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Senate Committee on Health
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by
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Testifying as a Private Citizen

COMMITTEE ON HIGHER EDUCATION
Senator Jill N. Tokuda, Chair
Senator Norman Sakamoto, Vice Chair
CR 225, State Capitol, Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

GM 581

Testimony on behalf of the nomination of **Darryl Salvador, Psy.D**, to the Hawai'i Medical Education Council.

Madam Chair, Mister Vice-Chair, Honored Senators:

As Behavioral Health Director for Moloka'i Community Health Center, Dr. Salvador seeks appointment to represent the needs of Hawai'i's rural communities, as well as to provide a behavioral science perspective to the Council's concerns. He has collaborated with Dr. Chad Koyanagi and the tele-medicine initiative of the Department of Psychiatry of the John A. Burns School of Medicine (JABSOM) in its effort to extend psychiatric services to Moloka'i. Well-known to and respected by the Chair, Department of Psychology, Tripler Army Medical Center, he has been endorsed as an effective and congenial team player who is focused on constructive outcomes.

He is seen by the Office of the Dean, JABSOM, as representative of the sort of professionally heterogeneous complement that is best suited to advance the graduate medical education objectives of the Council. We respectfully endorse his appointment by the Senate to the Hawai'i Medical Education Council.

Very respectfully,
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April 7, 2009

TO: The Senate Committee on Higher Education
The Hon. Jill N. Tokuda, Chair
The Hon. Norman , Vice Chair

Testimony in Support of GM 581: Nomination of Darryl Salvador
To Hawai'i Medical Education Council
Submitted by Rosie F. Davis, Executive Director
April 9, 2009, 1:00 pm agenda Room 225

It is on honor to recommend Darryl Salvador, Psy. D, to represent a seat at the table of the Governor's Medical Education Council. Dr. Salvador is an asset for the State of Hawaii, as it is for community of Molo-kai in his assistance at the high school, intermediate and elementary schools in promoting health career recruitment.

Darryl's' commitment to the underserved rural population is a motivating factor to students interested in health careers, that it can happen, and there is hope.

Darryl not only understands and knows the needs of education of the small islands, but acknowledges the culturally appropriateness needed on in these communities. His work with Kupuna has given him a voice for the community.

He also serves as an National Health Service Corp Ambassador to assist students in there needs.

We thank you for considering Darryl's opportunity to represent the underserved rural areas. We offer our support and please call if you have any questions.

Respectfully Submitted,

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