

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

290

Honolulu, Hawaii

February 14, 2017

RE: H.B. No. 533
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. 533 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CHARTER SCHOOLS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to support public charter schools by appropriating \$10,000,000 in each year of fiscal biennium 2017-2019 for the State Public Charter School Commission to allocate to public charter schools for facilities projects and rent assistance.

The State Public Charter School Commission, Office of Hawaiian Affairs, Hawaii Academy of Arts & Science Public Charter School, Halau Ku Mana Public Charter School, School for Examining Essential Questions for Sustainability, Hawaii Public Charter Schools Network, Akamai Learning, Hawaii State Teachers Association, Kamehameha Schools, IMUAlliance, and numerous concerned individuals supported this measure.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

- (1) Making the appropriation an unspecified sum; and
- (2) Changing its effective date to July 1, 2051, to encourage further discussion.

HB533 HD1 HSCR EDN HMS 2017-2036



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. 533, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 533, 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



Record of Votes of the Committee on Education

Bill/Resolution No.: HB 533	Committee Referral: EDN, FIN	Date: 2/8/17
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The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.

The recommendation is to:
 Pass, unamended (as is)
 Pass, with amendments (HD)
 Hold
 Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)

EDN Members	Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. TAKUMI, Roy M. (C)	X			
2. HAR, Sharon E. (VC)	X			
3. CREAGAN, Richard P.	X			
4. HASHEM, Mark J.	X			
5. ING, Kaniela	X			
6. OHNO, Takashi	X			
7. ONISHI, Richard H.K.	X			
8. WOODSON, Justin H.	X			
9. MATSUMOTO, Lauren Kealohilani	X			
TOTAL (9)	9			

The recommendation is:
 Adopted
 Not Adopted
 If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation.
committee acronym(s)

Vice Chair's or designee's signature: _____

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