STAND. COM. REP. NO. 1213 -16

Honolulu, Hawaii , 2016

RE: S.B. No. 2604 S.D. 1

Honorable Joseph M. Souki Speaker, House of Representatives Twenty-Eighth State Legislature Regular Session of 2016 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred S.B. No. 2604, S.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO A MICROGRID PILOT PROJECT FOR SCHOOLS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to require the Department of Education to implement an off-grid microgrid pilot project at a school of the Department's choice through Ka Hei, an educationalenrichment and comprehensive energy and sustainability program within the Department.

The Department of Education, Hawaii State Teachers Association, and Opterra Energy Services supported this measure. The Board of Education supported the intent of the measure. The Hawaiian Electric Company, Maui Electric Company, Hawaii Electric Light Company, and Land Use Research Foundation of Hawaii submitted 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 S.B. No. 2604, S.D. 1, and recommends that it be referred to your Committee on Finance.



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

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ROY M. TAKUMI, Chair



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Record of Votes of the Committee on Education

Bill/Resolution No.:Committee Referral:Date:SB 2G04 SD 1EEP, EDN, FIN3/21/16				
The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: Image: Pass, unamended (as is) Image: Pass, with amendments (HD) Image: Hold Image: 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)	// // // // // // // // // // //			
2. OHNO, Takashi (VC)				
3. AQUINO, Henry J.C.				
4. CHOY, Isaac W.				
5. ICHIYAMA, Linda	V			
6. ING, Kaniela				-
7. ITO, Ken				-
8. KONG, Sam Satoru				
9. SAY, Calvin K.Y.	×			
10. TSUJI, Clift				
11. MATSUMOTO, Lauren Kealohil	lani 🗸			
12. TUPOLA, Andria P.L.				<u>~</u>
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TOTAL (12)	5			4
The recommendation is: Adopted Not Adopted If joint referral,				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:				
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