

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 3225

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 17 2022

RE: H.B. No. 2000
H.D. 1
S.D. 1

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi
President of the Senate
Thirty-First State Legislature
Regular Session of 2022
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred H.B. No. 2000, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to appropriate funds to the School Facilities Authority for the construction of preschool facilities.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the School Facilities Authority, Executive Office on Early Learning, State Public Charter School Commission, Early Learning Board, Hawaii Children's Action Network Speaks!, Hawaii State Teachers Association, and Kamehameha Schools.

Your Committee finds that high quality early education improves future outcomes for Hawaii's young children in education and beyond. Your Committee further finds, however, that there is presently a critical shortage of preschool and related early education facilities throughout the State. Accordingly, this measure will increase access to high quality early education in the State by appropriating funds for the construction of preschool facilities, and is intended to include Department of Education schools and state public charter schools.



Your Committee has amended this measure by changing its effective date to July 1, 2051.

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. 2000, H.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 2000, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, and be referred to your Committee on Ways and Means.

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

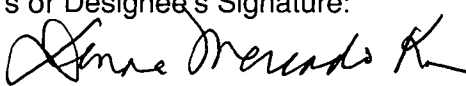


MICHELLE N. KIDANI, Chair



The Senate
 Thirty-First Legislature
 State of Hawai'i

Record of Votes
Committee on Education
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Bill / Resolution No.:*	Committee Referral:	Date:
HB2000, HD1	EDU, WAM	3/14/22
<input type="checkbox"/> The Committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure. If so, then the previous decision was to: _____		
The Recommendation is:		
<input type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311 <input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310 <input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313		
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)
Nay	Excused	
KIDANI, Michelle N. (C)	/	
KIM, Donna Mercado (VC)	/	
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M.		/
KANUHA, Dru Mamo	/	
FEVELLA, Kurt	/	
TOTAL	4	1
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted		
Chair's or Designee's Signature: 		
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