

Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 28 2022

RE: S.B. No. 2017  
S.D. 1  
H.D. 2  
C.D. 1

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

Honorable Scott K. Saiki  
Speaker, House of Representatives  
Thirty-First State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2022  
State of Hawaii

Sirs:

Your Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the Senate to the amendments proposed by the House of Representatives in S.B. No. 2017, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES,"

having met, and after full and free discussion, has agreed to recommend and does recommend to the respective Houses the final passage of this bill in an amended form.

The purpose of this measure is to repeal existing law that limits licensure as an Emergency Medical Technician 1 to individuals whose practice is performed in a county with a population of five hundred thousand or greater.

Your Committee on Conference finds that Act 119, Session Laws of Hawaii 2021, limited the new licensure category for emergency medical technicians who only have a National Registry Emergency Medical Technician certification to individuals practicing in counties with a population of five hundred thousand or greater, which excluded persons who meet the criteria for licensure in non-qualifying counties. This measure will eliminate the geographic



restriction and expand licensure to all National Registry of  
Emergency Medical Technicians throughout the State.


Your Committee on Conference has amended this measure by  
changing the effective date to upon its approval.


As affirmed by the record of votes of the managers of your  
Committee on Conference that is attached to this report, your  
Committee on Conference is in accord with the intent and purpose of  
S.B. No. 2017, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, as amended herein, and recommends  
that it pass Final Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B.  
No. 2017, S.D. 1, H.D. 2, C.D. 1.

Respectfully submitted on behalf  
of the managers:

ON THE PART OF THE HOUSE

ON THE PART OF THE SENATE

  
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RYAN T. YAMANE  
Co-Chair

  
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CLARENCE K. NISHIHARA  
Chair

  
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LISA KITAGAWA  
Co-Chair

  
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JARRETT KEOHOKALOLE  
Co-Chair

  
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ROSALYN H. BAKER  
Co-Chair



Record of Votes of a  
Conference Committee

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The recommendation of the House and Senate managers is to pass with amendments (CD).

The Committee is reconsidering its previous decision.

<input type="checkbox"/> The recommendation of the Senate Manager(s) is to AGREE to the House amendments made to the Senate Measure	<input type="checkbox"/> The recommendation of the House Manager(s) is to AGREE to the Senate amendments made to the House Measure.
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Senate Managers	A	WR	N	E	House Managers	A	WR	N	E
NISHIHARA, Clarence K., Chr.	/				YAMANE, Ryan I., Co-Chr.	/			
KEOHOKALOOLE, Jarrett, Co-Chr.	/				KITAGAWA, Lisa, Co-Chr.	/			
BAKER, Rosalyn H., Co-Chr.	/				TAM, Adrian K.	/			
RIVIERE, Gil	/				WARD, Gene	/			
FEVELLA, Kurt	/								
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>

A = Aye                      WR = Aye with Reservations                      N = Nay                      E = Excused

Senate Recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted	House Recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted
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Senate Lead Chair's or Designee's Signature: 	House Lead Chair's or Designee's Signature: 
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