## EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS HONOLULU



June 20, 2002

STATEMENT OF OBJECTIONS TO SENATE BILL NO. 3018

Honorable Members Twenty-First Legislature State of Hawaii

Pursuant to Section 16 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, I am returning herewith, without my approval, Senate Bill No. 3018, entitled "A Bill for an Act Relating to Education."

The purpose of this bill is to establish a joint Senate-House educational governance task force to investigate and recommend changes that will make public education more community centered. This bill is not necessary to accomplish the objectives sought in the bill.

It is not necessary to have the task force established by statute for the purpose of recommending changes for educational reform. The chairs of the Senate and House education committees have informed me that they will meet and develop proposals for reform and will include participation by most parties identified in the bill.

For the foregoing reasons, I am returning Senate Bill No. 3018 without my approval.

Respectfully,

BENJAMIN J. CAYETAMO Governor of Hawaii



## PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, under Section 16 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, the Governor is required to give notice, by a proclamation, of the Governor's plan to return with the Governor's objections any bill presented to the Governor less than ten-days before adjournment sine die or presented to the Governor after adjournment sine die of the Legislature; and

WHEREAS, Senate Bill No. 3018, entitled "A Bill for an Act Relating to Education," passed by the Legislature, was presented to the Governor within the aforementioned period; and

WHEREAS, Senate Bill No. 3018 is unacceptable to the Governor of the State of Hawaii;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, BENJAMIN J. CAYETANO, Governor of the State of Hawaii, do hereby issue this proclamation, pursuant to the provisions of Section 16 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, giving notice of my plan to return Senate Bill No. 3018 with my objections thereon to the Legislature as provided by said Section 16 of Article III of the Constitution.

DONE at the State Capitol, Honolulu, State of Hawaii, this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of June, 2002.

BENJAMIN J. CAYETANO
Governor of Hawaii