

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

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Honolulu, Hawaii

February 7, 2017

RE: H.B. No. 1448  
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. 1448 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL MEALS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to require the Department of Education to provide free school meals to children who are eligible for free or reduced-price school meals, based on the United States Department of Agriculture's most current income eligibility guidelines.

The Hawaii Children's Action Network and a concerned individual supported this measure. The Department of Education supported the intent of the measure.

Your Committee has amended the measure by changing its effective date to July 1, 2051, to encourage further discussion.

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. 1448, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 1448, H.D. 1, and be referred to your Committee on Finance.

HB1448 HD1 HSCR EDN HMS 2017-1810



Respectfully submitted on  
behalf of the members of the  
Committee on Education,



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ROY M. TAKUMI, Chair



**Record of Votes of the Committee on Education**

<b>Bill/Resolution No.:</b> HB1448	<b>Committee Referral:</b> EDN, FIN	<b>Date:</b> 02032017		
<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.				
<b>The recommendation is to:</b> <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)				
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			
<b>TOTAL (9)</b>	6			3
<b>The recommendation is:</b> HDI	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted If joint referral, _____ committee acronym(s) did not support recommendation.			
<b>Vice Chair's or designee's signature:</b>				
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