

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

293

Honolulu, Hawaii

February 14, 2017

RE: H.B. No. 492
H.D. 1

Honorable Joseph M. Souki
Speaker, House of Representatives
Twenty-Ninth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2017
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred H.B. No. 492 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII TEACHER STANDARDS BOARD,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to support public education in Hawaii by appropriating funds for Personnel Specialist II and Educational Specialist II positions within the Hawaii Teacher Standards Board.

The Hawaii Teacher Standards Board, State Public Charter School Commission, Hawaii State Teachers Association, and a few concerned individuals supported this measure.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

- (1) Changing its effective date to July 1, 2051, to encourage further discussion; and
- (2) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for clarity, consistency, and style.

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 H.B. No. 492, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading

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in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 492, H.D. 1, and be referred to your Committee on Finance.

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



ROY M. TAKUMI, Chair



