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## A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION.

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

1           SECTION 1. Chapter 304A, part IV, subpart A, subdivision  
2 1, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended by adding a new section  
3 to be appropriately designated and to read as follows:

4           "§304A- Community college tuition waiver. The board of  
5 regents shall waive the tuition of any person who enrolls as a  
6 student in a community college under the following conditions:

7           (1) The person is a United States citizen or an eligible  
8 non-citizen, as determined by the board;

9           (2) The person has been a resident of the State for at  
10 least twelve months prior to the time of applying for  
11 the waiver;

12           (3) The person is a graduate of a private or public high  
13 school located in the State;

14           (4) The person is admitted to and enrolled full-time in a  
15 community college;



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1        (5) The person maintains satisfactory academic progress,  
2                    as determined by the community college in which the  
3                    person is enrolled;

4        (6) The person maintains continuous full-time enrollment  
5                    at a community college, except for periods of medical  
6                    or personal leave of absence, as approved by the  
7                    community college that the person attends;

8        (7) The person is physically present in the State; and

9        (8) The person is under the age of twenty-six."

10       SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.

11       SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2016.

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**Report Title:**

Community Colleges; Tuition Waiver

**Description:**

Grants tuition waivers to students at the community colleges who meet certain criteria.

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