

**TESTIMONY OF ROBERT TOYOFUKU ON BEHALF OF THE HAWAII
ASSOCIATION FOR JUSTICE (HAJ) IN OPPOSITION TO S.B. NO. 2660**

Monday, February 10, 2014

1:15 pm

To: Chairman Josh Green and Members of the Senate Committee on Health:

My name is Bob Toyofuku and I am presenting testimony on behalf of the Hawaii Association for Justice (HAJ) in OPPOSITION to S.B. No. 2660.

This bill adds a new section to Chapter 321, Hawaii Revised Statutes regarding auto-injectable epinephrine.

HAJ opposes the immunity provisions set forth in this bill on page 3 and 4 in Section 1 (e). This provision provides immunity for an authorized entity, its employees, agents and other trained individuals. The provisions in this bill are broad in scope and the definition of "Authorized entity" on page 6 is much too broad to allow immunity for all those who are or could be involved with regard to epinephrine auto-injectors.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify on this measure. Please feel free to contact me should there be any questions.