

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 1173

Honolulu, Hawaii

March 2, 2007

RE: H.B. No. 223

H.D. 3

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say  
Speaker, House of Representatives  
Twenty-Fourth State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2007  
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred H.B. No. 223, H.D. 2, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH CARE SERVICES,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to support Hawaii's health care safety net by establishing the Health Care Reinvestment Fund (Reinvestment Fund) and Health Insurance Support Special Fund (Support Fund) to be used for certain health care facilities, funds, programs, and services.

The Hawaii Health Systems Corporation, Healthcare Association of Hawaii, Hawaii Medical Association, Hawaii Pacific Health, and a concerned individual testified in support of this bill. The Department of Health opposed this measure.

Your Committee has amended this bill by:

- (1) Changing the effective date to July 1, 2020, to encourage further discussion; and
- (2) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for clarity, consistency, and style.

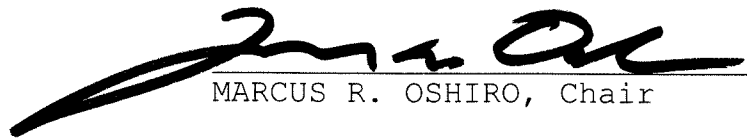
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As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Finance that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 223, H.D. 2, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Third Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 223, H.D. 3.

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

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

Bill/Resolution No.: <b>HB 223 HD2</b>		Date: <b>2/26/07</b>		
Committee Referral: <b>HET/HSH, LAB, FIN</b>		<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.		
The recommendation is to: <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments		
<input type="checkbox"/> Hold		<input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments, for recommittal for further consideration		
FIN Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. OSHIRO, Marcus R. (C)	✓			
2. LEE, Marilyn B. (VC)	✓			
3. BELATTI, Della Au	✓			
4. BROWER, Tom	✓			
5. CARROLL, Mele	✓			
6. CHONG, Pono	✓			
7. HANOHANO, Faye P.	.			✓
8. HAR, Sharon E.	✓			
9. MAGAOAY, Michael Y.	✓			
10. MANAHAN, Joey	✓			
11. MIZUNO, John	✓			
12. NAKASONE, Bob	✓			
13. RHOADS, Karl	✓			
14. SAGUM, Roland D., III	✓			
15. TOKIOKA, James Kunane	✓			
16. AWANA, Karen Leinani	✓			
17. MEYER, Colleen Rose	.			✓
18. WARD, Gene, Ph.D.	.			✓
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>
The recommendation is: <input type="checkbox"/> Adopted				
<input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. committee acronym(s)				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: 				
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