
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A SUNRISE REVIEW OF THE
LICENSURE AND REGULATION OF GERONTOLOGISTS.

1 WHEREAS, S.B. No. 541 and H.B. No. 431, introduced during
2 the 2017 Regular Session, propose the licensure and regulation
3 of gerontologists; and
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5 WHEREAS, persons who hold themselves out as gerontologists
6 are not presently required to be licensed, certified,
7 registered, or otherwise regulated by the State; and
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9 WHEREAS, gerontologists are involved in the direct care of
10 older adults, including the creation and implementation of
11 services and programs that meet the needs of Hawaii's aging
12 population; and
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14 WHEREAS, section 26H-6, Hawaii Revised Statutes, requires
15 new measures, subjecting unregulated professions and vocations
16 to licensing or other regulatory controls, to be referred to the
17 Auditor for analysis; now, therefore,
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19 BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the
20 Twenty-ninth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session
21 of 2017, the Senate concurring, that the Auditor is requested to
22 conduct a sunrise review of the licensure and regulation of
23 gerontologists as proposed by S.B. No. 541 and H.B. No. 431,
24 Regular Session of 2017; and
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26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Auditor is further
27 requested to submit findings and recommendations, including any
28 proposed legislation, to the Legislature no later than twenty
29 days prior to the convening of the Regular Session of 2018; and



1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a certified copy of this
2 Concurrent Resolution be transmitted to the Auditor.

