

JAN 17 2025

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 purpose of this Act is to appropriate funds
2 to establish positions within the university of Hawaii at Manoa
3 college of tropical agriculture and human resources to
4 successfully carry out the college's mission of agricultural
5 research; support the State's highly valued agriculture industry
6 in the face of current challenges, including damaging pests,
7 diseases, climate change, and production issues; and connect
8 research stations to communities through education,
9 entrepreneurship, and farming opportunities for local families
10 and keiki.

11 SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the general
12 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$ or so
13 much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2025-2026 and
14 the same sum or so much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal
15 year 2026-2027 for the university of Hawaii at Manoa college of



1 tropical agriculture and human resources to be allocated as
2 follows:

- 3 (1) \$ to establish eight full-time equivalent
4 (8.0 FTE) agricultural technician positions; and
5 (2) \$ to establish four full-time equivalent
6 (4.0 FTE) community coordinator positions.

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

9 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2025.

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INTRODUCED BY:

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S.B. NO. 663

Report Title:

UH; CTAHR; Agricultural Technicians; Community Coordinators;
Positions; Established; Appropriations

Description:

Appropriates funds for the University of Hawaii at Manoa College of Tropical Agriculture and Human Resources to establish eight full-time equivalent (8.0 FTE) agricultural technician positions and four full-time equivalent (4.0 FTE) community coordinator positions.

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