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HB 814 – RELATING TO THE UNIFORM EMPLOYEE AND STUDENT ONLINE PRIVACY PROTECTION ACT

Chair Johanson, Vice Chair Holt, and members of the committee:

The University of Hawai'i (UH) takes no position on HB 814 that proposes to adopt uniform laws on protecting the online accounts of employees and students from employers and educational institutions. UH, however, would like to note an issue of concern.

Section 2, Definitions, of SB 429, outlines a “protected personal online account” and exclusions (page 3, lines 17-21 through page 4, lines 1-10). UH understands by this language that UH accounts and resources are exempted.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide this testimony.