Honolulu, Hawaii

Mirch 19, 2008

RE: H.C.R. No. 123 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 Education, to which was referred H.C.R. No. 123 entitled:

"HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY ON THE APPROPRIATE ACCOUNTABILITY STRUCTURE FOR THE HAWAII TEACHER STANDARDS BOARD,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to request to the Hawaii Teachers Standards Board (HTSB) to conduct a study on the appropriate accountability structure for the HTSB.

The Hawaii State Teachers Association testified in support of the measure. The Department of Education, HTSB, and a concerned individual made comments on the resolution.

Your committee has amended this measure by:

- (1) Adding language to increasing the scope of the study to include models from other states.
- (2) Making technical, non-substantive amendments for clarity, consistency, and style.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Education that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of H.C.R. No. 123, as amended herein, and recommends that it be referred to the

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Committee on Finance in the form attached hereto as H.C.R. No. 123, H.D. 1.

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

ROY TAKUMI, Chair

HSCR 1251-88

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Education

HCR 123	EDN, FIN	Date		W P
HCR 123 EDN, FIN 3-14-2008 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)				
EDN Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
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12. CHING, Corinne W.L.				
13. FINNEGAN, Lynn				
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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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