

# 2021 University of Hawai'i Legislative Update

For Presentation

UH Board of Regents May 20, 2021



# **2021 Legislative Session**

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# **2021 Budget/Funding Bills**

### HB 200 HD1 SD1 CD1 (Saiki) RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET

Appropriates funds for the operating and capital improvement budget of the Executive Branch for fiscal years 2021-2022 and 2022-2023. Position: Comments Update: Transmitted to Governor

# 2021 Budget/Funding Bills (Operating Budget)

		Board		CD1	
Campus	Description	FY22	FY23	FY22	FY23
UH Mānoa	UH Mānoa Athletics	\$ 3,600,000	\$ 3,600,000		
UH Hilo	UH Hilo Athletics	\$ 400,000	\$ 400,000		
UH Community Colleges	Hawai'i Promise Program	\$ 700,000	\$ 700,000		
UH Mānoa	Add (3) Positions and Funds for HIMB			\$ 197,228	\$ 197,228
UH Mānoa	Reduce (1) filled position and funds			\$ (343,800)	\$ (343,800)
UH Hilo	Add Funds for Athletics		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	\$ 105,895	
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UH Mānoa	Transfer funds to new Cancer Center Program ID			\$ (3,098,055)	\$ (3,098,055)
Cancer Center (new)	Transfer-in from Mānoa			\$ 3,098,055	\$ 3,098,055
UH West Oʻahu	Add (2) Positions and Funds			\$ 164,394	\$ 164,394
UH Community Colleges	Add (3) Positions and Funds			\$ 160,000	\$ 220,000
UH Mānoa	Reduce Funds			\$ (35,600,000)	\$ (30,000,000)
JABSOM	Reduce Funds			\$ (1,200,000)	\$ (1,200,000)
UH Hilo	Reduce Funds			\$ (2,280,000)	\$ (2,280,000)
UH West Oʻahu	Reduce Funds			\$ (1,080,000)	\$ (1,080,000)
UH Community Colleges	Reduce Funds		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	\$ (4,600,000)	\$ (4,600,000)
UH Systemwide Support	Reduce Funds		· '	\$ (3,391,232)	\$ (3,391,232)
	Total	\$ 4,700,000	\$ 4,700,000	\$ (47,867,515)	\$ (42,313,410)

#### V-Funded Add-ons

			CD1		
Campus	Description		FY22	FY23	
UH Mānoa	Add Funds for UHERO		\$ 1,200,000		
Aquarium	Add Funds for Waikīkī Aquarium		\$ 1,000,000		
UH Community Colleges	Add Funds for Hawai'i Promise		\$ 1,300,000	\$ 1,300,000	

# 2021 Budget/Funding Bills (Operating Budget)

General appropriation bill reflects disproportionate general fund reductions.

- Legislature decided to cease general fund support for Athletics programs at Mānoa (\$3,600,000) and Hilo (\$400,000). Funding will be eliminated in the upcoming biennium.
- Hawaii Promise Program will not receive the \$700,000 augmentation in general funds (\$1,800,000 in recurring general funds in the budget) but will receive \$1,300,000 each year of the biennium in American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funds.
- New Program ID for Cancer Center created (UOH115). This will not significantly alter current funding allocations from Mānoa (UOH100), and it is unclear why the Legislature felt the need to create this new Program ID.
- Mānoa was reduced significantly more than the other units, and was the only unit to receive the full amount of the Governor's pre-session proposed 15% reduction.

Campus	Governor's 15% Reduction	CD <sup>2</sup>	1 Reduction FY22	%age of Governor's Cut
Mānoa	\$ (35,600,000)	\$	(35,600,000)	100%
JABSOM	\$ (3,000,000)	\$	(1,200,000)	40%
Hilo	\$ (5,700,000)	\$	(2,280,000)	40%
West Oʻahu	\$ (2,700,000)	\$	(1,080,000)	40%
Community Colleges	\$ (23,000,000)	\$	(4,600,000)	20%
System Administration	\$ (8,478,080)	\$	(3,391,232)	40%
Total	\$ (78,478,080)	\$	(48,151,232)	61%

