

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 93 -10

Honolulu, Hawaii

Feb 4, 2010

RE: H.B. No. 2829

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say  
Speaker, House of Representatives  
Twenty-Fifth State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2010  
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Health, to which was referred H.B. No. 2829  
entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to ensure the safety of people  
receiving care in health care facilities by requiring hospitals to  
report infection rates and to establish procedures for collecting  
information on the number of infections developed within an  
individual facility and disclosing it to the public.

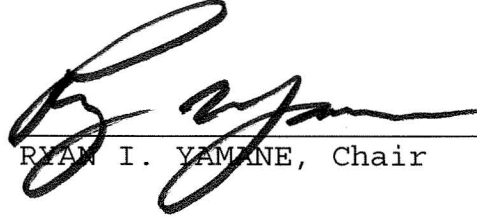
The Consumers Union testified in support of this bill.  
Hawaii Medical Service Association supported the intent of this  
measure. The Department of Health and Healthcare Association of  
Hawaii opposed this bill.

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 H.B. No.  
2829 and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be referred to  
the Committee on Judiciary.

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



RYAN I. YAMINE, Chair



