A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

- 1 SECTION 1. The purpose of this Act is to require the
- 2 auditor to conduct an audit of the department of education's
- 3 school food services branch to determine the current baseline of
- 4 how much local produce is being purchased and served to students
- 5 within our school cafeterias. The intent of this Act is to use
- 6 the results of the audit to provide the legislature with
- 7 information on what type of food is being purchased by the
- 8 school food services branch for school meals and help determine
- 9 how much food that is purchased is locally sourced.
- 10 SECTION 2. (a) The auditor shall conduct an audit of the
- 11 department of education's school food services branch to
- 12 determine the current baseline of how much local produce is
- 13 being purchased and served to students that the branch is
- 14 responsible for through mapping where produce used by the school
- 15 food services branch is being purchased and if the produce is
- 16 locally sourced.

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- 1 (b) The auditor shall submit a report of the auditor's
- 2 findings and recommendations, including any proposed
- 3 legislation, to the legislature no later than twenty days prior
- 4 to the convening of the Regular Session of 2022.
- 5 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2050.

Report Title:

Audit; Department of Education; School Food Services Branch

Description:

Requires the auditor to audit the department of education's school food services branch to determine how much local produce is being purchased and served to students. Effective 7/1/2050. (HD1)

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