

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 950 -26

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 06 , 2026

RE: H.B. No. 2122
H.D. 1

Honorable Nadine K. Nakamura
Speaker, House of Representatives
Thirty-Third State Legislature
Regular Session of 2026
State of Hawaii

Madame:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred H.B. No. 2122, H.D. 1, entitled:

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

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to establish the Teacher Housing Assistance Program to provide housing vouchers to certain eligible teachers and appropriate funds out of the Teachers' Housing Revolving Fund to provide the housing vouchers.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the State Public Charter School Commission; Hawai'i State Teachers Association; Chamber of Commerce Hawaii; Housing Hawai'i's Future; Democratic Party of Hawai'i Education Caucus; KumuKonnnect; Aloha United Way; and three individuals. Your Committee received testimony in opposition to this measure from the Office of Collective Bargaining. Your Committee received comments on this measure from the Department of Education and Hawaii Government Employees Association, AFSCME Local 152, AFL-CIO.

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. 2122, 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,



CHRIS TODD, Chair



