

Senate Committee on Higher Education Thursday, February 2, 2023, 3:00 p.m.

Testimony by:

Jamie Go, Interim Executive Administrator and Secretary of the Board of Regents

S.B. No. 960 – RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII BOARD OF REGENTS CANDIDATE ADVISORY COUNCIL.

S.B. No. 631 – PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE X, SECTION 6, OF THE HAWAII STATE CONSTITUTION TO MODIFY THE APPOINTMENT PROCESS FOR THE BOARD OF REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.

Chair Kim, Vice Chair Kidani, and members of the Committee:

These comments on S.B. No. 960 and S.B. No. 631 are offered in my capacity as the Interim Executive Administrator and Secretary of the Board of Regents.

The Board of Regents of the University of Hawai'i (Board) has not yet had the opportunity to discuss these measures. Discussion is expected to occur at the Board's next meeting on February 16, 2023.

Thank you for the opportunity to offer comments on S.B. No. 960 and S.B. No. 631.