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HB 69 – RELATING TO AFTER-SCHOOL PROGRAMS

Chair Woodson, Vice Chair Marten, and Members of the Committee:

Thank you for the opportunity to provide testimony on HB 69, relating to after-school programs.

The University of Hawai'i at Mānoa, College of Education supports HB 69 relating to after-school programs for Department of Education students. After-school programs provide students a means to receive additional resources for enrichment, athletics, culture and health as part of their overall educational experiences. After-school programs and activities may also reverse high school drop-out rates and ensure students remain engaged in their education and community.

Thank you for allowing our testimony on HB 69.