



GOV. MSG. NO. 1161

EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS
HONOLULU

DAVID Y. IGE
GOVERNOR

JUN 17 2022

The Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi,
President
and Members of the Senate
Thirty-First State Legislature
State Capitol, Room 409
Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

The Honorable Scott K. Saiki,
Speaker and Members of the
House of Representatives
Thirty-First State Legislature
State Capitol, Room 431
Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

Dear President Kouchi, Speaker Saiki, and Members of the Legislature:

This is to inform you that on JUN 17 2022, the following bill was signed into law:

HB2248 HD1 SD2

RELATING TO SCHOOLS.
ACT 061

Sincerely,

DAVID Y. IGE
Governor, State of Hawai'i

A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO SCHOOLS.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

1 SECTION 1. Section 302A-1132, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended by amending subsection (d) to read as follows:

3 "(d) As used in this section, "private school" means an
4 educational institution that teaches students in any grade from
5 kindergarten through grade twelve and that is [~~licensed or~~
6 ~~accredited~~] either:

7 (1) Licensed;
8 (2) Licensed and accredited by the Hawaii Association of
9 Independent Schools, Hawaii Council of Private
10 Schools, Western Association of Schools and Colleges,
11 Western Catholic Educational Association, Association
12 of Christian Schools International, or a [~~similarly~~
13 ~~recognized~~] similar entity recognized by the Hawaii
14 Council of Private Schools that meets or exceeds the
15 standards set by the aforementioned entities[-]; or

16 (3) Accredited by the Hawaii Association of Independent
17 Schools, Hawaii Council of Private Schools, Western



1 Association of Schools and Colleges, Western Catholic
 2 Educational Association, Association of Christian
 3 Schools International, or a similar entity recognized
 4 by the Hawaii Council of Private Schools that meets or
 5 exceeds the standards set by the aforementioned
 6 entities, and submits health and safety documentation
 7 to the Hawaii Council of Private Schools or the Hawaii
 8 Catholic Schools office on an annual basis."

9 SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
 10 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

11 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

APPROVED this 17 day of June , 2022



GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII



HB No. 2248, HD 1, SD 2

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

Date: May 3, 2022
Honolulu, Hawaii

We hereby certify that the above-referenced Bill on this day passed Final Reading in the House of Representatives of the Thirty-First Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2022.



Scott K. Saiki
Speaker
House of Representatives

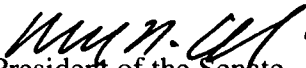



Brian L. Takeshita
Chief Clerk
House of Representatives

THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF HAWAI'I

Date: April 12, 2022
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

We hereby certify that the foregoing Bill this day passed Third Reading in the Senate of the Thirty-First Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2022.


President of the Senate


Clerk of the Senate