HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TWENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE, 2015 STATE OF HAWAII

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A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO FUNDS.

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

1	PART I
2	SECTION 1. Chapter 304A, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
3	amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated
4	and to read as follows:
5	"§304A- University of Hawaii quasi-endowment trust fund.
6	There is established the University of Hawaii quasi-endowment
7	trust fund into which shall be deposited income derived from the
8	university's endowment fund. Income deposited into this account
9	may be expended by the university as set forth by the board of
10	regents in policies and guidelines for costs and expenses
11	associated with student financial aid programs, including
12	scholarships and student support services, awards, and project
13	opportunities for the university."
14	PART II
15	SECTION 2. The purpose of this part is to repeal the
16	University of Hawaii community services special fund.

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1 The legislature finds that the fund does not meet the 2 criteria for a special fund and should be repealed. 3 SECTION 3. Section 304A-2156, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is 4 repealed. 5 ["[\$304A-2156] University of Hawaii community services special fund. (a) There is established the University of 6 7 Hawaii community services special fund. Except as otherwise 8 provided by law, all revenues, including interest, derived and 9 collected from the university's provision of public-service 10 programs shall be deposited into the University of Hawaii 11 community services special fund. The university may establish 12 and collect fees and charges for public service programs. All 13 revenues deposited into the University of Hawaii community 14 services special fund shall be used exclusively for the costs of 15 providing public service programs. The university may establish 16 accounts under the community services special fund to facilitate 17 the administration of this fund among the various campuses and 18 operating units of the University of Hawaii system. All 19 expenditures from this fund shall-be subject to legislative 20 appropriation.

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1	(b) As used in this section, "public service programs"
2	means:
3	(1) Noncredit educational programs in professional
4	development and training, personal growth, and
5	cultural enrichment; and
6	(2) Cooperative extension and consultative services."]
7	PART III
8	SECTION 4. The purpose of this part is to reclassify the
9	Hawaii educator loan program special fund as a revolving fund.
10	SECTION 5. Section 304A-701, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
11	amended by amending subsection (g) to read as follows:
12	"(g) In accordance with chapter 103D, the university may
13	enter into written contracts with collection agencies for the
14	purpose of collecting delinquent loans. All payments collected,
15	exclusive of a collection agency's commissions, shall revert,
16	and be credited, to the Hawaii educator loan program [special]
17	revolving fund. A collection agency that enters into a written
18	contract with the university for the collection of delinquent
19	loans pursuant to this section may collect a commission from the
20	debtor in accordance with the terms of, and up to the amounts
21	authorized in, the written contract."

SECTION 6. Section 304A-703, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
 amended to read as follows:

3 "[{] §304A-703[}] Capacity of minors in qualifying for 4 Hawaii educator loans. Any student otherwise gualifying for a 5 loan under the Hawaii educator loan program [special] revolving 6 fund shall not be disqualified because the student is under the 7 age of eighteen years, and for the purpose of applying for, 8 receiving, and repaying the loan, any such person shall be 9 deemed to have full legal capacity to act and shall have all 10 rights, powers, privileges, and obligations of an adult with 11 respect thereto."

SECTION 7. Section 304A-704, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended to read as follows:

14 "[+]§304A-704[+] Rules governing Hawaii educator loan 15 program [special] revolving fund. The university may adopt 16 rules to implement the Hawaii educator loan program. The rules 17 shall be adopted pursuant to chapter 91 but shall be exempt from 18 the public notice and public hearing requirements."

19 SECTION 8. Section 304A-2161, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is 20 amended to read as follows:

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1	"[[]§304A-2161[]] Hawaii educator loan program [special]
2	revolving fund. There is established the Hawaii educator loan
3	program [special] <u>revolving</u> fund, for the purpose of providing
4	loans pursuant to section []]304A-701[]]. [The following may be
5	deposited into the special fund: appropriations] Appropriations
6	made by the legislature, private contributions, repayment of
7	loans, including interest and payments received on account of
8	principal, and moneys from other sources[; provided that:
9	(1) Moneys on balance in the special fund at the close of
10	cach fiscal year shall remain in that fund and shall
11	not lapse to the credit of the general fund; and
12	(2)] shall be deposited into the revolving fund and shall
13	be expended by the University. An amount from the
14	[special] revolving fund not exceeding five per cent
15	of the total amount of outstanding loans may be set by
16	the university to be used for administrative expenses
17	incurred in administering the [special] revolving
18	fund."
19	PART IV
20	SECTION 9. The purpose of this part is to reclassify the
21	community colleges special fund as a revolving fund.

