

Honolulu, Hawaii
February 17, 2016

RE: H.B. No. 1530
H.D. 2

Honorable Joseph M. Souki
Speaker, House of Representatives
Twenty-Eighth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2016
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Higher Education, to which was referred
H.B. No. 1530, H.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATIONAL BENEFITS,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to require the University of Hawaii at Manoa to provide its nonsupervisory blue collar employees in collective bargaining unit (1) or one of their family members with tuition waivers comparable to the tuition waivers provided to faculty and their family members.

The Hawaii Government Employees Association, AFSCME Local 152, AFL-CIO; United Public Workers AFSCME, Local 646, and AFL-CIO; and a concerned individual supported this measure. The University of Hawaii System and Office of Collective Bargaining opposed this measure.

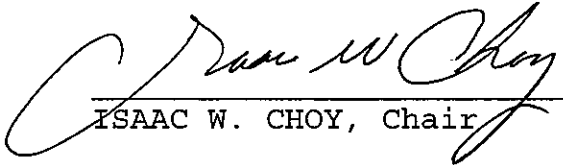
Your Committee has amended this measure by requiring the University of Hawaii at Manoa to also provide its supervisory blue collar employees in collective bargaining unit (2) or one of their family members with tuition waivers comparable to the tuition waivers provided to faculty and their family members.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Higher Education that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 1530, H.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it be



referred to your Committee on Finance in the form attached hereto
as H.B. No. 1530, H.D. 2.

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


ISAAC W. CHOY, Chair



State of Hawaii
House of Representatives
The Twenty-eighth Legislature

ASCR 328-16

Record of Votes of the Committee on Higher Education

| Bill/Resolution No.: HB 1530 HD1 | Committee Referral: LAB HED FIN | Date: 2/9/14 | | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure. | | | | |
| The recommendation is to: <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) | | | | |
| HED Members | Ayes | Ayes (WR) | Nays | Excused |
| 1. CHOY, Isaac W. (C) | ✓ | | | |
| 2. ICHIYAMA, Linda (VC) | ✓ | | | |
| 3. AQUINO, Henry J.C. | | | | ✓ |
| 4. ING, Kaniela | | | | ✓ |
| 5. ITO, Ken | ✓ | | | |
| 6. KONG, Sam Satoru | ✓ | | | |
| 7. OHNO, Takashi | ✓ | | | |
| 8. SAY, Calvin K.Y. | ✓ | | | |
| 9. TAKUMI, Roy M. | ✓ | | | |
| 10. TSUJI, Clift | ✓ | | | |
| 11. MATSUMOTO, Lauren Kealohilani | ✓ | | | |
| 12. TUPOLA, Andria P.L. | ✓ | | | |
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| The recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted If joint referral, _____ did not support recommendation. <div style="text-align: center; font-size: 0.8em;">committee acronym(s)</div> | | | | |
| Vice Chair's or designee's signature: Linda Ichiyama | | | | |
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