

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

1536

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 21 , 2019

RE: S.B. No. 1221  
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 S.B. No. 1221 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:

- (1) Clarify the Hawaii Teacher Standards Board's (HTSB) delegation of powers to its Executive Director to timely approve license and permit applications;
- (2) Clarify reporting requirements to the HTSB from the Department of Education, State Public Charter School Commission, and charter schools of the number of classrooms without a licensed teacher during the school year; and
- (3) Require charter schools to annually report:
  - (A) The number of emergency hires in charter schools by subject matter areas and the reason for the emergency hire; and



- (B) The number and type of courses taught by out-of-field teachers and the number of students taught by out-of-field teachers.

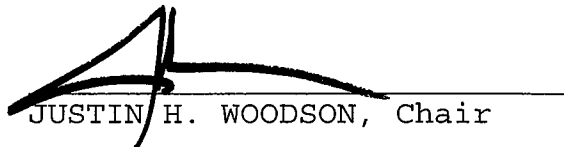
The State Public Charter School Commission, HTSB, and Hawaii State Teachers Association supported this measure. The Department of Education offered comments on this measure.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

- (1) Changing its effective date to July 1, 2052, to encourage further discussion on this measure; 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 Lower & Higher Education that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 1221, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as S.B. No. 1221, H.D. 1, and be referred to your Committee on Finance.

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

  
JUSTIN H. WOODSON, Chair



Record of Votes of the Committee on Lower & Higher Education

Bill/Resolution No.: <b>SB 1221</b>	Committee Referral: <b>LHE, FIN</b>	Date: <b>3/2/19</b>		
<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				✓
<b>TOTAL (11)</b>	<b>10</b>			<b>1</b>
The recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. <small style="margin-left: 100px;">committee acronym(s)</small>				
Vice Chair's or designee's signature: <u>Mark J. Hashem</u>				
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