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SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A STUDY OF PROPOSED MANDATORY
HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR ALTERNATIVE, COMPLEMENTARY,
AND INTEGRATIVE FORMS OF HEALTH CARE SERVICES.

1 WHEREAS, Senate Bill No. , is pending in the Regular
2 Session of 2006, and proposes to require health insurance
3 coverage for alternative, complementary, and integrative forms
4 of health care services under chapters 431-10A, 432:1, and
5 432D-23, Hawaii Revised Statutes; and

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7 WHEREAS, the Auditor is required by section 23-51, Hawaii
8 Revised Statutes, to prepare and submit a report to the
9 legislature that assesses both the social and financial effects
10 of the proposed mandated coverage; now, therefore,

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12 WHEREAS, the availability of alternative, complementary,
13 and integrative forms of health care services will stimulate the
14 development of new and innovative health care delivery systems
15 for the consumer; and

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17 WHEREAS, because of the low cost and low risk of high
18 priced prescription drugs, the inclusion of alternative,
19 complementary, and integrative forms of health care services
20 will be cost effective; and

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22 BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate of the Twenty-third
23 Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2006, the
24 House of Representatives concurring, that the Auditor is
25 requested to prepare and submit a report to the legislature in
26 accordance with sections 23-51 and 23-52, Hawaii Revised
27 Statutes on Senate Bill No. ; and

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29 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the report be submitted at
30 least twenty days before the convening of the Regular Session of
31 2007; and



1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this
2 Concurrent Resolution be transmitted to the Auditor.
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