

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

1072

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 28 2013

RE: S.R. No. 63

Honorable Donna Mercado Kim
President of the Senate
Twenty-Seventh State Legislature
Regular Session of 2013
State of Hawaii

Madam:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred S.R.
No. 63 entitled:

"SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO
UNDERTAKE A SYSTEMWIDE REVIEW OF ITS OVERSIGHT, MONITORING,
AND ACCOUNTABILITY OF THE OPERATIONAL AND FISCAL PRACTICES OF
THE DEPARTMENT'S SCHOOL FOOD SERVICES BRANCH,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to request the
Department of Education to undertake a systemwide review of its
oversight, monitoring, and accountability of the operational and
fiscal practices of the Department's School Food Services Branch.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure
from the Department of Education and one individual.

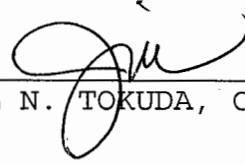
Your Committee finds that during 2012, the Department of
Education conducted an internal audit of its Schools Food Services
Branch, finding that the Department's controls related to food
services are functioning at an unacceptable level. While the
Department acknowledges its shortcomings in this area, your
Committee emphasizes the importance of implementing systematic
changes to policies and procedures at all levels to address the
concerns raised by the audit.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your
Committee on Education that is attached to this report, your
Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of S.R. No. 63 and
recommends its adoption.

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



JILL N. TOKUDA, Chair



The Senate
 Twenty-Seventh Legislature
 State of Hawai'i

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Bill / Resolution No.:* SR 23	Committee Referral: EDU	Date: 3/22/13		
<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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312 <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311 <input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310 <input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
TOKUDA, Jill N. (C)	X			
KIDANI, Michelle N. (VC)				X
RUDERMAN, Russell E.	X			
SHIMABUKURO, Maile S.L.	X			
SLOM, Sam				X
TOTAL	3			2
Recommendation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted				
Chair's or Designee's Signature:				
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