

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 1780

Honolulu, Hawaii
MAR 28 , 2019

RE: H.C.R. No. 28
H.D. 1

Honorable Scott K. Saiki
Speaker, House of Representatives
Thirtieth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2019
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Lower & Higher Education, to which was referred H.C.R. No. 28 entitled:

"HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND OTHER STAKEHOLDERS TO CONTINUE TO MEET AS A WORKING GROUP AND TO IMPLEMENT A NEW PROGRAM FOR SEXUAL-VIOLENCE PREVENTION IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to encourage the Department of Education and other stakeholders to continue to meet as a working group to address sexual-violence prevention and to implement a sexual-violence prevention program in public schools.

The Department of Education, State Commission on the Status of Women, Sex Abuse Treatment Center, Hawaii Youth Services Network, Healthy Mothers Healthy Babies, Hawaii Women's Coalition, and one individual submitted testimony in support of this measure. The Department of Health, UNITE Hawaii, and IMUAlliance provided comments.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

(1) Expanding the membership of the working group to include other government agencies and community stakeholders; and

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(2) Deleting language calling upon the working group to implement sexual-violence prevention programs in public schools.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Lower & Higher Education that is attached to this report, your Committee concurs with the intent and purpose of H.C.R. No. 28, as amended herein, and recommends that it be referred to your Committee on Judiciary, in the form attached hereto as H.C.R. No. 28, H.D. 1.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Lower & Higher
Education,


for JUSTIN H. WOODSON, Chair



State of Hawaii
House of Representatives
The THIRTIETH Legislature **HSCR 178D**

Record of Votes of the Committee on Lower & Higher Education

Bill/Resolution No.: HCR 28	Committee Referral: LHE, JOD	Date: 3/18/2019		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
The recommendation is to: <input type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended (as is) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments (HD) <input type="checkbox"/> Hold <input type="checkbox"/> Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)				
LHE Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. WOODSON, Justin H. (C)	✓			
2. HASHEM, Mark J. (VC)				✓
3. PERRUSO, Amy A. (VC)	✓			
4. DeCOITE, Lynn	✓			
5. JOHANSON, Aaron Ling				✓
6. KOBAYASHI, Dale T.	✓			
7. OHNO, Takashi	✓			
8. QUINLAN, Sean	✓			
9. TARNAS, David A.	✓			
10. TOKIOKA, James Kunane				✓
11. OKIMOTO, Val				✓
TOTAL (11)	7			4
The recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. <div style="text-align: center; font-size: small;">committee acronym(s)</div>				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: <u><i>Dan Tarnas</i></u>				
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