

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 1097 -08

Honolulu, Hawaii

March 14, 2008

RE: S.B. No. 2864  
S.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 S.B. No. 2864, S.D. 2, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to require the State Insurance Commissioner to submit to the 2010 Legislature a report on the adequacy of health plan reimbursements to physicians and hospitals in Hawaii, including other healthcare related issues such as physician salaries and healthcare and malpractice insurance premiums, and appropriating funds for the preparation of the report.

The Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs, Healthcare Association of Hawaii, and Hawaii Psychiatric Medical Association testified in support of this bill.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Health that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 2864, S.D. 2, and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

SB2864 SD2 HSCR HLT HMS 2008-3041



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

*Josh Green M.D.*  
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JOSHUA B. GREEN, M.D., Chair



State of Hawaii  
House of Representatives  
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**Record of Votes of the Committee on Health**

<b>Bill/Resolution No.:</b> SB 2864, SD 2	<b>Committee Referral:</b> HLT, CPC, FIN	<b>Date:</b> <i>3-12-08</i>		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
<b>The recommendation is to:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended (as is) <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments (HD) <input type="checkbox"/> Hold <input type="checkbox"/> Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)				
<b>HLT Members</b>	<b>Ayes</b>	<b>Ayes (WR)</b>	<b>Nays</b>	<b>Excused</b>
1. GREEN, Josh, M.D. (C)	✓			
2. MIZUNO, John (VC)	✓			
3. AWANA, Karen Leinani	✓			
4. BELATTI, Della Au	✓			
5. BERTRAM, Joe, III	✓			
6. CABANILLA, Rida T.R.	✓			
7. RHOADS, Karl	✓			
8. SHIMABUKURO, Maile S. L.	✓			
9. TOKIOKA, James Kunane	✓			
10. WARD, Gene, Ph.D.				
<b>TOTAL (10)</b>	<i>10</i>			
<b>The recommendation is:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. <span style="margin-left: 150px;">committee acronym(s)</span>				
<b>Vice Chair's or designee's signature:</b> <i>John M. Lepp</i>				
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