
A BILL FOR AN ACT

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO EXPAND THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII'S
HAMILTON LIBRARY'S HOURS AN ADDITIONAL FORTY-TWO HOURS PER
WEEK.

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

1 SECTION 1. The legislature finds that based on a twenty-
2 four hour access, 3 days a week pilot project conducted in the
3 spring of 2004, there is a need for increased library hours at
4 Hamilton library at the University of Hawaii at Manoa campus.
5 Students at the University of Hawaii-Manoa campus have lobbied
6 for twenty-four hour access, three days each week as a high
7 priority. Because most students commute to campus, hold part-
8 time jobs, and have other responsibilities, it is imperative
9 that the library extend its hours to accommodate the diverse
10 schedules of students. At major universities, it is common for
11 libraries to open for operation twenty-four hours a day, during
12 the weekdays.

13 Furthermore, the library houses essential collections and
14 reference material, provides much needed online computer
15 workstations and basic office applications, and fills an acute
16 need for quiet individual and group study areas absent elsewhere



1 on campus, in the dormitories, and in homes. The appropriation
2 requested is for minimal staffing and building security.

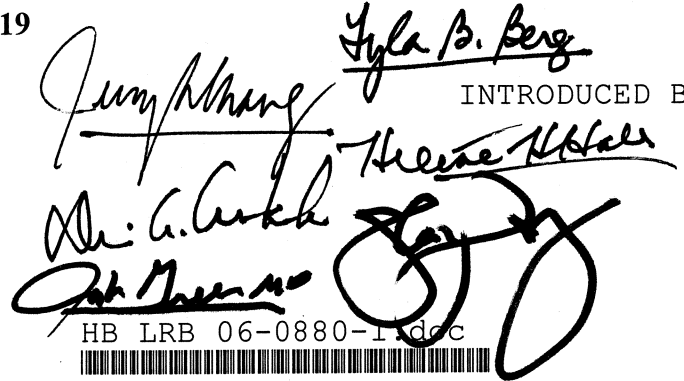
3 SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the general
4 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$101,408, or so much
5 thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2006-2007, to expand
6 the University of Hawaii's Hamilton library's hours for an
7 additional forty-two hours per week. The appropriation is for
8 the following services:

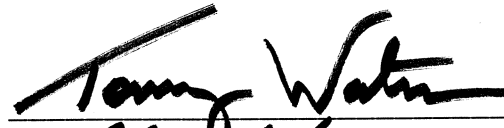

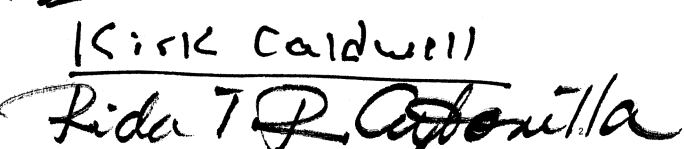

9 1. Personal services

10	One full-time library assistant	\$23,040
11	Student assistants	29,240
12	Subtotal personal services	\$ 52,280
13	2. Current expenses	
14	Two security guards	\$ 49,128
15	Total amount	\$101,408

16 SECTION 3. The sum appropriated shall be expended by the
17 University of Hawaii for the purposes of this Act.

18 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2006.

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Report Title:

Appropriation; University of Hawaii Library

Description:

Appropriates funds to allow the University of Hawaii's Hamilton library to extend its hours.