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1 SECTION 10. Section 304A-2162, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is 2 amended to read as follows: 3 "[+]\$304A-2162[+] Community colleges [special] revolving 4 fund. (a) Section [+]304A-2003[+] notwithstanding, there is 5 established a community colleges [special] revolving fund to 6 receive, disburse, and account for funds of programs and 7 activities of the community colleges, including but not limited 8 to off-campus programs, summer session programs, overseas programs, evening sessions, study abroad, exchange programs, 9 10 cultural enrichment programs, and consultative services that 11 help make available the resources of the community colleges to 12 the communities they serve. 13 The [special] revolving fund may include deposits (b) 14 from: 15 (1)The University of Hawaii tuition and fees special fund 16 established in section [+]304A-2153[+]; 17 (2) Tuition, fees, and charges for affiliated 18 instructional, training, and public service courses 19 and programs; and 20 (3) Fees, fines, and other money collected for: 21 (A) Student health;

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1	(B)	Transcript and diploma;
2	(C)	Library;
3	(D)	Facility use;
4	(E)	Child care;
5	(F)	Auxiliary enterprises;
6	(G)	Alumni; and
7	(H)	Other related activities."
8		PART V
9	SECTION 1	1. The purpose of this part is to repeal the
10	Hawaii medical	education special fund.
11	The legis	lature finds that the fund no longer serves the
12	purpose for wh	ich it was created, does not meet the criteria for
13	a special fund	, and should be repealed.
14	SECTION 1	2. Section 304A-1702, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
15	amended by ame	nding subsections (b), (c), and (d) to read as
16	follows:	
17	" [-(b-) - Th e	e program shall be funded with moneys received for
18	graduate medica	al education and deposited into the Hawaii medical
19	education spec:	ial fund established under section [304A-2164].
20	.(c)] <u>(b)</u>	All funding for the graduate medical education
21	program shall]	be nonlapsing.

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1	[(d)] <u>(c)</u> Program moneys shall only be expended if:
2	(1) Approved by the medical education council; and
3	(2) Used for graduate medical education in accordance with
4	sections [+]304A-1704[+] and [+]304A-1705[+]."
5	SECTION 13. Section 304A-2164, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
6	repealed.
7	["[\$304A-2164]-Hawaii medical education special fund.
8	There is established a Hawaii medical education-special fund,
9	into which shall be deposited all funds received by the medical
10	education council, including:
11	(1) Moneys from the federal Centers for Medicaid and
12	Medicare Services or other federal agencies;
13	(2) State appropriations; and
14	(3) Grants, contracts, donations, or private
15	contributions.
16	The fund shall be administered by the university. Moneys
17	deposited in the fund shall be expended by the university for
18	the purposes of the graduate medical education program
19	established under section [304A-1702]."]
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1	PART VI
2	SECTION 14. The purpose of this part is to repeal the
3	discoveries and inventions special fund.
4	The legislature finds that the fund does not meet the
5	criteria for a special fund and should be repealed.
6	SECTION 15. Section 304A-2253, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
7	amended by amending subsection (c) to read as follows:
8	"(c) Notwithstanding [sections] <u>section</u> 304A-107 [and
9	[304A-2174]] to the contrary, the board of regents, or its
10	designee, may establish a separate account within the research
11	and training revolving fund for the purpose of providing advance
12	funding to meet reimbursable costs incurred in connection with
13	federally financed research and training projects. Any
14	reimbursement received as a result of providing advance funding
15	shall be deposited into the research and training revolving fund
16	to be used for the purpose of meeting reimbursable costs
17	incurred in connection with federally financed projects."
18	SECTION 16. Section 304A-2174, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
19	repealed.
20	["[§304A-2174] Discoveries and inventions special fund.

