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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. Section 305J-13, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended as follows:

3 1. By amending subsection (a) to read:

4 "(a) If a private college or university, seminary, or
5 religious training institution under the jurisdiction of the
6 department ceases operating within the State, the institution,
7 its owner, or the owner's designee, and its governing board
8 shall be jointly and severally liable to deposit with the
9 department the institution's educational records requested by
10 the department in a form to be prescribed by the director."

11 2. By amending subsection (d) to read:

12 "(d) The department shall permanently retain any student
13 transcripts received pursuant to this section[-] in a form
14 prescribed by the director. The department shall retain any
15 other records requested and obtained pursuant to this section
16 for [~~ten years; provided that after this period, for~~] a time
17 period prescribed by the director; provided that at the time of



1 disposal, the department shall dispose of the records in a
2 manner that will adequately protect the privacy of any personal
3 information included in the records."

4 SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
5 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

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

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Report Title:

Post-Secondary Education; Authorization; Closed Institution
Records

Description:

Clarifies that under the Hawaii Post-Secondary Education Authorization Program, when an institution ceases to operate, the student transcripts will be kept permanently in a form prescribed by the director and other records requested and obtained by DCCA may be disposed of at the director's discretion.

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