
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO EDUCATIONAL BENEFITS.

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

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

4 "§304A- Educational benefits for nonsupervisory
5 employees in blue collar positions. The board of regents shall
6 adopt rules to provide:

7 (1) The officers and employees of the University of Hawaii
8 assigned to the collective bargaining unit established
9 pursuant to section 89-6(a)(1) (nonsupervisory
10 employees in blue collar positions); and

11 (2) The officers and employees of the University of Hawaii
12 who are excluded from collective bargaining and belong
13 to the same compensation plans as the officers and
14 employees within the collective bargaining unit
15 established pursuant to section 89-6(a)(1),
16 with the same educational benefits provided to the officers and
17 employees of the University of Hawaii assigned to the collective



1 bargaining unit established pursuant to section 89-6(a)(7)
 2 (faculty of the University of Hawaii and the community college
 3 system).

4 For purposes of this section, "educational benefits" shall
 5 include tuition waivers, reduced tuition, and tuition benefits
 6 for the employee or officer and the spouse, domestic partner,
 7 and children of the employee or officer."

8 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.

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

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Report Title:

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Description:

Requires UH to provide nonsupervisory employees in blue collar positions with the same educational benefits provided to faculty.

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