21 There is established a discoveries and inventions special fund

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1	into which shall be deposited a portion of the total indirect
2	overhead funds generated by the university for research and
3	training purposes in the prior fiscal year, as determined by the
4	board-of regents. Appropriations by the legislature-subject to
5	the approval of the governor, proceeds from the commercial
6	exploitation of inventions and intellectual property developed
7	at the university, gifts, donations, fees collected, and grants
8	from public agencies and private persons may also be deposited
9	into the special fund for the purposes of supporting innovation
10	and research commercialization and the patenting, copyrighting,
11	licensing, and marketing of discoveries, inventions, and
12	technologies developed at the university. The special fund
13	shall be used to develop technologies that have potential
14	commercial-value, support the administration of technology
15	transfer activities, and facilitate economic development through
16	education and research undertaken at the university."]
17	PART VII
18	SECTION 17. The purpose of this part is to repeal the
19	University of Hawaii alumni special fund.
20	The legislature finds that the fund no longer serves the
21	purpose for which it was created and should be repealed.

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SECTION 18. Section 304A-2175, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
 repealed.

3	[" [§304A-2175] University of Hawaii alumni special fund.
4	There-is-established the University of Hawaii alumni special
5	fund-into-which-shall be deposited funds and proceeds received
6	by the university from alumni activities and donations from
7	alumni. Funds deposited into this special fund may be expended
8	by the university for all costs associated with conducting
9	alumni affairs, activities, and programs for the university
10	system, including but not limited to expenses for honoraria,
11	hotel and room rentals, food and refreshment, printing and
12	mailing, banners and signs, plaques and awards, airfare and per
13	diem, leis, rental of audiovisual, musical, and stage equipment,
14	and activity supplics and materials, without regard to statutory
15	competitive bidding requirements."]
16	PART VIII
17	SECTION 19. The purpose of this part is to repeal the
18	animal research farm, Waialee, Oahu special fund.
19	The legislature finds that the fund no longer serves its
20	original purpose, does not meet the criteria for a special fund,
21	and should be repealed.



SECTION 20. Section 304A-2177, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
 repealed.

3	[" <mark>[§304A-2177] Animal research farm, Waialee, Oahu special</mark>
4	fund. There is established the animal research farm, Waialee,
5	Oahu special fund for the animal research farm, Waialee, Oahu,
6	operated by the college of tropical agriculture and human
7	resources of the University of Hawaii, into which shall be
8	deposited the receipts from fees realized from the sale of
9	livestock, services, and supplies. Funds deposited into this
10	special fund shall be expended for animal research, and services
11	and supplies related thereto."]
12	PART IX
13	SECTION 21. The purpose of this part is to reclassify the
14	professional student exchange program special fund as a
15	revolving fund.
16	SECTION 22. Section 304A-2179, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
17	amended to read as follows:
18	"[4]§304A-2179[4] Professional student exchange program
19	[special] revolving fund. (a) There is established a
20	professional student exchange program [special] <u>revolving</u> fund
21	to be administered and expended by the Hawaii commission.

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1	(b)	The following moneys shall be deposited into the
2	[special]	revolving fund:
3	(1)	Principal and interest payments received as repayment
4		of financial support from former or current
5		participants of the professional student exchange
6		program, pursuant to section 304A-3209; and
7	(2)	Interest earned or accrued on moneys in the [special]
8		revolving fund.
9	(c)	Moneys in the [special] <u>revolving</u> fund shall be
10	expended	to:
11	(1)	Support the professional student exchange program's
12		activities, including the provision of financial
13		support to participants at Western Interstate
14		Commission for Higher Education receiver institutions;
15		and
16	(2)	Enforce the collection of delinquent obligations."
17		PART X
18	SECT	ION 23. The purpose of this part is to repeal the
19	career and	d technical training projects revolving fund for the
20	Universit	y of Hawaii at Hilo.

The legislature finds that the revolving fund is not
 necessary.

3 SECTION 24. Section 304A-2268, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is4 repealed.

5	[" [§304A-2268] Career and technical training projects
6	revolving fund; University of Hawaii at Hilo. There is
7	established the career and technical training projects revolving
8	fund for the career and technical training-projects of the
9	community colleges and the University of Hawaii at Hilo into
10	which shall be deposited the receipts from fees for services,
11	supplies, and use of equipment provided by or in connection with
12	these projects. Funds deposited in this account shall be
13	expended for vocational and technical training projects, and
14	supplies, equipment, and services related thereto."]
15	PART XI
16	SECTION 25. The purpose of this part is to repeal the
17	conference center revolving fund for the conference center
18	program in the college of continuing education and community
19	service of the University of Hawaii at Hilo.

