

STAND. COM. REP. NO. **20**

Honolulu, Hawaii

AUG 31 2017

RE: GOV. MSG. NO. 34

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi
President of the Senate
Twenty-Ninth State Legislature
First Special Session of 2017
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Higher Education, to which was referred Governor's Message No. 34, submitting for study and consideration the nomination of:

WESTERN INTERSTATE COMMISSION FOR HIGHER EDUCATION

G.M. No. 34 COLLEEN SATHRE,
for a term to expire 06-30-2021,

begs leave to report as follows:

Your Committee has reviewed the personal history, resume, and statement submitted by the nominee and finds Colleen Sathre to possess the requisite qualifications to be nominated to the Western Interstate Commission for Higher Education.

Your Committee received testimony in support of the nomination for reappointment of Colleen Sathre from the University of Hawaii System and one individual.

Dr. Sathre is a consultant and author. Prior to attaining the role of Vice President Emeritus, she first served as the Director of, and then Vice President for, Planning and Policy at the University of Hawaii. Her executive responsibilities over the years at the University of Hawaii included four major functional areas: (1) managing the long-range and strategic planning processes; (2) coordinating analysis and development of executive and Board of Regents policy; (3) overseeing the University of Hawaii system-wide institutional research functions; and (4) providing overall coordination of policy and support for system transfer and articulation matters.

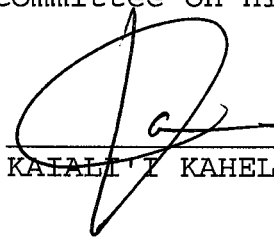


Other than her role with the University of Hawaii, Dr. Sathre has served as a higher education planning consultant for the Consortium of Pacific Education in American Samoa and at the New Hong Kong University of Science and Technology. She is a past board member of the Hawaii Organization of Women Leaders and served a term as the coordinator of the Hawaii Network of the American Council of Education's National Identification Program for Women in Academic Administration.

Dr. Sathre has been nominated for reappointment to the Western Interstate Commission for Higher Education. Her educational background, research, and work experience and responsibilities at the University of Hawaii make her an exceptional nominee for reappointment and will continue to enable the Commission to expand educational access and academic excellence in the West.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Higher Education that is attached to this report, your Committee, after full consideration of the background, experience, and qualifications of the nominee, has found the nominee to be qualified for the position to which nominated and recommends that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination.

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

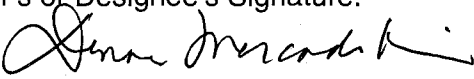


KAIALI'I KAHELE, Chair



The Senate
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<input type="checkbox"/> The Committee is reconsidering its decision				
The Recommendation is:				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Advise and Consent 2340		<input type="checkbox"/> Not Advise and Consent 2345		
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
KAHELE, Kaiali'i (C)	/			
KIM, Donna Mercado (VC)	/			
CHANG, Stanley	/			
KEITH-AGARAN, Gilbert S.C.	/			
KIDANI, Michelle N.	/			
TOTAL	5			
Recommendation:				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted		<input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted		
Chair's or Designee's Signature:				
				
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