

STAND. COM. REP. NO.

1795

Honolulu, Hawaii

MAR 28

, 2019

RE: H.R. No. 173

H.D. 1

Honorable Scott K. Saiki  
Speaker, House of Representatives  
Thirtieth State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2019  
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committees on Lower & Higher Education and Labor & Public Employment, to which was referred H.R. No. 173 entitled:

"HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO ACCEPT THE NATIONAL ORIENTATION AND MOBILITY CERTIFICATION FOR TEACHERS PROVIDING ORIENTATION AND MOBILITY SERVICES,"

beg leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to request that the Department of Education accept the National Orientation and Mobility Certification from the National Blindness Professional Certification Board for teachers providing orientation and mobility services, as a means of increasing appropriate accommodations for students requesting structured discovery cane travel in individualized education plans.

No testimony was provided for this measure.

Your Committee has amended this measure by requesting that the National Orientation and Mobility Certification be accepted by the Hawaii Teacher Standards Board, rather than the Department of Education.

As affirmed by the records of votes of the members of your Committees on Lower & Higher Education and Labor & Public

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Employment that are attached to this report, your Committees concur with the intent and purpose of H.R. No. 173, as amended herein, and recommend that it be referred to your Committee on Finance, in the form attached hereto as H.R. No. 173, H.D. 1.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committees on Lower & Higher Education and Labor & Public Employment,

  
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AARON KING JOHANSON, Chair

  
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JUSTIN H. WOODSON, Chair



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House of Representatives **HSR 1795**  
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**Record of Votes of the Committee on Lower & Higher Education**

Bill/Resolution No.: <b>HR 173</b>	Committee Referral: <b>LHE/LAB, FIN</b>	Date: <b>3/18/19</b>		
<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)				
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>7</b>			<b>4</b>
<b>The recommendation is:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. <div style="text-align: center; font-size: small;">committee acronym(s)</div>				
<b>Vice Chair's or designee's signature:</b> _____ <div style="text-align: center; font-size: small;">(Signature: David Tarnas)</div>				
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