The legislature finds that the fund does not serve its
 original purpose, experiences minimal activity, and should be
 repealed.

4 SECTION 26. Section 304A-2272, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
5 repealed.

6 ["[§304A-2272] Conference center revolving fund; 7 University of Hawaii at Hilo. There is established the 8 conference center revolving fund-for the conference-center program in the college of continuing education and community 9 10 service of the University of Hawaii-at Hilo. All fees, charges, 11 and other moneys-collected in conjunction with the conference 12 center program shall be deposited in the revolving fund. The 13 dean of the college of continuing education and community 14 service is authorized to expend funds from the revolving fund 15 for all costs associated with conducting conferences, seminars, 16 and courses by the conference center program, including but not 17 limited to expenses for honoraria, hotel and room rentals, food 18 and refreshment, printing and mailing, airfare and per diem, 19 leis, rental of audiovisual equipment, and conference supplies 20 and materials."]

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1	PART XII
2	SECTION 27. The purpose of this part is to repeal the
3	Senator Hiram L. Fong scholarship program endowment trust fund.
4	The legislature finds that the fund does not serve the
5	purpose for which it was created and should be repealed.
6	SECTION 28. Section 304A-2353, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
7	repealed.
8	[" [§304A-2353] The Senator Hiram L. Fong-scholarship
9	program; endowment trust. (a) There is established the Senator
10	Hiram L. Fong-scholarship-program to be administered by the
11	university with proceeds from-an-endowment-trust that shall
12	receive its initial funding by an appropriation out of the
13	general revenues of the State. The program shall provide
14	financial support to students enrolled at any campus of the
15	university.
16	(b)Awards-shall be granted annually to one female student
17	and one male student who:
18	(1) Are graduates of a public high school in the State;
19	(2) Are upperclassmen at the university;
20	-(3) Submit winning essays to the board of regents on the
21	scnator's contributions to Hawaii;

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1	(4)	Have a demonstrated commitment to local community
2		issues, as shown by volunteer work and participation
3		in community organizations; and
4	.(5)	Have a demonstrated interest and knowledge of the
5		history-of immigration-to Hawaii.
6	.(c)	The amount to be awarded to a student shall be
7	determined	d by the board of regents with due regard to the total
8	amount of	funds available for the program. The award that a
9	student r	eccives under this program may be used to:
10	(1)	Pay for the costs of tuition and fees for a single
11		academic year;
11 12	(2)	academic year; Pay for the costs of textbooks and other instructional
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12		Pay for the costs of textbooks and other instructional
12 13		Pay for the costs of textbooks and other instructional materials for a single academic year;
12 13 14		Pay for the costs of textbooks and other instructional materials for a single academic year; Pay for the costs of room and board at a dormitory or
12 13 14 15		Pay for the costs of textbooks and other instructional materials for a single academic year; Pay for the costs of room and board at a dormitory or apartment maintained by the university for a single
12 13 14 15 16	(3) -	Pay for the costs of textbooks and other instructional materials for a single academic year; Pay for the costs of room and board at a dormitory or apartment maintained by the university for a single academic year; or
12 13 14 15 16 17	(3) -	Pay for the costs of textbooks and other instructional materials for a single academic year; Pay for the costs of room and board at a dormitory or apartment maintained by the university for a single academic year; or Defray the difference between student need, as



1	(d) The board of regents shall-adopt-rules to implement
2	the Senator Hiram L. Fong-scholarship program. The rules shall
3	be adopted pursuant to chapter 91 but shall be exempt from the
4	public notice and public hearing requirements.
5	(e) The scholarship program shall be funded with proceeds
6	from an endowment trust established with initial funding by an
7	appropriation out of the general revenues of the State and shall
8	be administered by the board of regents for the purposes of
9	supporting the Senator Hiram L. Fong scholarship program."]
10	PART XIII
11	SECTION 29. The purpose of this part is to repeal the
12	Senator Oren E. Long scholarship program endowment trust.
13	The legislature finds that the fund does not serve the
14	purpose for which it was created and should be repealed.
15	SECTION 30. Section 304A-2354, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
16	repealed.
17	[" [§304A 2354] The Senator Oren E. Long scholarship
18	program; endowment trust. (a) There is established the Senator
19	Oren E. Long scholarship program to be administered by the
20	university with proceeds from an endowment trust that shall
21	receive its initial funding by an appropriation out of the

