STAND. COM. REP. NO. **\$49** -08

Honolulu, Hawaii

Fe 729, 2008

RE: H.B. No. 2151 H.D. 1

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred H.B. No. 2151, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CAPTIVE INSURANCE,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to help lower increasing medical malpractice insurance costs for physicians and improve patient access to medical care by establishing a medical malpractice captive insurance company to provide affordable medical malpractice insurance coverage to self-employed physicians practicing in the state.

The Hawaii Association of Health Plans and a concerned individual supported this bill. The Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs and Hawaii Insurers Council opposed this measure.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Finance that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 2151, H.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Third Reading.

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

MARCUS R. OSHIRO, Chair

## State of Hawaii House of Representatives The Twenty-fourth Legislature



## **Record of Votes of the Committee on Finance**

Bill/Resolution No.:	Committee Referral:		Date:		
HB 2151	FIN		2-25-2008		
$\Box$ The committee is reconsidering its pre-	vious 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)					
FIN Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused	
1. OSHIRO, Marcus R. (C)				X	
2. LEE, Marilyn B. (VC)	<b>X</b>				
3. AWANA, Karen Leinani					
4. BELATTI, Della Au	×				
5. BROWER, Tom					
6. CARROLL, Mele				X	
7. HANOHANO, Faye P.					
8. HAR, Sharon E.					
9. KARAMATSU, Jon Riki					
10. MAGAOAY, Michael Y.					
11. MANAHAN, Joey					
12. MIZUNO, John					
13. NAKASONE, Bob					
14. RHOADS, Karl					
15. SAGUM, Roland D., III				X	
16. TOKIOKA, James Kunane	人				
17. MEYER, Colleen Rose		1			
18. PINE, Kymberly Marcos		X			
19. WARD, Gene, Ph.D.		X			
TOTAL (19)	12	3	ф	4	
The recommendation is:  Adopted  If joint referral, did not support recommendation.  committee acronym(s)					
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:					
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