

ACT 51

S.B. NO. 2341

A Bill for an Act Relating to the Community Colleges.

*Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Hawaii:*

SECTION 1. Section 305-1, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended to read as follows:

**“§305-1 System of community colleges[.]; purpose.** (a) The board of regents of the University of Hawaii shall develop and administer a system of community colleges.

(b) The purposes of community colleges shall be to provide [two-year];

(1) Two-year college transfer and general education programs[, semiprofessional,];

(2) Two- and four-year vocational technical education programs;

(3) Semiprofessional, technical, vocational, and continuing education programs[.]; and [such]

(4) Such other educational programs and services as [are] may be appropriate to such institutions.

(c) The board may confer a corresponding degree or certificate upon the successful completion of any educational program described in subsection (b) to all students who are entitled thereto.”

SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed. New statutory material is underscored.

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

(Approved April 24, 1996.)