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The House of Representatives
Committee on Education
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H.B. 2513 - Relating To Education

The Hawaii Government Employees Association, HGEA/AFSCME, Local 152, AFL-CIO opposes H.B. 2513 to provide the department of education flexibility in administering and implementing the health services program.

The department has not engaged the HGEA and the affected employees in any discussions with respect to the intent of this bill to establish a statewide school health services program and its potential impact on school health aides. As a result, we request that this bill be held.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify.

Respectfully submitted,

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