STAND. COM. REP. NO.

Honolulu, Hawaii

, 2025 APR 04

S.B. No. 747 RE:

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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 S.B. No. 747, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE BOARD OF EDUCATION,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to:

- Establish an Audit Office within the Board of Education (1)to audit the operations and expenditures of the Department of Education;
- (2) Establish positions within the Audit Office and exempt those positions from civil service; and
- (3) Appropriate funds for the establishment and operation of the Audit Office and establishment of positions.

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

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

Changing the number of positions to be established to an (1)unspecified number; and

(2) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for the purposes of clarity, consistency, and style.

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 S.B. No. 747, S.D. 1, H.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Third Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 747, S.D. 1, H.D. 2.

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

KYLE T. YAMASHITA, Chair

State of Hawaii House of Representatives The Thirty-third Legislature

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Record of Votes of the Committee on Finance

	e Referral: LAB, FIV	Date	" 4/1/25	
The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: Pass, unamended (as is) Pass, with amendments (HD) Hold Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)				
FIN Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. YAMASHITA, Kyle T. (C) 2. TAKENOUCHI, Jenna (VC)				
3. GRANDINETTI, Tina Nakada				
4. HOLT, Daniel5. HUSSEY, Ikaika				
6. KEOHOKAPU-LEE LOY, Sue L. 7. KITAGAWA, Lisa				
8. KUSCH, Matthias				
9. LAMOSAO, Rachele F. 10. LEE, Mike				
11. MIYAKE, Tyson K. 12. MORIKAWA, Dee		Selfer in in		The state of the s
13. TEMPLO, Shirley Ann				
14. ALCOS III, David 15. REYES ODA, Julie				
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The recommendation is: Adopted If joint referral, did not support recommendation. committee acronym(s)				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
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