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# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO EDUCATION.

**BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:**

1           SECTION 1. The legislature recognizes that the Manoa  
2 public library will be closed for renovation work for a period  
3 of two years. The legislature finds that the library is of  
4 great value to the public and particularly to the Manoa  
5 community, and is used frequently and constantly by Noelani  
6 elementary school students. With the Manoa public library's  
7 closure there will be no reasonable alternative library in the  
8 vicinity, particularly for the students and the elderly.

9           The purpose of this Act is to compensate for the Manoa  
10 public library's temporary closure by providing two portable  
11 classrooms on the grounds of Noelani elementary school as an  
12 interim location for the library.

13           SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the general  
14 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$500,000, or so much  
15 thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2007-2008, and the  
16 same sum, or so much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year  
17 2008-2009, to provide two portable classrooms to be located on



1 Noelani elementary school grounds and to serve as the temporary  
2 location of the Manoa public library.

3 The sums appropriated shall be expended by the department  
4 of education for the purposes of this Act.

5 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2007.

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**Report Title:**

Manoa Public Library; Closure

**Description:**

Appropriates funds to the department of education to provide 2 portable rooms for the Manoa public library to accommodate the community and students for the two-year library's closure.

