

Honolulu, Hawaii

March 22, 2012

RE: S.B. No. 2820
H.D. 1

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say
Speaker, House of Representatives
Twenty-Sixth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2012
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Health, to which was referred S.B. No. 2820
entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII ADVISORY COMMISSION
ON DRUG ABUSE AND CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to amend the duties of the
Hawaii Advisory Commission on Drug Abuse and Controlled Substances
to allow the Commission to focus on addressing the issue of
substance abuse as a public health issue.

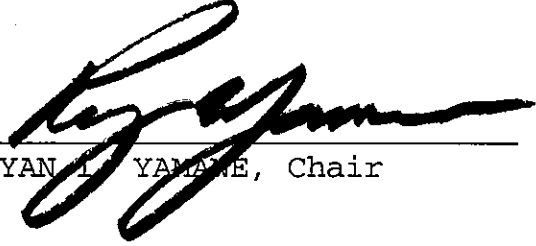
The Department of Health and Department of Public Safety
testified in support of this measure.

Your Committee has amended this measure by making technical,
nonsubstantive amendments for clarity, consistency, and style.

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 S.B. No.
2820, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second
Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 2820, H.D. 1, and
be referred to the Committee on Finance.



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



RYAN L. YAMANE, Chair



