

Honolulu, Hawaii

February 11, 2016

RE: H.B. No. 2539
H.D. 1

Honorable Joseph M. Souki
Speaker, House of Representatives
Twenty-Eighth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2016
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Health, to which was referred H.B. No. 2539 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to authorize the establishment of health savings accounts as an alternative to group health insurance, including employer-sponsored group health insurance under the Prepaid Health Care Act.

University Health Alliance; Outrigger Enterprises, Inc.; Hawaii Medical Association; Alexander & Baldwin, Inc.; and an individual supported this measure. The Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs, Department of Labor and Industrial Relations, and Department of the Attorney General commented on this measure.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

- (1) Changing its effective date to July 1, 2070; and
- (2) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for clarity and style.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Health that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 2539, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second



Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 2539, H.D. 1, and
be referred to your Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce.

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

Giulio A. Belatti

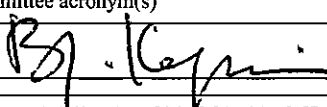
DELLA AU BELATTI, Chair



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The Twenty-eighth Legislature

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Health

Bill/Resolution No.: HB 2539	Committee Referral: HLT, CPC, FIN	Date: 2-8-16		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended (as is) <input checked="" 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)				
HLT Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. BELATTI, Della Au (C)	/			
2. CREAGAN, Richard P. (VC)				/
3. HASHEM, Mark J.	/			
4. JORDAN, Jo	/			
5. KOBAYASHI, Bertrand	/			
6. MORIKAWA, Dee	/			
7. OSHIRO, Marcus R.		/		
8. FUKUMOTO CHANG, Beth				/
9. TUPOLA, Andria P.L.				/
TOTAL (9)	5	1	—	3
The recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. <div style="text-align: center; font-size: small;">committee acronym(s)</div>				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: _____ <div style="text-align: center; font-size: 1.5em;">  </div>				
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