STAND. COM. REP. NO. 6

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Honolulu, Hawaii **Jan-729**, 2008 RE: H.B. No. 1993

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Fourth State Legislature Regular Session of 2008 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Health, to which was referred H.B. No. 1993 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to ensure continuous, costeffective care for Hawaii residents who are uninsured by appropriating funds to provide direct health care to the uninsured, including primary medical, dental, and behavioral health care through our community health centers.

The Healthcare Association of Hawaii, Hawaii Primary Care Association, Consumer Lawyers of Hawaii, NAMI Hawaii, Ho'ola Lahui Hawaii, Waimanalo Health Center, Waikiki Health Center, ILWU Local 142, Hawaii Chapter of the American Physical Therapy Association, Waianae Coast Comprehensive Health Center, and several concerned individuals supported this bill. The Department of Health supported the intent of this measure.

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. 1993 and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.



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Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Health,

JOSHNA B. GREEN, M.D., Chair



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Record of Votes of the Committee on Health

Bill/Resolution No.:	Committee Referral:		Date: 1-23-08	
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)				
HLT Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. GREEN, Josh, M.D. (C)				
2. MIZUNO, John (VC)				
3. AWANA, Karen Leinani				
4. BELATTI, Della Au				
5. BERTRAM, Joe, III				
6. CABANILLA, Rida T.R.				
7. RHOADS, Karl				
7. KHOADS, Kall				
8. SHIMABUKURO, Maile S. L.				\sim
9. TOKIOKA, James Kunane				
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10. WARD, Gene, Ph.D.			<u> </u>	
TOTAL (10)	9			/
The recommendation is: Image: Adopted lif joint referral, did not support recommendation If joint referral,				
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Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
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