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A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO EDUCATION.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section 302A-448, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended to read as follows:

3 " [+] §302A-448 [+] Schools; career pathways, academies, and
4 programs; commercial enterprises. (a) Notwithstanding any law
5 to the contrary, an individual department school or any career
6 pathway, academy, or program operated within a school may engage
7 in commercial enterprises that are related to the primary
8 educational purposes of the school, career pathway, academy, or
9 program as set forth in this chapter, including the sale of
10 goods produced by or for an individual school, career pathway,
11 academy, or program.

12 (b) Student interns shall be considered "employees of the
13 State" pursuant to chapter 662 when acting for an agency in
14 their capacity as student interns.

15 (c) Expenditures made by the department for the operation
16 of commercial enterprises, including hiring personnel,
17 renovating commercial space, and purchasing merchandise,



1 supplies, and equipment, shall be made without regard to
 2 chapters 76, 78, 89, 103, and 103D. Net profits generated
 3 pursuant to this chapter may be transferred by the department
 4 for other purposes of general benefit.

5 (d) The department may adopt rules pursuant to chapter 91
 6 to carry out the purposes of this section."

7 SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
 8 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

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

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Report Title:

Department of Education; Schools; Career Pathways, Academies,
and Programs; Commercial Enterprises

Description:

Deems student interns to be employees of the State of Hawaii
when acting for an agency; allows the Department of Education to
transfer revenue from school commercial enterprises to other
department funds.

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