

H .B. NO. 2431

A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE CENTER FOR NURSING.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section 304D-1, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended by amending subsection (a) to read as follows:

3 "(a) There is established within the University of Hawaii
4 at Manoa school of nursing and dental hygiene, a center for
5 nursing."

6 SECTION 2. Section 304D-5, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
7 amended to read as follows:

8 "~~[-]~~ §304D-5 ~~[-]~~ **Center for nursing special fund.** There is
9 established ~~[in the treasury of the State]~~ a center for nursing
10 special fund into which shall be deposited any legislative
11 appropriations, federal or private grants, and any other funds
12 collected for the purposes of this chapter. ~~[The]~~ This fund
13 shall be administered by ~~[the board of regents of]~~ the University
14 of Hawaii, and moneys in the fund shall be expended to support
15 the center's activities."

16 SECTION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
17 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

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1 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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JUSTIFICATION SHEET

DEPARTMENT: University of Hawaii

TITLE: A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE CENTER FOR NURSING.

PURPOSE: Clarify that the Center for Nursing is established at the University of Hawaii at Manoa and that the special fund for the Center for Nursing is administered by the University of Hawaii.

MEANS: Amend sections 304D-1 and 304D-5, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

JUSTIFICATION: This technical amendment clarifies that the administration of the special fund is within the University of Hawaii, rather than the Board of Regents, allowing for efficient and effective management of the fund.

These amendments clarify that this fund is under the authority of the University of Hawaii. It removes unnecessary references to the Board of Regents for consistency with other funds of the University of Hawaii. This clarifies the administrative authority of the School of Nursing and Dental Hygiene and simplifies the funding mechanism for administrative efficiency and effectiveness.

Impact on the public: None

Impact on the department and other agencies: None.

GENERAL FUNDS: None.

OTHER FUNDS: None.

PPBS PROGRAM DESIGNATION: UOH 100

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AGENCIES: Budget and Finance, Department of Commerce
and Consumer Affairs.

EFFECTIVE DATE: Upon approval.