

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

3495

Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 22 2014

RE: H.C.R. No. 74

Honorable Donna Mercado Kim  
President of the Senate  
Twenty-Seventh State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2014  
State of Hawaii

Madam:

Your Committee on Health, to which was referred H.C.R. No. 74  
entitled:

"HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A SUNRISE REVIEW OF  
THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A SYSTEM OF REGISTERED DISPENSARIES  
WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO DISPENSE MEDICAL  
MARIJUANA, "

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to request the  
Auditor to conduct a sunrise review of the establishment of a  
system of registered dispensaries within the Department of Health  
to dispense medical marijuana as proposed in H.B. No. 1587,  
Regular Session of 2014.

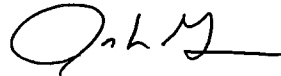
Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure  
from the Department of Health and American Civil Liberties Union.  
Your Committee received comments on this measure from the  
Community Alliance on Prisons and Drug Policy Action Group.

Your Committee finds that establishing a system of registered  
dispensaries in the State to dispense medical marijuana to  
qualified patients and primary caregivers is critical to enable  
patients to access this medicine for their debilitating medical  
conditions. Your Committee further finds that the regulation of  
medical marijuana dispensaries will not only protect qualified  
patients who need medical marijuana for their health care needs,  
but will also strengthen and ensure compliance with Hawaii's  
Medical Use of Marijuana Law.



As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Health that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of H.C.R. No. 74, and recommends its adoption.

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



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JOSH GREEN, Chair



The Senate  
 Twenty-Seventh Legislature  
 State of Hawai'i

**Record of Votes**  
**Committee on Health**  
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HCR 74	HTH	4-21-14		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure. If so, then the previous decision was to: _____				
The Recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312 <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311 <input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310 <input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
GREEN, M.D., Josh (C)	✓			
BAKER, Rosalyn H. (VC)	✓			
CHUN OAKLAND, Suzanne	✓			
NISHIHARA, Clarence K.				✓
SLOM, Sam				✓
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: <i>Josh Green</i>				
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