

Honolulu, Hawaii

**MAR 03 2023**

RE: S.B. No. 830  
S.D. 2

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi  
President of the Senate  
Thirty-Second State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2023  
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred S.B. No. 830, S.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EMERGENCY MEDICAL RESPONSE,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to improve emergency medical responses at Department of Education schools.

Specifically, the measure:

- (1) Requires each Department of Education school to establish a critical emergency response team and meet certain criteria for emergency medical responses; and
- (2) Appropriates moneys to implement critical medical emergency response teams.

Your Committee received written comments in support of this measure from five individuals.

Your Committee received written comments on this measure from the Department of Education.

Your Committee finds that critical medical emergencies require immediate attention, as long-term injuries, including brain damage and death, can result from the absence of that



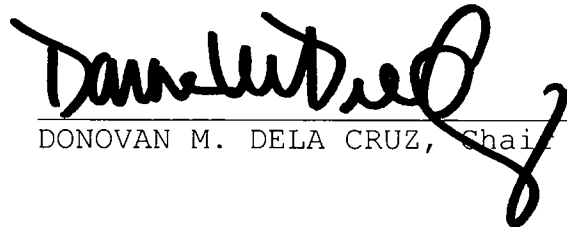
attention. Your Committee also finds that although the Department of Education has some additional emergency response capabilities, training, preparedness, and resources are necessary to ensure timely medical emergency responses at department schools.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

- (1) Clarifying that the measure's critical emergency response requirements and appropriations apply only to Department of Education schools;
- (2) Clarifying that if a school undergoes three or more drills resulting in a response time longer than three minutes, the school shall take corrective actions, which shall be reviewed by the appropriate complex area superintendent;
- (3) Changing the effective date to July 1, 2050, to facilitate further discussion on the measure; and
- (4) 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 S.B. No. 830, S.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Third Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 830, S.D. 2.

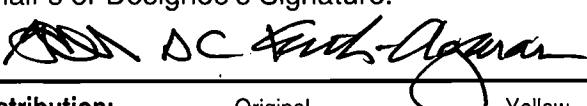
Respectfully submitted on  
behalf of the members of the  
Committee on Ways and Means,

  
DONOVAN M. DELA CRUZ, Chair



The Senate  
Thirty-Second Legislature  
State of Hawai'i

**Record of Votes**  
**Committee on Ways and Means**  
**WAM**

Bill / Resolution No.:* <b>SB 830, SD1</b>	Committee Referral: <b>EDU, WAM</b>	Date: <b>2/22/23</b>		
<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
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M. (C)	X			
KEITH-AGARAN, Gilbert S.C. (VC)	X			
AQUINO, Henry J.C.	X			
DECOITE, Lynn	X			
INOUYE, Lorraine R.	X			
KANUHA, Dru Mamo	X			
KIDANI, Michelle N.	X			
KIM, Donna Mercado	X			
LEE, Chris	X			
MORIWAKI, Sharon Y.	X			
SHIMABUKURO, Maile S.L.	X			
WAKAI, Glenn	X			
FEVELLA, Kurt	X			
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>13</b>			
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: 				
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