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## A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO FARM TO SCHOOL MONTH IN HAWAII.

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

1           SECTION 1. Chapter 8, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended  
2 by adding a new section to be appropriately designated and to  
3 read as follows:

4           "§8- Farm to School Month in Hawaii. The month of  
5 October shall be known and designated as "Farm to School Month  
6 in Hawaii" to promote public awareness of the State's farm to  
7 school initiative "connecting keiki to the 'āina" through  
8 coordinated activities and resources connecting schools and  
9 local farms with the objectives of serving healthy Hawaii-grown  
10 meals in school cafeterias; improving student nutrition;  
11 lowering childhood obesity; supporting local farmers; and  
12 exposing students to agriculture, nutrition, and educational  
13 opportunities through classroom activities, farm field trips,  
14 and school gardens. This month is not and shall not be  
15 construed to be a state holiday."

16           SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.



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

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# H.B. NO. 134

**Report Title:**

Farm to School Month in Hawaii

**Description:**

Designates the month of October as "Farm to School Month in Hawaii."

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