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HB 2300 HD1 - RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII

Chair Kahele, Vice Chair Kim, and members of the committee:

The University of the Hawai'i (UH) is opposed to HB 2300 HD1, Relating to the University of Hawaii.

The purpose of this bill is to require the UH to submit a report to the Legislature within thirty days of each appropriation transfer or changes between programs.

The University is opposed to this bill as we already report on a quarterly and annual basis to the Legislature and Governor on all transfers between programs. Adding another deadline for reporting the same information is unnecessarily duplicative and a repetition of effort.

Thank you for this opportunity to testify.