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SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS TO
PROVIDE INFORMATION AND CONDUCT CAREER-ORIENTED
PRESENTATIONS FOR HIGH SCHOOL JUNIORS AND SENIORS IN THE
STATE REGARDING PROFESSIONS SUBJECT TO LICENSURE AND
CERTIFICATION BY THE PROFESSIONAL AND VOCATIONAL LICENSING
DIVISION.

1 WHEREAS, the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs'
2 Professional and Vocational Licensing Division (Division) is
3 responsible for twenty-five professional boards and commissions
4 and twenty-seven licensing programs; and

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6 WHEREAS, in total, the Division licenses fifty-two
7 different professions and vocations; and

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9 WHEREAS, career-oriented presentations can help students
10 start thinking more in-depth about what they want to do as
11 adults; and

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13 WHEREAS, especially for high school students nearing
14 graduation, career-oriented presentations can provide an
15 opportunity to receive information about an array of multiple
16 occupations, including ones they may have never heard of, and
17 can broaden their perspectives beyond classic and familiar jobs;
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20 WHEREAS, career-oriented presentations can also help
21 students learn about what educational background and skills are
22 required for certain industries and fields in which they have
23 interests and provide an opportunity to ask questions and gain
24 important information; and

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26 WHEREAS, students in the State could greatly benefit from
27 career-oriented presentations from the Division about the
28 various professions and vocations it regulates to help inspire



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1 students to find their passions and develop a direction for
2 their future; now, therefore,

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4 BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate of the Thirty-first
5 Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2022, the
6 House of Representatives concurring, that the Department of
7 Commerce and Consumer Affairs is requested to provide
8 information and conduct career-oriented presentations for high
9 school juniors and seniors throughout the State regarding
10 professions subject to licensure and certification by the
11 Division; and

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13 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this
14 Concurrent Resolution be transmitted to the Director of Commerce
15 and Consumer Affairs, Superintendent of Education, and
16 Chairperson of the Board of Education.

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19 OFFERED BY:

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