

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

1402

Honolulu, Hawaii

APR 06 2017

RE: S.C.R. No. 140

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi  
President of the Senate  
Twenty-Ninth State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2017  
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred  
S.C.R. No. 140 entitled:

"SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION  
TO RESTRICT ANY PERSON FROM APPLYING FOR THE POSITION OF  
SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION IF THAT PERSON WAS A MEMBER OF  
THE BOARD OF EDUCATION WHEN THE SEARCH AND HIRING PROCESS WAS  
DEVELOPED OR INITIATED,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to urge the Board  
of Education to restrict any person from applying for the position  
of Superintendent of Education if that person was a member of the  
Board of Education while the search and hiring process was  
developed or initiated.

Your Committee finds that the Superintendent of Education is  
an officer of paramount importance for public education in Hawaii.  
To maintain public confidence in the new Superintendent, the  
appointment process must be impartial and fair, both in actuality  
and in perception, for all candidates for the office. For this  
reason, your Committee supports this measure.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your  
Committee on Ways and Means that is attached to this report, your  
Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of S.C.R. No. 140  
and recommends its adoption.



Respectfully submitted on  
behalf of the members of the  
Committee on Ways and Means,



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JILL N. TOKUDA, Chair



The Senate  
Twenty-Ninth Legislature  
State of Hawai'i

**Record of Votes**  
**Committee on Ways and Means**  
**WAM**

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The Committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure.  
If so, then the previous decision was to: \_\_\_\_\_

The Recommendation is:

Pass, unamended 2312      Pass, with amendments 2311      Hold 2310      Recommit 2313

Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
TOKUDA, Jill N. (C)	/			
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M. (VC)	/			
ENGLISH, J. Kalani	/			
GALUTERIA, Brickwood	/			
HARIMOTO, Breene	/			
INOUE, Lorraine R.	/			
KAHELE, Kaiali'i	/			
RIVIERE, Gil	/			
SHIMABUKURO, Maile S.L.	/			
TANIGUCHI, Brian T.	/			
WAKAI, Glenn	/			
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>11</b>			

Recommendation:  Adopted      Not Adopted

Chair's or Designee's Signature:

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