## HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

REQUESTING THE HIGH TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION,

UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII JOHN A. BURNS SCHOOL OF MEDICINE,

CANCER RESEARCH CENTER OF HAWAII, DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION,

DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES, THE HAWAII

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY, AND KAMEHAMEHA SCHOOLS TO

PLAN A TECHNOLOGY-BASED COLLABORATIVE PROJECT ON STATE

LANDS IN KAKAAKO MAKAI, OAHU.

WHEREAS, the High Technology Development Corporation (HTDC) operates statewide technology innovation centers for the purpose of increasing Hawaii's high-tech industries and providing attractive high-tech jobs for the state in biotechnology, medical technologies, life sciences research and development, and other innovative sectors; and

WHEREAS, the University of Hawaii (UH) John A. Burns School of Medicine (JABSOM) situated in Kakaako Makai, located within the Kakaako Community Development District (Kakaako District), and the planned JABSOM Phase II will provide new opportunities for education and training in medical technologies; and

WHEREAS, the new UH Cancer Research Center of Hawaii (CRCH), a planned national cancer research center in Kakaako, will provide new opportunities for education and training related to cancer clinical research and development; and

WHEREAS, Kamehameha Schools plans to develop a private life sciences catalyst project on former state land fronting Ala Moana Boulevard; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Education (DOE) will require a location to support K-12 educational needs in the Kakaako District, and will significantly benefit from interaction with a research and technology park in close proximity; and

 WHEREAS, Kakaako Makai is envisioned to become a premier medical and life sciences research and technology park in the Pacific; and

WHEREAS, the Hawaii Community Development Authority (HCDA), under the general policies and direction set by the Legislature, implements the management and development of state lands in the Kakaako District to support the needs of the public; and

 WHEREAS, the Department of Land and Natural Resources (DLNR) owns, in fee title, the land adjacent to the Mother Mary Waldron Park in the Kakaako District, which is one of the few if not last, remaining state-owned lands near Kakaako Makai suitable for development; and

WHEREAS, there is tremendous public value and benefit for the collaboration and cooperation of activities in an area central to education, training, research, and technology, where private companies will support the collective needs of UH JABSOM, CRCH, HTDC, DLNR, and DOE; and

WHEREAS, the Legislature recognizes the tremendous importance of providing for these activities on lands owned by the State and at no cost to the state departments and agencies involved; and

WHEREAS, a center of this magnitude and value to the future of Hawaii's children and citizens requires well-conceived planning and cooperation among stakeholders; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the Twenty-third Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2006, the Senate concurring, that:

(1) The Executive Director of the High Technology Development Corporation or the Director's designee;

(2) The Dean of University of Hawaii John A. Burns School of Medicine or the Dean's designee;

(3) The Director of the Cancer Research Center of Hawaii or the Director's designee;

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- (4) The Superintendent of Education or the Superintendent's designee;
- (5) The Executive Director of the Hawaii Community
  Development Authority or the Executive Director's
  designee; and
- (6) The Chairperson of the Board of Land and Natural Resources or the Director's designee; and
- (7) By invitation, the Chief Executive Officer of Kamehameha Schools, or the Chief's designee,

shall confer and strategize to develop and operate a technology-based consortium supporting K-12 education, medical research and development activities, and an incubator and innovation center for technology-based companies on state land adjacent to the Mother Mary Waldron Park; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Executive Director of the High Technology Development Corporation is requested, after consultation with the forgoing enumerated agencies, to submit a report of their findings and recommendations, including necessary proposed legislation, to the Legislature no later than twenty days prior to the convening of the Regular Session of 2007; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this Concurrent Resolution be transmitted to the Executive Director of the Hawaii High Technology Development Corporation, Dean of the University of Hawaii John A. Burns School of Medicine, Director of the University of Hawaii Cancer Research Center, Superintendent of the Department of Education, Director of the Department of Land and Natural Resources, the Executive Director of the Hawaii Community Development Authority, and the Chief Executive Officer of Kamehameha Schools.

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