

THE SENATE  
THE TWENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE  
REGULAR SESSION OF 2011

COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

Senator Jill Tokuda, Chair  
Senator Michelle Kidani, Vice-Chair

**MEASURES DEFERRED TO FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 2011**

DATE: Friday, February 11, 2011  
TIME: 1:15 PM  
PLACE: Conference Room 225  
State Capitol  
415 South Beretania Street

DECISION MAKING ON THE FOLLOWING MEASURE(S):

[SB1487](#)  
[Testimony](#)  
[Status](#)

RELATING TO EDUCATION.  
Requires the department of education to close and consolidate certain schools within two years of notification; provided that a school may remain open if it meets certain requirements.

EDU, WAM

[SB1521](#)  
[Testimony](#)  
[Status](#)

RELATING TO AQUATIC RESOURCES.  
Allows UH to use staff of DLNR for security for coconut island.  
Exempts Hawaii marine laboratory refuge from obtaining permits for repair and maintenance of facilities on coconut island.

EDU/WLH, WAM  
[Measure added on  
2/9/2011]

[SB1382](#)  
[Testimony](#)  
[Status](#)

RELATING TO EDUCATION.  
Directs the legislative reference bureau to examine the Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended, and regulations pursuant to that Act, make recommendations to ensure the State's compliance with provisions relating to the state authorization of institutions that offer educational programs beyond secondary education, and make recommendations as to whether existing functions relating to the licensing or authorization of any educational institutions in the State, and administrators and instructors thereof, should be consolidated and tasked to one state agency that would be responsible for the licensing and authorization of all educational institutions in the State and their related operations.

EDU, WAM  
[Measure added on  
2/9/2011]



[SB776](#)  
[Testimony](#)  
[Status](#)

RELATING TO SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY.  
Establishes a task force to identify barriers that Hawaii businesses and  
university professors face in developing entrepreneurial business models  
in biotechnology, and to recommend specific actions to address these  
barriers; requires report to the 2012 legislature.

EDT/EDU, WAM  
[Measure added on  
2/9/2011]

No testimony will be accepted.

FOR AMENDED HEARING NOTICES: If the notice is an amended notice, measures that have been deleted are stricken through and measures that have been added are underscored. If there is a measure that is both underscored and stricken through, that measure has been deleted from the agenda.

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