STAND. COM. REP. NO. 271

Honolulu, Hawaii Fe 917, 2009

RE: H.B. No. 1688

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Fifth State Legislature Regular Session of 2009 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred H.B. No. 1688 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO INCOME TAX CHECK-OFF,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to assist the Department of Education (DOE) in addressing its repair and maintenance needs by increasing, from \$2 to \$5, the amount taxpayers can designate on their income tax return forms to be deposited into the Schoollevel Minor Repairs and Maintenance Special Fund and Libraries Special Fund.

DOE and Hawaii State Public Library System testified in support of this bill. The Tax Foundation of Hawaii offered comments.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Education that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 1688 and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Finance.



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

ROY TAKUMI, Chair



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Record of Votes of the Committee on Education

Bill/Resolution No.: HB1688	Committee Re EDN	ferral: FIN		Date:	-11200	19
□ 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)						
EDN Members		Ayes	Ayes (WR)		Nays	Excused
1. TAKUMI, Roy M. (C)		\checkmark				
2. BERG, Lyla B. (VC)		_ V /_				
3. BERTRAM, Joe, III		VI				
4. CHANG, Jerry L.		V/_				
5. HANOHANO, Faye P.		<u> </u>				
6. MANAHAN, Joey						
7. NAKASHIMA, Mark M.		\checkmark				
8. RHOADS, Karl						V
9. SAIKI, Scott K.		\checkmark				
10. SHIMABUKURO, Maile S.L.		North Inclusion of States and Party and		2000-04-000 -440-0		V
11. TAKAI, K. Mark						
12. YAMANE, Ryan I.		<u> </u>				
13. CHING, Corinne W.L.		V/				
14. FINNEGAN, Lynn		V				
 TOTAL (14)		10				3
The recommendation is: Adopted Image: Not Adopted committee acronym(s)						
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:						
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