STAND. COM. REP. NO. 304 -12

Honolulu, Hawaii

Feb 14, 2012

RE: H.B. No. 2008

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Sixth State Legislature Regular Session of 2012 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred H.B. No. 2008 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to strengthen Hawaii's charter school authority, governance, and accountability infrastructure by requiring the Board of Education to contract for an implementation and transition coordinator to assist with implementing the recommendations of the Charter School Governance, Accountability, and Authority Task Force. This measure also appropriates funds to the Department of Education to contract for the implementation and transition coordinator.

The Governor supported this measure. The Charter School Administrative Office, Hawaii Public Charter Schools Network, Hawaii Educational Policy Center, and a concerned individual supported the intent of this measure. Ho'okāko'o Corporation provided comments.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Education that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 2008 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 Education,

ROY TAKUMI, Chair

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## **Record of Votes of the Committee on Education**

Bill/Resolution No.:	Committee Referral:	Date:	11.12	
HB2608	EDN, FIN 2/6/2012			
The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: Pass, unamended (as is) Pass, with amendments (HD) Hold Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)				
EDN Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. TAKUMI, Roy M. (C)	V			
2. BELATTI, Della Au (VC)	✓ ✓			
3. AQUINO, Henry J.C.	V			,
4. AWANA, Karen L.				
5. CHANG, Jerry L.	V		,	
6. HANOHANO, Faye P.				
7. MIZUNO, John M.				<b>V</b>
8. NAKASHIMA, Mark M.			<del></del> .	
9. NISHIMOTO, Scott Y.				
10. OKAMURA, Tom				
11. SAIKI, Scott K.				V
12. TAKAI, K. Mark				
13. WOOLEY, Jessica				<u> </u>
14. FONTAINE, George R.			· • <del></del>	
15. JOHANSON, Aaron Ling				
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TOTAL (M)	<u> </u>			3
The recommendation is: Adopted   Not Adopted				
If joint referral, did not support recommendation.  committee acronym(s)				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: NUW A. Bloth				
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