EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS
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DAVID Y. IGE
GOVERNOR

July 10, 2017   **GOV. MSG. NO. 1254**

The Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi,
   President
   and Members of the Senate
Twenty-Ninth State Legislature
State Capitol, Room 409
Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

The Honorable Scott K. Saiki,
   Speaker and Members of the
   House of Representatives
Twenty-Ninth State Legislature
State Capitol, Room 431
Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

Dear President Kouchi, Speaker Saiki, and Members of the Legislature:

This is to inform you that on July 10, 2017, the following bill was signed into law:

SB984 HD1 CD1   RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION
                       PHYSICIAN
                       ACT 153 (17)

Sincerely,

DAVID Y. IGE
Governor, State of Hawai'i

ACT 153

S.B. NO. 984
H.D. 1
C.D. 1

A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION PHYSICIAN.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

1   SECTION 1. Section 386-1, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is

2 amended by amending the definition of "physician" to read as

3 follows:

4   ""Physician" includes a doctor of medicine, a dentist, a

5 chiropractor, an osteopath, a naturopathic physician, a

6 psychologist, an optometrist, an advanced practice registered

7 nurse, and a podiatrist."

8   SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.

9   SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.
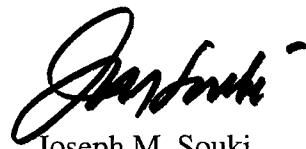
APPROVED this   1 0   day of   JUL   , 2017

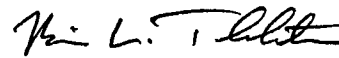GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

SB No. 984, HD 1, CD 1

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

Date: May 2, 2017
Honolulu, Hawaii

We hereby certify that the above-referenced Bill on this day passed Final Reading in the

House of Representatives of the Twenty-Ninth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular

Session of 2017.

Joseph M. Souki
Speaker
House of Representatives

Brian L. Takeshita
Chief Clerk
House of Representatives

THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

Date: May 2, 2017
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

We hereby certify that the foregoing Bill this day passed Final Reading in the

Senate of the Twenty-ninth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2017.

President of the Senate

Clerk of the Senate