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Comments:

This bill would take money away from charter students who are already underfunded. Stop violating the civil rights of our children and treat them the same as other students i.e. equal funding. DOE needs to stop asking the charter schools to do more with less. My son's charter school passed all evaluations. After teaching in the Public School System, I would not allow my son to attend a traditional DOE school in the Puna District of the Big Island. We are happy with his charter school HAAS, which has passed all evaluations and is a model charter school. Please reward HAAS and the students with equal funding and a level playing field. Mahalo