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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: \_\_\_\_\_

