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DEPT. COMM. NO. 195

November 6, 2016

The Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi, President
and Members of the Senate
State Capitol, Room 409
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

The Honorable Joseph M. Souki, Speaker
and Members of the House of
Representatives
State Capitol, Room 431
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear President Kouchi, Speaker Souki, and Members of the Legislature:

For your information and consideration, I am transmitting a copy of the Legislative Report: Relating to Administrative Hearing Procedures and Subpoena Power Relating to the Education of Children with a Disability, pursuant to HRS§302A-443(e), Act 179 (SLH 2008). In accordance with Section 93-16, Hawaii Revised Statutes, I am also informing you that the report may be viewed electronically at: <http://www.hawaiipublicschools.org/VisionForSuccess/SchoolDataAndReports/StateReports/Pages/Legislative-reports.aspx>

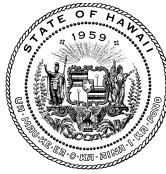
Very truly yours,

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Kathryn S. Matayoshi
Superintendent

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LEGISLATIVE REPORT

SUBJECT: Relating to Administrative Hearing Procedures and Subpoena Power Relating to the Education of Children with a Disability

REFERENCE: Section 302A-443(e), HRS

ACTION REQUESTED: Annual report to the Legislature

DOE REPORT: Relating to Administrative Hearing Procedures and Subpoena Power Relating to the Education of Children with a Disability

Introduction: Section 302A-443(e), HRS requires the DOE to annually submit a report that provides the "total number of requests for a due process hearing relating to the reimbursement of costs for a child's placement filed by a parent or guardian of a child with a disability."

Findings: During school year 2015-2016, there were 62 due process hearing requests filed requesting reimbursement of costs for a child's placement filed by a parent or guardian of a child with a disability.

RECOMMENDATIONS: None