A BILL FOR AN ACT

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE COMMUNITY COLLEGES.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. Maui community college and Hawaii community
- 2 college of the University of Hawaii system shall establish a
- 3 one-year pilot program in cultural sensitivity training for
- 4 hospitality industry workers who come into contact with Chinese,
- 5 Korean, and Japanese visitors.
- 6 SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the tourism
- 7 special fund the sum of \$ or so much thereof as may be
- 8 necessary for fiscal year 2008-2009 for cultural sensitivity
- 9 training program mandated under this Act; provided that Maui
- 10 community college and Hawaii community college shall separately
- 11 submit findings and recommendations to the legislature not later
- 12 than twenty days prior to the convening of the regular session
- 13 of 2010.

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- 14 The sum appropriated shall be expended by the Hawaii
- 15 tourism authority for the purposes of this Act.
- 16 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2008.

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Report Title:

Hawaii Tourism Authority; Community Colleges

Description:

Requires community colleges to establish a pilot program in cultural sensitivity training for hospitality industry workers. Appropriates funding from the tourism special fund.