

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

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Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 01 2007

RE: S.B. No. 1674  
S.D. 1

Honorable Colleen Hanabusa  
President of the Senate  
Twenty-Fourth State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2007  
State of Hawaii

Madam:

Your Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Affordable Housing, to which was referred S.B. No. 1674, S.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to allow medical practitioners in radiology licensed to practice in another state, to provide radiology services by telemedicine while in Hawaii to a patient who is located in the state in which the medical practitioner is licensed to practice radiology.

The measure also makes numerous technical, nonsubstantive amendments to the laws relating to the practice of medicine and surgery and radiologic technology.

The Board of Medical Examiners submitted comments on this measure.

Your Committee finds that this measure would enable radiologists to practice radiology via telecommunications to patients from this State to the state of licensure. Your Committee believes that radiologists should not be required to obtain Hawaii licensure if services are not being provided to patients in the State.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Affordable Housing

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that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 1674, S.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Third Reading.

Respectfully submitted on  
behalf of the members of the  
Committee on Commerce, Consumer  
Protection, and Affordable  
Housing,

  
BRIAN T. TANIGUCHI, Chair



The Senate  
Twenty-Fourth Legislature  
State of Hawaii

**Record of Votes**  
**Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Affordable Housing**  
**CPH**

Bill / Resolution No.:* <b>SB 1674 SDI</b>	Committee Referral: <b>HTH, CPH</b>	Date: <b>2-23-07</b>
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The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure.  
If so, then the previous decision was to: \_\_\_\_\_

The Recommendation is:

Pass, unamended 2312     Pass, with amendments 2311     Hold 2310     Recommit 2313

Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
TANIGUCHI, Brian T. (C)	✓			
IGE, David Y. (VC)	✓			
ESPERO, Will	✓			
IHARA, Jr., Les	✓			
SAKAMOTO, Norman				✓
SLOM, Sam	✓			
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>

Recommendation:  Adopted     Not Adopted

Chair's or Designee's Signature: 

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