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Honolulu, Hawaii

Feb 8, 2011

RE: H.B. No. 1457

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say
Speaker, House of Representatives
Twenty-Sixth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2011
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Higher Education, to which was referred
H.B. No. 1457 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHER EDUCATION,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this bill is to ensure that state funds are
being used in a fiscally responsible manner by:

- (1) Requiring the University of Hawaii (UH) to annually
report to the Director of Finance on the number of
students who have sufficient credits to graduate, but
have not graduated and the additional cost to UH
attributable to each of these students; and
- (2) Requiring the Director of Finance to assess UH for the
corresponding additional cost to the State.

UH provided comments on this measure.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your
Committee on Higher Education that is attached to this report,
your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B.
No. 1457 and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be
referred to the Committee on Finance.

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Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Higher Education,



SCOTT NISHIMOTO, Chair



