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**Committee:** Senate Education

**Department:** Education

**Person Testifying:** Kathryn S. Matayoshi, Superintendent of Education

**Title of Bill:** SB 1044 RELATING TO EDUCATION.

**Purpose of Bill:** Appropriates moneys to the department of education to provide engineering design process training sessions to teachers.

**Department's Position:**

The Department of Education (Department) supports SB 1044 provided that its passage does not replace or adversely impact priorities as indicated in the Board of Education approved budget. The Department supports opportunities for teachers to receive new learning opportunities.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify on SB 1044.