

SB 1669

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Committee: Senate Education and Housing

Department: Education

Person Testifying: Patricia Hamamoto, Superintendent of Education

Title of Bill: SB 1669 RELATING TO EDUCATION.

Purpose of Bill: Authorizes the issuance of general obligation bonds to fund department of education repair and maintenance projects.

Department's Position: The Department **supports S.B. 1669** to the extent that its implementation does not impact or replace the priorities set forth in the Executive Biennium Budget for Fiscal Year 2010. The funds appropriated by this measure will help reduce the repair and maintenance project backlog at our public schools.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify.