A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII BUDGET.

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

1	SECTION 1. The University of Hawaii shall prepare the	
2	proposed 1	budget for the 2014-2015 fiscal year for submittal to
3	the 2014	legislature in accordance with zero-based budgeting
4	principle	s. The budget-planning process may begin on July 1,
5	2013, and	shall include the following:
6	(1)	Identification and description of each program
7		activity;
8	(2)	Statement of objectives of each program activity and
9		output;
10	(3)	Evaluation and ranking of program activities on the
11		basis of a cost-benefit analysis, and allocation of
12		resources to program activities accordingly; and
13	(4)	Identification of effects of each funding level on
14		personnel requirements.
15	In p	reparing the proposed budget, zero-based budgeting
16	principles	s shall be applied to all University of Hawaii
17	programs,	including system-wide and campus-level administration

- 1 and services, all colleges and associated programs, and research
- 2 programs.
- 3 The term "zero-based budgeting" means a budgeting system
- 4 that starts from zero dollars allocated each fiscal year. Each
- 5 budget item shall be justified on the basis of cost-benefit
- 6 analysis. Zero-based budgeting assumes that no present
- 7 commitment exists for any budget item and that there is no
- 8 balance carried forward from prior fiscal years.
- 9 All information developed for zero-based budgeting for the
- 10 proposed budget shall be made available to the auditor, director
- 11 of finance, and the chairpersons of the fiscal committees of the
- 12 senate and house of representatives.
- 13 SECTION 2. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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Report Title:

University of Hawaii Budget; Zero-based Budgeting

Description:

Requires the University of Hawaii to use zero-based budgeting principles in formatting the budget for the 2014-2015 fiscal year.

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