# 2021 Budget/Funding Bills (CIP Budget)

			Board	CD1	
Campus	Project Title	FY22	FY23	FY22	FY23
UH Systemwide Support	Renew, Improve, and Modernize	110,500,000	110,500,000	51,800,000	47,640,000
JH Community Colleges	Capital Renewal & Deferred Maintenance	25,000,000	25,000,000	25,000,000	
JH Community Colleges	Minor CIP	25,000,000	25,000,000	15,000,000	20,000,000
JH Hilo	Renew, Improve, and Modernize	24,000,000	13,500,000	1,300,000	
JH Mānoa	Mānoa Mini Master Plan Phase 2	60,000,000	-	35,000,000	35,000,000
IH Community Colleges	Honolulu CC Technology Renovations	15,000,000	-	15,000,000	
quaria	Waikīkī Aquarium	1,500,000	9,000,000	1,500,000	
IH Community Colleges	ADA Upgrades	14,000,000	14,000,000		
IH West Oʻahu	Renew, Improve, and Modernize	3,000,000	3,000,000	3,500,000	
IH Community Colleges	Windward CC Agripharmatech Bioprocessing Facility	3,000,000	-	3,000,000	
IH Mānoa	Central Admin Facility with Parking	4,000,000	-		
H West Oʻahu	Planning Projects	500,000	500,000		
H Community Colleges	Kapi'olani CC - Koki'o	2,500,000	30,000,000		
H Community Colleges	Maui College Vocational Tech	-	2,000,000		
H Mānoa	CTAHR - Waiale'e Research Station			1,600,000	
IH Hilo	Mauna Kea Telescope Removal (Hoku Kea)			900,000	
IH Community Colleges	Resource and Education Center			42,500,000	
H Systemwide Support	Makai Research Pier			5,550,000	
IH Mānoa	Lyon Arboretum			1,200,000	
H Community Colleges	Proof of Concept for Maui Health System			500,000	
	Total	288,000,000	232,500,000	203,350,000	102,640,000

#### Additional projects - either not General Obligation Bonds or not in UH

Campus	Project Title		FY22	FY23
UH Hilo	Renew, Improve, and Modernize (V-Funds)		8,700,000	
	Warehouses for Dept. of Agriculture		28,000,000	
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# 2021 Budget/Funding Bills (CIP Budget)

Aggregate CIP appropriations level positive, but specific CIP items are questionable.

- Overall amount of \$203.35 million for FY22 and \$102.64 million for FY23 is decent, although certain items received less than requested funding and there are other projects that were not requested by the Board.
- Less than half of the requested amount for Renew, Improve, and Modernize (RIM) funding for UH System.
- Only first year funding (\$1.5 million) for Waikīkī Aquarium.
- \$10.0 million more for Mānoa Mini Master Plan Phase 2 than requested.
- \$42.5 million for a Resource and Education Center is not a UH-sponsored or planned project, and therefore, its UH-related purpose is unknown at this time.
- \$28.0 million appropriated in the Department of Agriculture for Warehouses with UH as the expending agency for those funds.

# **2021 Budget/Funding Bills**

### HB 1296 HD1 SD2 CD1 (Luke) RELATING TO STATE FUNDS

**Part I:** Repeals the Hawaii tobacco prevention and control trust fund and transfers unencumbered balances to the general fund on 6/30/2025. Specifies that Hawaii tobacco settlement special fund moneys shall only be deposited into the university revenue-undertakings fund until 7/1/2033. Prohibits any contract for the management of Hawaii tobacco prevention and control trust fund moneys from extending beyond 6/30/2025. Imposes a \$4,300,000 cap on Hawaii tobacco settlement special fund. Requires report to the legislature twenty days prior to the convening of the regular sessions of 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, and 2026 on expenditures from Hawaii tobacco prevention and control trust fund moneys.

**Part II:** Makes an emergency appropriation to provide funds for the state comprehensive emergency medical services system for expenses related to collective bargaining and other current expenses.

**Part III:** Establishes and funds two permanent and five temporary full-time equivalent positions in the office of the governor.

