

Honolulu, Hawaii

March 22, 2011

RE: S.B. No. 155
S.D. 2

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

Sir:

Your Committees on Consumer Protection & Commerce and
Judiciary, to which was referred S.B. No. 155, S.D. 2, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ATHLETIC TRAINERS,"

beg leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to establish a regulatory system
for athletic trainers.

The University of Hawaii, Hawaii Chapter-American Physical
Therapy Association, Occupational Therapy Association of Hawaii,
Hawaii Association of Athletic Trainers, Hawaii High School
Athletic Association ad hoc Sports Medicine Advisory Committee,
and several concerned individuals testified in support of this
bill. The Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs'
Professional and Vocational Licensing Division and Regulated
Industries Complaints Office provided comments.

As affirmed by the records of votes of the members of your
Committees on Consumer Protection & Commerce and Judiciary that
are attached to this report, your Committees are in accord with
the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 155, S.D. 2, and recommend that
it pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on
Finance.



Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committees on Consumer
Protection & Commerce and
Judiciary,



GILBERT KEITH-AGARAN Chair



ROBERT N. HERKES, Chair



