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May 21, 2013

 TO: The Honorable Donald G. Horner, Chairperson Board of Education
FROM: Kathryn S. Matryoshi, Superintendent

SUBJECT: Discussion/Action on the Amendment to the School Year (SY) 2013-2014 School Calendar

1. <u>RECOMMENDATION</u>

It is recommended that the Hawaii State Board of Education (Board) take action to adopt the attached amended school calendar for use in SY 2013-2014.

2. <u>RECOMMENDED EFFECTIVE DATE</u>

SY 2013-2014.

3. <u>RECOMMENDED COMPLIANCE DATE</u>

Upon Board approval.

- 4. **DISCUSSION**
 - a. Conditions leading to the recommendation

The amended calendar adds reference to twenty-one (21) hours of additional professional development pursuant to the 2013-2017 Agreement between the State of Hawaii, Board of Education and Hawaii State Teachers Association (HSTA). This amendment does not impact students, nor does it change any of the dates on the calendar.

b. Previous action of the Board on the same or similar matter

None.

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c. Other policies affected

None.

d. Arguments in support of the recommendation

None.

e. Arguments against the recommendation

None identified at this time.

f. Findings and conclusion of the Board committee

The Board approved the SY 2013-2014 school calendar at its January 8, 2013 General Business Meeting.

g. Other agencies or departments of the State involved in the action

There are no other agencies or departments involved in this action.

h. Possible reaction of the public, professional organizations, unions, Department of Education staff and/or others to the recommendations

Hawaii Government Employees Association (HGEA) and HSTA have been provided copies of the amended calendar. No issues, concerns or suggestions have been raised by the unions.

i. Educational implication

No change.

j. Personnel implications

There are no known personnel implications. HGEA and HSTA have been provided copies of the amended calendar. No issues, concerns, or suggestions have been raised by the unions.

k. Facilities implications

None.

I. Financial implications

None identified.

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5. OTHER SUPPLEMENTARY RECOMMENDATIONS

None.

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Attachment

c: Office of Human Resources