

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

579

Honolulu, Hawaii

February 25, 2015

RE: H.B. No. 696  
H.D. 1

Honorable Joseph M. Souki  
Speaker, House of Representatives  
Twenty-Eighth State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2015  
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Labor & Public Employment, to which was referred H.B. No. 696, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to establish the Hawaii Healthcare Workforce Advisory Board to advise the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations in fulfilling the objectives for socio-cultural advancement relating to health under the Hawaii State Planning Act, specifically those relating to healthcare industry and workforce development.

The Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs, University of Hawai'i, The Chamber of Commerce of Hawaii, 'Ohana Health Plan, and Hawai'i Association of Health Plans submitted testimony in support of this measure. The Department of Labor and Industrial Relations provided comments on this measure. One individual submitted testimony in opposition to this measure.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Labor & Public Employment that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 696, H.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Third Reading.

HB696 HD1 HSCR LAB HMS 2015-1981



Respectfully submitted on  
behalf of the members of the  
Committee on Labor & Public  
Employment,



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MARK M. NAKASHIMA, Chair



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House of Representatives  
The Twenty-eighth Legislature

Record of Votes of the Committee on Labor & Public Employment

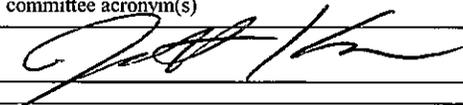
Bill/Resolution No.: <b>HB 696 HD1</b>	Committee Referral: <b>HLT, LAB</b>	Date: <b>2/17/15</b>
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The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.

The recommendation is to:  Pass, unamended (as is)     Pass, with amendments (HD)     Hold  
 Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)

LAB Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. NAKASHIMA, Mark M. (C)	/			
2. KEOHOKALOLE, Jarrett (VC)	/			
3. AQUINO, Henry J.C.	/			
4. HAR, Sharon E.	/			
5. ICHIYAMA, Linda	/			
6. JOHANSON, Aaron Ling	/			
7. LOPRESTI, Matthew S.	/			
8. SAN BUENAVENTURA, Joy A.	/			
9. TAKAYAMA, Gregg	/			
10. TAKUMI, Roy M.	/			
11. YAMASHITA, Kyle T.	/			
12. TUPOLA, Andria P.L.	/			
<b>TOTAL (12)</b>	<b>12</b>			

The recommendation is:  Adopted     Not Adopted  
 If joint referral, \_\_\_\_\_ did not support recommendation.  
committee acronym(s)

Vice Chair's or designee's signature: 

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