A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO EDUCATION.

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

1 SECTION 1. There is appropriated out of the general 2 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$ or so 3 much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2018-2019 for 4 the department of education to establish a workforce development 5 microgrant program to award grants to students who are enrolled 6 in a public high school and are applying for technical or 7 workforce training applicable to the following occupations: 8 (1) Registered nurse; (2) General and operations manager; **10** (3) Accountant or auditor; 11 (4)Elementary school teacher; 12 (5) Secondary school teacher; 13 (6) Civil engineer; 14 (7) Sales manager; 15 (8) Financial manager; 16 (9) Nursing assistant; 17 (10)Teacher assistant;

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              Medical assistant;
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              Automotive service technician or mechanic;
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              Heavy and tractor-trailer truck driver;
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              Bookkeeping, accounting, or auditing clerk;
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              Firefighter;
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              Retail salesperson;
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             Waiter or waitress;
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        (18) Cashier;
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        (19) Food preparation and server; or
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        (20) Maid or housekeeping cleaner;
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    provided that the funds shall be used to pay for costs
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    associated with the technical or workforce training, including
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    the cost of the technical or workforce training course and books
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    and other course materials; provided further that the department
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    of education shall establish written standards and criteria,
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    including an application process, by which grants shall be
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    awarded.
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         The sum appropriated shall be expended by the department of
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    education for the purposes of this Act.
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         SECTION 2. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2018.
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Report Title:

Workforce Development Microgrant Program; Training; Students; Appropriation

Description:

Appropriates funds for the establishment of a workforce development microgrant program to award grants to public high school students for costs associated with technical or workforce training related to certain industries. (SD1)

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