

GM612

Measure Title:	Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the State Board of Nursing, Gubernatorial Nominee, OLIVIA KIM, for a term to expire 06-30-2023.
Report Title:	State Board of Nursing
Current Referral:	CPH

Testimony of the Board of Nursing

**Before the
Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Health
Friday, March 29, 2019
9:30 a.m.
State Capitol, Conference Room 229**

**On the following measure:
G.M. 612, SUBMITTING FOR CONSIDERATION AND CONFIRMATION
TO THE STATE BOARD OF NURSING,
GUBERNATORIAL NOMINEE, OLIVIA KIM,
FOR A TERM TO EXPIRE 06-30-2023**

Chair Baker and Members of the Committee:

My name is Lee Ann Teshima, and I am the Executive Officer of the Board of Nursing (Board). The Board supports the confirmation of Olivia Kim's reappointment to the Board.

Ms. Kim has served on the Board as a licensed practical nurse member since June 2015. She is licensed as a practical nurse, registered nurse, and nursing home administrator. Her vast experience in these areas allows her to be an effective member of the Board, as she is able to address a multitude of practice inquiries.

Ms. Kim is highly respected by her fellow board colleagues, who have elected her to serve as vice chairperson of the Board. Since her original appointment in 2015, she has attended 40 out of 43 meetings and has also represented the Board at the National Council of State Boards of Nursing's annual and mid-year meetings.

Ms. Kim is always prepared for the Board meetings. She performs additional research on agenda items to ensure she can actively participate in discussions and make informed decisions and recommendations.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify on this measure.

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Testimony for CPH on 3/29/2019 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Jomel Duldulao	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

To Whom It May Concern,

I've had the pleasure to work with Olivia Kim over the past 8 years. As the Director of Community Relations with Bristol Hospice Hawaii, I have had the privilege of working cases together with Olivia in her facilities to help her residents and families with hospice care.

Olivia has always been very professional, genuine and wonderful to work with whenever we were serving her residents.

I thoroughly enjoy working professionally with Olivia and came to know her as a great leader and inspiration to her organization. Her knowledge of caring, her understanding, patience and being organized is a true sentiment to her profession, and I know that she will continue to be a beneficial addition to the State Board of Nursing.

Please feel free to email me at Jomel.duldulao@bristolhospice.com as I'd be happy to expand on my recommendation.

Best wishes,

Jomel Duldulao

Director of Community Relations

Bristol Hospice Hawaii, LLC

March 28, 2019

To: Nomination for Hawaii State Board of Nursing 2nd term

Fr: Dr. Katharyn F. Daub

Re: Nomination of Olivia Kim, Hawaii State Board of Nursing Vice Chair

I am very please to submit testimony on behalf of Olivia Kim, BSN, RN for a second term on the Hawaii State Board of Nursing. Ms. Kim is consistently well prepared and has stepped up to the leadership of Vice Chair and on occasion she also chairs our Hawaii State Board of Nursing meetings.

She is well informed on the state regulatory statues for Nursing facilities as well as standards of care for LPNs as well as RNs. She adds much to the meetings and also researches areas of question to assist the board members.

I find Ms. Kim so very valuable to us as board members and I thank you for your consideration in nominating Ms. Kim for a second term .

Very truly yours,

Katharyn F. Daub

Hawaii Island

State Board of Nursing Member