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A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 37D-1, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
- 2 amended by amending the definition of "agency" to read as
- 3 follows:
- 4 ""Agency" means the judiciary, any executive department,
- 5 independent commission, board, authority, bureau, office,
- 6 charter school, including any organization formed for the
- 7 purpose of supporting a charter school that has been determined
- 8 to be exempt from taxation under section 501(c)(3) of the
- 9 Internal Revenue Code, other establishment of the State (except
- 10 the legislature and its agencies), or public corporation that is
- 11 supported in whole or in part by state funds, or any agent
- 12 thereof, authorized by law to expend available moneys; provided
- 13 that the Hawaii health systems corporation and its regional
- 14 system boards shall not be governed by this chapter for any
- 15 financing agreement unless it elects to be."
- 16 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.

1 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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S.B. NO. 3045

Report Title:

Charter Schools; Chapter 37D; Authorized Agencies Allowed to Enter into Financing Agreements

Description:

Allows charter schools, including certain charitable organizations formed to support charter schools, to be included as an agency authorized to enter into financing agreements.

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