

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

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Honolulu, Hawaii

Feb 7, 2007

RE: H.B. No. 955
H.D. 1

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say
Speaker, House of Representatives
Twenty-Fourth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2007
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committees on Education and Human Services & Housing, to which was referred H.B. No. 955 entitled:

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

beg leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to assist in the recruitment and retention of teachers in the Hawaii public school system by establishing the Teachers' Affordable Housing Program (Program) to provide housing for teachers at affordable prices.

The Hawaii State Teachers Association testified in support of this bill. The Department of Education (DOE) supported the intent of this measure.

Your Committees have amended this bill by:

- (1) Extending the Program to other educational staff of DOE;
- (2) Requiring the Hawaii Housing Finance and Development Corporation, rather than DOE, to administer the Program; and
- (3) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for clarity, consistency, and style.

HB955 HD1 HSCR EDN-HSH HMS 2007-1783



As affirmed by the records of votes of the members of your Committees on Education and Human Services & Housing that are attached to this report, your Committees are in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 955, as amended herein, and recommend that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 955, H.D. 1, and be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committees on Education and
Human Services & Housing,



MAILE SHIMABUKURO, Chair

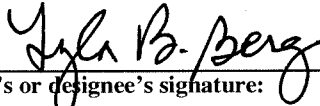


ROY TAKUMI, Chair



State of Hawaii
House of Representatives
The Twenty-fourth Legislature

Record of Votes of the Committee on Education

Bill/Resolution No.: HB 955		Date: 2-1-2007		
Committee Referral: EDN/ASH, FIN		<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.		
The recommendation is to: <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments <input type="checkbox"/> Hold <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments, for recommitment for further consideration				
EDN Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. TAKUMI, Roy M. (C)	✓			
2. BERG, Lyla B., Ph.D. (VC)	✓			
3. BERTRAM, Joe, III	✓			
4. CABANILLA, Rida T.R.	✓			
5. CHANG, Jerry L.	✓			
6. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y.				✓
7. SAIKI, Scott K.				✓
8. SHIMABUKURO, Maile S. L.	✓			
9. TAKAI, K. Mark				✓
10. TAKAMINE, Dwight Y.	✓			
11. WAKAI, Glenn				✓
12. CHING, Corinne W.L.	✓			
13. FINNEGAN, Lynn	✓			
TOTAL	9			4
The recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. committee acronym(s)				
				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
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