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Measure Title: Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Statewide Health Coordinating Council, Gubernatorial Nominee, JONAGUSTINE LIM, for a term to expire 06-30-2020.

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Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health

GM 690, Gubernatorial Nominee to the Statewide Health Coordinating Council

Testimony of Romala Sue Radcliffe SHPDA Administrator

Thursday, March 24, 2016
9:00 a.m.

1 **Agency's Position:** The State Health Planning and Development Agency supports the
2 nomination and confirmation of Mr. Jonagustine Lim to the Statewide Health Coordinating
3 Council (SHCC).

4 **Fiscal Implications:** None

5 **Purpose and Justification:** The purpose is for the consideration and confirmation of the
6 SHCC Gubernatorial Nominee, Mr. Jonagustine Lim.

7 Mr. Lim is currently the President of LimPacific, Inc. LimPacific, Inc. provides
8 consulting, management and computer/networking support services for government,
9 construction, professional services and non-profit organizations. Mr. Lim also worked for the
10 American Chamber of Commerce in Shanghai, China and the Information and Communication
11 Services Division of the Department of Accounting and General Services for the State of
12 Hawaii.

13 Mr. Lim is active in the community. He is a Member of the Pacific and Asian Affairs
14 Council and is currently serving as the Chair for the Honolulu Subarea Health Planning
15 Council. He is a former 2009 Fellow for the Pacific Century Fellows. He was previously Board

1 President for the Alliance for Drama Education and a Member of the Chamber of Commerce of
2 Hawaii.

3 Mr. Lim earned an Executive Master of Business Administration and a Bachelor of
4 Science from the University of Hawaii at Manoa. He is a member of the Beta Gamma Sigma
5 International Business School Honors Society.

6 We ask for your support on the confirmation of Mr. Jonagustine Lim to the Statewide
7 Health Coordinating Council.

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Lilly Ho	Individual	Support	No

Comments: Aloha Chair Baker, Vice Chair Kidani and members of the committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and Health, My name is Lilly Ho and I am writing in support of Jonaugustine Lim to serve on the Statewide Health Coordinating Council. I've had the pleasure of working with Jon for the past couple of years as he is a consultant to our firm. Jon is hardworking, diligent and dependable. He is quick to respond and strives for solutions. Jon would make positive contributions to the Statewide Health Coordinating Council. Please confirm his nomination. Mahalo!

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Melissa Pavlicek	Individual	Support	No

Comments: Aloha, my name is Melissa Pavlicek and I'm writing in support of Jon Lim to serve on the statewide Health Coordinating Council. Jon serves as a dedicated, hard working, thoughtful, diligent and reliable consultant to my small business. He has the integrity and commitment to serve the public interest. He has consistently demonstrated community spirit and a desire to "walk" his values. He would be a valuable contributor to the council. Please favorably consider his nomination.

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Responses by Jonagustine Lim (Applicant for SHCC) below:

(1) *Why do you want to be a member of the Board?*

I have been a SHCC board member for the last 2 years, and a member of the Honolulu SAC (HONSAC) for the last 8 years. I believe it is a person's duty to be involved in their community and I have continually volunteered time and energy every year to do my part.

(2) *What do you perceive are the roles and responsibilities of a member of the Board?*

The SHCC board's main responsibility is to assist SHPDA in Certificate Of Need (CON) applications by making a recommendation on whether to approve or reject. This process provides SHPDA with community (consumer and service provider) input in the CON application hearings.

(3) *In what ways do you feel that you can help protect the consumer?*

As a non-provider member in SHCC, I can provide a voice and a vote for the regular consumer in the CON application hearings.

(4) *Given your understanding of the roles and responsibilities of a Board member, why do you believe that you are qualified for the position? Please include a brief statement of your skills, expertise and knowledge that would aid you as a member of the Board.*

Yes, I have been a member of HONSAC for the last 8 years and of SHCC for the last 2 years. During my term on HONSAC, I have been asked to chair the meetings and have been attentive to the concerns and needs of board members. I run my own business, have an Executive MBA master's degree from the Shidler School of Business and have been participant in other boards as member or as an officer. I believe these experiences and qualities would help me to be an asset to the SHCC.

(5) *What do you hope to accomplish during your term of service?*

I don't have any particular goals while being in SHCC, except to faithfully carry out and fulfill the duties of a board member.

(6) *Name three qualities that best describe you and how these qualities will benefit the Board.*

Optimistic, responsible and sensible.

(7) *Name a previous experience you've had that will be beneficial as a Board member.*

Appointee (partially as Chair), Honolulu SAC (HONSAC), 8 years
Appointee, SHCC, 2 years
Cub Scouts Pack 147, Committee Member, 3 years
Board Member and Chair, Alliance for Drama Education, 5 years

(8) *Can you foresee any possible conflicts of interest that could arise during your service on the Board? How would you overcome conflicts of interest?*

I do not see any conflict as I am not a health industry service provider nor am I married to one. If ever a conflict of interest does arise, I would reclude myself from the meetings or from any vote where there is a conflict.