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Honolulu, Hawaii

## MAR 2 4 2017

RE: H.B. No. 1231 H.D. 1

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi President of the Senate Twenty-Ninth State Legislature Regular Session of 2017 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred H.B. No. 1231, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO DISASTER RELIEF,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to:

- Specify instances in which the Department of Education may retain federal reimbursements for disaster relief; and
- (2) Clarify that the Department of Education may carry over funds received as a disaster relief appropriation or reimbursement.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Department of Education. Your Committee received comments on this measure from the Department of Budget and Finance.

Your Committee finds that expenditures for disaster and emergency relief made by state agencies, including the Department of Education, are eligible for federal reimbursements. Your Committee further finds that, in the event that reimbursement is delayed and the original appropriation has lapsed, the reimbursement will go to the state treasury. This measure will



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ensure that the Department of Education can retain and use federal reimbursements for their original intended purpose in the event of a disaster.

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. 1231, H.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be referred to your Committee on Ways and Means.

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

MICHELLE N. KIDANI, Chair



## The Senate Twenty-Ninth 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
KIDANI, Michelle N. (C)					
KAHELE, Kaialiʻi (VC)		/			
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M.					
ESPERO, Will					/
RIVIERE, Gil					
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