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# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO NAWAHIOKALANI'OPU'U LABORATORY SCHOOL PROGRAM.

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

1           SECTION 1. 2007 marks the tenth anniversary of the  
2 legislative mandate requiring the creation of Ke Kula 'O  
3 Nawahiokalani'opu'u Iki laboratory public charter school, a  
4 Hawaiian language medium laboratory school open to all  
5 ethnicities that is affiliated with the University of Hawaii at  
6 Hilo and a parallel to the English language medium laboratory  
7 school at the University of Hawaii at Manoa.

8           The year 2007 also signifies the twentieth anniversary of  
9 the first cohort of Hawaiian immersion students entering the  
10 state public school system and Ke Kula 'O Nawahiokalani'opu'u Iki  
11 laboratory public charter school's first graduating class.  
12 Enrollment has now grown to the point where facilities are  
13 inadequate to support this important state laboratory school.  
14 Ke Kula 'O Nawahiokalani'opu'u Iki laboratory public charter  
15 school has never received any funds to house its state programs,  
16 which innovatively combines both department of education and  
17 charter school structures.



1           The purpose of this Act to appropriate funding to Ke Kula 'O  
2   Nawahiokalani'opu'u Iki laboratory public charter school for  
3   construction and maintenance of its facilities and other  
4   educational program needs.

5           SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the general  
6   revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$                   , or so  
7   much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2007-2008, for  
8   construction and maintenance of facilities and for educational  
9   program needs at Ke Kula 'O Nawahiokalani'opu'u Iki laboratory  
10   public charter school.

11           The sum appropriated shall be expended by the University of  
12   Hawaii for the purposes of this Act.

13           SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2007.



**Report Title:**

Appropriation; Ke Kula 'O Nawahiokalani'opu'u Iki Laboratory  
Public Charter School Funding

**Description:**

Appropriates moneys to the Ke Kula 'O Nawahiokalani'opu'u Iki  
laboratory public charter school. (SD1)

