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S.B. NO. 1969

A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO TUITION ASSISTANCE.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section 121-45, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended to read as follows:

3 "~~§121-45 Tuition assistance for Hawaii national guard~~
4 ~~personnel to attend the University of Hawaii.~~ (a) The adjutant
5 general, subject to the availability of funds, may award tuition
6 assistance to qualified enlisted persons, warrant officers, and
7 [~~company grade~~] officers [~~+0-1 through 0-3~~] in the Hawaii
8 national guard who are:

- 9 (1) Residents of the State, as defined by the board of
10 regents pursuant to section [~~+~~]304A-402[~~+~~]; and
11 (2) [~~Undergraduate students~~] Students working toward a
12 degree on any campus of the University of Hawaii."

13 SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the general
14 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$1,000,000, or so
15 much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2007-2008, to
16 provide tuition assistance to members of the Hawaii national
17 guard who are students working toward a degree on any campus of
18 the University of Hawaii system.



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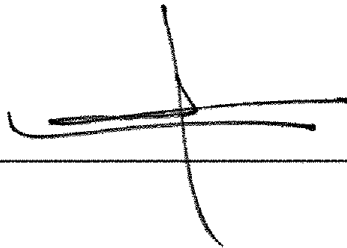
1 The sum appropriated shall be expended by the department of
2 defense for the purposes of this Act.

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 Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed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

5 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect upon its approval,
6 provided that sections 2 and 3 shall take effect on July 1,
7 2007.

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INTRODUCED BY:


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Report Title:

National Guard; Tuition Assistance; Appropriation

Description:

Broadens the scope of the law that provides tuition assistance to Hawaii national guard members attending the University of Hawaii and appropriates funds for that purpose.

