

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 2476

Honolulu, Hawaii

FEB 19 2014

RE: S.B. No. 2478

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

Madam:

Your Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, to which was referred S.B. No. 2478 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to update the scope of practice for chiropractic to reflect standards, practices, and terminology accepted by the National Board of Chiropractic Examiners.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Board of Chiropractic Examiners and Hawaii State Chiropractic Association. Your Committee received testimony in opposition to this measure from the Hawaii Medical Association, Hawaii Insurers Council, and Hawaii Chapter of the American Physical Therapy Association.

Your Committee finds that this measure updates the scope of practice for chiropractic in conformity to the standards of practice set by accredited colleges, National Board Exams, and Hawaii Administrative Rules governing chiropractic practice in Hawaii. This measure therefore enables the scope of practice for chiropractors in Hawaii to reflect standards of care, practices, and terminology that are aligned with nationally recognized practice parameters and keep abreast with advances in health care and the chiropractic profession.

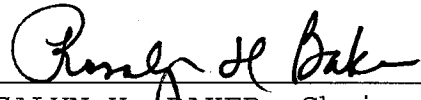
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this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 2478 and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be placed on the calendar for Third Reading.

Respectfully submitted on  
behalf of the members of the  
Committee on Commerce and  
Consumer Protection,



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ROSALYN H. BAKER, Chair



The Senate  
 Twenty-Seventh Legislature  
 State of Hawai'i

**Record of Votes**  
**Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection**  
**CPN**

Bill / Resolution No.:* <b>SB 2478</b>	Committee Referral: <b>CPN</b>	Date: <b>2/12/14</b>		
<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
BAKER, Rosalyn H. (C)	✓			
TANIGUCHI, Brian T. (VC)	✓			
NISHIHARA, Clarence K.				✓
WAKAI, Glenn				✓
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:				
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