

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

1482

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 21 , 2025

RE: S.B. No. 1393
S.D. 1
H.D. 2

Honorable Nadine K. Nakamura
Speaker, House of Representatives
Thirty-Third State Legislature
Regular Session of 2025
State of Hawaii

Madame:

Your Committee on Water & Land, to which was referred S.B.
No. 1393, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE USE OF PUBLIC LANDS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to require the School
Facilities Authority to consult with the Department of Education
or other impacted department or agency before any transfer or
lease of land or property owned or occupied by the Department of
Education or other impacted department or agency to the School
Facilities Authority.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure
from the Department of Education. Your Committee received
comments on this measure from the School Facilities Authority.

Your Committee finds that the School Facilities Authority
(Authority) is charged with the responsibility for all public
schools' development, planning, and construction related to
capital improvement projects that are assigned by the State. Your
Committee further finds that requiring the Authority to consult
with the Department of Education or other impacted departments or
agencies prior to the transfer of lands to the Authority will
ensure the State provides an optimal learning and teaching

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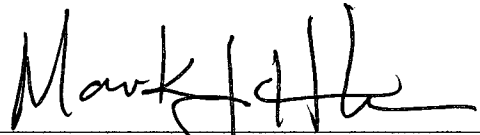
environment for all students and teachers while maintaining a streamlined land transfer process.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

- (1) Repealing language requiring the Department of Education to transfer the title of lands held by the Department of Education to the Authority upon request of the Authority; and
- (2) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for the purposes of clarity, consistency, and style.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Water & Land that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 1393, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it be referred to your Committee on Judiciary & Hawaiian Affairs in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 1393, S.D. 1, H.D. 2.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Water & Land,



MARK J. HASHEM, Chair



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Bill/Resolution No.: BB 1393 SDI HD1	Committee Referral: BDN, WAL, JHA	Date: 3/18/25		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended (as is) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments (HD) <input type="checkbox"/> Hold <input type="checkbox"/> Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)				
WAL Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. HASHEM, Mark J. (C)	✓			
2. LAMOSAO, Rachele F. (VC)	✓			
3. BELATTI, Della Au	✓			
4. ICHIYAMA, Linda				✓
5. IWAMOTO, Kim Coco	✓			
6. MORIKAWA, Dee	✓			
7. POEPOE, Mahina	✓			
8. WOODSON, Justin H.				✓
9. SHIMIZU, Garner M.	✓			
10. SOUZA, Kanani	✓			
TOTAL (10)	0	0	0	2
The recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation.				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: _____				
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