

Honolulu, Hawaii

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RE: S.B. No. 3219  
S.D. 2

Honorable Robert Bunda  
President of the Senate  
Twenty-Third State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2006  
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary and Hawaiian Affairs, to which was referred S.B. No. 3219, S.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO COMMUNITY PLACEMENT,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to direct the Department of Health and the Department of Human Services to maintain an inventory of all facilities licensed or certified under their jurisdiction and the vacancies therein to facilitate the placement of individuals in community-based facilities.

Your Committee finds that there is not a complete inventory of all the community-based facilities under the jurisdiction of the Department of Health and the Department of Human Services and this can make the processes of locating a vacancy difficult and time consuming.

Your Committee has amended this measure to incorporate the amendments proposed by the Department of Health to:

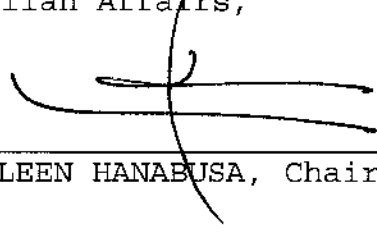
- (1) Include language that that requires all community-based providers to report vacancies to the departments on a regular basis; and
- (2) Delete adult foster homes from this measure.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Judiciary and Hawaiian Affairs that is attached to



this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 3219, S.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Third Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 3219, S.D. 2.

Respectfully submitted on  
behalf of the members of the  
Committee on Judiciary and  
Hawaiian Affairs,



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COLLEEN HANABUSA, Chair



