
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII COLLEGE OF TROPICAL
AGRICULTURE AND HUMAN RESOURCES.

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

1 SECTION 1. The legislature finds that the adequate
2 staffing levels of the university of Hawaii college of tropical
3 agriculture and human resources is a matter of statewide concern
4 pursuant to article X, section 6, of the Hawaii State
5 Constitution.

6 SECTION 2. In accordance with section 9 of article VII, of
7 the Hawaii State Constitution and sections 37-91 and 37-93,
8 Hawaii Revised Statutes, the legislature has determined that the
9 appropriations contained in Act 164, Regular Session of 2023,
10 will cause the state general fund expenditure ceiling for fiscal
11 year 2024-2025 to be exceeded by \$, or per cent.
12 This current declaration takes into account general fund
13 appropriations authorized for fiscal year 2024-2025 on Act 164,
14 Regular Session of 2023, and this Act only. The reasons for
15 exceeding the general fund expenditure ceiling are that:



1 (1) The appropriation made in this Act are necessary to
2 serve the public interest; and

3 (2) The appropriation made in this Act meets the needs
4 addressed by this Act.

5 SECTION 3. There is appropriated out of the general
6 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$500,000 or so much
7 thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2024-2025 for the
8 college of tropical agriculture and human resources at the
9 university of Hawaii at Manoa to establish five full-time
10 equivalent (5.0 FTE) faculty positions; provided that the sums
11 appropriated shall be expended as follows:

12 (1) \$ for one full-time equivalent (1.0 FTE)
13 extension specialist in water quality and conservation
14 in the county of Maui;

15 (2) \$ for one full-time equivalent (1.0 FTE)
16 extension agent in livestock in Hilo, county of
17 Hawaii;

18 (3) \$ for one full-time equivalent (1.0 FTE)
19 state extension specialist in livestock at the
20 university of Hawaii at Manoa;



1 (4) \$ for one full-time equivalent (1.0 FTE)
2 extension agent in urban horticulture and food systems
3 in the city and county of Honolulu; and

4 (5) \$ for one full-time equivalent (1.0 FTE)
5 extension agent in health and community development in
6 the county of Maui.

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

9 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2024.



Report Title:

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Description:

Makes an appropriation to the University of Hawaii to establish five full-time equivalent (5.0 FTE) faculty positions at the College of Tropical Agriculture and Human Resources. Declares that the general fund expenditure ceiling is exceeded. (SD1)

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