

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

1222

Honolulu, Hawaii

March 22, 2017

RE: H.C.R. No. 46

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Human Services, to which was referred
H.C.R. No. 46 entitled:

"HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO
CONDUCT A STUDY TO ASSESS THE IMPACT OF USING MEDICAID FUNDS
TO PROVIDE COVERAGE FOR THE TREATMENT FOR HOMELESSNESS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to request the Auditor to
conduct a study to assess the impact of using Medicaid funds to
provide coverage for the treatment of homelessness, including
costs to provide coverage for the chronically homeless population
in the State, and to submit findings and recommendations to the
Legislature prior to the Regular Session of 2018.

An individual testified in support of this measure. An
individual opposed this measure. The Governor's Coordinator on
Homelessness and Department of Human Services commented on this
measure.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your
Committee on Human Services that is attached to this report, your
Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of H.C.R. No. 46 and
recommends that it be referred to your Committee on Finance.

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Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Human Services,



DEE MORIKAWA, Chair