**Part IV:** Requires all departments and the University of Hawaii to reimburse fringe benefit costs for non-general funded positions. Specifies that the cigarette tax revenues deposited to the credit of the cancer research special fund shall only be used for capital expenditures and only until 7/1/2041. Ceases deposits of cigarette tax revenues into the emergency medical services special fund on 7/1/2021.

**Part V:** Establishes a threat assessment team program.

**Part VI:** Funds one full-time equivalent position in the department of human resources development.

Position: Oppose

Update: Transmitted to Governor

# **2021 Budget/Funding Bills**

#### HB 1297 HD2 SD2 CD1 (Luke) RELATING TO STATE FINANCES

Appropriates funds for statewide collective bargaining costs. Position: Support Update: Transmitted to Governor

#### HB 1298 HD1 SD1 CD1 (Luke) RELATING TO STATE FUNDS

Transfers to the general fund the excess balances of various non-general funds from various state departments and agencies. Requires each department to annually submit to the Legislature program measures, costs elements, and accounting reports for all non-general funds under its control. Effective 6/30/2021.

Position: Comments

Update: Transmitted to Governor

#### HB 1299 HD1 SD1 CD1 (Luke) RELATING TO NON-GENERAL FUNDS

Repeals various non-general funds of: AGR, ATG, BUF, BED, CCA, DEF, DOE, HHL, HTH, HMS, LBR, LNR, PSD, TRN, UOH, JUD; and HPHA. Implements recommendations of the auditor. Transfers most unencumbered balances to the credit of the general fund.

Position: Oppose

Update: Transmitted to Governor



## 2021 Legislative Package and other similar measures

#### **TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER/COMMERCIALIZATION/CHIEF PROCUREMENT OFFICER/CANCER**

### CENTER (Omnibus Bill)

#### SB 589 SD2 HD2 CD1 (Kim)

#### **RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII**

**PART I:** Establishes the UH cancer center in statute as the cancer research center of Hawaii.

Requires the director of the cancer center to be appointed by the board of regents upon

recommendation of the provost of UH-Manoa and with the concurrence of the UH president.

Requires the cancer center to be administratively affiliated with the John A. Burns school of medicine. Requires the director of the cancer center and the dean of the school of medicine to report and be accountable to the provost of UH-Manoa. Requires funds expended from the tuition and fees special fund or research and training revolving fund for the school of medicine or cancer center to be used for educational or research and research-related purposes only.

**PART II:** Requires UH to develop a plan for the school of medicine and cancer center to achieve greater operational efficiencies. Requires the UH president to submit a progress report to the legislature before the 2023 regular session.

**PART III:** Extends the sunset of Act 38, SLH 2017, exempting UH's technology transfer activities from certain provisions of the state ethics code to 6/30/2024. Prohibits technology transfer activities in which UH employees have a conflict of interest. Requires board of regents to report employee conflicts to the legislature.

PART IV: Extends the sunset of Act 39, SLH 2017, establishing UH's innovation and commercialization initiative program to 6/30/2024. Prohibits program activities in which UH employees have a conflict of interest. Requires UH to report employee conflicts to the legislature.
PART V: Extends the sunset date of Act 42, SLH 2018, allowing the UH president to act as UH's chief procurement officer for procurement contracts under chapter 103D, HRS, to 6/30/2024.
Position: Oppose certain parts/Support certain parts
Update: Transmitted to Governor

# 2021 Legislative Package and other similar measures

### **BACKGROUND CHECKS**

SB 1220 SD1 (Kouchi)

### **RELATING TO CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD CHECKS**

Adds the University of Hawaii to the list of agencies that are authorized to conduct criminal history record checks on current or prospective employees, whose positions or duties are related to the security of campus facilities and persons.

**Position:** Support

Update: Transmitted to Governor

### **CONFERENCE CENTER FUND**

### SB 1222 SD2 HD1 CD1 (Kouchi) RELATING TO THE CONFERENCE CENTER REVOLVING FUND

Expands the scope of the conference center revolving fund for the University of Hawaii at Hilo. Authorizes the chancellor of the University of Hawaii at Hilo to expend funds from the revolving fund. Exempts the expenditure of moneys from the fund from bidding requirements under the Hawaii public procurement code. Requires the chancellor of the University of Hawaii at Hilo to submit annual reports of the revolving fund to the legislature.

