

GM829

LAWRENCE REDMOND

Measure Title: Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Board of Chiropractic Examiners, Gubernatorial Nominee, LAWRENCE REDMOND, for a term to expire 6-30-2016.

Report Title: State Board of Chiropractic Examiners

Description:

Companion:

Package:

Current Referral: CPN

Introducer(s):

<u>Sort by Date</u>		Status Text
3/20/2012	S	Received.
3/20/2012	S	Referred to CPN.
3/21/2012	S	The committee(s) on CPN has scheduled a public hearing on 04-04-12 9:30AM in conference room 229.



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TO THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON
COMMERCE AND CONSUMER PROTECTION

TWENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE
REGULAR SESSION OF 2012

Wednesday, April 4, 2012
9:30 a.m.

**TESTIMONY ON GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE NO. 829
DR. LAWRENCE REDMOND**

WRITTEN ONLY

TO THE HONORABLE ROSALYN H. BAKER, CHAIR,
AND MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE:

My name is Keali'i S. Lopez, and I am the Director of Commerce and Consumer Affairs ("DCCA" or the "Department"). The Department appreciates the opportunity to provide testimony in support of Governor's Message No. 829 regarding the appointment of Dr. Lawrence Redmond to the State Board of Chiropractic Examiners ("Board") as a Chiropractor member. The Department respectfully requests the Committee to recommend that the Senate advise and consent this appointment to the Board.

I have spoken with Dr. Redmond regarding his candidacy for appointment to the Board, and based on my discussion with Dr. Redmond, I believe that he possesses the qualifications, background, and experiences to serve on the Board, and to contribute in a positive and constructive manner on matters that will come before the Board.

Dr. Redmond has been the owner in private practice of Kaimuki Chiropractic Center since June 1984 and his professional certification is as Diplomat of the National Board of Chiropractic Examiners.

Dr. Redmond is past president of the Hawaii State Chiropractic Association. He was influential in Kaiser's and HMSA's decision to include chiropractic as a covered service and worked to assure that Hawaii chiropractors met National Standards.

Dr. Redmond was raised in Hawaii and is a 1973 graduate of Aiea High School.

In light of his background, I am confident that if given the opportunity, Dr. Redmond will prove to be an asset to the State and to this Board. I respectfully request the Committee recommend that the Senate advise and consent to this appointment.

Thank you for this opportunity to testify.

Testimony for CPN 4/4/2012 9:30:00 AM GM829

Conference room: 229
Testifier position: Support
Testifier will be present: No
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Comments:

Dr. Lawrence Redmond, DC, will be an asset to the Chiropractic Board because of his longevity in private practice and his extensive knowledge of the history, principles, and philosophy of the profession and has served in numerous capacities to further the growth and recognition of chiropractic in the healthcare industry. There are only a few people in the profession that I would support with as much enthusiasm. Dr. Redmond will be an important addition to the Board.