



UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII SYSTEM

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SCR 35/SR 29 – REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII - WEST OAHU TO REOPEN THEIR PARTNERSHIP WITH THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT HILO TO PROVIDE A PRE-NURSING PATHWAY FOR STUDENTS

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

Thank you for the opportunity to provide testimony on SCR 35/SR 29 - REQUESTING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII - WEST OAHU TO REOPEN THEIR PARTNERSHIP WITH THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT HILO TO PROVIDE A PRE-NURSING PATHWAY FOR STUDENTS.

The University of Hawai'i at Hilo is committed to partnering with the University of Hawai'i – West Oahu's (UHWO) Pre-Nursing Pathway. An initial meeting is being scheduled for April.

In addition, the UHWO Health Science faculty are currently working with faculty at the University of Hawai'i at Mānoa's (UHM) Nancy Atmospera-Walch School of Nursing to develop a sustainable nursing pathway from UHWO (Pre-Nursing Pathway, 2 years) to UHM (BSN).

Thank you for the opportunity to submit testimony on this resolution.