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# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII COMMUNITY COLLEGES.

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

1           SECTION 1. The legislature finds that the University of  
2 Hawaii community colleges are a key component to the State. The  
3 University of Hawaii provide essential postsecondary education  
4 and workforce development programs to prepare residents for  
5 future careers. A University of Hawaii community college campus  
6 is located in all counties across the State, making education  
7 accessible to Hawaii residents. As the community college system  
8 plays a vital role in supporting Hawaii residents in education  
9 and career development, providing the community colleges with a  
10 voice at the administrative level within the University of  
11 Hawaii system is a matter of statewide concern.

12           Accordingly, the purpose of this Act is to:

- 13           (1) Require the board of regents of the University of  
14           Hawaii to establish a standing committee on community  
15           colleges;
- 16           (2) Require the vice president of community colleges to  
17           report directly to the standing committee; and



1 (3) Provide appropriations and authorize the establishment  
2 of positions under program ID University of Hawaii,  
3 community colleges (UOH 800).

4 SECTION 2. Chapter 304A, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is  
5 amended by adding a new section to part IV, subpart A,  
6 subdivision 1, to be appropriately designated and to read as  
7 follows:

8 "§304A- Community colleges; board of regents standing  
9 committee. (a) The board of regents shall establish a standing  
10 committee on community colleges to examine issues regarding  
11 community colleges within the University of Hawaii.

12 (b) The vice president of community colleges shall report  
13 directly to the board of regents standing committee on community  
14 colleges."

15 SECTION 3. Provided that out of the general revenues of  
16 the State of Hawaii that are appropriated for program ID  
17 University of Hawaii, community colleges (UOH 800), there is  
18 appropriated the sum of \$303,000 or so much thereof as may be  
19 necessary for fiscal year 2022-2023 for the operating expenses  
20 of the culinary institute of the Pacific, including the hiring  
21 of three permanent full-time equivalent (3.0 FTE) groundskeeper



1 I positions, one permanent full-time equivalent (1.0 FTE)  
2 custodian I position, one permanent full-time equivalent (1.0  
3 FTE) special equipment maintenance worker position, and two  
4 permanent full-time equivalent (2.0 FTE) security officer  
5 positions; provided that the University of Hawaii shall raise  
6 new moneys for the remainder of the other current expenses in  
7 the amount of \$376,677.

8 The sum appropriated shall be expended by the University of  
9 Hawaii for the purposes of this Act.

10 SECTION 4. Provided that out of the general revenues of  
11 the State of Hawaii that are appropriated for program ID  
12 University of Hawaii, community colleges (UOH 800), there is  
13 appropriated the sum of \$2,650,000 or so much thereof as may be  
14 necessary for fiscal year 2022-2023 for the early college  
15 program, including the hiring of ten permanent full-time  
16 equivalent (10.0 FTE) campus coordinator APT positions and ten  
17 permanent full-time equivalent (10.0 FTE) early college  
18 counselor (faculty) positions; provided that the early college  
19 program shall target at-promise youth with a focus on career and  
20 technical education and workforce development.



1           The sum appropriated shall be expended by the University of  
2 Hawaii for the purposes of this Act.

3           SECTION 5. Provided that out of the general revenues of  
4 the State of Hawaii that are appropriated for program ID  
5 University of Hawaii, community colleges (UOH 800), there is  
6 appropriated the sum of \$1,400,000 or so much thereof as may be  
7 necessary for fiscal year 2022-2023 for the Hawaii promise  
8 program; provided that Hawaii promise program scholarships shall  
9 cover not more than ninety per cent of unmet needs.

10          The sum appropriated shall be expended by the University of  
11 Hawaii for the purposes of this Act.

12          SECTION 6. Provided that out of the general revenues of  
13 the State of Hawaii that are appropriated for program ID  
14 University of Hawaii, community colleges (UOH 800), there is  
15 appropriated the sum of \$385,000 or so much thereof as may be  
16 necessary for fiscal year 2022-2023 for the Hawaii nutrition  
17 employment and training program, including the hiring of five  
18 permanent full-time equivalent (5.0 FTE) island coordinator APT  
19 positions.

20          The sum appropriated shall be expended by the University of  
21 Hawaii for the purposes of this Act.



1 SECTION 7. Provided that out of the general revenues of  
2 the State of Hawaii that are appropriated for program ID  
3 University of Hawaii, community colleges (UOH 800), there is  
4 appropriated the sum of \$146,000 or so much thereof as may be  
5 necessary for fiscal year 2022-2023 for the Maui food innovation  
6 center, including the hiring of one permanent full-time  
7 equivalent (1.0 FTE) 11-month instructor (faculty) for food  
8 product research and development position, one permanent full-  
9 time equivalent (1.0 FTE) 11-month instructor (faculty) for food  
10 manufacturing position, and one permanent full-time equivalent  
11 (1.0 FTE) facility coordinator APT position.