Position: Support Update: Transmitted to Governor



# 2021 Legislative Package and other similar measures

### **BOARD OF REGENTS**

### SB 1225 SD1 HD1 CD1 (Kouchi) RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII BOARD OF REGENTS INDEPENDENT AUDIT COMMITTEE

**PART I:** Allows the chairperson of the independent audit committee (IAC) of the University of Hawaii board of regents to be selected in a manner consistent with its bylaws. Clarifies that the responsibility of the IAC as to the university's enterprise risk management is to oversee, rather than engage in the pertinent operations. Exempts from chapter 91 and part I of chapter 92, HRS, discussions between the IAC and internal or external auditors on matters that should remain confidential in accordance with nationally recognized best practices for independent audit committees. Allows the IAC chairperson to determine whether IAC discussions that are exempt from chapter 91 and part I of chapter 92, HRS, may be held without the presence of the president or the chief financial officer of the university.

**PART II:** Requires the IAC to report to the board of regents significant issues pertaining to university operations and programs found in audit reports that warrant corrective or remedial action. Requires the board of regents to ensure that necessary actions are implemented, and the underlying significant issue is appropriately corrected and remedied. Position: Support

Update: Transmitted to Governor



### Board of Regents SB 1034 SD1 HD2 CD1 (Kouchi) RELATING TO SUNSHINE LAW BOARDS

Authorizes boards to use interactive conference technology to remotely conduct meetings under the State's open meetings law. Amends the requirements for public notices of board meetings and for in-person board meetings held by interactive conference technology. Requires the Office of Information Practices to assess the implementation of meetings held using interactive conference technology and submit a report of its findings to the Legislature. Effective 1/1/2022. Position: Support

Update: Transmitted to Governor



### <u>Aloha Stadium</u>

### HB 1348 HD2 SD2 CD1 (Johanson) RELATING TO THE STADIUM DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT

Establishes the stadium development special fund. Provides for the abolishment of the stadium special fund. Revises the general development guidance policies for the stadium development district and clarifies the respective roles of the stadium authority and Hawaii community development authority in the development of the stadium development district. Broadens the powers and duties of the stadium authority, including authorizing the stadium authority to acquire and hold title to real property. Exempts land to which the stadium authority holds title from the definition of "public lands." Authorizes the stadium authority, with approval from the governor, to delegate to other state agencies implementation of capital improvement projects, including the transfer of funds, under certain conditions. Adds two members to the stadium authority. Amends the general bond authorization made by Act 268, Session Laws of Hawaii 2019. Makes the financial disclosures of members of the stadium authority public records. **Position:** Support Update: Transmitted to Governor



### **Tuition Waivers/Scholarships**

### HB 1291 HD1 SD2 CD1 (Ohno) RELATING TO SCHOLARSHIPS

Allows applicants to the University of Hawaii who earned a high school diploma from a public high school in the State with a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 and also provides evidence that they qualified for and received special education services for two or more years during enrollment in grades seven through twelve to be eligible for the Hawaii state scholars program.

Position: Comments Update: Transmitted to Governor



### UH Assets

HB 1280 HD2 SD2 (Nishimoto)

### RELATING TO THE NATURAL ENERGY LABORATORY OF HAWAII AUTHORITY

Transfers to the natural energy laboratory of Hawaii authority operational authority over the makai research pier located at the southeast corner of Oahu. Authorizes the director of finance to issue general obligation bonds for the natural energy laboratory of Hawaii authority to repair and upgrade the makai research pier.

Position: Support

Update: Failed to meet legislative deadline

### SB 628 SD2 HD2 CD1 (Baker)

### RELATING TO THE TRANSITION OF THE OAHU REGIONAL HEALTH CARE SYSTEM FROM THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION INTO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Among other things, commences the transfer of the Oahu regional health care system in its entirety from the Hawaii health systems corporation to the department of health. Requires the department of health to consult with the University of Hawaii regarding programs at Leahi hospital and Maluhia.

