STAND. COM. REP. NO. 3648

Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 0 6 2018

RE: H.B. No. 2679

H.D. 1 S.D. 2

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi President of the Senate Twenty-Ninth State Legislature Regular Session of 2018 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred H.B. No. 2679, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING THE TRANSFER OF LANDS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to require the City and County of Honolulu to transfer various parcels of real property to the Department of Education.

This measure also authorizes the Department of Education to hold title to certain real property.

Your Committee received written comments in support of this measure from the Department of Education, Building Industry Association of Hawaii, and Hawaii State Teachers Association.

Your Committee received written comments in opposition to this measure from Aina Haina Community Association.

The Department of the Attorney General, Department of Land and Natural Resources, and Office of Hawaiian Affairs submitted written comments on this measure.

Your Committee finds that transfer of certain parcels of land from the City and County of Honolulu to the Department of

Education will allow the Department to better manage the real property on which schools are located and will remove significant barriers that the Department has encountered in the past when attempting to redevelop those parcels.

Your Committee has amended this measure by making technical nonsubstantive amendments for purposes of clarity, consistency, and style.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Ways and Means that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 2679, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Third Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 2679, H.D. 1, S.D. 2.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Ways and Means,

DONOVAN M. DELA CRUZ, Ch

The Senate Twenty-Ninth Legislature State of Hawaiʻi

Record of Votes Committee on Ways and Means WAM

Bill / Resolution No.:* HB 2679 HD1 SD1	Committee Referral:			Date: 4/4/18	
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
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M. (C)		X			
KEITH-AGARAN, Gilbert S.C. (VC)		X			
ENGLISH, J. Kalani		×			
GALUTERIA, Brickwood		×			
HARIMOTO, Breene		×			
INOUYE, Lorraine R.		X			
KAHELE, Kaiali'i		X			
KIDANI, Michelle N.		X			
RIVIERE, Gil		X			
SHIMABUKURO, Maile S.L.		X			
WAKAI, Glenn		X			
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TOTAL		11	0	0	0
Recommendation: Adopted Not Adopted					
Chair's or Designee's Signature:					
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