

Honolulu, Hawaii March 4, 2016 RE: H.B. No. 2266 H.D. 2

Honorable Joseph M. Souki Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Eighth State Legislature Regular Session of 2016 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred H.B. No. 2266, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR EARLY LEARNING,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to ensure that the Executive Office on Early Learning (EOEL) has the necessary staffing and support to ensure a solid foundation for Hawaii's young children by appropriating funds for:

- (1) Travel for the Early Learning Advisory Board;
- (2) A secretary IV position for the EOEL; and
- (3) A data processing systems analyst VI position for the EOEL.

Kamehameha Schools, the State Early Learning Advisory Board, Hawaii Children's Action Network, the Chamber of Commerce Hawaii and one individual testified in support of this measure. EOEL provided comments.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

 Appropriating funds for a research statistician IV position for the EOEL instead of a data processing systems analyst VI position; and

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(2) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for clarity, consistency, and style.

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. 2266, H.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Third Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 2266, H.D. 2.

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

UKE, Chair



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Record of Votes of the Committee on Finance

Bill/Resolution No.:	Committee Referral:			
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□ The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: Dass, unamended (as is) Pass, with amendments (HD) D Hold				
Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)				
FIN Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. LUKE, Sylvia (C)				
2. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y. (VC)				
3. CACHOLA, Romy M.				
4. CULLEN, Ty J.K.				
5. DeCOITE, Lynn				
6. JOHANSON, Aaron Ling				
7. JORDAN, Jo				
8. KEOHOKALOLE, Jarrett				
9. KOBAYASHI, Bertrand				
10. LoPRESTI, Matthew S.				
11. LOWEN, Nicole E.				
12. ONISHI, Richard H.K.				
13. TOKIOKA, James Kunane				
14. YAMASHITA, Kyle T.				
15. POUHA, Feki	/			
16. WARD, Gene				
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TOTAL (16)	14			2
The recommendation is: Adopted If joint referral, did not support recommendation.				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature.				
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