STAND. COM. REP. NO.

441

Honolulu, Hawaii

February 20 , 2015

RE: H.B. No. 607 H.D. 1

Honorable Joseph M. Souki Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Eighth State Legislature Regular Session of 2015 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred H.B. No. 607 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EARLY LEARNING,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to amend the composition of the Early Learning Advisory Board (Board) to ensure that the counties of Hawaii, Kauai, and Maui are adequately represented.

A concerned individual testified in support of this measure.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

- (1) Inserting an unspecified appropriation for the travel costs of the neighbor island members of the Board; and
- (2) Making technical, nonsubstantive changes for the purposes of 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 is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 607, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 607, H.D. 1, and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

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

ROY M. TAKUMI, Chair

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Education

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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
1. TAKUMI, Roy M. (C)	~			
2. OHNO, Takashi (VC)				
3. AQUINO, Henry J.C.				V
4. CHOY, Isaac W.				_
5. ICHIYAMA, Linda				-
6. ING, Kaniela	└			,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
7. ITO, Ken				
8. KONG, Sam Satoru	·			
9. LOPRESTI, Matthew S.		- April 1944		
10. SAY, Calvin K.Y.	~			
11. TSUJI, Clift	<u></u>			
12. MATSUMOTO, Lauren Kealohila	ani ,			
13. TUPOLA, Andria P.L.				
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TOTAL (13)	10	0	0	3
The recommendation is: Adopted If joint referral, did not support recommendation. committee acronym(s)				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: Jakeslii 3m				
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