Position: Support

Update: Transmitted to Governor



## **2021 Select Resolutions of Interest**

#### <u>Mauna Kea</u>

HR 33 HD1 (Tarnas) CONVENING A WORKING GROUP TO DEVELOP RECOMMENDATIONS FOR A GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT STRUCTURE FOR MAUNA KEA. Position: Comments Update: HR 33 HD1 Adopted by the House

### <u>RCUH</u>

### SCR 183 SD1 HD1/SR 148 SD1 (Kim)

REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO CONVENE A TASK FORCE TO EXAMINE AND ASSESS ITS ARRANGEMENT FOR SERVICES WITH THE RESEARCH CORPORATION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.

**Position: Comments** 

Update: SR Adopted by the Senate

SCR Failed to be adopted



## **2021 Select Resolutions of Interest**

### Academic Tenure

SCR 201 SD1 HD1 (Kim) URGING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AND UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII PROFESSIONAL ASSEMBLY TO CONVENE A TASK FORCE TO EXAMINE AND ASSESS THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TENURE SYSTEM FOR RESEARCHERS AND OTHER NON-INSTRUCTIONAL FACULTY, AND COMPENSATION STRUCTURE OF FACULTY ENGAGED IN ACTIVITIES SUPPORTED BY EXTRAMURAL FUNDING AND GRANTS, IN COMPARISON TO PEER HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS ACROSS THE UNITED STATES; AND PROPOSE THE BEST PRACTICES TO BE IMPLEMENTED BY THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.

Position: Comments

Update: Senate adopted HD1



# **Other Concurrent Resolutions Adopted**

#### HCR 102 HD2

REQUESTING THE OFFICE OF PLANNING, IN COLLABORATION WITH VARIOUS AGENCIES, TO DEVELOP A PLAN TO ESTABLISH A STATE GEOLOGICAL SURVEY IN HAWAII. *Lead: UHM-HIGP* 

#### SCR 242 SD1 HD1

REQUESTING THE CONVENING OF A CREATIVE RESURGENCE TASK FORCE TO BUILD AND FOSTER CREATIVITY AND INNOVATION THROUGH THE ARTS, CULTURE, AND HUMANITIES. *Lead: VPAS* 

#### SCR 246 SD1 HD1

REQUESTING THAT A WORKING GROUP BE CONVENED TO DEVELOP RECOMMENDATIONS FOR IMPLEMENTING THE REVITALIZING ECONOMY AND AGRICULTURE LEADERSHIP INITIATIVE. *Lead: UHM-CTAHR* 



# **2021 Board of Regent Nominees**

**GM 785** Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Regents of the University of Hawai'i, Gubernatorial Nominee, WILLIAM HANING III, for a term to expire 06-30-2026.

**GM 786** Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Regents of the University of Hawai'i, Gubernatorial Nominee, DIANE PALOMA, for a term to expire 06-30-2026.

**GM 787** Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Board of Regents of the University of Hawai'i, Gubernatorial Nominee, WAYNE HIGAKI, for a term to expire 06-30-2026.

Update: All nominees were confirmed unanimously by the Senate on 4/22/2021



## Legislative Task Forces/Working Groups/Committees

**HB 33 HD1 SD2** Amends the composition of members of the information technology steering committee to include one member to be appointed by the President of the University of Hawai'i. *Lead: CIO* 

**HB 1284 HD2 SD2 CD1** Establishes within the department of human services an all-claims, all-payer data center steering committee, which includes the President of the University of Hawai'i, or the President's designee, to oversee and provide direction for the all-claims, all-payer database and data center within the health analytics program. *Lead: UHM-SOCSCI* 

**HB 1322 HD1 SD2** Establishes the trauma-informed care task force, which includes a faculty member from JABSOM to be appointed by the dean of JABSOM, to develop and make recommendations for trauma-informed care in the State. *Lead: UHM-JABSOM* 

**SB 1421 SD2 HD2 CD1** Establishes the dual use technology task force, which includes one representative from UH, to explore how dual use technology can be used to promote economic recovery and diversify the State's economy. *Lead: VPRI* 

**HCR 91** Requesting the Hawai'i Emergency Management Agency to convene a resiliency health disaster task force, which includes the UH President, or the President's designee, to develop a coordinated statewide resiliency health disaster plan. *Lead: VPA* 



