STAND. COM. REP. NO. 2029

Honolulu, Hawaii

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RE: S.B. No. 2543

Honorable Shan S. Tsutsui President of the Senate Twenty-Sixth State Legislature Regular Session of 2012 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred S.B. No. 2543 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to:

- (1) Amend section 302A-1502.4, Hawaii Revised Statutes, relating to the Hawaii 3R's school repair and maintenance fund, for housekeeping and other purposes; and
- (2) Repeal section 302A-401.5, Hawaii Revised Statutes, relating to the Hawaii teacher cadet program fund.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Office of the Governor and Hawaii 3R's. Your Committee received comments on this measure from the Department of Education.

Your Committee finds that this measure will streamline section 302A-1502.4, Hawaii Revised Statutes, while still supporting the important work of Hawaii 3R's in repairing, remodeling, and restoring our public schools.

Your Committee further finds that the Hawaii teacher cadet program is no longer a viable entity and it requested that the Legislature repeal the Hawaii teacher cadet program fund.

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As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Education that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 2543 and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

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

JILL TOKUDA, Chair

The Senate Twenty-Sixth Legislature State of Hawai'i

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The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure.					
If so, then the previous decision was to:					
The Recommendation is:					
Pass, unamended Pass, with amendments Hold Recommit 2312 2311 2310 2313					
Members		Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
TOKUDA, Jill N. (C)					
KIDANI, Michelle N. (VC)		1/			
CHUN OAKLAND, Suzanne		V			
NISHIHARA, Clarence K.					
TANIGUCHI, Brian T.					
SLOM, Sam					
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Chair's or Designee's Signature:					
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