

THE SENATE
KA 'AHA KENEKOA

THE THIRTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE
REGULAR SESSION OF 2023

[COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION](#)
Senator Michelle N. Kidani, Chair
Senator Donna Mercado Kim, Vice Chair

NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Monday, February 6, 2023
TIME: 3:00 PM
PLACE: Conference Room 229 & Videoconference
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street

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A G E N D A

SB 105 Status & Testimony	RELATING TO EDUCATION. Changes the Department of Education's quarterly report requirement on autism spectrum disorder to an annual report.	EDU, JDC
SB 816 Status & Testimony	RELATING TO COMPUTER SCIENCE EDUCATION. Allows students to complete computer science courses as a substitute for science credits at the high school level to count towards graduation requirements. Requires a computer science course credit as a graduation requirement at the high school level beginning with the 2030-2031 school year. Appropriates funds for teacher professional development in computer science.	EDU, WAM
SB 830 Status & Testimony	RELATING TO EMERGENCY MEDICAL RESPONSE. Requires each Department of Education school to establish a critical medical emergency response team. Appropriates moneys.	EDU, WAM

<p><u>SB 280</u></p> <p>Status & Testimony</p>	<p>RELATING TO DIRECT INSTRUCTIONAL SERVICES TO STUDENTS.</p> <p>Allows the Department of Education to create temporary positions under certain conditions. Amends the requirement that the Department of Education report the creation of temporary positions to the Department of Budget and Finance by requiring that the report also be sent to the Legislature.</p>	<p>EDU, WAM</p>
<p><u>SB 289</u></p> <p>Status & Testimony</p>	<p>RELATING TO DIRECT INSTRUCTIONAL SERVICES TO STUDENTS.</p> <p>Requires that appropriations allocated to Department of Education programs that provide instructional services directly to students shall remain within the budget of the program to which they were originally allocated and that the retention of an appropriation shall not be used by the department as a basis for reducing a program's future budget requirements.</p>	<p>EDU, WAM</p>
<p><u>SB 290</u></p> <p>Status & Testimony</p>	<p>RELATING TO DIRECT INSTRUCTIONAL SERVICES TO STUDENTS.</p> <p>Requires that appropriations allocated to Department of Education programs that provide instructional services directly to students shall remain within the budget of the program to which they were originally allocated and that the retention of an appropriation shall not be used by the department as a basis for reducing a program's future budget requirements. Allows the Department of Education to create temporary positions under certain conditions. Amends the requirement that the Department of Education report the creation of temporary positions to the Department of Budget and Finance by requiring that the report also be sent to the Legislature.</p>	<p>EDU, WAM</p>

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Senator Michelle N. Kidani
Chair