

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

285

Honolulu, Hawaii

February 14, 2017

RE: H.B. No. 558

Honorable Joseph M. Souki  
Speaker, House of Representatives  
Twenty-Ninth State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2017  
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Health, to which was referred H.B. No. 558  
entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE REPEAL OF SECTION 325-15,  
HAWAII REVISED STATUTES,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to repeal the obsolete  
statutory requirement that United States citizens and nationals  
returning to Hawaii after at least five years residence abroad in  
a region with a high rate of communicable disease submit to a  
medical examination to screen for tuberculosis.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure  
from the Department of Health.

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. 558  
and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be referred to your  
Committee on Finance.

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

*Allen A. Belatti*

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DELLA AU BELATTI, Chair



