STAND. COM. REP. NO. 1783-08

Honolulu, Hawaii

AX10 , 2008

RE: H.C.R. No. 277 H.D. 2

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Fourth State Legislature Regular Session of 2008 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Health, to which was referred H.C.R. No. 277, H.D. 1, entitled:

"HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII STATE CENTER FOR NURSING TO ENCOURAGE PARTIES TO WORK TOGETHER FOR THE COMMON GOAL OF INCREASING THE SUPPLY OF WELL-EDUCATED AND DEDICATED NURSES,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this concurrent resolution is to enhance and improve the health care of the people of Hawaii by requesting the Hawaii State Center for Nursing to encourage parties to work together for the common goal of increasing the supply of well-educated and dedicated nurses.

University of Hawaii System, Board of Nursing, Hawaii State Center for Nursing, Hawaii Nurses Association, Hawaii Government Employees Association (HGEA), Hawaii Pacific Health, Queen's Medical Center, Honolulu Community Action Program, and numerous concerned individuals supported this concurrent resolution.

Your Committee has amended this concurrent resolution by:

- (1) Adding HGEA as one of the stakeholders to participate in increasing the supply of nurses; and
- (2) Making technical non-substantive changes for clarity, consistency and style.

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As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Health that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of H.C.R. No. 277, H.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends its adoption in the form attached hereto as H.C.R. No. 277, H.D. 2.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Health,

JOSMUA B. GREEN, M.D., Chair

State of Hawaii House of Representatives The Twenty-fourth Legislature

Record of Votes of the Committee on Health

Bill/Resolution No.:	Committee Referral:	Date:		***************************************
HCR 277, HD1	HED, HLT		4-04-08	
☐ The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: Pass, unamended (as is) Pass, with amendments (HD) Hold Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)				
HLT Members	Ayes A	yes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. GREEN, Josh, M.D. (C)				W
2. MIZUNO, John (VC)				
3. AWANA, Karen Leinani				
4. BELATTI, Della Au				
5. BERTRAM, Joe, III				
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6. CABANILLA, Rida T.R.				
7. RHOADS, Karl				
8. SHIMABUKURO, Maile S. L.	V			
9. TOKIOKA, James Kunane				
10. WARD, Gene, Ph.D.	V			
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The recommendation is: Adopted If joint referral, did not support recommendation. committee acronym(s)				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
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