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1	general r	evenues of the State. The program shall provide
2	financial	support to students enrolled at any campus of the
3	universit	y.
4	(b)	Awards shall be granted annually to one female student
5	and one m	ale student who:
6	(1)	Are graduates of a public high school in the State;
7	(2)	Are upperclassmen at the university; and
8	-(3) -	Submit winning essays to the board of regents on the
9		senator's contributions to Hawaii.
10	- (c)	The amount-to-be awarded to a student shall be
11	determine	d by the board of regents with due regard to the total
12	amount of	funds available for the program. The award that a
13	student r	eccives-under-this-program may be used to:
14	(1)	Pay for the costs of tuition and fees for a single
15		academic year;
16	(2)	Pay for the costs of textbooks and other instructional
17		materials for a single-academic year;
18	(3)	Pay for the costs of room and board at a dormitory or
19		apartment maintained by the university for a single
20		academic year; or



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1	(4) Defray the difference between student need, as
2	determined by the Free Application for Federal Student
3	Aid; and the total cost of attendance for a single
4	academic year.
5	(d) The board of regents shall adopt rules to implement
6	the Senator Oren E. Long scholarship program. The rules shall
7	be adopted pursuant to chapter 91 but shall be exempt from the
8	public notice and public hearing requirements.
9	(c) The scholarship-program shall be funded with proceeds
10	from an endowment trust established with initial funding by an
11	appropriation out of the general revenues of the State and shall
12	be administered by the board of regents for the purposes of
13	supporting the Senator Oren E. Long scholarship program."]
14	PART XIV
15	SECTION 31. The purpose of this part is to repeal the
16	Hawaii health corps revolving fund.
17	The legislature finds that the fund is inactive and should
18	be repealed.
19	SECTION 32. Section 309H-6, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
20	repealed.

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1	[" [§	309H-6] Hawaii health corps revolving fund(a)
2	There is	established in the treasury of the State the Hawaii
3	health co	rps revolving fund, which shall be administered by the
4	Universit	y of Hawaii John A. Burns school of medicine and the
5	Universit	y of Hawaii at Manoa school of nursing and dental
6	hygiene,	and into which shall be deposited:
7	(1) -	Any funds appropriated by the legislature for the
8		Hawaii rural health care provider loan repayment
9		program;
10	(2)	Gifts, donations, and grants from public agencies and
11		private persons;
12	(3)	Reimbursements of loan repayments under the Hawaii
13		rural health care provider loan repayment program;
14	(4)	Proceeds of the operations of the Hawaii health corps
15		program; and
16	(5)	Interest carned or accrued on moneys deposited into
17		the fund.
18	(b)	The University of Hawaii John A. Burns school of
19	medicine	and the University of Hawaii at Manoa school of nursing
20	and denta	l hygiene-may expend moneys from the fund for the

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1	purposes (of this chapter, including the operational expenses of
2	the Hawai:	i health corps-program:"]
3		PART XV
4	SECT	ION 33. The following funds are abolished:
5	(1)	The hurricane Iniki insurance proceeds special fund
6		administratively established in 1993 and administered
7		by the University of Hawaii;
8	(2)	The agency fund trust account administratively
9		established prior to July 1985 and administered by the
10		University of Hawaii; and
11	(3)	The University of Hawaii Okinawa program trust fund
12		administratively established in 1968 and administered
13		by the University of Hawaii,
14	and any u	nencumbered balances remaining shall lapse to the
15	credit of	the general fund.
16		PART XVI
17	SECT:	ION 34. On July 1, 2015, all unencumbered balances
18	remaining	in the accounts and funds repealed by this Act shall
19	lapse to t	the credit of the general fund.

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1	PART XVII
2	SECTION 35. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
3	and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.
4	SECTION 36. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2015.



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Report Title:

University of Hawaii; Non-General Funds; Repeal; Transfer of Balances; Establishment

Description:

Repeals various non-general funds and accounts and transfers the unencumbered balances to the general fund. Establishes the University of Hawaii Quasi-endowment Trust Fund. Makes conforming amendments. (HB545 HD1)

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