

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

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Honolulu, Hawaii

February 6, 2019

RE: H.B. No. 527  
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. 527  
entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS  
CORPORATION,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to appropriate funds to  
establish a full-time cardiac catheterization laboratory at the Hilo  
Medical Center.

The Mayor's Office of the County of Hawai'i, Hawaii Health  
Systems Corporation, East Hawaii Region of Hawaii Health Systems  
Corporation, Hilo Medical Center Foundation, American Heart  
Association, United Public Workers AFSCME Local 646, AFL-CIO, O'ahu  
County Committee on Legislative Priorities of the Democratic Party  
of Hawai'i, and many individuals testified in support of this  
measure. One individual testified in opposition to this measure.

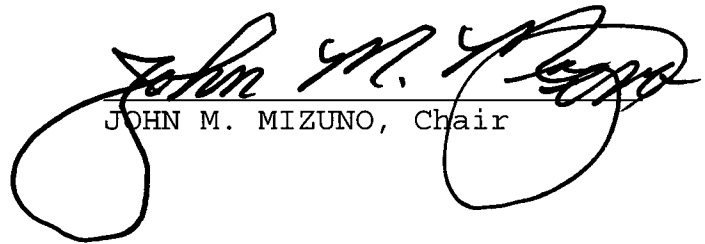
Your Committee has amended this measure by changing its  
effective date to July 1, 2050, to promote further discussion with  
the Hawaii Health Systems Corporation on determining ways to  
balance this funding request and offsetting the proposed cost with  
reductions in programs or services found elsewhere in the Hawaii  
Health Systems Corporation's budget.

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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. 527, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 527, 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



