LEGISLATIVE REPORT

SUBJECT: Annual Report on the Teacher Education Coordinating Council

REFERENCE: Section 304-20, HRS

ACTION REQUESTED:

Report on activities relating to: 1) the development of strong teacher training programs at accredited institutions of higher learning in Hawaii, and 2) addressing issues and concerns regarding teacher preparation and other educational matters related to improving education in the State of Hawaii.

DOE REPORT: As both DOE and the University of Hawaii at Manoa (UHM) are responsible for the legislative reporting requirements, both agencies alternate in submittal of the annual report of activities to the Legislature. As the DOE submitted an annual report to the 2007 Legislature, the UHM will be submitting an annual report to the 2008 Legislature. As such, DOE need not submit an annual report to the 2008 Legislature.

FINDINGS: N/A

RECOMMENDATIONS: N/A