12 The sum appropriated shall be expended by the University of  
13 Hawaii for the purposes of this Act.

14 SECTION 8. Provided that out of the general revenues of  
15 the State of Hawaii that are appropriated for program ID  
16 University of Hawaii, community colleges (UOH 800), there is  
17 appropriated the sum of \$1,540,000 or so much thereof as may be  
18 necessary for fiscal year 2022-2023 for workforce development  
19 programs, including the hiring of one permanent full-time  
20 equivalent (1.0 FTE) program manager APT position, one permanent  
21 full-time equivalent (1.0 FTE) educational specialist for



1 student information and registration systems APT position, four  
2 permanent full-time equivalent (4.0 FTE) educational specialist  
3 for sector outreach APT positions, one permanent full-time  
4 equivalent (1.0 FTE) information technology specialist for  
5 registration system management and web applications APT  
6 position, and one permanent full-time equivalent (1.0 FTE)  
7 educational specialist for prior learning assessment APT  
8 position; provided that the workforce development programs  
9 funded by this section shall focus on non-credit workforce  
10 training.

11 The sum appropriated shall be expended by the University of  
12 Hawaii for the purposes of this Act.

13 SECTION 9. Provided that out of the general revenues of  
14 the State of Hawaii that are appropriated for program ID  
15 University of Hawaii, community colleges (UOH 800), there is  
16 appropriated the sum of \$1,274,100 or so much thereof as may be  
17 necessary for fiscal year 2022-2023 for campus security  
18 officers, including the hiring of thirty-one permanent full-time  
19 equivalent (31.0 FTE) security officer I positions.

20 The sum appropriated shall be expended by the University of  
21 Hawaii for the purposes of this Act.



1 SECTION 10. Provided that out of the general revenues of  
2 the State of Hawaii that are appropriated for program ID  
3 University of Hawaii, community colleges (UOH 800), there is  
4 appropriated the sum of \$1,622,676 or so much thereof as may be  
5 necessary for fiscal year 2022-2023 for the Wahiawa value-added  
6 product development center, including the hiring of one  
7 permanent full-time equivalent (1.0 FTE) food scientist faculty  
8 position, one permanent full-time (1.0 FTE) administrative and  
9 fiscal support specialist APT position, two permanent full-time  
10 equivalent (2.0 FTE) security officer positions, two permanent  
11 full-time equivalent (2.0 FTE) building and grounds custodian  
12 positions, one permanent full-time equivalent (1.0 FTE)  
13 microbiologist faculty position, one permanent full-time  
14 equivalent (1.0 FTE) high pressure processing manager APT  
15 position, and one permanent full-time equivalent (1.0 FTE)  
16 chemist faculty position; provided that the Wahiawa value-added  
17 product development center shall prioritize services for  
18 products made in or sourced from Hawaii.

19 The sum appropriated shall be expended by the University of  
20 Hawaii for the purposes of this Act.



1 SECTION 11. Provided that out of the general revenues of  
 2 the State of Hawaii that are appropriated for program ID  
 3 University of Hawaii, community colleges (UOH 800), there is  
 4 appropriated the sum of \$4,600,000 or so much thereof as may be  
 5 necessary for fiscal year 2022-2023 to restore personal services  
 6 to levels of the fiscal year immediately before the fiscal year  
 7 that the coronavirus disease 2019 pandemic began.

8 The sum appropriated shall be expended by the University of  
 9 Hawaii for the purposes of this Act.

10 SECTION 12. Provided that out of the general revenues of  
 11 the State of Hawaii that are appropriated for program ID  
 12 University of Hawaii, community colleges (UOH 800), there is  
 13 appropriated the sum of \$842,572 or so much thereof as may be  
 14 necessary for fiscal year 2022-2023 for clinical instructors for  
 15 the nursing program.

16 The sum appropriated shall be expended by the University of  
 17 Hawaii for the purposes of this Act.

18 SECTION 13. Provided that out of the general revenues of  
 19 the State of Hawaii that are appropriated for program ID  
 20 University of Hawaii, community colleges (UOH 800), there is  
 21 appropriated the sum of \$645,134 or so much thereof as may be



1 necessary for fiscal year 2022-2023 for the learn and earn  
2 program, including the hiring of four permanent full-time  
3 equivalent (4.0 FTE) coordinator APT positions and three-tenths  
4 of one full-time equivalent (0.3 FTE) curriculum development  
5 faculty position; provided that the learn and earn program shall  
6 be implemented with the hub and spoke model and shall focus on  
7 healthcare and agriculture pathways.

8       The sum appropriated shall be expended by the University of  
9 Hawaii for the purposes of this Act.

10       SECTION 14. New statutory material is underscored.

11       SECTION 15. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.



**Report Title:**

University of Hawaii; Community Colleges; Board of Regents;  
Standing Committee

**Description:**

Requires the Board of Regents of the University of Hawaii to establish a Standing Committee on Community Colleges. Requires the Vice President of Community Colleges to report directly to the Board of Regents Standing Committee. Appropriates funds to the Community Colleges for the Culinary Institute of the Pacific, the Early College Program, the Hawaii Promise Program, HINET Program, the Maui Food Innovation Center, workforce development programs, campus security officers, the Wahiawa Value-Added Product Development Center, the restoration of personal services to pre-pandemic levels, nursing program clinical instructors, and the Learn and Earn Program. (SD2)

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