STAND. COM. REP. NO. 29

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Honolulu, Hawaii
Rbuam 14, 2017

RE: H.B. No. 501 H.D. 1

Honorable Joseph M. Souki Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Ninth State Legislature Regular Session of 2017 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred H.B. No. 501 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to expand the Department of Education's national certification incentive program to include school psychologists and to authorize financial bonuses for school psychologists in designated schools that improve and no longer carry a certain designation.

The Hawai'i Association of School Psychologists, Hawaii State Teachers Association, Hawaii Government Employees Association, and National Association of School Psychologists supported this measure. The Department of Education submitted comments.

Your Committee has amended the measure by changing its effective date to July 1, 2051, to encourage further discussion.

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. 501 and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 501, H.D. 1, and be referred to your 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

Bill/Resolution No.: H 550 Committee		Date 2	16/17	
θ The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: θ Pass, unamended (as is) Pass, with amendments (HD) θ Hold θ 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)	X			
2. HAR, Sharon E. (VC)	X,			
3. CREAGAN, Richard P.	X			
4. HASHEM, Mark J.	X			
5. ING, Kaniela	X			
6. OHNO, Takashi				3
7. ONISHI, Richard H.K.	χ	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		2.7.1.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.
8. WOODSON, Justin H.	χ,			
9. MATSUMOTO, Lauren Kealohilani	χ			
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TOTAL (9)	9			
The recommendation is: Adopted If joint referral, committee acrossm(s) O Not Adopted did not support recommendation.				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
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