

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 4046

Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 21 2022

RE: GOV. MSG. NOS. 630,
631

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi
President of the Senate
Thirty-First State Legislature
Regular Session of 2022
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, to which was referred Governor's Message Nos. 630 and 631, submitting for study and consideration the nominations of:

BOARD OF DENTISTRY

G.M. No. 630 STAPHE FUJIMOTO,
for a term to expire 06-30-2025; and

G.M. No. 631 JOY SHIMABUKU,
for a term to expire 06-30-2025,

begs leave to report as follows:

Your Committee reviewed the personal histories, resumes, and statements submitted by Stapeh Fujimoto and Joy Shimabuku for service on the Board of Dentistry.

STAPHE FUJIMOTO

Your Committee received testimony in support of the nomination for the appointment of Stapeh Fujimoto from the Board of Dentistry, Hawaii Dental Association, and one individual.

Upon review of the testimony, your Committee finds that Dr. Fujimoto's experience, knowledge, and proven leadership on the Board of Dentistry qualify him for appointment to the Board as a licensed dentist member. Your Committee notes that Dr. Fujimoto has been a licensed dentist in Hawaii since 1985. Dr. Fujimoto is also a member of a number of professional organizations, including



the Honolulu County Dental Society, Hawaii Dental Association, American Dental Association, and American Association of Endodontists. Your Committee further finds that Dr. Fujimoto previously served on the Board of Dentistry from 2012 to 2020, including serving as Chairperson, and has most recently served on the Board since 2019. Dr. Fujimoto currently serves as an examiner for dental licensure examinations, attends regional examinations and meetings, and is a member of the Steering Committee of the Central Regional Dental Testing Service, Inc. Dr. Fujimoto's experience and knowledge will continue to be assets to the Board of Dentistry. Your Committee therefore recommends that Stapeh Fujimoto be appointed to the Board of Dentistry based on his experience, knowledge, and commitment to public service.

JOY SHIMABUKU

Your Committee received testimony in support of the nomination for the appointment of Joy Shimabuku from the Board of Dentistry and two individuals.

Upon review of the testimony, your Committee finds that Mrs. Shimabuku's background and dedication to serving the public qualify her to be appointed to the Board of Dentistry as a public member. Your Committee notes that Mrs. Shimabuku has been a licensed cosmetologist for over fifty years, is a small business owner, and also a licensed real estate agent. Mrs. Shimabuku is an active member in professional and community organizations, including the Professional Beauty Association and Kaimuki Business and Professional Association. Mrs. Shimabuku further serves as a cosmetology instructor and volunteer trainer and previously served as Chair of the American Cancer Society "Look Good, Feel Better" program and Senior Assistant Instructor for the Okinawan Cultural Dance Troupe. Your Committee finds that Mrs. Shimabuku has a thorough understanding of the role and responsibilities of board members and previously served on the Board of Dentistry from 2014 to 2021 and her experience will continue to enhance the effectiveness of Board. Your Committee therefore recommends that Joy Shimabuku be appointed to the Board of Dentistry based on her knowledge, background, and dedication to public service.

As affirmed by the records of votes of the members of your Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection that are attached to this report, your Committee, after full consideration of the background, experience, and qualifications of the nominees, has found the nominees to be qualified for the positions to which



nominated and recommends that the Senate advise and consent to the nominations.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Commerce and
Consumer Protection,

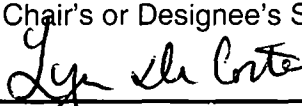


ROSALYN H. BAKER, Chair



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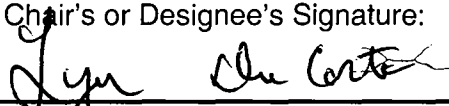
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CHANG, Stanley (VC)	/			
DECOITE, Lynn	/			
NISHIHARA, Clarence K.	/			
RIVIERE, Gil	/			
SAN BUENAVENTURA, Joy A.	/			
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