

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 664

Honolulu, Hawaii  
February 15, 2019

RE: H.B. No. 1422  
H.D. 1

Honorable Scott K. Saiki  
Speaker, House of Representatives  
Thirtieth State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2019  
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Health, to which was referred H.B. No. 1422  
entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to authorize the expenditure  
of base amounts for the operating budgets of certain Department of  
Health (Department) programs for fiscal year (FY) 2019-2020 and FY  
2020-2021.

The Department of Health provided testimony in support of  
this measure.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

- (1) Changing the effective date to July 1, 2050, to promote  
further discussion; and
- (2) Making a nonsubstantive, technical amendment for the  
purpose of clarity and consistency.

Your Committee on Health notes that this measure as written  
only includes the base budget for the Department of Health and  
does not include the base budgetary needs for the Department.

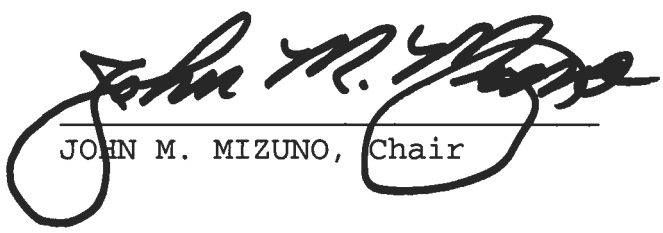
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Should your Committee on Finance deliberate on this measure further, your Committee on Health respectfully requests your Committee on Finance consider the amounts appropriated in the Executive Budget that was transmitted to the Legislature on December 17, 2018, and the Governor's message (GM2) which reflects both the base budget and the additional expenditures for the Department. Your Committee further requests that your Committee on Finance consider appropriating \$22,174,010 for HTH904 - Executive Office on Aging for FY 2020 and the same amount for FY 2021. This decrease, which incorporates both the base budget and the additional requests made in the Executive Budget, reflects a \$1,200,000 decrease in funds for the Kupuna Care program. Finally, your Committee on Health requests that your Committee on Finance consider including both the base budgetary needs and any additional add-ons for the Department in one measure.

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. 1422, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 1422, H.D. 1, and be referred to your Committee on Finance.

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

  
JOHN M. MIZUNO, Chair

