

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

920

Honolulu, Hawaii

FEB 28 , 2025

RE: H.B. No. 1345
H.D. 1

Honorable Nadine K. Nakamura
Speaker, House of Representatives
Thirty-Third State Legislature
Regular Session of 2025
State of Hawaii

Madame:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred H.B. No. 1345, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO TEACHER EDUCATION,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to require the Board of Regents to grant a waiver on all tuition and mandatory fees for a resident student enrolled in a four-year college campus of the University of Hawaii System with an education program or that offers an education degree for the semester or term during which the student chooses to complete the student teaching requirement necessary to earn a degree in education.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Department of Education; Office of Hawaiian Affairs; and Hawai'i State Teachers Association. Your Committee received comments on this measure from the University of Hawai'i System and one individual.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Finance that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 1345, H.D. 1, and recommends that it pass Third Reading.

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



KYLE T. YAMASHITA, Chair



