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## A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO EDUCATION.

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

1           SECTION 1. The legislature finds that Nanakuli High School  
2 and Nanakuli Intermediate School have shared the same facilities  
3 for over three decades. Although there are many reasons for the  
4 consolidation, including enrollment, economies of scale, and  
5 cost, there are negative social impacts that come with high  
6 school and intermediate school students to intermingle. These  
7 include teen pregnancy, bullying, assault, and the possibility  
8 of lower academic performance as a result of dealing with the  
9 pressures and consequences of these issues.

10           The purpose of this Act is to find a balanced solution to  
11 reduce the negative social impacts of a consolidated high school  
12 and elementary school while keeping the advantages of cost  
13 savings and economies of scale.

14           SECTION 2. The department of education shall cause the  
15 separation of students of Nanakuli High School from students of  
16 Nanakuli Intermediate School through any means reasonably  
17 intended to minimize the social interaction of Nanakuli High  
18 School and Nanakuli Intermediate School students without



1 diminishing the delivery of educational services, including, but  
 2 not limited to, the use of separate daily scheduling and  
 3 dedicated classroom or building space. Nothing in this Act  
 4 shall be interpreted to effect the separation of administrative  
 5 services.

6 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on January 1, 2008.  
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**Description:**

Separate Nanakuli High School from Nanakuli Intermediate School.