# Legislative Task Forces/Working Groups/Committees

**SCR 201 SD1 HD1** Urging UH and UHPA convene a task force to examine and assess the UH's tenure system for researchers and other non-instructional faculty and compensation structure of faculty engaged in activities supported by extramural funding and grants. *Lead: VPAS* 

**SCR 242 SD1 HD1** Requesting a creative resurgence task force be convened to build and foster creativity and innovation through the arts, culture, and humanities in the State. The task force shall include faculty members from UHM, UHH, and UHWO. *Lead: VPAS* 

**SCR 246 SD1 HD1** Requesting the Chairperson of the Hawaiian Homes Commission to convene a Revitalizing Economy and Agriculture Leadership working group, which includes the Dean and Director for Research and Cooperative Extension at CTAHR, to consider and develop recommendations regarding the implementation of the Revitalizing Economy and Agriculture Leadership initiative. *Lead: UHM-CTAHR* 



# **Legislative Calendar**

- April 29 Adjournment Sine Die
- June 21 35<sup>th</sup> day after Sine Die (intent to veto)
- July 6 45<sup>th</sup> day after Sine Die

(sign, veto, allow to become law without signature)



# Conclusion



# Addendum



### HR 6 HD1

REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU, IN CONSULTATION WITH THE JOHN A. BURNS SCHOOL OF MEDICINE AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA AND DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, TO CONDUCT A STUDY ON THE CUMULATIVE HEALTH EFFECTS OF PERSISTENT URBAN NOISE IN HONOLULU.

#### HR 76

REQUESTING THE HAWAII EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY CONVENE A RESILIENCY HEALTH DISASTER TASK FORCE TO DEVELOP A COORDINATED STATEWIDE RESILIENCY HEALTH DISASTER PLAN.

#### HR 85 HD2

REQUESTING THE OFFICE OF PLANNING, IN COLLABORATION WITH VARIOUS AGENCIES, TO DEVELOP A PLAN TO ESTABLISH A STATE GEOLOGICAL SURVEY IN HAWAII.

#### HR 95 HD1

URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES, AND UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO DEVELOP AND IMPLEMENT A MOSQUITO CONTROL PROGRAM THAT USES WOLBACHIA BACTERIA TO REDUCE MOSQUITO POPULATION LEVELS THROUGHOUT THE STATE.



### HR 99 HD1

REQUESTING THE CONVENING OF A WORKING GROUP TO DETERMINE THE GAPS IN ACCESS TO HEALTH CARE AND THE POTENTIAL ROLE ADVANCED PRACTICE REGISTERED NURSES MAY PLAY IN ADDRESSING THESE GAPS.

#### HR 100 HD1

REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO CONDUCT AN ANALYSIS OF ADVANCED PRACTICE REGISTERED NURSES AND PHYSICIAN ASSISTANTS.

#### HR 113 HD1

REQUESTING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A BURIAL SITES WORKING GROUP TO REVIEW AND RECOMMEND IMPROVEMENTS TO THE ISLAND BURIAL COUNCILS.

#### HR 138 HD1

REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES; DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, VIA THE BEHAVIORAL RISK FACTOR SURVEILLANCE SYSTEM; AND DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, VIA THE YOUTH RISK BEHAVIOR SURVEILLANCE SYSTEM, TO COLLECT INFORMATION ON THE SEX, SEXUAL ORIENTATION, AND GENDER IDENTITY AND GENDER EXPRESSION OF RESPONDENTS, INCLUDING RESPONDENTS WHO ARE UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF THE COURTS AND THE HAWAII YOUTH CORRECTIONAL FACILITY.



### SR 8 SD2

CONVENING A TASK FORCE TO ADDRESS IMPLEMENTATION OF HAWAII'S STATE LAW COROLLARY TO TITLE IX TO STRENGTHEN HAWAII'S EFFORTS TO END CAMPUS-BASED SEXUAL VIOLENCE AND GENDER DISCRIMINATION.

