A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO EXEMPTIONS FROM CHILD CARE LICENSING.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

1	SECTION 1. Section 346-152, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is		
2	amended by	y amending subsection (a) to read as follows:	
3	"(a)	Nothing in this part shall be construed to include:	
4	(1)	A person caring for children related to the caregiver	
5		by blood, marriage, or adoption;	
6	(2)	A person, group of persons, or facility caring for a	
7		child less than six hours a week;	
8	(3)	A kindergarten, school, or <u>child care</u> program licensed	
9		by the department of education[\uparrow], the charter school	
10		review panel, the Hawaii council of private schools,	
11		or any federal agency;	
12	(4)	A program that provides exclusively for a specialized	
13		training or skill development for children, including	
14		but not limited to programs providing activities such	
15		as athletic sports, foreign language, the Hawaiian	
16		language, dance, drama, music, or martial arts;	
17	(5)	A multiservice organization or community association,	
18		duly incorporated under the laws of the State that	
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1		operates for the purpose of promoting recreation,
2		health, safety, or social group functions for eligible
3		pupils in public and private schools through seventeer
4		years of age;
5	(6)	Programs for children four years of age and older that
6		operate for no more than two consecutive calendar
7		weeks in a three-month period;
8	(7)	A provider agency operating or managing a homeless
9		facility or any other program for homeless persons
10		authorized under part XVII;
11	(8)	After-school, weekend, and summer recess programs
12		conducted by the department of education pursuant to
13		section 302A-408;
14	(9)	Child care programs [for children five years of age
15		and older] conducted by counties pursuant to section
16		302A-408; provided that each county adopts rules for
17		its programs;
18	(10)	Any person who enters a home in a child caring
19		capacity and only cares for children who are of that
20		household; and
21	(11)	A person caring for two or fewer children unrelated to
22		the caregiver by blood, marriage, or adoption."

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- 1 SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
- 2 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.
- 3 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

Report Title:

Child Care Licensing; Exemptions

Description:

Adds exemptions for any kindergarten, school, or program licensed by the Charter School Review Panel, the Hawaii Council of Private Schools, or any federal agency from child care licensing requirements of the Department of Human Services. (HB2538 HD1)

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