



UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII SYSTEM

Legislative Testimony

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by

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SB2215 RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII COMMUNITY COLLEGES

Chair Tokuda, Vice Chair Sakamoto, and Members of the Committee:

The Board of Regents has not considered nor approved the change in mission that is represented by the proposed change in HRS 304A-1101. We therefore respectfully testify against SB2215.

The current language in the statute has allowed Maui Community College to add two Bachelor of Applied Science degrees. All of the additional degrees currently under consideration by Maui CC can be accommodated within the existing statute without the proposed change.