

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 314

Honolulu, Hawaii
February 12, 2013

RE: H.B. No. 871

Honorable Joseph M. Souki
Speaker, House of Representatives
Twenty-Seventh State Legislature
Regular Session of 2013
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Human Services, to which was referred H.B. No. 871 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES FROM THE HOSPITAL SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAM SPECIAL FUND,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to ensure that recipients of services from the Hospital Sustainability Program (Program) continue to receive medically necessary services and that hospitals participating in the Program continue to receive timely payments for these services by making an emergency appropriation of \$43,000,000 from the Hospital Sustainability Program Special Fund to the Department of Human Services to be used consistent with the purposes of the Hospital Sustainability Program Special Fund.

The Department of Human Services and Hawai'i Pacific Health testified in support of this bill.

Pursuant to the requirements set forth in Article VII, Section 9, of the Hawaii State Constitution, the Governor, in his Governor's Message No. 214 to the Legislature, requested immediate consideration and passage of this bill by the Legislature.

HB871 HSCR HUS HMS 2013-1831



As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Human Services that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 871 and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Human Services,



MELE CARROLL, Chair



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Record of Votes of the Committee on Human Services

Bill/Resolution No.: HB 871	Committee Referral: HUS, FIN	Date: 2-5-13		
<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 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)				
HUS Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. CARROLL, Mele (C)	/			
2. KOBAYASHI, Bertrand (VC)	/			
3. BELATTI, Della Au	/			
4. CABANILLA, Rida T.R.				/
5. JORDAN, Jo	/			
6. MORIKAWA, Dee	/			
7. WOODSON, Justin H.	/			
8. FUKUMOTO, Beth	/			
TOTAL (8)	7			1
The recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. <small>committee acronym(s)</small>				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
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