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## HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII BOARD OF REGENTS TO STUDY THE REINTEGRATION OF THE OFFICE OF THE CHANCELLOR OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA WITH THE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII SYSTEM.

WHEREAS, the Hawaii State Constitution guarantees that the 1 Board of Regents of the University of Hawaii (UH) shall have the 2 exclusive jurisdiction over the internal structure, management, 3 and operation of UH, subject only to the exclusive jurisdiction 4 of the Legislature to identify and enact laws of statewide 5 6 concern; and 7 8 WHEREAS, the Hawaii State Constitution also specifies that 9 the Board of Regents shall appoint the President of the University to act as its executive officer; and 10 11 12 WHEREAS, in 2001, UH was reorganized such that UH System and UH-Manoa are no longer led by the same executive 13 14 officer; and 15 WHEREAS, in 2001, the Board of Regents reorganized the 16 organizational structure of the University with the 17 understanding that establishing the Office of the Chancellor of 18 UH-Manoa would incur no additional administrative costs to the 19 University; and 20 21 22 WHEREAS, the Office of the Chancellor of UH-Manoa now requires an annual operational budget of \$14.7 million; and 23 24 25 WHEREAS, there has been over \$6.4 million in additional administrative costs at UH-Manoa since the establishment of the 26 Office of the Chancellor of UH-Manoa; now, therefore, 27

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BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the Twenty-sixth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2011, the Senate concurring, that the Board of Regents is respectfully requested to study whether the reintegration of the Office of the Chancellor of UH-Manoa with the Office of the President of the UH System is prudent; and

8 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board of Regents report 9 findings and recommendations to the Legislature no later than 20 days prior to the convening of the 2012 Regular Session; and 10 11 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this 12 13 Concurrent Resolution be transmitted to the Chair of the UH Board of Regents, the Chancellor of UH-Manoa and the President 14 of the UH System. 15 16

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