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The Honorable Mele Carroll, Chair
House Committee on Human Services
Twenty-Seventh Legislature
State Capitol
State of Hawaii
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear Representative Carroll and Members of the Committee:


SUBJECT: SB 306 SD1- RELATING TO MEDICAID

The State Council on Developmental Disabilities **SUPPORTS SB 306 SD1**. The bill extends the termination date of the Medicaid Buy-In Task Force to June 30, 2014 and requires an interim and final report.

The Council is a member of the Medicaid Buy-In Task Force and welcomes the opportunity to engage in continued discussion on the Medicaid Buy-In proposal. We agree that in light of the imminent implementation of the Affordable Care Act (ACA), more discussions are needed to approach ACA with the Medicaid Buy-In on how to best allow individuals with disabilities to work without risk of losing their Medicaid coverage.

Thank you for the opportunity to submit testimony in **support of SB 306 SD1**.

Sincerely,


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Comments: i support medicaid upgrade

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