has a diverse work background in human resources and in county government. Ms. Rebella has years of experience as a past board member and president of the board of directors of the YWCA of Orange County. She has also served as president of her home ownership association.

Ms. Rebella has attended all Board meetings since her initial appointment in 2022. The Board believes that Ms. Rebella's background of working in government and her willingness to serve the public will continue to enhance the effectiveness of the Board.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify on this measure.

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Deborah McMenemy	Individual	Support	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I strongly support Marta Rebella for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Acupuncture. I have known Marta for for many years now, and have served with her for the last 18 months on the acupuncture board. Marta is knowledgeable, and caring. She is very well versed on acupuncture and our charter of keeping the public safe as well as what keeps our profession moving forward.