

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 692

Honolulu, Hawaii

March 8, 2011

RE: H.B. No. 1134

H.D. 1

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say
Speaker, House of Representatives
Twenty-Sixth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2011
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce, to which was referred H.B. No. 1134, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PREPAID HEALTH CARE,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to ensure that Hawaii's Prepaid Health Care continues even if national health care coverage legislation passes, by deleting provisions for the termination of Hawaii's Prepaid Health Care Act on the effective date of federal legislation for health care. Without knowing what the federal coverage might entail and knowing that Hawaii's Prepaid Health Care works well, it is important that Hawaii not lose its successful health care coverage.

The Department of Labor and Industrial Relations, the Hawaii Association of Health Plans, Hawaii Medical Association, and Hawaii Medical Service Association supported the bill. The Attorney General opposed the measure. The Healthcare Association of Hawaii provided comments.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 1134, H.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Third Reading.

HB1134 HD1 HSCR CPC HMS 2011-2775



Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Consumer
Protection & Commerce,



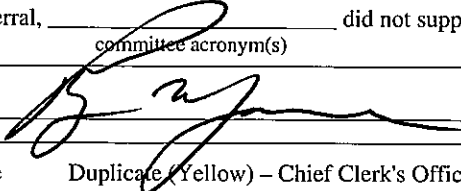
ROBERT N. HERKES, Chair



State of Hawaii
House of Representatives
The Twenty-sixth Legislature

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce

Bill/Resolution No.: HB 1134 HDI	Committee Referral: HLT, CPC	Date: 3/2/2011		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended (as is) <input checked="" 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)				
CPC Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. HERKES, Robert N. (C)				/
2. YAMANE, Ryan I. (VC)	/			
3. BROWER, Tom				/
4. CABANILLA, Rida T.R.				/
5. CARROLL, Mele				/
6. ITO, Ken	//			
7. KEITH-AGARAN, Gilbert S.C.	//			
8. LUKE, Sylvia				/
9. McKELVEY, Angus L.K.	/			
10. MORITA, Hermina M.				/
11. OSHIRO, Blake K.	//			
12. SOUKI, Joseph M.	//			
13. TSUJI, Clift	//			
14. CHING, Corinne W.L.				/
15. MARUMOTO, Barbara C.		//		
16. THIELEN, Cynthia		//		
TOTAL (16)	7	2		7
The recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. <div style="text-align: center; font-size: 0.8em;">committee acronym(s)</div>				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: _____ <div style="text-align: center; font-size: 1.5em; font-family: cursive; margin-top: -10px;">  </div>				
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