
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.

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

1 SECTION 1. The legislature finds that Act 39, Session Laws
2 of Hawaii 2017 (Act 39), provided the University of Hawaii with
3 express statutory authority to enable and facilitate the
4 deployment of university educational and instructional
5 resources, university managerial and fiscal resources, and
6 university personnel to promote the economic health and
7 diversification of workforce opportunities in the State through
8 the commercialization of inventions and discoveries generated by
9 or at the university. To accomplish this goal, Act 39
10 established the innovation and commercialization initiative
11 program within the University of Hawaii. This authority is, as
12 provided by Act 39, is set to be repealed on June 30, 2021.

13 The purpose of this Act is to remove the repeal date in Act
14 39 and make the innovation and commercialization initiative
15 program permanent.



1 SECTION 2. Act 39, Session Laws of Hawaii 2017, is amended
2 by amending section 3 to read as follows:

3 "SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2017[
4 and shall be repealed on June 30, 2021]."

5 SECTION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
6 and stricken.

7 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2020.
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Description:

Removes the sunset provision of Act 39, Session Laws of Hawaii 2017, making permanent the innovation and commercialization initiative program.

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