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## A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.

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

1           SECTION 1. In 2013, the University of Hawaii board of  
2 regents established tuition schedules through the 2016-2017  
3 academic years. The tuition increases ranged from 3.1 per cent  
4 per year to 7.5 per cent per year. These increases represented  
5 some of the highest rates of tuition and fee increases among  
6 public universities in the United States. The significant  
7 increases in tuition for in-state students will negatively  
8 impact the ability of local residents to attend college.

9           The legislature finds that establishing a moratorium on  
10 resident tuition increases for the University of Hawaii system  
11 is a matter of statewide concern in that such a moratorium will  
12 enable more individuals in the State to enroll at a school  
13 within the University of Hawaii system and provide a more  
14 affordable higher education for state residents.

15           SECTION 2. Resident tuition and fees charged for the 2014-  
16 2015 academic year, at all campuses of the University of Hawaii  
17 system, shall remain the same as, or be lower than, those  
18 charged for the 2013-2014 academic year.



1 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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# H.B. NO. 1832

**Report Title:**

University of Hawaii; Tuition; Moratorium

**Description:**

Prohibits the University of Hawaii from increasing resident tuition and fees for the 2014-2015 academic year.

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