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Kauai Student Delegates Visit Senator Ronald D. Kouchi at the State Capitol

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Photo Caption: High school students from Kauai attending the 2011 Hawaii Secondary Student Conference (SSC) visit with Senator Ronald D. Kouchi (D- Kauai, Niihau) at the State Capitol on Thursday November 30, 2011.

Background:

High school and middle school students from across the State gathered at the Hawaii State Capitol for the Hawaii Secondary Student Conference from November 30 to December 2, 2011.

Student delegates met to discuss key issues, participate in hearings and floor sessions, and voted on resolutions. During their time at the Capitol, delegates also had the opportunity to meet with legislators and listen to guest speakers.

The SSC is an annual conference for selected secondary students established by ACT 94, which was signed into law on June 16, 1970 by Governor John A. Burns. The purpose of SSC is to provide secondary school students the opportunity to identify, discuss and arrive at recommended solutions to major youth problems, with emphasis on school problems that require the attention and joint action by the students, the Department of Education and the Hawaii State Legislature.

(photo courtesy: Office of Senator Ronald D. Kouchi)

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