#### SR 31 SD1

REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO ESTABLISH A KONA AREA AGRICULTURAL WORKING GROUP TO PROMOTE AGRICULTURE, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND HOUSING.

#### SR 38 SD1

SUPPORTING AN ECONOMIC TRANSITION THAT COMBATS CLIMATE CHANGE AND INCORPORATES CIRCULAR ECONOMY GOALS ROOTED IN ALOHA AINA PRINCIPLES.

#### SR 52 SD1

REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A SUNRISE ANALYSIS ON LICENSING AND/OR CERTIFICATION OF COMMUNITY HEALTH WORKERS.

#### SR 131 SD1

URGING STATE DEPARTMENTS AND ATTACHED AGENCIES TO TRAIN THEIR BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS.



### SR 133

URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT TO REEXAMINE THE QUALIFICATIONS FOR STATE POSITIONS THAT ARE CURRENTLY VACANT AND REPLACE THE QUALIFICATION OF A BACHELOR'S DEGREE WITH AN ASSOCIATE DEGREE OR CERTIFICATE, WHERE APPLICABLE.

#### SR 169 SD1

URGING THE EXECUTIVE AND LEGISLATIVE BRANCHES OF THE STATE OF HAWAII TO PROMOTE AND REALIZE THE VISION AND FULL POTENTIAL OF THE GLOBAL ALLIANCE FOR INTERNATIONAL COLLABORATION IN SPACE INITIATIVE AND EXPLORE WAYS TO PROVIDE STATE ADMINISTRATIVE AND FUNDING SUPPORT FOR THE INITIATIVE, IN CONSULTATION WITH THE HAWAII SPACE INDUSTRY INNOVATION PROGRAM AND GOVERNOR ARIYOSHI FOUNDATION.

#### SR 171 SD1

REQUESTING THE OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS TO ESTABLISH THE BURIAL SITES WORKING GROUP TO EXAMINE THE BURIAL SITES PROGRAM UNDER THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES' STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION DIVISION.



### SR 172 SD1

REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO CONVENE A MEDICINAL PSILOCYBIN AND PSILOCIN WORKING GROUP TO EXAMINE THE MEDICINAL AND THERAPEUTIC EFFECTS OF PSILOCYBIN AND PSILOCIN OR DEVELOP A LONG-TERM STRATEGIC PLAN TO ENSURE THE AVAILABILITY OF MEDICINAL PSILOCYBIN AND PSILOCIN OR PSILOCYBIN-BASED AND PSILOCIN-BASED PRODUCTS THAT ARE SAFE, ACCESSIBLE, AND AFFORDABLE FOR ELIGIBLE ADULT PATIENTS.

#### SR 174 SD2

URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT AND DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO ESTABLISH AND OFFER A QUALIFIED ROTH CONTRIBUTION PROGRAM TO THEIR RETIREMENT PLAN PARTICIPANTS.

#### SR 201 SD1

REQUESTING THE CONVENING OF A CREATIVE RESURGENCE TASK FORCE TO BUILD AND FOSTER CREATIVITY AND INNOVATION THROUGH THE ARTS, CULTURE, AND HUMANITIES.

#### SR 205 SD1

REQUESTING THAT A WORKING GROUP BE CONVENED TO DEVELOP RECOMMENDATIONS FOR IMPLEMENTING THE REVITALIZING ECONOMY AND AGRICULTURE LEADERSHIP INITIATIVE.



#### SR 206 SD1

REQUESTING THAT A WORKING GROUP BE CONVENED TO DEVELOP RECOMMENDATIONS TO FACILITATE HOMESTEAD AGRICULTURAL DEMONSTRATION PROJECTS IN THE STATE.

#### SR 208

REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO AUTHORIZE AN E-SPORTS PROGRAM FOR PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS IN THE STATE.

#### SR 217 SD1

URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO IDENTIFY HOW COFFEE BERRY BORER AND COFFEE LEAF RUST ENTERED INTO HAWAII AND MEASURES TO PREVENT THE FLOW OF THESE INVASIVE SPECIES INTO THE STATE TO PROTECT THE ONGOING VIABILITY OF HAWAI'I'S COFFEE INDUSTRY.

