

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

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Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 15 2011

RE: S.C.R. No. 158

Honorable Shan S. Tsutsui
President of the Senate
Twenty-Sixth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2011
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred
S.C.R. No. 158 entitled:

"SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A FISCAL AND
COMPLIANCE AUDIT OF THE STATE EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES
IMPROVEMENT SPECIAL FUND,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to help ensure the proper use of state funds designated for public school facilities by requesting the Auditor to conduct a fiscal and compliance audit of the state educational facilities improvement special fund.

Your Committee finds that a portion of all general excise tax revenues is deposited into the state educational facilities improvement special fund for public school facilities and to provide equipment and technology infrastructure to improve public schools and other Department of Education facilities. Pursuant to section 36-32, Hawaii Revised Statutes, expenditures from the special fund are limited to projects authorized by the Legislature and subject to certain restrictions under state law. Your Committee further finds that an audit of the special fund will help evaluate the management of the special fund and determine whether its uses comply with applicable laws.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Ways and Means that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of S.C.R. No. 158 and recommends its adoption.

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Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Ways and Means,

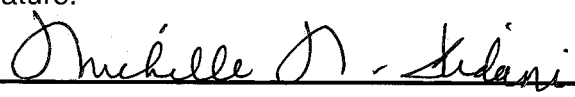
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DAVID Y. IGE, Chair



The Senate
 Twenty-Sixth Legislature
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Record of Votes
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Bill / Resolution No.:*	Committee Referral:	Date:		
SCR 158	EDU, WAM	4-13-11		
<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
IGE, David Y. (C)	/			
KIDANI, Michelle N. (VC)	/			
CHUN OAKLAND, Suzanne	/			
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M.	/			
ENGLISH, J. Kalani				/
ESPERO, Will				/
FUKUNAGA, Carol				/
KIM, Donna Mercado				/
KAHELE, Gilbert	/			
KOUCHI, Ronald D.	/			
RYAN, Pohai	/			
TOKUDA, Jill N.	/			
WAKAI, Glenn	/			
SLOM, Sam	/			
TOTAL	10	0	0	4
Recommendation:				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature:				
				
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