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March 25, 2008

The Honorable Tommy Waters, Chair
and Members
Committee on Judiciary
House of Representatives
State Capitol
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

LATE TESTIMONY

Dear Chair Waters and Members:

Subject: Senate Bill No. 1487, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, Relating to Controlled Substances

I am Kerry Inouye, Acting Major of the Narcotics/Vice Division of the Honolulu Police Department, City and County of Honolulu.

The Honolulu Police Department supports Senate Bill No. 1487 S.D. 2, H.D. 1, Relating to Controlled Substances.

To ensure consistency in the regulation and enforcement of controlled substances, the Federal Controlled Substances Act serves as the basis for classification of all controlled substances on a national level and is the model upon which the Uniform Controlled Substances Act, chapter 329, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is based. Passage of this bill will update chapter 329 to remain consistent with current language added to the Federal Controlled Substances Act.

The Honolulu Police Department urges you to support Senate Bill No. 1487, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, Relating to Controlled Substances.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify.

Sincerely,

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KERRY INOUYE, Acting Major
Narcotics/Vice Division

APPROVED:

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For BOISSE P. CORREA
Chief of Police



Testimony of
Barbara Kashiwabara, RPh, Pharm.D.
Chair, Government Affairs Committee

Before:
House of Representatives
Committee on Judiciary
The Honorable Tommy Waters, Chair
The Honorable Blake K. Oshiro, Vice Chair

Tuesday, March 25, 2008
4:05pm
Conference Room 325

LATE TESTIMONY

SB 1487, SD2, HD1 Relating to Controlled Substances

Chair Waters, Vice Chair Oshiro and Committee members. Mahalo for this opportunity to provide testimony on SB 1487, SD2, HD1 which will update Hawaii's controlled substances laws to be consistent with that of federal law.

The Hawaii Pharmacists Association supports this bill, as it reflects the collaborative work done in 2007 that was facilitated by the Association in partnership with the Board of Pharmacy, the Department of Health Food & Drug Branch, the Narcotics Enforcement Division, as well as various pharmacies and health care organizations. In particular, the change to oral prescriptions clarifies, simplifies and removes some of the documentation burden currently required of pharmacists.

We recommend passage of this bill, and thank you for this opportunity to testify on SB 2459, SD2.