STAND. COM. REP. NO. 874

Honolulu, Hawaii

March 8 , 2011

RE: H.B. No. 1540

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Sixth State Legislature Regular Session of 2011 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred H.B. No. 1540 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to help ensure that public school teachers are sufficiently qualified by making permanent statutory provisions that:

- (1) Require unlicensed teachers hired on an emergency basis prior to July 1, 2008, to become licensed within four years of the date of employment; and
- (2) Limit the maximum employment period for teachers hired on an emergency basis on or after July 1, 2008, to three years.

The Department of Education supported this bill.

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. 1540 and recommends that it pass Third Reading.

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

MARCUS R. OSHIRO, Chair

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

BHI/Resolution No.:	Committee Referral:	Date:	2601	. /
HB 1540	EDN/LAB, FI	N I	1/8/1	1
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)				
FIN Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. OSHIRO, Marcus R. (C)	V			
2. LEE, Marilyn B. (VC)	V			
3. CHONG, Pono	V			
4. CHOY, Isaac W.	V.			
5. COFFMAN, Denny	V			:
6. CULLEN, Ty	V			
7. HAR, Sharon E.	V			
8. HASHEM, Mark J.	V			
9. ICHIYAMA, Linda	U			
10. JORDAN, Jo	V			
11. LEE, Chris	$\nu$			
12. MORIKAWA, Dee	V.			
13. TOKIOKA, James Kunane	$\nu$			
14. YAMASHITA, Kyle T.	$\nu$			
15. MARUMOTO, Barbara C.	V			
16. RIVIERE, Gil	V.			
17. WARD, Gene	$\nu$			
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TOTAL (17)	17	0	0	$\bigcirc$
The recommendation is: Adopted D Not Adopted				
If joint referral, did not support recommendation.				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: Mail 3 Lee				
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