

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

2035

Honolulu, Hawaii

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RE: S.B. No. 2121

Honorable Colleen Hanabusa  
President of the Senate  
Twenty-Fifth State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2010  
State of Hawaii

Madam:

Your Committee on Education and Housing, to which was referred S.B. No. 2121 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE EARLY LEARNING COUNCIL,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to allow the Early Learning Council to conduct meetings by teleconference and sets quorum requirements, public notice requirements, and public participation requirements for teleconference meetings.

Testimony in support of this measure was submitted by two state agencies and two private organizations. One state agency provided comments. Written testimony presented to the Committee may be reviewed on the Legislature's website.

Your Committee finds that this measure allows for more cost-effective participation by Early Learning Council members on the neighbor islands and encourages greater public participation in council meetings.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Education and Housing that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 2121 and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Government Operations.



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

  
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NORMAN SAKAMOTO, Chair



The Senate  
 Twenty-Fifth Legislature  
 State of Hawaii

**Record of Votes**  
**Committee on Education and Housing**  
**EDH**

Bill / Resolution No.:* <b>SB2121</b>	Committee Referral: <b>EDH, J60</b>	Date: <b>2-3-2010</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure. If so, then the previous decision was to: _____				
The Recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312 <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311 <input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310 <input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
SAKAMOTO, Norman (C)	✓			
KIDANI, Michelle N. (VC)	✓			
CHUN OAKLAND, Suzanne	✓			
GALUTERIA, Brickwood	✓			
TSUTSUI, Shan S.				✓
HEMMINGS, Fred				✓
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>4</b>			<b>2</b>
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: <i>Michelle N. Kidani</i>				
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