
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

REQUESTING A SUNRISE ANALYSIS OF SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGISTS.

1 WHEREAS, the present licensing statute for psychologists,
2 pursuant to section 465-3(a)(3), Hawaii Revised Statutes, does
3 not apply to school psychologists in the public sector,
4 rendering school psychologists an unregulated profession, while
5 school psychologists in the private sector are subject to
6 licensure; and
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8 WHEREAS, school psychologists are therefore a partially
9 regulated profession whose unregulated portion could potentially
10 cause harm to students; and
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12 WHEREAS, school psychologists may find the partial
13 regulation of their profession to be unfair and inconsistent;
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16 WHEREAS, school psychologists are a regulated profession in
17 other states such as Florida and Maine; now, therefore,
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19 BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate of the Twenty-eighth
20 Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2016, the
21 House of Representatives concurring, that the Auditor is
22 requested to conduct a sunrise analysis of S.B. No. 2612,
23 introduced during the Regular Session of 2016; and
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25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Auditor is requested to
26 submit findings and recommendations, including any proposed
27 legislation, to the Legislature not less than twenty days prior
28 to the convening of the Regular Session of 2017; and
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1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this
2 Concurrent Resolution be transmitted to the Auditor and the
3 Director of Commerce and Consumer Affairs.

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