

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

680

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 04 2011

RE: S.B. No. 871
S.D. 2

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.B. No. 871, S.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to expand participation in school activities by:

- (1) Requiring the Department of Education and the Board of Education to develop policies and procedures allowing home-schooled students to participate on an equal basis in extracurricular activities offered at the public school that the home-schooled students would otherwise be required to attend; and
- (2) Requiring the Department of Education to report its findings, including the status of developing the policies and procedures for home-schooled students, to the Legislature prior to the Regular Session of 2012.

Your Committee received written comments in support of this measure from Kim Coco Iwamoto, Esq., Member, Board of Education.

Your Committee received written comments in opposition to this measure from Neal Takamori, President, Athletic Directors and Coaches Association of Hawaii; Hawaii Student Activities Association; and three individuals.



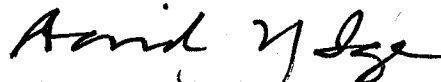
Your Committee finds that home-schooled students can benefit substantially from extracurricular school activities in the same manner as their public school counterparts.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

- (1) Changing the effective date to July 1, 2050, to encourage further discussion on this measure; and
- (2) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for purposes of style.

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 is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 871, S.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Third Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 871, S.D. 2.

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

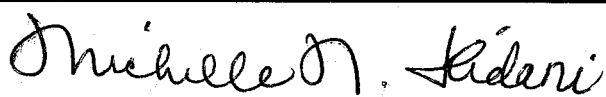


DAVID Y. IGE, Chair



The Senate
 Twenty-Sixth Legislature
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Record of Votes
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Bill / Resolution No.:*	Committee Referral:	Date:		
SB 871 SPl	EDU, WAM	3-1-11		
<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 type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312	<input checked="" 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	12	2	0	0
Recommendation:				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature:				
				
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