A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. The legislature finds that Act 39, Session Laws
- 2 of Hawaii 2017 (Act 39), provided the University of Hawaii with
- 3 express statutory authority to enable and facilitate the
- 4 deployment of university educational and instructional
- 5 resources, university managerial and fiscal resources, and
- 6 university personnel to promote the economic health and
- 7 diversification of workforce opportunities in the State through
- 8 the commercialization of inventions and discoveries generated by
- 9 or at the university. To accomplish this goal, Act 39
- 10 established the innovation and commercialization initiative
- 11 program within the University of Hawaii. This authority is, as
- 12 provided by Act 39, is set to be repealed on June 30, 2021.
- 13 The purpose of this Act is to remove the repeal date in Act
- 14 39 and make the innovation and commercialization initiative
- 15 program permanent.

- 1 SECTION 2. Act 39, Session Laws of Hawaii 2017, is amended
- 2 by amending section 3 to read as follows:
- 3 "SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2017[7
- 4 and shall be repealed on June 30, 2021]."
- 5 SECTION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
- 6 and stricken.
- 7 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2050.

Report Title:

UH; Act 39 of 2017; Innovation and Commercialization Initiative Program

Description:

Removes the sunset provision of Act 39, Session Laws of Hawaii 2017, making permanent the innovation and commercialization initiative program. Effective 7/1/2050. (HD1)

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